

CHRISTMAS SHIP GIFTS MUST BE SENT FROM PORTLAND IN 8 DAYS

Meeting of Women to Be Held in The Journal Auditorium Tomorrow to Plan. ALL INVITED TO ATTEND

Every Effort to Be Made to Make Best Possible Use of Limited Time; Gifts Are Pouring In.

Christmas Ship Meeting Tomorrow. Tomorrow at 3 o'clock in The Journal auditorium, mezzanine floor of the Journal building, there will be a meeting of all women interested in the Christmas ship, which is to be sent to the women and children of war-stricken Europe.

All gifts must be assembled at Bush Terminal, Brooklyn, by November 23; a telegram received this morning.

This means that those who intend to send presents on the Christmas ship to the orphan children in the war zone must send them to The Journal early, as all packages must leave Portland not later than October 23. "Do it now," or the gifts you intend to send will not reach the big ship before sailing time.

Money, toys, articles of clothing in good condition, are welcomed. No glassware should be included because of the danger of breakage. Quick response has followed The Journal's call upon the children of Oregon to help load the Christmas ship with gifts for the unfortunate ones in the countries at war.

The boys in the manual training classes are preparing to make useful articles to go on the ship. Diminutive Santa Clauses are daily coming to The Journal office, their little arms loaded with bundles. Letters wait to be opened each morning containing checks and good wishes.

Many Gifts Received. Women's organizations, sewing circles, neighborhood groups of young women, are all setting about plans to make gifts, either of toys or warm, comfortable clothing. One of the many letters received is from Mr. and Mrs. Ed. A. Humber, it reads:

"If we are not too old, we would like to join the children of Portland and of The Journal in making a great Christmas gift to the children of the war zone, especially those of Belgium. So please accept our small gift of \$1." Mabel and Lillian and John Steinbrink live at The Dallas and their father, John B. Steinbrink, has sent check for \$3, a dollar from each. They wanted, he said in the accompanying letter, not only to give but to tell how the money should be spent. And these are their directions:

"Please buy some toys for my share. "Please buy nuts and candy for my share—Lillian." And John, who has not gotten into the mysteries of writing farther than his own name, but who is evidently a

LITTLE TIME LEFT FOR CHRISTMAS SHIP GIFTS



Vera and Teddy Green Bring Presents for Unfortunate Children in War Countries.

real boy just the same, had his father write, "Johnny says to buy something good to eat for his share."

"Mabel of Toys Sent. Did you ever hear some youngster enthusiastically say about Christmas, 'I got a bushel of toys.'"

That was just about the amount that came from the nursery of Mrs. Allen Lewis, yesterday, except that with the toys and teddy bears were some comfortable articles of clothing and some hats for the little folks in France whose fathers have been killed in the war.

Teddy Green of 1667 Pacific street is 7 years old and Vera, his sister, is 4. They came holding out knobby bundles.

"For the Christmas ship," they repeated together. In the bundles were a fire engine, a fire escape, two dolls and a box of blocks.

Georgia Stiff at 672 East Fifty-third street, north, is the tiniest little girl one could imagine, and she has a right to be tiny, for she is only 2 years and 4 months old. But she has understanding of the Christmas ship and its purpose. The presents that her mother, Mrs. F. G. Stiff, brought in yesterday had been picked out by Georgia and by her wrapped up.

Edward O. Stader Jr., of 22 Simpson street, west, wrote on the bundle that he sent in: "Send these little boys over there." Mrs. H. H. Hughes of Gladstone asked that the attractive gifts she sent in go to "poor Belgium," and the package will be marked as requested.

The Journal desires that all of its friends and all who want to relieve the lot of little children orphaned by war act at once, and make Portland's part of the cargo in the Christmas ship very large indeed.

Injuries Fatal to Mrs. Price, Dallas

Salem, Or., Oct. 13.—Mrs. Catherine C. Price, who was struck by a street car October 2, is dead. She never recovered consciousness after the accident, concussion of the brain resulting when she was hurled by the car and struck the pavement. She was a

'MOVIE' OPERATOR, IN TIGHT PINCH, USES HIS HEAD TO ADVANTAGE

Sam Collard, Salem, Though Burned When Film Explodes, Prevents Panic.

(Salem Bureau of the Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 13.—Quick work on the part of Sam Collard, operator of the moving picture machine at Ye Liberty, last night probably prevented a panic when the film, "The Unfin-



Journal Want Ads bring results.

ished Play," exploded. The explosion blew out the lights in the house and the noise caused a general uprising by the audience. Although his hands were burned, Collard lost no time in switching on other lights and the audience responded promptly to the admonition to sit down. No one ran and no one was hurt, although the audience was a large one.

Engineer's Report Shows Development

Permits for Appropriation of Water Indicate That Resources Are Being Developed for Power and Irrigation. Salem, Or., Oct. 13.—Splendid progress in the development of Oregon is shown in the quarterly report of State

Engineer Lewis made public today, which tells of 173 permits issued for the appropriation of water, these permits covering works to cost \$5,000,000, involving the construction of 230 miles of main canal lines, development of 30,460 horsepower and irrigation of 13,000 acres of land. Unusual activities in power development have been displayed. George W. Holcomb of Portland proposes to develop 10,225 horsepower from Clackamas river; the Rogue river public service corporation contemplates the development of 11,930 horsepower on the Rogue river and J. E. Johnson of Drewsey has secured a permit to develop 3409 horsepower with the waters of the Malheur river. The Siletz Power & Manufacturing company of Portland has a filing on the Siletz river for the development of 2576 horsepower. Fees collected by the department during the past quarter exceed those collected in the same period last year by 25 per cent.

School Tablets FREE Thursday Only. With EVERY LOAF of "Butternut Bread" sold Thursday, October 15th, School Tablets will be given free. Buy all the loaves you want and get all the School Tablets you want. BUTTERNUT BREAD for sale At Your Grocer. GROCERS ATTENTION! Get your order in early so you'll have plenty of "Butternut" Bread on hand. Every child in your neighborhood will want a tablet.

BEER IS NOT ALCOHOL. Beer is the combined extract of malt and hops—malt builds up tissue; hops is an invigorating tonic. Beer contains natural carbonic acid gas, which gives it sparkling effervescence. Beer contains 3 1/2 to 4 per cent of alcohol developed by natural fermentation—just enough to preserve it. Phones—Main 72, 11172 Henry Weinhard Brewery Portland, Oregon

Siberian Mutiny Is Reported in Berlin

Berlin, Oct. 13.—(By wireless via Sayville)—Two Russian regiments have been sent to Bessarabia to suppress a mutiny among Siberian reservists, according to information which reached the German foreign office today.

TO SAVE EYES Is the Object of This Free Prescription—Try It if Your Eyes Give You Trouble

Thousands of people suffer from eye troubles, because they do not know what to do. They know some good home remedy for every other minor ailment, but none for their eye troubles. They neglect their eyes, because the trouble is not sufficient to drive them to an eye specialist, who would, in any case, charge them a heavy fee. As a last resort they go to an optician or the five and ten-cent store, and oftentimes get glasses that they do not need, or which, after being used two or three months, do their eyes more injury than good. Here is a simple prescription that every one should use.

5 grains Optona (1 tablet). 2 ounces Water. Use three or four times a day to bathe the eyes. This prescription and the simple Optona system keeps the eyes clean, sharpens the vision and quickly overcomes inflammation and irritation; weak, watery, overworked, tired eyes and other similar troubles are greatly benefited and oftentimes cured by its use. Many reports show that wearers of glasses have discarded them after a few weeks' use. It is good for the eyes and contains no ingredient which would injure the most sensitive eyes of an infant or the aged. Any druggist can fill this prescription promptly. Try it and know for once what real eye comfort is. (Adv.)

FELLOWS, there's a lot of clothes here on the second floor I'd like to have you see—clothes that I'm sure you'll be glad to see. In wandering around among the stock I am impressed with the thought that my young men who select these clothes have taken a draught from the "Fountain of Youth," for here are fabrics that seem endowed with the very Spirit of Youth. THE SYSTEM CLOTHES for the college or high school man are the clothes of today. Fabrics have been assembled here from around the world, and tailored with a style and a thoroughness that surely leaves but one thing to be desired, and that is—to wear them. Suits, Balmacaans, Overcoats \$15 to \$30 BEN SELLING Morrison Street at Fourth

We have bought outright and have had turned over to us by Mr. Lucore, the balance of altogether forty-four of the costliest Pianos in the Soule Bros.' Failure Sale

Here They Come—44 of the Most Costly Soule Failure Sale Instruments Go to Eilers Music House. We venture to say we secured our money's worth and we in turn pass these advantages along. They are all now moved to Portland's great home piano house. All go on sale this morning promptly at 9 o'clock. Two great and unprecedented sales now combined in one; never have pianos, player pianos, baby grands, etc., been obtainable for such little money. At these low, less than actual cost, prices these instruments should be sold for all cash, but to make it possible for every home to participate in these unheard of advantages, we will take little payments. Bring \$50, or \$25, or even only \$5 as good faith money, arrange payments of balance as may best suit your convenience. Be assured that this opportunity will never come again. TWO GREAT SALES NOW IN ONE. The most important event in western piano merchandising, the Manufacturers' Emergency Surplus Sale, merged with the Soule Bros.' Failure Sale. Soule Bros., old established musical instrument merchants, their stock, after authority and direct order of court, was taken over by C. E. Lucore, the wholesale piano man and representative of some of the creditor manufacturers. Nearly all the inexpensive pianos were quickly sold at 388 Morrison, but the more costly kinds were left on hand. There was no time to lose. A quick turn was necessary and we were able to get them in one lump, so that we can sell them for almost what they sold their medium and cheaper priced pianos for, for we declined to take over any but the finest instruments in the sale. The better makes and higher grade pianos, the really much-to-be desired instruments, now on sale at Eilers Music House. Sale started 9 o'clock this morning. In these two great sales at Eilers Music House will be found pianos for a great deal less than what the manufacturers expected to get for same when they billed them to their agents. Some of them, oldest established makes, time honored, time tried names, are included in this great sacrifice sale now, and positive assurance that every instrument is reliable, dependable, price worthy, and accompanied by our positive guarantee as to quality and service, and accompanied by our exchange agreement and money back guarantee. OUR PROPOSITION NOW MAKES THE BUYING OF SOULE BROS.' FAILURE PIANOS THOROUGHLY SAFE. For several weeks, while the Soule Bros.' failure sale was in force, we would hear customers say, "I believe they have real bargains up there at Soule Bros.' failure sale, but if the piano should not turn out what it should be, to whom can we look to make the piano right?" Now that difficulty has all been done away with, for with the Eilers guarantee, and a record of many years' fair dealing and the high standing of the house, every pianoless home can now feel sure that the piano will be found in every way satisfactory. For Eilers Music House is the money back institution. We also issue an exchange agreement so that for any reason, at any time within two years, a customer can exchange for another piano at the big piano house, and all the money paid will apply on the instrument selected. EILERS MUSIC HOUSE HAS ALWAYS BEEN NOTED FOR SELLING THE BEST AND HIGHEST GRADE PIANOS MANUFACTURED. Their enormous business enables them to sell a piano of a higher grade for much less money than the old time method dealers ask. Seventy-two per cent of all the pianos shipped to the coast are sold by the Eilers houses. This leaves only a very few for all the other dealers combined to sell. This fact itself should have consideration; any thinking business man or woman knows that a large quantity of goods can be marketed for less per article than can a small number. Thinking people know that in buying in large quantities each article can be purchased for less. Furthermore, our Eilers Music House guarantee is thoroughly dependable and trustworthy in every way. It is the only large home institution of its kind, and many years of successful piano distribution has put it in the lead of all the great national institutions. When- ever opportunity presents, Eilers Music House is always ready and anxious to arrange exceptional values, and offers them to buyers at the lowest possible price consistent with quality. Everyone knows that the export business has practically been at a standstill; every manufacturer, especially of musical instruments, has been at his wit's end to know what to do with his surplus stock, that is why the manufacturers' representative, Eilers Music House, is now in charge of this greatest of all Portland piano sales, when these pianos are all new, guaranteed. ALSO INCLUDED IN THIS SALE. The famous Duotonal (Double Soundboard piano), also the Eilers Deluxe Player Piano, are included in this great sale, which is now being conducted by the manufacturers' representative, Eilers Music House. Eilers Music House will buy three pianos every time the manufacturers' representative presents two. However, a sale like this can never happen again, for the same conditions will never again exist. Never were the Old Reliable Makes Pianos Offered at the Low Prices Now Marked on Every Instrument. Never since the establishment of the Eilers Music House many years ago have prices been made so low and

The smartest-dressed women will wear one of these new Indian Sport Coats at the opening of Portland's ice skating rink! Indian patterns, like the one illustrated. Strikingly bright colorings, that add a touch of festivity to skating, golfing, motoring, mountain climbing. Popular, too, with college girls. These are genuine Navajo "Art-Craft" Coats, woven especially for us by the Oregon City Woolen Mills. All-wool—light, warm and comfortable. The smartest shops of New York, Chicago and eastern cities, are featuring Indian Sport Coats. See Our Window Display Tomorrow We call special attention to our line of Oregon City Indian Sport Coats and Mackinaws of individuality at \$12.50 and upwards. Higher Class Suits—that reflect the skill of New York's finest designers and tailors. Our showing of handsome Redingote models includes many Suits less than a week from Fifth Avenue! New Moynan-age and kilited effects, too, are the "latest thing." Broadcloths, serges, poplins, chevots, are the most favored cloths. We call particular attention to wide selections at --\$24.75, \$29.50, \$32.50. In the Waist Shop—a lovely new crepe dechine blouse, with hemstitched organdie collar and vestee. Specially marked \$3.95. EMPORIUM PORTLANDS 124-126-128 Sixth St. Just a Step off Washington