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CORVALLIS, BENTON COUNTY, OREGON, TUESDAY, DEC. 15, 1908.

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Shop early in the day and early in the week. Although Christmas shopping started in our store last week with a vim, assortments in every department are vet complete by arrival of new goods. Our holiday showing was never so large and comprehensive, but still we have not slighted our staple lines, and personal needs as well as gifts can be supplied.



Ladies' Coats, Suits and Skirts

Our entere line at Special Holiday Prices

Remember all new goods, as this is the first season we ever sold Ladies' Suits. All La Vogue Brand.

MCKIBBIN FURS-SCARFS AND MUFFS-\$1.50 to \$25:00.

JANUARY STANDARD PATTERNS

Combs

Just received, new Elastic Belts, black, blue, brown, green, heavy gilt and oxidized buckles, 50c.

Individually Boxed Belts, wide elastic, silk web, 75e and \$1.50. Soft Leather Hand Bags, \$1 00

Combs, plain and fancy, to \$2.00

Table Linens and **Napkins**

Pattern Cloths and Napkins to match, \$6.00 to \$12.00 set.

Fine Bleached Damask by the yard and matched Napkins—Cloth 75c to \$2.00; Napkins, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

TRAY CLOTHS AND DOILIES

GLOVES, RIBBONS

Handkerchiefs

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS

Centemeri Kid Gloves

Misses and short, \$1.00 to \$4.00. Holly Ribbon for tying packages, 5e to 25e yard.

Handkerchiefs, largest showing ever, 30 to 75e.

Shoes and Fancy Slippers

Men's Fancy Leather Slippers, 75c to \$2.50. Ladies' Fancy Felt Fur Trimmed

and All Felt Comfy Slippers, 75c to \$2.00.

AGENCY QUEEN QUALITY AND WALKOVER SHOES, \$3 50 to

PROMPT STORE SERVICE

Extra salespeople have been provided all over the nouse. Additional wrappers and cashiers assure you of courteous service and quick delivery of goods. We have planned to serve you promptly and well.

Goods Selected Now Can be Laid Aside 'Till You Want Them



Men's Suits, Overcoats, Trousers

Special Holiday Prices

ONE-THIRD OFF

All seasonable goods, including new green colors.

One-Half Price on Odd Coats and Vests

One-Half Pries Our entire stock of Youths' Long Pants Suits, no reserve. MAIL ORDERS FILLED

CARPETS, RUGS AND DRAPERIES--2d Floor

We have just received a new and complete line of AXMINSTER, VELVET, BRUSSELS and INGRAIN RUGS, in rich Oriental and floral patterns, room and hearth sizes. Smith Axminster velvet rugs, 27x54, \$1.75; 27x60, \$2.75; 36x72, \$4.75. koom size, 9x12, \$25.00; 8.3x10.6, \$21.50. Smyrna hearth rugs, 30x60, \$1.50; Brussels rugs, 9xI2, \$12.50 to \$20.00. We have the large-t and most complete line of Rugs ever offered in Corvallis.

Japanese Linen Warp Mattings, Portiers, Lace Curtains, Couch Covers, Tapestries, Denams, Bed Spreads, Pillows,

eets and Pillow Slips—complete assortment economically priced.

WINDOW SHADES-We make a specialty in this line, and carry the best hand made oil opaque shade cloth and guaranteedHeartshorn rollers in all sizes and colors. Will be pleased to measure your windows ad submit you prices.

TOYS

A wide range of Iron and Mechanical Toys -Automobiles, Trains and Fire Department. This is our first season in toys, and they are all new and prices are within the reach of

Empty Holiday Boxes

Covered with handsomely decorated holly gloves, combs, umbrellas, fancy hose. Prices from 5e to 50e, according to size.



vallis. SEE SHOW WINDOW DISPLAY OF JAPANESE HAND DECORATED WARE

SPECIAL 58c designs, green, red and gold. Sizes Creamers and Sugars, Vases, Cups. All large pieces and worth \$1.00.

Haviland (double stamped) China, delicate decorations in floral

Bohemian Glass Vases, white, blue and green, 12 in. high, special \$5. Glass Water Sets, pitcher and six glasses, opal, green and blue, beautifully decorated, \$1.50. New shapes.

DOLLS

Complete assortment of Dressed and Undressed Dolls, 5c to 5.00—from the smallest "pin cushion" dolls to large, handsomely dressed "belles."

Teddy Bears and Monkeys, 25c to \$1.50.

Pictures

Handsomely framed Pictures of original paintings, 20c to \$1.50. See the window display of Christy drawings, framed. Special

STORE WILL REMAIN OPEN EVENINGS FROM DEG. 21

Don't fail to visit our

PURE FOOD DEPARTMENT

It is the finest equipped Grocery Store in the State. Trade here and get FRESH GOODS, HONEST WEIGHT and save money on every purchase.

Watch this paper for weekly Friday and Saturday Spcials.

A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE

KLINE'S

Established 1864

OREGON

Ladies are cordially invited to our

LADIES' REST ROOM

On the Second Floor. Here we have provided free telephone, stationery and toilet accommodations. Make your shopping appointments and meet your friends here.

SCHOOL PUPILS ASKED TO HELP

Geographic Board of Speculation is Rife ov-Oregon Wants Aid

LOCAL HISTORY IS SUGGESTED

Teachers and Scholars May Confer Lasting Benefit Upon the State by Co-Operation.

The Oregon Geographic Board ecently appointed appointed by Governor Chamberlain to supervise the naming of geographic features in the state, and of city is treasurer. has issued an United States Senate, the Presiaddress to the people of Oregon dent of the Senate would be secto aid in the work which the ond in succession to the Govern-Board has undertaken. In the collection of data it is suggested that as the public school system extends to every part of the commonwealth, and teachers and pupils are of necessity interested in the subject of the geography in which the school is located, that both teachers and scholars have it in their power to confer a lasting benefit upon their State by merely introducing into their schools as a general exer-cise a subject which will be sure to vitalize the work in both geography and history. We refer to the study of local names in the school district. Let each teacher supervise the preparation of an alphabetically arranged list of all places in the district possessing names. After the names are collected, let her, with the aid of the pupils, prepare a brief statement of the history of each name. To illustrate:

Foulweather, Cape, named by the explorer Captain James Cook, in 1778, because of the bad weather he encountered while passing that point,

Roseburg, town county, named by Aaron Rose

its founder.

The pupils will inquire of their parents, or of pioneers, or other well informed persons, as to the origin of names. They will come to take an intense interest in the subject, and will discover'a new significance in their environment, both geo-graphical and historical. They can readily be led, also, to suggest a list of places deserving of names, but not yet supplied, and to make suggestions as to appropriate names for them. This will afford opportunity for language exercises. The teacher should select from the places listed such as are clearly worthy of special designations, and describe them in a brief report to the Board. She should also send in the names suggested for them and of the persons making the suggestions, stating in each case the reason for applying the par-ticular name. If a map of the school district can be prepared, and the names indicated upon it, further service will be rendered to the Board and a valuable additional exercise afforded the pupils.

The Board, will, in its published reports, give general credit to all who shall assist in the work of collecting information, and it will make special mention of the names of pupils in each county who furnish the Board with the best and second best map of their own school district, with all place names properly indicated upon it. It will also give special recognition to the teachers in each county who shall supply the Board with the best lists as follows:

(a) An alphabetically arranged list of all place names in the school district with statement of

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er Contingency.

CHADWICK CASE IS QUOTED

President of Senate Would be Second in Line Should Benson Succeed Chamberlain.

The contest over the Presidency of the State Senate is of particular interest at the coming session of the Legislature because, in case of the election of which Prof. J, B. Horner, of this Governor Chamberlain to the ship. The fact that Secretary of State Benson has been ill several times during his two years of service and that there have been rumors of his resignation, makes the Presidency of the Senate still more important.

The constitution provides that in case of vacancy in the office of Governor, the office shall de-volve upon the Secretary of State. The Supreme Court has held that under such a contingency the Secretary becomes Governor in fact and that he continues in office as Governor even though his term as Secretary may terminate. That ruling was made in the case of Governor Chadwick, who held both offices at one time. The term of office as Secretary ended when the Legislature met, but Chadwick asserted and exercised the right to continue as Governor until the new Governor had been inaugurated, which took place several days later.

It is therefore apparent that if Governor Chamberlain should become Senator, Secretary Benson would become Governor. He could then resign as Secretary and appoint his successor in that position for, under the decision of the Supreme Court in the Chadwick case, he would hold the office of Governor regardless of his incumbency as Secretary. The question then arises whether, in case Benson should resign the Governorship or die or suffer other disability, the office of Governor would devolve upon the President of the Senate or upon the newly appointed Secretary of State.

In case of a double vacancy occurring at the same time, there could be no doubt that the President of the Senate would become Governor, but since the Supreme Court has held that the Secretary may continue as Governor, though he ceases in the meantime to be Secretary of State, there is a doubt whether the President of the Senate would take precedence over an appointed Secretary of State. Since the contest over the election of a Senator and the fight for the Presidency of the Senate has waxed warm, there has been considerable discussion of these questions around the

Secretary of State Benson is now in fairly good health, though still suffering from a malady for which he received treatment while in California last summer. His severe illness soon after his installation as Secretary of State, when he broke down under the strain of overwork, raises a doubt whether he would or could undertake to fill the two offices of Secretary and Governor. Lawyers have frequently questioned the soundness of the Supreme Court's decision in the Chadwick case. reported in 11 Oregon 389, but the decision stands as the law of the state upon that subject.