

The Store FOR Women BEEHIVE Ladies Outfitters

The remaining days of this year we will be busy getting stock in shape for a

"General Cleaning - Up Sale"

We want stock greatly reduced before taking annual inventory

Sale Begins Jan. 1, 1908
Save your money for this event

OCEAN, BAR, BAY, DOCK AND RIVER

The steamship Roanoke is due down and at the Callender dock shortly after midnight, and will sail for Eureka, San Francisco and Port Los Angeles at 6:30 o'clock this morning. Among her passengers out will be Walter Wilson, for Eureka; and Mr. and Mrs. Salling, for San Diego.

The Harvest Queen came down the river yesterday with the French bark Sully on her hawsers, and dropped that vessel at the Tongue. The Queen went up again last evening with the British ship Torrissdale on her lines.

The Kamin liner Lurline got away last evening with a fair load and the following named people billed for the trip: S. Schmidt, W. H. Woodward, Frank Woodfield, J. H. Mason, S. W. Simons, and P. B. Stanks.

The O. R. & N. tow boat Okla-hama arrived down yesterday and took on in the neighborhood of 5000 cases of salmon; then she fastened on to the French ship Desaix and left up stream, full handed.

The French bark Eugene Schneider will be down early next week to load a huge cargo of big square timbers at the docks of the Hammond Lumber Company, for European delivery.

The oil tank steamer Asuncion arrived in from the California coast yesterday morning, and proceeded on up the river after a short stay in this port.

The steamer Shoshone arrived down at the Callender dock yesterday afternoon, laden with an immense cargo of ties, and left down and out later in the day, San Francisco bound.

A French bark, whose name has not been ascertained, has been reported as off Gray's Harbor, in distress. It is thought she was from the Sound, and lumber laden for the Antipodes.

The steam schooner Washington which has been in the boneyard at Portland for some months past is to resume her run between the Bay City and the Rose City.

The S. F. & P. steamship Rose City is due down at midnight tonight and will sail for the Golden Gate at daylight.

The Argo arrived down stream yesterday and went to sea and Tillamook Bay points during the afternoon, with a fair cargo of general merchandise.

The bar tug Wallula will blow down her boilers today, and the Tatoosh will go into commission for a few days in her place and stead.

The French ship Rene Kerviler got away over the bar yesterday morning and laid her course for Sydney Heads, Australia, for orders.

The American barkentine Wrestler has been chartered to load lumber out of the Columbia for South American delivery.

The Breakwater made her usual passage down and out for the Coos country yesterday morning.

The steamer Eureka was among the getaways for the California coast yesterday.

Norwegian-Danish M. E.
Services today, January 1st, at 11 a. m. Scandinavians are cordially invited to worship with us. O. T. Field, pastor.

Baptist.
Rev. F. C. W. Parker, corresponding secretary and general missionary of the Oregon Baptist convention, will preach at the Baptist church at both morning and evening services next Sunday. Everybody is invited to hear him. Conrad L. Owen, pastor.

WRIGHT'S ALRIGHT.

LEMANS, Dec. 31—Wilbur Wright made another long flight yesterday remaining in the air for one hour, 52 minutes and 40 seconds and covering a distance of 60 miles. He was obliged to stop on account of the intense cold.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

LIGHT HOUSE TENDERS WILL STAY HERE

LETTER FROM SENATOR FULTON SAYS THERE IS NO FEAR OF REMOVAL.

The fear that the lighthouse headquarters would be removed from the mouth of the Columbia river to Bellingham Bay turns out to have been quite groundless, according to a letter received by Mr. Whyte, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday, from Senator Fulton. Mr. Fulton says:

"Referring again to the matter of the reported movement to have headquarters of the lighthouse district removed from the Columbia River to Bellingham Bay, I find that it all arose out of resolutions adopted by the Bellingham Chamber of Commerce asking that it be done. There is no disposition whatever on the part of the authorities here to make any change, as they say the Columbia River is near the center of the district. The proposition to create an extra district is one that has been recommended by the lighthouse board for several years and it arises out of a desire to have authority to create an additional district with a view to placing Alaska in a district by itself. That would have no influence in the matter of the location of the headquarters of the existing district."

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS IN BASKET BALL

MANY SPECTATORS WATCH INTERESTING GAME AT THE ATHLETIC CLUB.

The basketball game last night in Athletic Club gymnasium between girls of the High School attracted a goodly number of spectators, and was interesting from start to finish. The contest was between combination teams—the Seniors-Freshman against the Sophomore-Juniors, and the Soph-Juns won by the rather overwhelming score of 34 to 10.

This was the third game between the two teams, and each time the Sophomore-Juniors have won the victory.

The girls are beginning to show quite a little skill under the coaching of Principal Imel, and during the year there has been a marked development in High School athletics.

Miss Lennah Parker, who played guard for the S-J's, was perhaps the star of the evening, and she aided materially in piling up the score for her side. Following was the line-up:

Senior-Freshmen—Lenora McGregor and Margaret Ross, center; Leola Ball, center guard; Bernice McGregor, Virginia Peterson, Maud Ross, forward; Addie Abercrombie and Hazel Louden, guards.

Sophomore-Juniors—Grace Kennedy, center; Blanche Heron, center guard; Fannie Gregory and Elva Jeldness, forward; Lennah Parker and Myrtle Harrison, guards.

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HAVE VERY ELABORATE CHRISTMAS TREE

INTERESTING OCCASION AT NORWEGIAN AND DANISH M. E. CHURCH.

On Tuesday evening the Norwegian and Danish Methodist Church was crowded to overflowing by the always interested populace of the east end of the city. Every available seat and all standing room being occupied by members of the Sunday school, their friends and elders, who had come to enjoy the celebrating of the birth of Christ.

The decorations were said to have been without doubt the most elaborate and spectacular of anything yet shown in the city. In the center of the platform was a large tree over which was built a platform in the shape of a gambrel roof. On the center of this arch or platform there had been placed a large candlestick, lavishly decorated, and made by Albert Carlson, and perhaps intended to represent the Biblical seven golden candlesticks, only that this one would hold 15 large candles. On each side of this candlestick was placed three small trees, each one independently decorated in tinsel, garlands, popcorn and the customary silvery and golden little things that make green spruce trees so attractive at Christmas time.

The program of the Sunday school was well rendered, especially the singing of the whole school, thanks be to L. A. Larson's untiring patience in training and teaching the children the beautiful Christmas songs. The church choir favored the audience with two selections entitled "Hosanna" and "Lovesinger." The male choir also sang, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," to a tune composed by L. A. Larson. The old custom of distributing presents of intrinsic value to the Sunday school boys and girls has been discontinued, but they had not been forgotten as every member of the school received a little booklet containing name of school, etc., that all who might care to do so will have something whereby they can remember the school and the Christmas festivities of 1908.

PERSONAL MENTION

Peter Sater of Bellingham, Wash., is in the city, a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. R. Pomeroy.
R. D. Hazel of Seattle was in the city yesterday on a business trip and was quartered at the Occident.
S. R. Thomas of Portland was a business visitor in Astoria yesterday.

W. W. Amburn of Portland was down yesterday to attend the meeting of the Astoria Water Commission, returning to the metropolis on the evening train.

J. J. Walters of Portland and formerly of this city, spent the day in Astoria yesterday on matters of business, and shaking hands with many old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Babler and Miss May Babler of Ilwaco were in the city yesterday and domiciled at the Occident.

H. E. Canthorn of Eureka was a business visitor in this city yesterday and was registered at the Northern Hotel.

J. R. Sommers of Tacoma was among the big crowd of business tourists in this city yesterday. He was a guest of the Merwyn.

H. D. Grant of Ashland spent the day here yesterday on business matters returning up the road last night on the 6:10 train.

R. E. Goldersleeve of New York was one of the many business visitors noted in Astoria yesterday.

C. G. Ballington of Spokane spent the afternoon here yesterday.

J. K. Browne, a merchant of Boise, was doing business here yesterday for a few hours.

T. D. Douglas of Sacramento, was noted among the interested tourists in this city yesterday. He was domiciled at the Northern.

C. J. Quackenbush of Dubuque was in the city yesterday and went on to Seaside on the evening train.

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