

The Last Week of the CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

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Our splendid assortment of these excellent gift articles gives you a large selection. Dainty and inexpensive gifts if useful are always appreciated. We show in Handkerchiefs a beautiful line. The daintiest of designs and fabrics—from the cheapest to the more expensive hand made ones.

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Jewelry in the latest effects, and boxes, ribbon, cards, everything to fix your present ready to send.

OPEN EVENINGS THIS WEEK.

L. E. & H. J. Hamilton **THE HAMILTON STORE** Albany, Oregon 317-321 First St

DOU you want a bargain in a nice Diamond Ring, brooch or ear rings for Christmas? Irench, the Jeweler.

We have some special bargains in sterling silver toilet sets, a beautiful and appropriate present for a lady. French, the Jeweler

Don't forget our line of 1847 Roger Bros., also Reed & Barton silver knives, forks and spoons. They are the finest grade made and very appropriate for Christmas. French, the Jeweler.

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The Democrat. The Daily—Delivered, 10 cents a week; in advance for one year, \$4.00. By mail, in advance for one year \$3, at end of year \$3.50. The Weekly—Advance per year \$1.25. At end of year \$1.50. After 3 years at \$2.

OUR WANTS

WANTED.—Farm home for horse where he can work enough to pay for his keep. R. A. Easton, Albany.

FOR RENT.—Two furnished house-keeping rooms. Call 506 Jackson and water streets. 17c

FOR RENT.—Suit, housekeeping rooms in Wright block. Apply to G. W. Wright.

JUST PLATTED.—Fourteen 10 acre tracts—3 miles out. Sold on installment plan. Fine soil for berries, garden truck and fruit trees. Buy a Tremont tract of the owner, Owen Beam, Room 4 Stark Bldg, Albany, Ore.

FOR SALE.—A man's bicycle, in good repair. Call at Viercek's barber shop.

FOR RENT.—Some fine rooms for office or housekeeping. See W. C. Burkhardt.

WOOD SAWING.—By N. W. Webb, successor to Ben Rozelle. Red 1981 Bell.

FOR SALE.—3 homestead relinquishment on Siletz, all joining each other. Inquire box 84, Albany. About 4,000,000 feet on each. 12c

GLASS.—All sizes and kinds, for sale at the Albany Planning Mill, cheaper than anywhere else in Albany. Skillfully set, if desired.

LIST YOUR REAL ESTATE.—With me for prompt returns. I have many requests for city and farm property, in large and small tracts. Both phones. C. W. TERBALT, 432 W. First St.

WOOD FOR SALE.—Big fir, J. D. Ellis 906 E 4th, Phone Bell Red, 952. 14c

PLANTS FOR SALE.—Gooseberries, red and white Currants, Rhubarb, Red and Yellow Raspberries, Iceberg Blackberries, Loganberries, Dewberries, Phenomenals, Hedge Plants and Sage. IVER C. DUEDELL, Albany, Or., R. F. D. No. 5, Home Phone 712.

PIECE.—Edging and back at the Albany saw mill. Get some.

ONIONS FOR SALE.—By E. L. McKeever. Phone Bell Farmers 2x1. 1d

TO LOAN.—\$50 000 on real property J. C. Christie, over 1st National Bank Albany, Oregon, rate of interest reasonable.

J. W. BENTLEY, boot and shoe maker and repairer, does first class work at reasonable prices. Next door to Democrat office. See him.

FIRE INSURANCE.—O. F. R. A. of McMinnville. Oregon's greatest mutual company. C. C. Bryant, Albany, Cusick Bank Bldg. Both phones.

Special Christmas Sale of Flower Bulbs.

Hyacinths, extra large, all colors, single or double, 3 for 25c. Jonquils, yellow, 2c each, per dozen 20c. Tulips, 3c each, per dozen 30c. Lillies—Auratum, very large bulbs, each 15c; Longiflorum, each 15c; Formosum, each 15c. Chinese lillies each 5c. M. SENDERS & CO.

Let Me Make a Suggestion, For Xmas

Engraved Cards, Printed Cards, Hand painted Posters for College and High School; Loose Leaf Memo and Price Books, Automatic Pencil Sharpeners, Postal Seals, Score cards for bridge, whist and 500. Rawling's 123 Broadalbin, Albany, Oregon.

Retiring from Business.

Everything in the store to be closed out by Jan 1st. MBS. G. E. NICHOLS. Wonder Millinery.

The Toledo.

A new steel range, with a cooking plate on top, a model modern stove. No blacking. Keeps clean. Just take a look at it. At Albany Hd. Co's.

WE ARE READY FOR—Waiting to show you a well line of leather goods—hand bags, gents purses, bill books, money bills, etc. Prices are right. BURKHART & LEE.

Get your dressed chickens at Pfeiffer's.

Try a bowl of Hot Chili Carneana at The Crest.

LOST.—A bunch of keys, with three silver coins. Leave at piano store of Prof. Head, next the Democrat office.

FOR RENT.—Two housekeeping rooms, over Royal Bakery. Call there.

FOR SALE.—Two fine pieces in North Albany, 25 acres, in cultivation in one, and 50 acres in the other, the latter unimproved, to be sold together. 18c

FOR ONE MORE WEEK Conkey's Laying Tonic is offered for free trial by Senders Feed Store. Get your hens laying. It will not injure your birds. Ask for a Poultry Book. 12c

FOR SALE.—Some potatoes, medium grade, at 50 cents a bushel. Call upon A. J. Carothers, 531 Lafayette street.

FOR RENT.—Fine office rooms. Call upon F. G. Will.

TYPEWRITERS.—Factory rebuilt and guaranteed as good as new and for one year. Olivers \$40.00, Remingtons \$50.00 to \$60.00, Underwoods \$60.00 to \$65.00. Come and see them. Buy something useful for the boy or girl for Xmas. Eawling's, 123 Broadalbin.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate at seven per cent. On choice farm lands at six per cent. Apply to Geo. W. Wright, Attorney, Albany, Oregon. Both phones. Office, corner of 1st and Ferry.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Beaver State Mutual. Inquire at Opera House Bldg.

LEBANON.

The Facts About Small Pox Scare.

The E. A.: Hugh Kirkpatrick, who has been sick with pneumonia for over a week, is now rapidly recovering.

On account of the bad weather of late work on the extension of the Southern Pacific railroad between Lebanon and Crabtree has been greatly retarded.

J. W. Stewart, banker and attorney of Lincoln, Neb., arrived in Lebanon Sunday to spend a couple of weeks. He is one of the principal stockholders of the new Lebanon State Bank, and Mr. Day, manager of the bank, is his son-in-law.

The scarlet fever and smallpox situation is improving. No new cases outside of the house quarantined prior to last Friday are reported, which goes to show these diseases are on the decrease. The smallpox cases have been of the mildest kind; in fact so mild that in some cases the patients were not ill enough to be confined to their beds.

Pennies and R. F. D. Men.

The little one cent piece has become a decided nuisance among R. F. D. carriers. A statement just received by Postmaster Van Winkle from the P. O. department at Washington is that on an average all over the country 115 pennies are left for each carrier in the country to take out of the boxes, with his cold fingers, instead of placing stamps and letters and papers, as should be done, making the little things cause a good deal of trouble. In the whole U. S. it figures up the enormous amount of 300,000,000 pennies. It will therefore be a favor if people along R. F. D. routes will use stamps instead of pennies.

F. G. WILL, for Watches

FOR SALE.—One good heavy truck wagon, one two-seated light hack, one good plow, one single harness, one potato digger, one large Majestic Range, one small cook stove, one heating stove, two A-No. 1 Iron bedsteads, together with spring and mattresses, one good oak extension dining room table, and 15 A-No. 1 White Wyandotte young pullets from imported stock, and other household goods. The above property is all as good as new and will be sold at private sale. Call on J. V. PIPE, 201 West Second St., Albany, Oregon.

WANTED.—Fresh cow, Holstein or Durhata, 4 gal. per day, must be good smooth cow, weight 1200 pounds. Bell Phone 155 Home 5305. 127

FOR SALE.—Two brood sows with pig. Home Phone 3605. 127

WANTED.—A girl to do general housework, at once. Good place. Call at 837 South Ferry. Phone Bell Black 3024.

FOR RENT.—Residence, five rooms, furnished, electric lights, cold and hot water, garden, etc. Also two room cottage, furnished, and a barn. Inquire of R. Rogoway, 2nd St. 17c

PIONEER OF 1847.

J. J. Davis Passes Away.

J. J. Davis, who came to Albany when it was a deer trail, died this morning at the age of 77 years, at the home of his son Everett, in this city. He was born in Missouri, and came to Albany among the earliest settlers, arriving here in 1847, living an eventful life as told by Mr. Davis a few years ago in a series of articles in the Democrat, splendidly posted about early days. Among other things he was interested in the famous Blue Bucket mine. He was a brother of A. Hackleman's first wife, one of the founders of Albany. He leaves a wife, and five children, Mrs. Kate Beard, Mrs. Ed School, Willard and Everett Davis of this city, and Miss Eleanor Davis of Portland. The funeral services will be held at the Baptist church tomorrow at 2 p. m.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Anna Farrell Williams is home for a holiday visit. J. J. Graham, of Portland formerly of this city, is up for a few days. Mrs. J. H. Turpin, of Wateloo, was in the city today on a shopping trip. Guy Lewelling, a guard at the pen, went to Tangent today for a visit home. Hon. J. K. Weatherford left this week for San Francisco and San Jose on a business trip. Mrs. George Maxwell and Mrs. Nevin McCormick and daughter, of Shedd, were Albany visitors today. Chas. Johnson, of Salem, went to Corvallis today to mix with some of the many Johnsons of that city. Misses Inez Taylor and Eulah Wright arrived home this noon from Corvallis, where they have been attending the O. A. C.

A Triple Wedding.

Triple weddings are not very common affairs, but one is reported at this city, at the Hotel Kevere this afternoon in which Rev. Eason had the honor of performing the ceremony. They were Geo. A. Sandner and Miss Nellie L. Dart, William J. Dart and Miss Overholts, and J. W. Hiron and Miss Freda Dart, three being brothers and sisters, the latter wedding being a surprise to the former, who came here thinking it was to be a double affair.

For Christmas.

Our Christmas goods are arriving. Websters, Charles the Great, Gordons and Jacksons Hand Made, in Christmas boxes. See our new line of fancy briar and mercer pipes at American Cigar store.

Hot Chili Carneana at The Crest.

CHICKENS.—A few choice Plymouth Rocks and some Rhode Island Reds. F. T. McTimmonds, 415 E 8th St.

FOR SALE.—Lots in Wright's addition; also lots, blocks, and from 4 to 40 acres in acreage in Hazelwood, adjoining the city. Good terms and reasonable prices. Apply to Attorney Geo. W. Wright, office, Rooms 1 and 2, Wright Block. Both phones.

FOR SALE.—A good horse, single or double, gentle, weight about 1000 lbs. Price \$45. J. H. Turpin, Waterloo.

WOOD.—If you want some leave your order at the Imperial Restaurant, Second street. 22c

WANTED.—To buy vacant residence lot. State location and lowest cash price first letter. Address D. E. Benedict, 216 E 2nd St Albany. t23

LOST.—One black plume, between 4th and Washington Sts. and Northwestern Corporation office. Please return to office of Northwestern Corporation.

M'Daniel's Monumental Works.

Now occupy their new quarters at 327 Lyon street, where will be found a choice selection of monuments, tombstones, tablets, crosses, etc., of the best material and latest design, in foreign and American marble and granite. When wanting anything in this line please call and get my prices. Patronize home industry and save agent's commission. Having had years of experience as a practical workman, I am satisfied I can please you. Leave orders now for spring delivery.

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FROM ACTUAL SKETCHES.

In Wyoming fairly pulses with fresh, vigorous, active life of the young West. It has a love story as tender as that of "Romeo and Juliet," and is rich with humor and quaint philosophy. That "In Wyoming" will be richly staged, and excellently well acted is guaranteed by the name of the artist who painted the scenes from actual sketches made in the state of Wyoming, and the names of the clever actors chosen for the principal roles of the play. The scenes of Dalby Ranch near Casper, Wyo., in the Big Horn Valley, were painted by W. O. Wegner, from sketches especially made for him in Wyoming. The decorations, costumes, accoutrements, were all chosen and arranged by Mr. Willard Mack, who was born and raised in Wyoming, and who is considered an authority. At the opera house tomorrow night.

Fresh oysters at Pfeiffer's, 219 W 2nd St.

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School Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the voters of district 5, will be held at the central school building on Wednesday, Dec. 22, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of levying a tax for the running of the schools of the city the coming year.

J. L. TOMLINSON, Clerk. Albany, Dec. 19, 1909.

Bargain Sale of Standard Books.

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| Rawlinson's History of Ancient Egypt, 2 Vols., \$6.00 | \$ 3.00 |
| Rawlinson's The Sixth Oriental Monarchy, \$3.00 | 1.50 |
| Scott's Poetical Works, 8 vo Sheep, \$3.00 | 1.25 |
| Moore's Poetical Works, 8 vo Sheep, \$3.00 | 1.25 |
| Cowper's Poetical Works, 8 vo Sheep, \$3.00 | 1.25 |
| Hemen's Poetical Works, 8 vo Sheep, \$3.00 | 1.25 |
| Picturesque Washington, 8 vo Cloth, \$2.50 | 1.25 |
| Goethe's Works, 6 Vols., \$7.50 | 4.00 |
| Schiller's Works, 7 Vols., \$10.00 | 5.00 |
| Half Hour of English Poets, 4 Vols., \$8.00 | 3.00 |
| Modern Painters, By Ruskin, 5 Vols., \$10.00 | 3.50 |
| Modern Painters, By Ruskin, 5 Vols., \$5.00 | 2.00 |
| History of the Great Reformation, 8 vo, \$5.00 | 3.00 |
| Half Hours With the Best Authors, 4 Vols., \$4.00 | 1.50 |
| New Greece, By Lewis Sergeant, \$3.50 | 1.50 |
| Famous French Authors, by Theophile Gautier, \$2.00 | 1.00 |
| Souvenirs of Madame La Brun, \$2.00 | 1.00 |
| Life of Major-General George H. Thomas, \$3.00 | 1.00 |
| Golden Treasury or World of Knowledge, \$3.00 | 1.50 |
| History of French Literature, 3 Vols., \$7.50 | 3.00 |
| Portugal Old and New, \$3.50 | 1.25 |
| Biography of American Men of Letters, Noah Webster, \$1.25 | .75 |
| Ralph Waldo Emerson, \$1.25 | .75 |
| George Ripley, \$1.25 | .75 |
| Edgar Allan Poe, \$1.25 | .75 |
| Fielding's Works, 2 Vols., \$5.00 | 2.00 |
| Packard's Zoology, \$3.00 | 1.00 |
| Charlotte Cushman Memoirs of Her Life, \$2.00 | .75 |
| Manual of Dates, \$7.25 | 1.50 |
| History of Greece, 2 Vols., \$2.00 | 1.00 |
| Ferdinand and Isabelle, by Prescott, 2 Vols., \$3.00 | 1.50 |
| Famous African Explorers, 2 Vols., \$2.00 | 1.00 |
| History of Rome, 2 Vols., \$2.00 | 1.00 |
| Lincoln and His Times, 2 Vols., \$2.00 | 1.00 |
| Campaigns of the Civil War, 16 Vols., \$16.00 | 8.00 |
| Morley's English Men of Letters, 29 Vols., 75c per vol. | .50 |
| Chamber's Cyclopaedia of English Literature, 8 Vols., \$8.00 | 4.00 |
| Illustrated Biographies of the Great Artists, 32 Vols., \$40.00 | 20.00 |
| Scott's Waverly Novels, 12 Vols., \$14.00 | 7.00 |
| Life and Deeds of U. S. Grant, Cloth, 8 vo, \$3.50 | 1.75 |
| Same, Sheep, 8 vo, \$4.50 | 2.00 |
| Same, Half Morocco, 8 vo, \$6.50 | 2.50 |
| Memoirs of John A. Dix, 2 Vols, 8 vo, \$5.00 | 2.50 |
| History of Georgia, 2 Vols, 8 vo, \$10.00 | 3.50 |

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