

and now our minds are turning Christmasward



MEN'S NECKWEAR
These exclusive scarves include wipers, Margadore stripes and the broche figured effects of most exquisite qualities, displaying rich, quiet, refined patterns in an almost bewildering assortment of colorings.



MEN'S SHIRTS
Dress shirts, 50c to \$5.00.
Flannel shirts, \$1.50 to \$5.00.
Smoking jackets, \$5.00 to \$12.00.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR AT A SAVING
Men's perfect fitting full fashioned union suits and two piece suits a regular and short stout lengths—either blue or white—in good fall and winter weights. Special at 50c to \$5.00 at suit.

Men and women who buy for men naturally look to a man's store for men's gifts and if their attention is directed our way the question of "what shall it be" is easily solved.

Here you will find the things men want, useful gifts gathered together from an intimate knowledge of men's wants and wishes. Here you will find merchandise of quality, things that will render a full measure of service... and in every department whether your purchase be large or small, greater value will always be evident.

KUPPENHEIMER CLOTHES

A completely rearranged selection of the latest models in Suits and Overcoats; from the House of Kuppenheimer. SUITS—\$20, \$25, \$30. OVERCOATS—\$20, \$25, \$30 and \$35.

MEN'S SHOES
The very finest gift for brother father or husband is a pair of Crossett's Shoes at \$5.00 or \$6.00.

FIXUP TWO STORES
Marshfield - - - North Bend



MEN'S HOSE
Silk, Cotton and Cashmere Hose, 25 cents and 50 cents.
Men's dress gloves, \$1.50 and \$2.00.
Men's bath robes, \$4 to \$7.50.

MEN'S SILK-AND-COTTON PAJAMAS AND NIGHT-SHIRTS, \$2.50

These pajamas come in plain colors, such as pink, white, gray and blue. They are made in the "collarless" style with double flat frogs. This is certainly a splendid time to stock up with pajamas, for values like these do not come often at \$2.50 in holiday boxes.



LOCAL BREVITIES

WEATHER FORECAST
(By Associated Press in Coos Bay Times.)
OREGON—Fair and colder in east; northeasterly winds.
LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD
For the 24 hours ending at 4:43 a. m., Dec. 12, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:
Maximum 51
Minimum 31
At 4:43 a. m. 35
Precipitation00
Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1914 30.99
Precipitation same period last year 16.59
Wind: Northwest; clear.

Eastside Service.—Rev. G. LeRoy Hall will speak Sunday night at Eastside in the city hall.
Elected Mayor.—J. T. Bridges, a former Coos county resident, and who has a number of relatives in the Coquille Valley, was elected mayor of Oakland, Oregon, at the city election this week.

Is Councillor.—At the city election in Sutherlin this week, Fen Walte, son of F. B. Walte, and well known on the Bay, was elected a member of the city council, polling the second highest vote of anyone in the field. G. W. Banker was elected mayor.

Big Slaughter.—John C. Kendall, C. H. Duffington and Ray Kaufman left on the Messenger this afternoon for the Glasgow Gun Club where they expect to spend tomorrow in quest of the sweet, juicy and succulent bird that has been often reported "thereabouts."

Will Ask Licenses.—Saloons men of the city are preparing their petitions for submission to the City Council at its first meeting after December 26, when they will ask for renewals of their licenses up to January 1, 1916, when they all will meet their doom.

Fine Fireplace.—J. N. Bayliss of the Fireside this week shipped the material for a fine fireplace to Port Orford. He will go there later to install it in the home of E. J. Loney. Mr. Loney left this week to join Mrs. Loney, who is visiting relatives in the east and the fireside will be sort of a surprise for them.

Marshall at Dances.—Increased because of the disturbance at a dance of last week because of a drunken visitor, the Eagles declare that henceforth at every dance given by them they will have a special marshal on the ground to preserve order. Action of this same nature will be taken up with all other parties who contract for the hall.

Resume Building.—With the coming out of the sun again and the eclipse of Jupiter Pluvius, the contractors are again able to resume their work on the new High School gymnasium. Yesterday they commenced putting on the outside wall of the building. The frame work is already up. The contract calls for the completion of the gymnasium in February.

One Section In.—One of the two sections of the new telephone switch board at North Bend has been installed and about 150 subscribers have been already cut in on this board. This leaves less than 100 to be transferred onto the second section. Subscribers down at Empire and South Inlet will be cut in on this switchboard but will continue to use the magneto phones, those that ring to call central as the telephone authorities declare that with them on the country lines they can give the best service.

Drunk at Empire, Jailed Here.—Harold Cook, age 19, was in the Police Court this morning on the charge of being drunk. He declared that he was drunk last evening on Empire "snake bite" and that a friend had purchased the liquid for him. Together with this friend Cook had walked to Empire looking for a job. It was when he failed to land one that Cook gave up in despair and imbibed. Evidently the Judge had mercy on a man who would walk as far as Empire looking for a job, so he charged Cook \$5 and suspended sentence providing he would leave town.

Allowance by Court.—In addition to the allowances, four in number, noted as the work of the last meeting of the county court there is added the fact that a \$5 monthly allowance to B. J. Harrison has been discontinued and so was the \$10 stipend of H. G. Cameron, the \$5 to Charles Dolph, and the \$25 a month to Myrtle Blake. The allowance of \$10 a month to Nancy Keeler was reduced to \$5 and that of \$12 to Z. T. Johnson was cut to \$6. Until further notice the following were allowed \$10 monthly: Louisa Jordan of Templeton; Fannie Mille, Mollie Larson, Mrs. W. L. Butler, Mrs. Nora Wakefield, Mrs. Harriet Modue and Mrs. D. J. Ewing, all of Bandon.

SHORT WILL NOT APPEAL DECISION

Will Take Punishment Under State Law, According to Decision of Judge Coke

Because of the expense attached, Willis Short, through his attorney, J. D. Goss, has decided not to pursue into the supreme court the decision of Judge Coke when yesterday he ruled that the Congress of the United States has no right over the migratory game birds of this state and that for that reason Short is amenable under the state law for shooting ducks from a gasoline boat. "I believe that Judge Coke is right," said Mr. Goss this morning. He believes that the ruling will possibly be taken into the United States Supreme Court, not on this particular case, but perhaps in others that have been similar. Mr. Goss declares that several states have already passed on the law, the judges declaring that the state has complete jurisdiction. One state, Nebraska, has a decision the opposite of this, upholding the federal law. Short will have a trial in this session of the circuit court. The maximum fine for the offense is \$250.

WATERFRONT NEWS

This morning the Yellowstone, of the Swayne and Hoyt line, was due in from San Francisco with a general cargo. It is probable that she will arrive this afternoon and leave out for Portland either this evening or tomorrow morning. The Elder is due in from Portland on Monday morning. Tuesday the Nann Smith is expected in from San Francisco.

Christmas Cheer

means most to those who gather about their own fireside where are hung the little stockings in readiness for **SANTA CLAUS' COMING.** How about the little home you have been planning? Why not make the start now? The best **CHRISTMAS PRESENT** for the whole family—a deed—or a contract—to a lot in **PERHAM PARK**—Then by next Christmas you will be sitting by your own fireside. Start in a small way—we will help you. **LOCATION** means much to the busy housewife. Our lots are close in and terms easy. **SEE REID ABOUT IT.** **W. A. Reid 150 Front st.**

Now is the time of year to lay in that winter's supply of groceries, but before you buy here or send your order away to Portland or San Francisco come in and see us and let us figure with you; which we will be glad to do and will submit bids on short notice. We have some splendid home-made sauer kraut, 1-2 gal. for 25c. When in the market for dried fruits come in and look over our line.

BELLFLEUR AND BALDWIN APPLES, PER BOX \$1.00
Make your New Year's resolutions early and include this one: Resolved, that during the year 1915 I am going to trade at the Coos Bay Tea, Coffee and Spice House as they can save me money on my grocery bill. If you do this we will guarantee you a Happy New Year.

Coos Bay Tea, Coffee & Spice House
PHONE 394-J.

Personals

H. E. EDWARDS came down from Allegany this morning.
DAN MATSON was down today on business from Catching Inlet.
G. A. MILLER of Catching Inlet, was down today on business.
DAN FRANZON was down this morning from Catching Inlet.
MISS IRENE HOLMES of Catching Inlet, was here today shopping.
MISS NINA JOHNSON was here today shopping from Allegany.
H. E. BAKER of Ash, was among the business visitors here today.
H. D. WALLACE of Catching Inlet, was here today on a business trip.
Z. T. THOMAS of Allegany, came down on the Millicoma this morning.
JOHN SIREN was among the visitors in the city today from Catching Inlet.
H. E. BESSEY of Coos River, came down on the Wah-ta-Wasco this morning.
MRS. IDA MATSON of Catching Inlet, came down today on a shopping trip.
B. H. SANFORD of Haynes Inlet, was down on the Messenger this morning.
T. M. CULVER and two sons were business visitors from Catching Inlet today.
MRS. C. A. GOULD was a shopping visitor here today from her home at Allegany.

GEORGE ROSS and his mother, Mrs. Ross, were here today from Catching Inlet.
W. J. KING and his mother, Mrs. King, came down today from Coos River on business.
ARTHUR NELSON was among the business visitors here today from Haynes Inlet.
MR. AND MRS. E. H. SCHIFFLE, of Haynes Inlet, were shopping visitors here today.
MRS. A. E. TOWER was among the shopping visitors here today from Catching Inlet.
GEORGE BLAKE was among the business visitors in the city from Catching Inlet today.
MRS. H. SMITHGALL of Catching Inlet, was down doing some shopping this morning.
SWAN PETERSON of Haynes Inlet, was among the business visitors in the city today.

JULIUS PETERSON was down this morning on business from his home at Haynes Inlet.
MR. AND MRS. WM. MOBLEY of Coos River, were among the shopping visitors in the city today.
ARTHUR FERRIS, of Haynes Inlet, was down on a short shopping trip this morning.
MR. AND MRS. E. O. GROSSBY of Catching Inlet were here shopping and visiting today from Catching Inlet.
MISS MAY CONKLIN has accepted a position with H. W. Painter, agent for the Portland Flouring Mills.

Roller skates, Summer Hardware Company.
MOTORCYCLE QUICK DELIVERY. Parcels Messenger, Phone 445.
BIG DANCE EAGLES' HALL SATURDAY night, Dec. 12. MARTIN'S Orchestra. COME if you care.
MOTORCYCLE QUICK DELIVERY. Parcels Messenger, Phone 445.

The Grand To-Night

5 REELS OF PHOTOPLAYS—THE BEST BY TEST—ASK ANYONE—3 REELS OF VITAGRAPHS.
PATHE DAILY NEWS, No. 64.—War news direct from the front—this is not faked as some others that have been showing in this city, but scenes as they really happened—Pathe and Hearst-Belg are reliable news photographers.
"MAREKA, THE FOSTER MOTHER"—Vitagraph has made a splendid feature in this two-reel production—if it's a Vitagraph you know it's good. An all-star cast.
"THE WRONG FLAT"—Vitagraph's different—a big laugh for fifteen minutes—the Vitagraph funny players at their best in this play.
"A FIRST CLASS COOK"—Biograph farce comedy—a scream from beginning to end.
"THE WHITE HAND SOCIETY"—Another comedy that will bring a giggle from the big crowd that will attend this theater tonight.
Children, 5c—Adults, 10c—**SUNDAY MATINEE—ARTHUR JOHNSON—"THE BELOVED ADVENTURER"** will be repeated. Several other new pictures. Entire change of program in the evening.
The thirteenth episode of **THE PERIWS OF PAULINE WILL BE SHOWN MONDAY NIGHT.**

Piano Contest Candidates
We are making a special sale of U. S. Granite Ware at 15 per cent discount until December 15, and will give 200 VOTES on every piece of ware sold in that time. The CANDIDATE receiving most votes on this enamel ware will receive a beautiful prize. ASK US.
Schroeder & Hildenbrand
Hardware and Plumbing.
Repair shop in connection.

SEVENTEEN SEEK DIVORCES HERE

Of the seventeen divorces on the docket for the December term of our Circuit Court, 11 of the plaintiffs are women and six are men. These are the suits for divorce now on the docket:
Myrtle M. Barker vs. John L. Barker.
Eva Z. Crockett vs. Joseph Crockett.
Grace Delmore vs. W. D. Delmore.
Lillie M. Elliott vs. George A. Elliott.
Emma Faircloth vs. Walter Faircloth.
Levi Graham vs. Lovina Graham.
H. P. Gurnea vs. Alice E. Gurnea.
David H. Leach vs. Effie J. Leach.
Oma McGinnis vs. Thomas McGinnis.
Augusta M. Ohman vs. Oscar M. Ohman.
Grace Rath vs. Chas. Rath.
Katy Reed vs. Charley Reed.
Lee Vandermark vs. Gertrude Vandermark.
Mary H. Wadman vs. James H. Wadman.
Katrina Weber vs. Nicholas Weber.
Louis I. Wheeler vs. Alha R. Wheeler.
Clara B. Wheeler vs. W. S. Wheeler.
There is besides another case, "to annul marriage." Levi Graham vs. Hattie E. Graham.—Coquette Sentinel.

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Your Druggist

SUMMONS.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Coos.
Home Mortgage Co., a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Eugene Arthur Hermida, Defendant.
To Eugene Arthur Hermida: You are hereby notified that you are required to appear and answer the complaint now on file against you

Get your **Christmas Candies** at **Sarter's** and help your friend win the piano—a present like that will be appreciated. Extra votes given on all orders for Christmas candies. Call at store for information. **Sarter's** Front street.

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