

Practical Christmas Gifts

DRUMMER SAMPLE HANDKERCHIEFS

No two alike, some are hand embroidered on pure linen. Priced at 6c to 39c each

XMAS NOVELTIES

Pin cushions, dolls, jewel cases, nail files, perfume bottles, etc. 25c

PLAID WOOL-MIXED BLANKETS

Extra large size and good quality. \$4.95 pair

A BOX OF TOWELS

1 large, 1 medium and 1 wash cloth. In attractive boxes, tied with ribbons. \$1.35 box

We have a good assortment of practical gifts for WOMEN

Floods Store

334 W. 1st St.

GREAT PICTURE COMING TO THE ROLFE MONDAY

"The Whip," the supreme offering of filmdom is coming to the Rolfe theatre on Monday and Tuesday to charm, delight and thrill the patrons of this show house with its thrilling story, its splendid characterizations, its truly wonderful photography and its sensationally magnificent scenic effects.

"The Whip" is easily the world's biggest motion picture. One scene alone, that of the great train wreck, was staged at an enormous expense merely for this offering. And it is the biggest and best train wreck yet seen in motion pictures. An auto-

mobile race and a wreck that is so vivid as to hold the spectators gasping is another big feature.

But, of course, the biggest feature of all the tremendous scenes and events in this gigantic production, is the horse race. The scenes for this splendid event were taken at Saratoga, where the biggest racing event of the world are pulled off, and the screen reproduces the tensely, the excitement and the enjoyment of Saratoga with striking fidelity.

"The Whip," has not one star, but six. From start to finish it has been staged on a remarkably elaborate scale. The production has been made by that genius of the screen, Maurice Tourneur, and he has excelled all his previous efforts in this tremendously successful production.

Public Health Good—

According to the city health officer the conditions of the children in the public schools with regard to their health is excellent at the present time. But very few cases of illness have been reported and no contagious diseases are prevalent at this time.

WHO DARES to say Children do not Count?

LISTEN—IT MEANS \$s TO YOU

Have you decided your Xmas problem? Do you have a definite idea of just what gifts would be most suitable for friends and relatives? Probably not. It's the merchant's job to make the suggestions and for you to decide as to whether or not he has used good judgment in making out his list of Xmas hints. Every progressive business man in Albany who has Xmas goods that are worth while will tell you about them in the advertising columns of the Democrat. Watch the advertisements. They will save you time and money.

WATERMAN'S FOUNTAIN PENS

\$2.50 to \$8.00

REXALL PENS

\$1.00 to \$2.50

SEND THE BOY IN CAMP ONE

AT—

FRED DAWSON'S DRUG STORE

THE STORE OF QUALITY

How Relatives Will Learn Soldiers' Fates

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The war and navy departments today through the United Press urged relatives of enlisted men not to bombard the department with queries for details concerning men mentioned in casualty lists.

Officials of both departments repeated assurances that every detail concerning men killed, wounded or taken prisoner, will be wired their families the minute it is available. It is impossible to get more than the bare announcement in less than from two to six weeks.

The army casualty work is in charge of Major J. S. Jones. Here is how it works: In every regiment both in this country and in Pershing's force several enlisted men record each casualty. They report these to their commanders who send the reports immediately to headquarters whence they are cabled without delay to Washington.

Major Jones at once telegraphs to the person mentioned in the soldier's emergency address on file at the war department, telling all he knows about what happened to the soldier. Later on detailed written reports as to how the men were killed or wounded are mailed to the war department. This causes delay which will lengthen as the casualty lists grow.

If a soldier is captured, Germany under international law is required to report to this government through diplomatic channels, which takes about six weeks.

The procedure is practically the same in the navy.

Jack Green Ill—

Jack Green, driver of the Hotel St. Francis bus, is ill in his room with an attack of pleurisy.

Washington Stone to Be Used in State Building

OLYMPIA, Dec. 13.—The official stamp of approval was put on Washington building stone here when the state capital commission announced that only Washington stone would be used in the new Temple of Justice. Idaho stone, which had been considered, was eliminated by this ruling. Washington stone is declared to have building qualities equal to any in the West.

Camp Lewis Soldier Attend Y.M.C.A. Schools

CAMP LEWIS, Dec. 13.—Hundreds of soldiers are attending Y. M. C. A. schools here. New classes are organized every week and the number of soldier pupils is steadily increasing.

This week, for instance, a beginners' French class was organized Monday. Another French class completed organization today. A new geometry class will meet tonight and a business arithmetic class was formed Monday.

In addition to the various classes, the Y. M. C. A. brings prominent men here for lectures. Three such lectures by University of Washington professors were given this week.

All lecture and class hours are, of course, so arranged as not to conflict with such important dates as drill hours and movie shows.

Pendleton Girls Have "Soldierphobia"

PENDLETON, Dec. 13.—Girls here are suffering from "soldierphobia" in the opinion of Police Chief Roberts. To cure the disease, the head of the police force proposed a liberal

close of limitation. He prescribed this remedy in a recent case. A girl, suffering from a bad attack of the disease, started kissing all soldiers in sight. Chief Roberts lectured her in public and sent her home.

Shakespear. Was Wrong About Names

PORTLAND, Dec. 13.—There's a lot in a name.

Owners of the Ford apartment house found they could not find tenants although other apartment houses were full.

They changed the name to Hillcrest.

Now it's full all the time. They believe the fancy name turned the trick.

Songs of the Sammies

AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS, France, Nov. 26.—(By Mail)—Our bands play some times better than they toot the Marseillaise but they play the French anthem better than the Palla bands play ours.

Five Sammy bands crashed into the Marseillaise, one at a time, as Marshal Joffre passed down the line of troops during his review. The first two were "tres et punka," to quote the mule-drivers' French. The other three played better—almost as well as the average French soldier band.

But when a band of Poliss the same afternoon attempted the Star Spangled Banner, the anthem was camouflaged under a lot of unconventional tricks and musical flourishes.

Neither side did as well with the other fellows' hymn as it could have done with its own—but we mangled the Marseillaise less than they tortured the Star Spangled banner.

Warranty Deeds

Wm. J. Turnidge and wife to Mrs. Selma Alexander, Nov. 5, 1915; lands in Crabtree; \$10.

D. B. Alexander to Leonard Haas, Dec. 10, 1917; lands in Crabtree; \$10.

Dena Nixon to John P. Yoder and wife, June 21, 1917; lands in Tp. 13 S., R. 4 W.; \$1.

O. D. McLane and wife to Rita May Galles, Sept. 15, 1917; lands in Shaw's Add. Mill City; \$10.

A. Roy McDonald and wife to A. W. Ream and wife, Dec. 7, 1917; lands in Tipp & Pentland's Add. Seio; \$1,000.

Quit-Claim Deed

L. H. Goulard et ux to H. M. Goulard, Oct. 24, 1917; lands in Claim 56, Tp. 14 S., R. 2 W.; \$1.

John N. McNeil et al to W. Grant McNeil, Sept. 4, 1917; lands in Claim 41, Tp. 13 S., R. 4 W.; \$1.

Weather Report—

Yesterday's temperature ranged from 45 to 51 degrees. River 29 feet and rising. Rainfall .8 in.

K. C. Garments Turned in—

Orleans Auxiliary to the Lion county Red Cross turned in the following articles today: one scarf, one pair of wristlets, one helmet, five pairs of socks and nine sweaters. Also two pair of bed socks, and 13 shirts for hospital garments.

Do Not Forget—

That at the Catholic bazaar in the Baltimore building next Saturday, there will be a fine variety of articles suitable for Christmas gifts. Also many good things for your Sunday dinner.

Find Moss Jasper—

J. G. Crawford reports finding a valuable moss jasper on the sand bar just above the steel bridge. The coloring is excellent and Mr. Crawford is congratulating himself on his good luck.

HAY, GRAIN, FEED
Stock and Poultry Supplies
Gasoline and Oil
U. G. HAYNE
East Third and Main Streets

WHO DARES to say Children do not Count?

PENNYIZE TODAY—DOLLARIZE TOMORROW

Cooperative buying for our 173 Busy Stores and our modern selling methods make it possible for you to pennyize every day in the year. No two prices here—everybody treated just the same—your child can buy just as cheap as you.

Box handkerchiefs 10c, 19c, 25c

49c, 69c.

Box stationery 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c,

49c, 69c.

Books . . . 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 49c

Xmas Cards . . . 1c, 2 for 5c, 5c

Xmas seals, package . . . 5c

Dolls 5c, 10c, 19c, 25c, 49c, 98c

Ladies' felt slippers 98c, \$1.15,

\$1.25, \$1.69

Girls' felt slippers . . . 59c, 98c

Ladies' silk waists \$1.98, \$2.98,

\$3.98, \$4.98.

Ladies' silk dresses \$9.90, \$12.50,

\$14.75.

Boys' Jerseys . . . \$1.69

Ladies' silk petticoats \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98

Ladies' kid gloves . . . \$1.98

Ladies' cloth gloves . . . 98c

Men's box handkerchiefs . . . 25c

Men's fancy suspenders 25c, 49c

Men's shaving sets 98c, \$1.98,

\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.50, \$4.98.

Men's felt slippers 98c, 1.25, 1.49

Men's bath robes \$2.98, 3.98, 4.98

Men's macinaws \$6.90, 7.90, 8.90

Men's suits \$9.90, \$12.50, \$14.75,

\$16.50

Men's overcoats \$12.50, \$14.75,

\$16.50,

Men's Jerseys . . . \$1.98

Everything Always for Less **J. C. Penney Co.** 173 BUSY STORES Everything Always for Less



Pauline Fredericks in "Double Cross ed" at the Globe Friday.

String Beans in Brine.

Instead of canning string beans put them up in brine, and in winter they taste like freshly picked beans.

Put a layer of dry salt one-fourth inch thick in the bottom of a crock. Next put a layer of beans one and one-half inches high just as they are picked from the garden without washing.

Next a one-fourth inch layer of salt and so on until the crock is filled. On top invert a plate and put a heavy weight.

When you wish to use them soak an hour or so and then boil like fresh beans.—New York Sun.

Man and the Animals.

The essential difference between men and animals is well stated by Dr. Grauer, an eminent French biologist, quoted by the 8-centist American. He says the animal is predestined to obey the laws of its species, while man obeys them only if and when he will. A man may, if he wants to, sustain with energy the pretension that two and two make five, or he may commit suicide.

Fine Conformity.

"That penmanship teacher is very consistent in the way she arranges her face veil."

"How do you mean?"

"Don't you notice that in putting it on she always dots her eyes?"—San Francisco Chronicle

Not Run Down Yet.

"Your husband looks run down."

"Well, he's not. There have been ten bill collectors here today, and not one of 'em could find him!"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Evasion is unworthy of us and is always the intimate of equivocation.—Balzac.

LIBRARY NOTES

The lecture committee of the library board met last evening and planned an interesting course of lectures to begin in January. Mr. Hall, supervisor of the Santiam National Forest, will give an illustrated lecture for the first one.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Goodwin have given 100 magazine and two books to the library.

Interesting items from librarian's report for November:

Fifty-one new readers registered; 12 books, and about 60 pamphlets given; 101 the largest daily circulation; 1445 books were circulated and of these 193 were adult nonfiction and 154 children's nonfiction.

The library board at its meeting on December 7 adopted the following resolutions recommended by the library publicity director for Oregon, Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian.

"Resolved, That the Albany Public Library Board agrees to cooperate with the Food Administration in buying books, recommended on the subject, and in securing pamphlets and in circulating them.

"Resolved, That the library will loan books thru the State Library to meet the needs of the educational work to be carried on at the cantonments, camp, and forts, under the supervision of the libraries established at these places."

Let every woman in Albany study the food exhibit now in the library. This is made at the request of the Librarian of Congress.

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SIX DAYS' SPECIAL, DECEMBER 10 to 15, INCLUSIVE

BULK ROAST COFFEE . . . 15c pound, 7 pound \$1.00
BULK ROLLED OATS . . . 14 pounds \$1.00
FANCY OREGON PRUNES, . . . 8 pounds \$1.00
FANCY FIGS, BLACK OR WHITE, . . . 2 pounds 25c
FANCY BRAZIL NUTS . . . 1 pound 25c
FANCY OREGON ENGLISH WALNUTS, . . . 1 pound 25c
FANCY CELERY, . . . 3 bunches 25c
SATURDAY ONLY CREAMERY BUTTER . . . roll 95c
Our Xmas Candles are in. Better buy early as the supply is short.

DRESSED CHICKENS SATURDAYS

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