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CHRISTMAS GOODS Are Now in Full Possession!

Eugene's Leading Store, has given itself over to the exhibition of holiday goods. Never has there been a grander, more comprehensive gathering of the world's greatest offerings. Everything desirable for a gift is here. Let this store's good name head your shopping list.

Christmas Shopping.

Not much time to stop and think—days are flying and so are the goods. "Oh! that pretty fur set is gone!" said a lady yesterday. Yes, and other rare and fine things will go tomorrow and the next day. No more like them. Why wait? why stop? why think? No risk; never any risk buying here, and if you don't know what to give, well, what can help you better than seeing the thousand and one things now on display, articles suitable for gift-giving.

Our aisles are wide and roomy, and plenty of courteous sales ladies to show you through. A visit to our stores does not place you under any obligation to buy.

New Shipment of Ladies' Neck Wear arrived today. Other new articles arriving in every day. Many new novelties in the numerous departments for gift-giving.

HAMPTON BROS

EUGENE'S
LEADING
STORE

INTEREST TO OREGON

Dec. 13.—Fulton and the unanimous consent to the passage of a bill by the Portland & Seattle to construct a bridge across the river near Vancouver. Bill passed the house. Followed Chairman Barton, of the commerce committee, and the Columbia improvement bill. Fulton is certain of membership of the claims commission. His appointment is favored.

AN SIT- UATION GRAVE

Dec. 13.—The situation in the Baltic provinces is the empire's condition. Approaches civil war. A general has been appointed to administrative powers. The railway communication last night, the cable being cut. Messages are being sent from the German frontier. The dictatorship. The coup at Moscow is complete.

INSURANCE BUSINESS

Dec. 13.—John K. Core, the Prudential, was the first morning in the investigation. He read statement that since the company business the total premium was \$287,000,000, and out in benefits \$92,000,000, including \$2,000,000, at the end of 1904 was and he said over 90 per cent to the policy holders in

Ray Arrested

Dec. 12.—Ray McLaughlin, on a charge of larceny, was arrested here by the police last night. He had been arrested, but made no statement. He says he can prove his innocence.

WHAT POLAND DESIRED

Warsaw, Dec. 13.—At a meeting of 417 clergymen of Poland it was resolved today after an all night session to demand autonomy for Poland with parliament, a general secret ballot, reinforcement of the Polish language in the government offices, abolition of capital punishment and amnesty for all political prisoners.

MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE

New York, Dec. 13.—Representatives of all denominations except the Roman Catholics are holding a meeting today to discuss what recommendations will be made to the convention representing the states in February as to the plan for marriage and divorce legislation.

BANKS DID NOT CONTRIBUTE

Washington, Dec. 13.—The comptroller answering the senate's inquiry says the reports of the national banks don't show that they contributed to the last political campaign except in two instances, where small sums were contributed for local campaign uses.

MAIL SERVICE CONTRACT LET

Washington, Dec. 13.—Bids for the wagon mail service for a four years' period were opened by the department today. P. P. Schulerman gets the contract for Portland at \$6,500, and J. W. Travis at Spokane for \$4,700. This service includes all transfers made by wagon service in the cities named.

ANOTHER LAND FRAUD DEAL

Salem, Dec. 13.—Attorney A. T. Lewis, representing Wade Richardson, of Milwaukee, appeared before the state land board this morning with a bundle of land certificates which he had paid Peter \$38,000 for. All proved to be forgeries and Richardson loses the whole amount.

THE NEW WATER RESERVOIR

Will Be Located at the Site of the Old Observatory

Many have asked as to the exact location of the syndicate's new water reservoir on Skinner's Butte. The company has secured an option on the ground owned by the state and formerly occupied by the U. O. observatory, and it is altogether probable that the reservoir will be there. The site has been surveyed and the option will probably soon be closed, after which work on the reservoir will begin.

WORK ON NEW RAILROAD

Ontario, Or., Dec. 12.—Stephen Carver, of Chinook, Montana, has announced that he is ready to receive bids for the construction of the Valley Malheur Valley railroad grade, and that work will commence immediately on the same. The engineers are at work now cross-sectioning and as soon as one mile of cross-section is completed, work will commence on the same.

THOUGHT BANK SAFE BLOWN UP

Last night about 11 o'clock as Martin Miller, the shoemaker, was at work in his shop back of the Chambers-Bristow bank, he heard two loud reports. They sounded to him as if they came from the bank, and becoming alarmed lest a robbery was being committed he hunted up Policeman Farrington and told him of the circumstance. Upon investigation it was found that the Eagles, whose hall is on the third floor of the building, were initiating a candidate. They fired blank cartridges during the initiation.

Costumes

The very latest costumes ever put before the public from \$1 up. Both ladies' and gents'. Parties desiring to investigate see Donald Preston at Herald printing office in the evening.

GEARIN APPOINTED SENATOR

Portland Man Receives Toga of the Deceased Senator

Is a Democratic Expansionist, Pledged to Support President's Rate Bill and Will Work Valiantly For Oregon

Salem, Dec. 13.—John M. Gearin, of Portland, was appointed United States senator, to succeed the late Senator John H. Mitchell, by Governor Geo. E. Chamberlain.

Portland, Dec. 12.—The appointment of J. M. Gearin to be U. S. senator for Oregon, vice John H. Mitchell, deceased, gives universal satisfaction here. Mr. Gearin has pledged himself to support the president's rate bill and will work hard for the coast harbors and Coos Bay. He is

RAILROAD MEN INDICTED

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Indictments were returned today by the federal grand jury against John M. Faithorn, president of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railway Co., and Fred A. Wann, vice president of the Pere Marquette and Chicago & Alton, charging them with paying rebates amounting to \$20,000 on shipments over the Alton. Faithorn was formerly vice president of the Alton and Wann general manager. It is alleged that during their connection with the Alton they gave rebates to Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, packers, of Kansas City. H. S. Cusey, traffic manager, recently pleaded guilty to receiving rebates and was fined \$5000. Today's indictments were returned upon Cusey's testimony.

PERKINS' RESIGNA- TION ACCEPTED

New York, Dec. 13.—The trustees of the New York Life this afternoon accepted the resignation of Perkins, but he remains a member of the board.

PORTLAND HAD A BIG FIRE

Portland, Dec. 13. Fire this morning destroyed the big wholesale grocery of Wadsworth & Kerr Bros. Six firemen were injured by the upper floor collapsing and pressing the men into the cauldron of flames. Chris. Houston was the worst injured. Loss, \$300,000.

McCLELLAN WINS CONT ST

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 13.—The court of appeals today heard the petition of Hearst's attorneys asking for the opening of the ballot boxes and a recount of the vote. The court decided the boxes cannot be reopened. This will probably result in the election of McClellan being officially declared.

MUTUAL LIFE HAS NEW PRESIDENT

New York, Dec. 13.—The directors of the Mutual today elected Charles A. Peabody president. Salary, \$50,000.

Do your Shopping at Friendly's

and you'll get

Good Values and Good Service

Only 9 More Shopping Days and Then Christmas!

Practical Gifts for everyone at Friendly's, Eugene's Foremost Store.

\$1.00 Fancy Silks for 39c a yard.
\$1.25 Fancy Silks for 70c a Yard.

If you want to give a silk waist or dress pattern for Christmas you will do well to see these silks before they are picked over, and to make our silk counter more attractive we are selling the famous Moneybag Black Silks at specially low prices from 8 a. m. to 12 m. every day this week.

\$1 Kimonos 59c | 25c LACE Handkerchiefs, 12½c each

10c Outing Flannel 7½c

20 pieces light and dark colored Outing Flannel, stripes, checks, plaids, extra heavy quality at, yard 7½c

12 1-2c and 15c Kimono cloth, special, a yard at 1c

50c Lace Collars 25c each

100 Beautiful Lace, Silk and Rejane pique Stock Collars, new styles and washable, any one will make a very pretty and practical Christmas gift, 50c values. Special while they last at, 25c each

\$1 Silk Lined Mocha Gloves 88c

Come in browns, tans, reds and black, all sizes, pair 88c

Do you realize the time and worry saved, and how pleased the recipient will be to get a Friendly glove order for Christmas redeemable in gloves or merchandise at any time?

Suits and Cloaks Reduced to Half and Less.

Children's Coats at One-Half Price.

Women's Suits, Coats and Capes at ¼ and ½ Regular Prices.

Knit Shawls and Fascinators.

Don't you feel the need of a wool shawl or fascinator? We have about 400 of them, all sizes, shapes, colors and styles, ranging in prices from 25c to \$3.00, and you can buy any of them this week at

25% Off Regular Prices.

Wool Hoods, Sacques and Booties for infants and children.

Men's Clothing Department

Men's Store News

Rear Half of Store.

Practical Christmas Gifts For Men.

10 dozen Ties, worth 35c and 50c, at each 25c

Others specially priced at 50c, 75c and \$1.

12 dozen fancy Hose, worth 35c, special at, a pair 25c

Others specially priced at 50c, 75c and \$1.50.

Handkerchiefs, gloves, scarfs, fancy suspenders, smoking jackets, bath robes, night dresses, etc. Some of these are just what he wants.

Good Goods Only. Satisfaction or Your Money Back.

S. K. Friendly

Eugene's Foremost and Best Store.

Practical Christmas Gifts for Boys.

10 dozen Winsor Ties, new styles, each 25c

5 dozen Boys' Sweaters, worth 65c, special at 48c

Caps, Blouses, Shirts, Hose, Gloves, Socks, Underwear, Suits, Overcoats, Trousers,

To tickle the boy give him something he can put on and wear. He wants to feel like a man.