

... ALL TOYS AND GAMES ...

AT

HALF PRICE

AND

Dolls Reduced for Friday and Saturday's Selling

FURS

We have the celebrated "Gordon & Ferguson's" goods which can be relied upon as being just what they say. They are at the very lowest prices.

594 Real Black Marten, flat boa, 102 inches long, 6 inches wide at neck, tapering to the tail tips, price\$19.85

600 Dark Brown Fox boa, 54 inches long trimmed with two large natural tails and four small ones. Fine soft fur Price\$7.95

542 American Opossum scarf, 52 inches long, extra nice fur trimmed with six large tails. Price\$7.25

661 Blended Muskrat collar, 4 or 5 inches wide with 18 inch tabs, lined with Skinner's satin. An elegant garment. Price\$6.50

535 American Opossum scarf 45 inch, six tails. Dark fur. Price only\$4

607 Sable Fox scarf, 54 inches. Two large natural tails. A beauty. Price only\$11

Cheaper Scarfs

Coney Fur 85c
Natural Muskrat.....\$2.00
Black Coney Fur..... 2.50
Russian Otter..... 2.75

Battenburg Pieces

We have a small lot of doileys and a small lot of centerpieces, hand made to sell at one third off their real values.

Imported Real Mexican Drawn Work

We have yet a good assortment of this beautiful work in doileys and centerpieces. They make beautiful Xmas gifts.

SHOES

Did you see the new shape for the babies? It's the regular "foot shape" in the Blucher cut. A beauty.

KID GLOVES

Regular \$1.25 glove, pair lots \$2.25.

Florence kid gloves in black and colors, warranted real kid. Single pairs \$1.50. Three pair lots \$3.75.

Eskey kid gloves in black and colors, also warranted real kid, per pair \$1.75. Three pair lots.....\$4.25

Ladies' Riding Gloves

California made, genuine buckskin gauntlet gloves. It's really nifty and only\$2.00
Cheaper ones at the pair.....\$1.25

SHIRT WAISTS

We sell the EMPIRE WAIST which is a guarantee for perfect fit and style. No other waists fit as well, neither have they the style.

White Mohair waist, front and back tucked up to the drop yoke, size 34, price.....\$3.75

White wool Pique silk mixed, beautifully made, size 36, price.....\$5.50

Hand embroidered polka dots on white figured mohair. Waist tucked and piped with light blue. Size 38, price\$5.50

Hand embroidered green dots on Champagne Mohair. Tucked and stitched waist. Size 34, price\$6.00

White crepe de chine silk waist, trimmed with 10 rows of fine val. insertion down the front, two in back and three down each sleeve. A beautiful evening waist. Size 38. Price\$10.00

Pink Pean de Soie silk waist tucked and insertion trimmed. Regular price \$9.00 Special price.....\$7.00

Many other good styles and values to select from

Table Cloth and Napkins

A beautiful hemstitched French Damask table cloth 72x108 inches with napkins 22x22 inches to match. Fleuer De Lis pattern ready for use price \$12
Cheaper cloth without napkins 72x108 inches warranted pure linen price \$2.25
68x90 inches price.....\$3.50
68x90\$4.75
Fringed ones 72x108 inches double rows of drawn work.....\$3.25
72x72 inches plain fringed price...\$1.75

Fine Damask Towels

Extra fine German Damask towels 20x42 inches with knotted fringe...65c
Special 1/2 dozen lot.....\$1.50
Large and finer towels 21x52 inches also knotted fringe price each.....75c
Special 1/2 dozen lots.....\$1.75
Extra fine Hack towels 22x42 inches Button hole stitched scallops and one row of drawn work across ends price each.....68c
Special 1/2 dozen lots for.....\$1.75

HABERDASHERY

Bo't a drummer's sample line of silk mufflers at half price and we marked them away down. No two alike Price.....40c to \$1.75 each

Our line of ties and silk Hdkfs. is the largest we have ever shown. They are stunners. Don't fail to see them.

We have a nice line of dress and golf shirts which would make a fine Xmas present for your husband prices each60c to \$4.00

\$3.50 will buy that patent Colt Blucher shoe that you see in the show case on the walk in front of the store, "The Flint Stone"

\$3.00 buys the latest Bock in the Gordon Hat. Better get one. The swell dressers all wear 'em

Shirt Waist Patterns

Boys buy your "best girl" a shirt waist pattern for a Xmas present. That

Eolion Waisting

is down to the minute in style. Silk and fine wool, beautiful stuff. Price only per pattern.....\$3.25

A hand embroidered silk waist pattern, wouldn't be bad. Special price this week at the pattern.....\$3.98

Beautiful white oxford waisting that sells regular at 50c per yard, this week only35c

Hose Supporters

One lot fancy silk hose supporters, suspended from front on belt. Price each60c

Twin anchor supporters silk60c
Cotton.....30c

Cushion Tops

We have the largest assortment of fancy and stamped cushion tops we have ever shown. See window. Price 30c to \$1.25.

Have also a few of the finished ones at 75c and 98c.

Silk Floss Cushions

These will stand up nicer than feather or down cushions 22x22 inches price 60c 24x24 inches price.....75c

WRIST BAGS

The latest "fads" in these at prices to suit all purses.....50c to \$2.25
Small Purses to close out at Half Price

Children's Hats

Small lot of little girls high crown wide brim felt hats, in blue and red, worth regular 85c special price 54c

For Xmas presents there would be nothing nicer and more appreciable than something useful for the table such as Carving Sets, Berry Spoons, Pie Forks, Desert Spoons, Knives, Forks and other articles too numerous to mention. We have also a fine line of Fancy China and Japanese ware, all at prices that speak for themselves. Before buying get our prices.

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ISSUED THURSDAY MORNING.

Fred Warnock

Entered at the Postoffice at Heppner Oregon, as second-class matter.

THURSDAY.....Dec. 22, 1904

The old superstition which is a common saying that 95 per cent of the people who embark in business eventually fail, and which is yet accepted by many is probably as far from the truth as anything ever invented. Recently the old humbug received a bad whack. The stroke was dealt by Dun's weekly circular in the response to the query of a correspondent whether it is true that 95 per cent

of business men fail. The Dun agency people looked into the matter. They studied the statistics of failures since 1857, and they found that the records show that the ratio of failures in business between 1866 and 1903, inclusive, averaged only a little over 1 per cent each year, that is one out of every hundred firms in business failed. The ratio exceeded 1 per cent during the years of hard times, from 1875 to 1878, inclusive, and again from 1893 to 1898; but of the 38 years between 1866 and 1903 there were 19 years when the ratio slightly exceeded 1 per cent, and 19 years in which it was slightly less than 1 per cent.

Fred Hanning confessed December 16 to the authorities at Moscow, to setting fire to John

Knudson's saloon at Troy, in which he was bartender, and that Knudson agreed to pay him \$200 for the job. The object was insurance. The damage was greater than the plotters reckoned on, as the fire spread, burning several other buildings and doing damage to the amount of \$20,000.

Four men deserted six weeks ago from the 26th battery at Vancouver, Wash., probably to escape going to the Philippines about January 1. All have been recaptured while working on farms in the valley.

John Tennari will be tried at Astoria charged with criminally assaulting five young girls. His friends claim he should be sent to the insane asylum, not the penitentiary.



GOLDEN OAK

Reversible Velom and Letherette Cushions.

We still have several designs in

Morris Chairs

from \$8 up

These in the automatic adjustment are very convenient and the coverings are the best possible for durability.

SILVERWARE

We have a good assortment of Berry Spoons, Ladles, Fruit Knives, Butter Knives, Sugar Shells, etc., of best A. Rogers' goods, which we are cleaning out at actual cost, not wishing to carry these goods.

S. J. WING

NEW AND SECOND HAND GOODS