

SENSIBLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Our stock of Holiday Goods consists of useful articles—a splendid assortment, carefully selected and at modest prices. We will mention a few lines.

Holiday Neckwear

Tecks, Four-in-Hands, Midgots, Bows, Strings, Ascots and Imperials.

Prices, 20c to \$1.50.

Silk Suspenders

50 cents to \$1.50.

Fancy Hosiery

25c, 50c and 75c pair.

Other Goods that would be Good Presents

Boy's Suit or Overcoat
Boy's Hat or Cap
A pair of Shoes or Slippers

Smoking Jackets or House Coats

Reduced for Christmas.
\$5.00 ones go at \$4.50
\$6.00 ones go at \$5.00
\$7.50 ones go at \$7.00

Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers

Initials, 25c and 50c.
White hemstitched, 25c to \$1.00.
Fancy, 25c to \$1.25
Silk Mufflers, 75c to \$2.50

White or Fancy Shirts
Box of E & W Collars
A pair of Fine Gloves

Baer & Daley,

729 MAIN STREET

GENERAL NEWS.

The Cleveland Amusement Company, of Chicago, has sued Nance O'Neill, the San Francisco actress, and her manager, for \$100,000 for breach of contract.

A tremendous fight is on in the I. O. O. F. of Ohio. Grand Master C. C. Pavey has set out to force every saloonkeeper, bartender and gambler, in the order out of it.

Senator Dietrich, of Nebraska, answers all other charges brought against him by the grand jury, but ignores, neglects and refuses to answer that of bribery.

The Philippine Islands, though 115,026 square miles in area, are so elongated and irregular in shape that no point in their entire area is over 60 miles from the sea.

Nearly all the South American governments have recognized the Republic of Panama, and Colombia stands absolutely alone in her protests about the recognition by the United States.

James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern; Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago & Northwestern, and Horace G. Burt, president of the Union Pacific, each receive a salary of \$40,000 per annum.

Buda Pest, Hungary, is said to be the most absolutely cleanly city in the world, the sewer system and surface drainage being perfect, and not a single instance of accumulation of debris or filth on private property.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

A paper factory, to use wood pulp, will be erected at Post Falls, Idaho, this winter.

Mrs. L. E. Cowles, a pioneer of 1852, died at McMinnville Saturday night, aged 65 years.

William Quinn, of Prineville, was found dead in his stockyard, near that city, Sunday morning.

Four Everett homes were burglarized at an early hour Saturday night, as if by preconcerted arrangement.

The will of the late Jesse D. Carr has just been probated at Salinas, Cal., and the estate amounts to \$750,000.

Over 9,000 gallons of illicit brandy was seized by revenue inspectors near San Bernardino, Cal., Saturday night.

Robert McClatchy, one of the wealthiest stockmen of Montana, dropped dead and fell from his wagon while driving near Butte, Sunday.

Chief of Police W. H. Kilbourne, of Baker City, who was assaulted by James Welch, three weeks ago, in the Baker City jail, has entirely recovered.

The Schome Canning Company, of Whatcom, has gone into the hands of a receiver. It employed Chinese flaxmen and caught but 5,000 cases, when they should have caught 25,000 cases this year.

SAMPLE BARGAINS In Real Estate

3200 acres good wheat land Well watered and improved. \$12.50 per acre.

1000 acre stock ranch. All fenced. Raises 200 tons of hay; has running water; open range near by. \$5000

10-room house and two lots. Modern conveniences. \$2500.

All on Easy Terms.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Pendleton.

Alice Baker, Corvallis.
E. H. Burke, Portland.
Cyrus Pierce, Philadelphia.
Howard Pritchler, Henry Hill.
O. Kelsey, St. Louis.
J. E. Thompson.
O. Emy Mourth, San Francisco.
F. R. Van Cleve and wife, Echo.
F. Littlefield and wife, Starkey.
G. W. Stevens, Spokane.
C. C. Simpson, Portland.
A. J. Han, Spokane.
R. H. Canton, Spokane.
F. M. Bell, Spokane.
A. W. Bennet, Walla Walla.
H. W. Garland, Portland.
C. E. Stenger.
W. S. Cotton, San Francisco.
Walter L. Thompson, Denver.
D. McIntosh, Portland.
G. L. Hearst, Philadelphia.
R. T. Clarky, Philadelphia.

Hotel Bickers.

C. G. Minty, Baker City.
E. M. McCawley, Facoma.
Lancaster Spencer, Toppensish.
Calvin Cole, Cold Springs.
H. R. Rolfe, Walla Walla.
M. H. Stamper, Weston.
May E. Rattigan.
A. J. Smith, Walla Walla.
S. S. Gill, Spokane.
F. Peterson, city.
J. L. Laing, city.
James Rasevear and wife, Ogden.
Hedoe Moore, Walla Walla.
Frank Hanlen, Meachem.
J. F. Sluenkel, city.
H. C. Blamont, city.
Mrs. Fletcher.
Frank Daleshey, San Francisco.
C. Moore, San Francisco.
Dr. Vose.
Dr. Rannolph.
Frank Dolesby, San Francisco.
N. H. Brooks, Portland.
G. Jackson, Seattle.
L. Spencer, Heppner.
Mrs. Marie Picard, Gibbons.
Mrs. F. Vanzandt, Portland.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure, send for circulars, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's family Pills are the best.

Important Notice.

Every dollar paid before 5 p. m., December 24th, entitles you to a ticket. This means on account, as well as cash purchases. The Peoples Warehouse.

Moki Tea Positively Cures Sick Headache, Indigestion and Constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complexion or money refunded, 25c. and 50c. For sale by F. W. Schmidt & Co.

Annie Ross, the white consort of the negro murderer, Walkirex, of Alameda, Cal., has been sentenced to life imprisonment for urging him to kill Mrs. Le Roy, the old colored woman, at Alameda.

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There are 270,000 Indians in the United States, of whom 5,232 are in New York state.

RIDGE AND VICINITY

SEVERAL HUNDRED HEAD FINE BEEVES FOR SALE

All Live Stock Doing Finely—Gurdane Will Have a New Postmaster—Stockmen Looking for Winter Care for Stock—Christmas Tree at Gurdane—Joseph Doherty Returns from Ireland With a Bride.

Ridge, Dec. 18.—William Futter and Sons, of Ukiah, moved their cattle to the straw fields a few days ago.

James Nelson of Butter Creek was doing business in our vicinity a few days ago. Mr. Nelson says he has about 50 head of nice beef steers and two carloads of cows for sale. He stated that James L. Hall of Gurdane has about 40 head of good heeves for sale.

We have been having nice growing weather, with plenty of rain and some freezing. Stock are doing fairly well just now.

Burton Smith of Bear Creek is putting in a large elevated cistern at his home ranch.

James Marcum of Gurdane has about 15 head of fine beef for sale.

W. J. Fahrenwald is said to be improving slowly but steadily.

Chris Nelson of Gurdane was in Pendleton this week, arranging for to take charge of the Gurdane postoffice. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hinkle and family have moved over north of Pendleton, where they will spend the winter and keep their cattle on straw.

Ed Rhinehart and George Gibbons of Alba were down in this part of the country looking for winter quarters for some of their stock.

There is going to be a Xmas tree at the Gurdane church.

Charles McComber of Ukiah is wintering his cattle with the Rust Bros. There was a grand ball at Doherty's on Butter Creek a few nights ago. It was given by Joseph Doherty and his new bride on their arrival from the Emerald Isle. There were 125 people who partook of the supper.

ALKALI ITEMS.

Interesting News from an Interesting Neighborhood.

The young people of this vicinity are rejoicing over the snow, which has lately fallen.

The Alkali school is progressing exceedingly well, with Miss Mara Darr as teacher, and with a larger number in attendance than has been for a number of years.

James Waluron has his new 'phone in good working order between his home and Nye.

A. G. Buholtz has just completed a fine new house.

Bert Reeder of Alkali has gone to Ritter, Ore., on a business trip.

There will be a dance given at Mr. Roumagoux's farm on Friday, January 1, 1904. All are cordially invited.

Revolution Imminent.

A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome causes. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the Kidneys and Bowels, stimulate the Liver, and clarify the blood. Runtown systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that is returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by Tollman & Co., druggists.

MEDICAL CONGRESS.

Gathering of Medicos at St. Louis from the World Over.

St. Louis, Dec. 21.—The medical section of the International Congress of Science and Arts to be held next September at the world's fair will be attended by some of the most famous men in European professional life.

Of the 24 departments into which the congress is divided, two are given to medical research. In each of the sections, also under the two departments of medicine, will be selected a prominent American physician, or investigator, who will discuss certain phases of medicine. An eminent American specialist will also preside over the deliberations of each section.

In order that American scholars may compare favorably with European scholarship, the administrative board of the congress of science and arts is making the selections of Americans with extraordinary care.

New York Implement Dealers.

Elmira, N. Y., Dec. 21.—The Empire State Implement Men's association began its annual convention today at the Hotel Rathbun. Those present included about 150 leading implement dealers, coming from all over New York and from a part of Pennsylvania.

A Great Christmas Exhibition

Be Quick and Get First Pick

All of our Holiday Stock is now here. There's so much of it that we hardly have room to turn around. But what doing business and lots of it, because our exceptional Christmas and New Year gift things are "Catching On" to see just what you want.

Leather and Silver Gift Novelties

Leather Wrist Bags, Silver Wrist Bags, Silver Chatlaine Bags, Ladies' and Men's Pocketcases, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Men's Bill Books, Wallets and Bill Folders, Music Rolls, Traveling Cases.

Come and look them over while they are all and you can get first choice.

F. W. Schmidt



A Supreme Method of expectation could be turned into an hour of labor by having a dull carving knife with. Your Xmas tree be one of annoyance and have a set of our fine steel carvers, with handles, that will dig key and carve it in with a hurry. Our fine stock cutlery for Xmas gifts and will be appreciated housewife

W. J. CLARKE & Co. 211 Court St

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YOU MAY INTEND BUILDING or flat it necessary to REPLACE A WORN-OUT ROOFING.

ELATERITE ROOFING

Takes the place of shingles, tin, iron, tar and gravel, and all roofings. For flat and steep surfaces, gutters, valleys, etc. Best Temper for all climates. Reasonable in cost. Sold on merit. It will pay to ask for prices and information. THE ELATERITE ROOFING CO. Worcester Building.

THE BOSTON STORE

Has prepared an exceptional strong line of

CHRISTMAS

Presents for Male Relatives and Friends

An opportunity of a lifetime to choose from the cream of the cream. We have for you delectation the most beautiful, and at the same time useful, exhibit of suitable, desirable and practical presents for the man or boy. Beautiful Christmas Boxes to pack presents in, given free with all the better grade of goods.

There is no time like the present. BUY NOW, before the mad rush begins. We will hold your package and DELIVER AS ORDERED. The fullness of our Christmas stock is only exceeded by the beauty of the coloring. Our Christmas trade this year should be the greatest in the history of this Great Store.

Gloves

Dent's, "H. & P.," "Kennedy," "Stewart's," "Perry," in glace, suede, Mocha, and colors, black, white, pearl, tan, brown, grey and special Christmas boxes for these at no extra cost.

Fancy Hosiery

Dame Fashion having decreed that men shall wear fancy half hose, it has been our duty as servants of her majesty to prepare in advance a suitable showing at this glad Christmas tide. We show creations of artistic merit, combined with wearing worth.

25c, 50c, 75c

Handkerchiefs---Initial Handkerchiefs

Japanette silk initial	12 1/2c
Excella silk initial	25c
Silk Japanese initial	25c
Silk Japanese initial	50c
Silk Japanese initial	75c
Fancy border Japanette at	25c and 12 1/2c
Black and white silk handkerchiefs, plain or twilled	25c to \$1.00
Linen Handkerchiefs, plain or hem-stitched	25c to \$1.00
6 handkerchiefs, in neat Christmas box, per box	\$1.75
White, black or colored muffers, large or small	75c to \$2.00
New Carter & Holmes hemstitched Christmas muffers	\$1.25 to \$2.50

Don't forget that this is the last month of the GREAT CLOSING OUT of all the goods of the Dry Goods Department. Big Day every day.

Big Busy Boston Store

Suit Cases

Best Quality. Best Styles. Lowest Prices. Will save money on any style, size or quality suit case you want to buy. Our cases are guaranteed best made. No better at any price. Come in and look at them. We carry a complete line.

All Kinds, Styles or Prices. For Men or Women

Smoking Jackets--Bath Robes

A magnificent line to select from. A present that will add to the comfort of a man at home. All prices.

Neckwear

Our present stock of plain and fancy neckwear is now complete and compares very favorably with the best city stocks in styles, colorings, assortment, prices and quality. Therefore, we can unhesitatingly assure you the best of every line in UP-TO DATE NECKWEAR.

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| Ascots | Twenty |
| Imperials | five |
| Four-in-Hands | cents |
| Tecks | to |
| Clubs | three |
| Midgots | dollars |
| Shield Tecks | and |
| Shield Bows | fifty |
| London Squares | cents |