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Special Sale for two hours tonight on all Ladies, Misses and Children's Furs, in sets, single Scarfs or Mitts, at 80 cents on the Dollar. 20 per cent discount.

This evening only. 1000 Handkerchiefs at 3 cents each. These handkerchiefs are our own importation and would be a good 10c value in any other store. They come in a big range of patterns and nice fine materials. They will sure be fast sellers tonight. Two hours only—7 to 9 o'clock.

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There is nothing that will delight the ladies more than a box of Colegate's or Roicksecker's exquisite perfumes, soaps or toilet articles. Papa and other male members of the family would appreciate receiving some fine shaving cream or soap. Everything here is high-class.

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If you want to see an expression of satisfaction in a lady's eyes, try any article of cut glass as a gift. American cut glass is clearer and deeper cut than other makes. We were careful to order only first grade articles of American cut glass. Olive dishes, water bottles, fruit dishes, bowls, bon bon dishes, etc., for sale here at lowest prices.

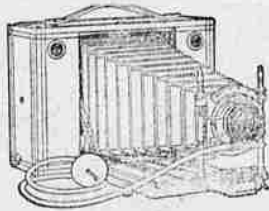
Headquarters for Dolls



Santa Claus has established his headquarters for dolls at our store. Just come and see the many beautiful dolls in our window. Large and small sleeping and laughing dolls to suit every child and every purse at all prices from 15c to \$7.50

A Brownie or Automobile Given Away FREE

See this three horse power automobile in our window. We are going to give it away free to the boy or girl that receives the most votes. Perhaps you are the fortunate one. It costs nothing to try. Have your friends save their votes for you. One vote for the auto free with every purchase in our store.



Any Member of the Family Can Take Views With These Kodaks

Why not give your brother, sister, son or cousin a Kodak for Xmas? Then you can have pictures whenever you wish. Our Premo Kodaks can be operated by any person. We'll instruct you. All sizes of Reliable Kodaks from \$1.00 up.

Leather Goods

Elegant gifts at reasonable prices are to be found in our leather goods department. There are choice things here for ladies and gentlemen that every person would love to possess. Ladies purses and hand bags, \$1.00 to \$35.00. Gents' purses and bill book, 25c to \$10.00. Manicure and toilet sets for travelling, \$1.00 to \$15.00. Collar and Coat bags. Portfolios

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DOINGS OF THE WORLD.

J. L. Howard, a Salem barber, has located in Brownsville.

When Cheney, Wash., went dry this week the bells were rung with joy. A sample of the way prohibition is a thing of the past.

The fourth crew of electric line surveyors have just surveyed a gap through Jefferson, and Tip Humphrey says there is no use getting excited and raising the price of land.

Harry W. Clarke, a former well known valley drummer, has been night clerk of the Hoffman Hotel at Eugene, but he longs to be on the road again, and the first of the year will sell whips for an eastern firm.

Mr. Man: Come to the exclusive Women's store to get "Her" Christmas present. Chambers & McCune.

Important Decision

Judge Bean at Pendleton yesterday held that the county court had a right to pay a detective bill of \$386 in securing conviction for violation of the local option law, a splendid victory for law and order. In this county some men continue to howl because outside detectives were brought in; but it has been done in other places, notably at Pendleton, where \$7,000 in fines have been secured.

Died at Lebanon.

W. F. Moist, a prominent native Oregonian, of Lebanon, died last night, at the age of about 55 years. He was a good citizen, a man of excellent character. He leaves a wife, mother, brothers and sisters and many friends to mourn his death.

The funeral will be at the home at Lebanon tomorrow at 2 p. m.

A Good Reason.

J. M. Harvins, of the Oregon Title & Trust Company, advertises a sale of his stock, implements, etc., giving his reasons: "Sold farm and moved to Oregon. Oregon apples on exhibition will be sold and proceeds given to the Orphan's Home."

Got the Bridge Fever.

Harrisburg Bulletin: Commissioner Butler, in an interview with the writer yesterday, stated that he is of the opinion that a fine steel draw bridge across the Willamette river is a possibility within five years, or perhaps in even less time.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

Christmas and New Years Round Trip tickets on S. P. lines will be sold as follows: Dec. 24th and 25th, Dec. 31st and January 1st, all limited to return not later than January 3rd, at rate of fare and a third for the round trip. No stop overs on these tickets. No round trips sold where the one way fare is \$10.00 or over, or less than 35 cents. For further information call on or address, R. K. Montgomery, Agent.

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TWO WRECKS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—The Lake Shore express collided with an engine and both crews are dead. The Oriental limited and the C. B. & Q. was wrecked near Chicago. Among the injured were Mrs. Eschelbacher and Frank Bishop of Portland.

New Portland

P. O.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Secretary of the treasury reported favorably Bourne's bill for a new \$1,500,000 post office at Portland. Bourne will try to have it incorporated in the omnibus bill.

A Cook Rumor

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 18.—A rumor says the Danish commission has turned down Dr. Cook's claim to having reached the north pole.

Severe Storm

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—A severe storm hit the Catalina Island. The beach is strewn with wreckage and many boats are missing. There is a cold snap from the Rockies to the lakes. Texas is frozen up.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Big program of pictures and songs.

All for 10 cents. Any seat in the house.

APPRECIATED

A Seattle Minister Compliments Albany.

Recently the Albany Commercial Club sent 450 Albany illustrated pamphlets to various Christian ministers, throughout the United States, each accompanied by the personal card and compliments of Rev. Albyn Esson, pastor of the Christian church at Albany. The first acknowledgement comes from Seattle, and the compliments sound good to the ears of the Albany boosters. Here is the letter:

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 18, 1909. Secretary Albany Commercial Club, Albany, Oregon.

Dear Sir:—Permit me to congratulate your enterprising business men on the literature featuring Albany as a center for homes and business. My partiality for this beautiful region is strong. We, of Seattle, have good reason to appreciate our favored country. But from the presentation you have made I gladly commend your aggressiveness and wish for the city and valley growth in number of homesekers and increased prosperity.

(Signed) JOSEPH L. GARVIN, Minister First Christian Church Seattle.

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 6. Running in Hard Luck. (Rip roaring comedy)
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