

You've But 14 Shopping Days Left—Make Haste—Let Your Gifts Come From

Olds, Wortman & King

Portland's Most Modern and Liberal Store—This Store Never Disappoints

Tremendous Sale of Fine Silks

Surely you know somebody that would be more than pleased with a Silk Waist Pattern for Christmas, and to help you decide we offer a choice of the largest stock of fancy silks in Portland at reduced prices. They are fancy novelty effects in all the leading shades and patterns, and regularly worth from \$1.00 to \$2.00 the yard. For this week's sale the \$1.00 grade is priced at only **79c**. \$1.25 grade, special at **93c**. \$1.75 grade, special at **\$1.39**. \$1.50 grade, special at **\$1.13**. \$2.00 grade, special at **\$1.59**.

Yard - Wide Taffeta \$1.21 Yd Black Dress Goods \$1.27 Yd

Our Olds, Wortman & King brand yard-wide Prime Black Taffeta Silk, best made for the money, beautiful, lustrous black, \$1.50 grade, special **\$1.21**. \$1.50 CREPE DE CHINE, for scarfs, etc.; specially priced for Wednesday at only **93c**. A decidedly sensible Christmas gift would be a Black Dress Pattern. We offer an assortment of Black Dress Goods in all wool novelty or silk and wool. A lot of 4000 yards, worth to \$3.50 the yard. Special **\$1.27** price.

Buy exclusive designs in Imported Jewelry for about half department store prices. We show a wide selection, bought especially for our own trade by our own representative on a regular yearly European trip. Clever novelties priced astonishingly low.

\$7.50 Coque Boas Choice \$2.98

A startling special on an immense lot of Coque and Marabou Boas and Neck pieces; just in time for the winter festivities and in time to give you an opportunity to save on your holiday gifts. They come in practically all the wanted street or evening shades, rich, fluffy effects, priced as follows: Regular values up to \$12 and \$15, choice **\$5.00**. Regular values up to \$7.50, choice only **\$2.98**. NECK SCARFS, STOLES OR SETS for Christmas gifts, fine Ostrich Trimmed Opera Throws of Marabou, and Ostrich-Stoles, also Novelty Neckpieces, selling at **HALF PRICE**.



\$4 Silk Hose \$2.38 Pr

A medium weight silk, embroidered in self or colored thread in very artistic designs, put up in fancy holiday boxes, one pair to the box. Good \$4.00 quality. Special at, the pair **\$2.38**. FANS—IDEAL GIFTS. Our stock is complete and we offer two tremendous specials on some of the most beautiful fans ever shown in Portland. One lot, containing values up to \$1.75, special only **98c**. All Imported and Hand Decorated Fans, worth \$10.00 to \$25.00, choice at **HALF PRICE**.

Cozy Slippers Solid comfort of evenings is assured the recipient of a gift of this sort. Make them remember your good taste and thoughtfulness.

WOMEN'S SLIPPERS — The "Feel Warm" line. Made of basket woven wool cloth or felt, lined throughout with lamb's wool; warmest kind made; priced at \$1.19 to **\$2.50**. We also have these for men. WOMEN'S FELT JULIETTES and Slippers. A sensible gift or a satisfactory purchase for your own wear. We have them in brown or black, nicely finished and trimmed. The sort usually sold at \$1.25, for **98c**. WOMEN'S FELT JULIETTES AND SLIPPERS, in black, brown, red or gray, trimmed with fur; an unusually good \$1.50 grade, special Wednesday at **\$1.39**.

Umbrellas at \$1.29

Women's or Men's Umbrellas, with strong, serviceable frames, fast black twill covers, large assortment of natural wood or trimmed handles, regular values \$1.85 to \$2.00. Special **\$1.29** Wednesday. WOMEN'S GLOVES in odd lines, 12 and 16 button length, not all sizes in each lot, regular prices to \$4.00 the pair. **\$1.48** Special.

Side Elastics at 98c

WOMEN'S SILK SIDE ELASTICS or hose supporters, in black, white, pink, blue and all light shades, fitted with sterling silver buckles and ribbon bows, values to \$1.50. **98c**. Special in Boys' Caps. BOYS' CAPS in materials to match this season's boys' suits, regular prices to 50c each. **25c** Choice.

Smallwares

Glass Test Tubes for making hatpin holders. Special for Wednesday only, two for **5c**. GLASS GLOBES for making catchalls or hairpin holders, etc. Each **5c**. BASSWOOD GLOVE AND HANDKERCHIEF BOXES to burn, 35c value **25c**. KENT & HOWARD'S BEST HAIR BRUSHES, finest quality bristles, English and American make, \$4.75 and \$5.00 values, at **\$3.95**.

BASSWOOD JARDINIERS for burning, \$1.25 values. Special **98c**. SHAVING SETS, Mirror, Brush and Cup, 75c values. Special **45c**. CHRISTMAS BOOKLETS for children and Sunday school classes, 15c value. Special **10c**. FRAMED PICTURES in gilt and black frames, oval shape, assorted subjects. Special, each **19c**. POSTCARD ALBUMS, hold 300 cards, a special lot, worth 50c each. Choice **39c**.



Gift Petticoats Had You Thought of One as a Gift?

A very acceptable Christmas gift that everyone else won't think of, and that will be decidedly appreciated. We are showing some of the most exquisitely beautiful petticoats ever brought to Portland, and in proportion to their quality and desirability, prices are astonishingly low. They are made of sheer Persian lawn, cambae, etc.; trimmed with Valenciennes lace, Point de Paris lace and embroidery. Just what is needed to wear with a dainty party or dancing gown. Take advantage of these hints and come here on your shopping tour.

Prices \$10 to \$18.50

New Combination Suits—See Them

Made of fine nainsook, fashioned to fit snugly and perfectly and follow the lines of the figure as prescribed for this season's wear; made of fine nainsook, trimmed with lace or embroidery; there are corset covers and drawers, or corset covers, drawers and skirt combinations; two or three-piece garments; prices **\$2.00 to \$7.50**.

Toyland--Delight of the Children

MERRY LAUGHTER, enthusiastic comment, and eager questions are heard all day long in our toy department, as the boys and girls of Portland view and admire the largest and finest stock of toys in all the northwest. Getting busier daily now, and soon it'll be pretty crowded for comfortable shopping. Act quickly. Do your toy buying while the assortment is still so complete that disappointment is out of the question, and while one can shop with plenty of time and plenty of room. Read these special prices.

Tool Chests Contain 20 tools, in hardwood chest, size 7x13x6 in., regular price \$1.85 each. Special at only **\$1.35**.

Toy Chiffoniers 20c Dressed Dolls 25c Each

Hardwood doll's Chiffonier with four drawers, 7 by 9 inches; worth **20c**. Nicely dressed Dolls, 12 inches long and regularly worth 35c each; please **25c** some little girl, for only **25c**.

Glove or merchandise certificates for sale here. Let the recipient of your gift make their own selection. Can be used either before or after Christmas. Goods bought for Christmas stored free; deliveries made any time you wish. PORTLAND'S BEST CHRISTMAS STORE

Handkerchiefs 24c

The daintiest of Handkerchiefs in superb assortment, unlaundered 'kerchiefs of fine linen, hand-embroidered and qualities never before offered at less than 35c. For Wednesday, while a lot of 600 lasts, they are priced at only **24c**. WOMEN'S SILK UNDERWEAR—Decidedly suitable for Christmas gifts. Rich and nicely finished; vests, pants and union suits. Our entire stock offered for Wednesday's selling at 1/4 below regular. **ONE FOURTH LESS**.

75c Ribbons 29c

For fancy work, for decorations, for trimming gowns, for millinery uses, for hair bows, for every purpose. Width 3 1/2 to 6 inches. They come in Dresdens, warp prints, satin taffetas, etc. Regularly worth to 75c the yard. Choice for Wednesday **29c**.



Furs for Gifts

Stylish to the highest degree, and one of the most appropriate things possible to choose for milady's Christmas gift. Look over the magnificent assortment offered here and 'twill help to decide you.

TALKS ON WASTE OF RESOURCES

Walter Thomas Mills Shows Folly of Modern Industrial System.

Walter Thomas Mills lectured last night at Masonic temple on "The Wasted Resources of Earth and Man." The lecture being the second of a series. The other lectures are to be delivered during this week. Mr. Mills introduced his lecture by giving an account of the oil near Ventura, Cal., floating out across the open sea because its owners were so related to the oil monopoly that no market could be secured for their product, and then alluding to the four or five million capable American working men entirely unemployed for the past year, as illustrations of the wasted resources, both in materials and in means of converting materials for useful ends available for the human race. "They tell us," he said, "that the coal supply, at the current rate, will be exhausted in 25 years; that we are destroying our timber three times as fast as it is growing in the forests, and at the present rate, in 30 years America will be entirely without a supply. "Another great process of destruction is the wasteful methods of agricultural enterprise by which the fertility of the soil upon which the race depends for its sustenance is being so rapidly exhausted. If we wish to know the future of America if this process is to continue, we can read that future in advance by glancing at the fields of ancient Egypt, the source of the wheat supply of the ancient world, now barren and fruitless. "America is moving in the same direction with her virgin forests, her open prairies. What seems to be an inexhaustible supply of minerals of coal and oil, each generation so far has used them as if that generation was the last and having provided for the earth there could be no further responsibility. "But this is not all. Land and its resources are only a part of the conditions necessary to the maintenance of life. All wealth is the joint product of land and labor. If, in America, we compare the death rate of the country districts with the death rate of the crowded centers of population, and ascribe the difference to the sanitary conditions of the country could be extended to and made effective in the crowded cities, then we should immediately save 648 lives every 24 hours, and would immediately take from the sick list each day 15,344 people. "It baffles the human mind to undertake to estimate how great the waste which permits the multitudes of workers to come stumbling on, without training and without tools. "The contemplation of all this waste would not be so offensive if we were able to persuade ourselves that it is wasteful as have been the processes by which we have used the earth, no man on earth tonight is hungry, or cold, or shelterless, because the earth is so small, or her resources so limited or so exhausted by the wastefulness of man. "All that is necessary is to strengthen the things that remain that are ready to perish, and the earth will be able to care for the sanitary conditions of countless centuries that are to follow. No man is hungry, or ragged, or shelterless because the tools are inefficient. Their productivity is beyond our power to measure. The earth is large enough. The tools are productive enough. "Moreover, there is labor enough,

numerous enough, strong enough, skillful enough, to use enough of the earth's resources to provide enough for all and to spare. "It is said the corruption of modern life makes the organization of the earth's industries, her workshops, her markets, and the public possession and direction of her natural resources for man's highest uses impossible. I shall show you tomorrow night that the very corruption of the city calls aloud, that what has been the scene of man's degeneracy shall be made the instrument of his deliverance. "It has been said that the vices of society are more wasteful than are the wasteful methods of industry or the curse of illness, or the lack of equipment, or the absence of organization. I shall show you later that the very vices of society are born, out of this lack of organization, this heedless wastefulness of man's opportunities, this social refusal to meet social responsibilities and to undertake the tasks necessary that we may provide for the common life of all. "It is said that these proposals involve problems of organization and equipment beyond the genius of man to undertake. I shall show you that no new problems are involved, no new difficulties are proposed. Society has already solved the last problem, the difficulty is not that we do not know how to do it. It is, that under the mastery of special privileges, which secure private advantages for the few, to the lasting injury of the many, society has so far been unable to do as well as it already knows how. "The topic for tonight is "The City the Center of Corruption and of Progress."

in of Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa, who took his seat. Cummins' credentials were presented by his colleague, Senator Dolliver. The reading of the message began at 12:17 o'clock and was completed at 1:55, when adjournment was taken until tomorrow.

VALLEY TOWNS ARE 24 HOURS CLOSED BY NEW MAIL POUCH

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Husum, Wash., Dec. 8.—The mail service between White Salmon and Portland, Seattle and other western points has been improved to a great extent. Residents along the stage line from Trout lake to the Columbia river can now receive their daily papers from the large cities 24 hours earlier than heretofore. This convenience is being accomplished by the carrying of an extra mail pouch on the night express from Portland.

HOUSES HEAR

(Continued From Page One.) in behalf of Postmaster Minto, incumbent. The senate following the president's message gave attention to the swearing of a NOVEL NAME FOR A BABY. A photograph just received by The N. K. Fairbank Company, Chicago, of a chubby miss of 18 months, demonstrates the wholesomeness of Cotoleone, their vegetable oil cooking fat. Her father, A. B. McBride, manager of a large general store in Bullard, Texas, writes that she weighs thirty pounds, and that she was practically raised on Cotoleone. No lard whatever is used in their household. The baby has thrived so well on food made with Cotoleone that they call her "Cotoleone." Strong claims are made for the wholesomeness of Cotoleone and its successful use in the diet of even an infant affords convincing proof of the purity of this—perfect shortening.

ACH BITTERLY ATTACKS HENEY

Defense of Ruef Is Raving at Prosecutors—Turns on the Tears, Also.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Dec. 8.—A bitter and vindictive attack on Francis J. Heney, the leader of the "graft" prosecution, together with excoriation of the Schmitz board of hoodling supervisors, were the features of the closing argument of Attorney Henry Ach on behalf of Abe Ruef at today's session of the trial of the former boss. Ach began with a resume of the prosecution's evidence. He then took up a discussion of the methods of the prosecution with rising anger and finally entered upon a sarcastic attack on Heney during which at times he spoke in his loudest tones. "My client is being sacrificed to the political desires and aspirations of court officers. Like Julius Caesar, he was killed politically to satisfy the ambitions of others," cried Ach. "You know that Rudolph Spreckels guaranteed a fund to the district attorney with the injunction to 'go at Ruef,'" he roared angrily. "You know," he continued, "that a prosecutor of national reputation who has some feeling against Ruef, was put forward by the money of others to destroy the existing state of things. "The result was that a stranger to our land, with no ties here, was imported with his methods, to become the living spirit, heart and brain of a prosecution which has resulted in so much misery and so much dire distress in the hearts of men and women; so much disgrace to little children that would to God I had never seen such things. "Way down in the heart of Frank Heney there perhaps exists some feeling of human kindness—perhaps! "What was it that caused the great fortune to crawl forth from the iron vaults of Rudolph Spreckels to cause such misery as this? "How was it that Rudolph Spreckels, through Heney and District Attorney Langdon, declared to the world: 'I am omnipotent; come to me for immunity?' Who made Rudolph Spreckels the God Almighty of San Francisco? Rudolph Spreckels himself? "The character of 'Big Jim' Gallagher, Ruef's go-between on the board of supervisors, was dismissed by Ach with a contemptuous comparison with a parrot. Gallagher's testimony, however, was carefully gone over in an attempt by Ach to pull it to shreds. The hoodling board, referred to by Ach as "the worst band of conspirators known," with Gallagher as the master mind, was attacked in sarcasm and invective. During the morning session scores of women were in the courtroom, while the police precautions against disorders were constantly apparent. The case reached the argument stage yesterday at a bound, since the defense elected to call no witnesses. Counsel for the prosecution hurried up, and the entire session today is being occupied by the defense in argument.

CUT THIS OUT

Fine Recipe for the Quick Cure of Coughs and Colds. "Mix half ounce of Concentrated pine compound with two ounces of glycerine and half pint of good whiskey; shake well each time and use in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours. These ingredients can be obtained from any good druggist who will mix them or you can prepare them at home. The Concentrated pine is a special pine product refined for medicinal use and comes only in half ounce bottles, each enclosed in a ten screw-top case, which is air-tight and preserves all the original strength of the fluid, but be sure it is labeled "Concentrated." A prominent local druggist makes the statement that this formula will cure the worst cold in a day's time and that he has filled the prescription hundreds of times.

In the Want Ad Section of Today's Journal

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Hundreds of new ads in the classified section of this paper every day. If you do not find what you want today Read the Classified Section of Tomorrow's Journal