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THIS A VERY BEAUTIFUL, economical way to cover the floor of a room to use Small Rugs.

SMALL RUGS

Make beautiful gifts and therefore thrift gifts. Make a thrift gift to Mother, Sister, Friend, Daughter, give a Small Rug, obtainable here from \$2.00 to \$9.00

(We will deliver any gift you select as late as Tuesday Evening)

FISHER-BRADEN CO

"The Store with a Welcome"

TIME IS MONEY

And one should be saved as well as the other. A checking, or savings account with this bank helps you accomplish both. A Home Bank for Home People.

ALBANY STATE BANK

4 per cent on Savings

WE WANT ALL YOUR JUNK. WE WILL PAY YOU THE CASH

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

Have you anything for sale which is useless to you? We will buy anything and everything, as rubber, rags, all kind of metals, old iron, old stoves and furniture. It will always pay you to call us up. Bell 545R, or Home 2227, and we will call for it.

The Pacific Junk Co.

OVERSTOCKED

AND MUST HAVE MORE ROOM

Will make a special cash price until Dec. 31st on a good grade of No. 2 Boards—Shiplap and Dimensions

ALBANY LUMBER COMPANY

You'll Want Them Some Day

HAIR BRUSHES

A complete line of the best that money can buy. Prices are Very Low.

HAND MADE RAZORS

Our Razors are all guaranteed by us to give perfect satisfaction. Safety Razors, Razor Straps. The biggest line in Albany.

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We believe Conklin's Fountain Pen is the best pen on earth. Every one guaranteed to write and to please you.

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Men's Purses of every description. Coin Purses Bill Books Currency Folders Card Cases Etc.

Burkhart & Lee

Hand the "Flu" a Lemon

Be Careful what you Eat ORANGES and LEMONS contain valuable acids which are conducive to good health and are thereby excellent for everyone to use in order to be in the pink of condition.

Special Prices on Oranges and Lemons

Fancy Sunkist Lemons, large size 30c doz.

Oranges, extra large fancies 3 for 25c

—AND as follows:
..... 4 for 25c
..... 5 for 25c
..... 6 for 25c

Fancy Celery 10c

Sweet Potatoes 5c

Home Made Kraut.

Remember, the best place to buy table supplies is where they have the biggest and best assortment.

Holloway's Farmers' Store

Where Groceries are Sold Right

Both Phones 7

Dorothy Smith Passes Through

Miss Dorothy Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of Scio, was in Albany today on her way to her home for the holidays.

Umphrey Home—Edward L. Umphrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Umphrey, returned last night from the S. A. T. C. at Corvallis.

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CHRISTMAS CANDY

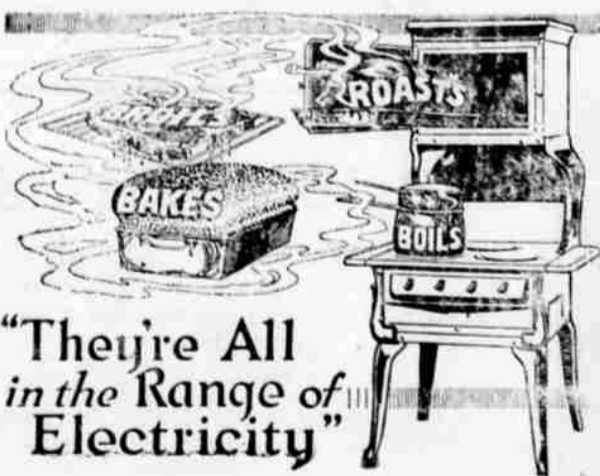
—Is just as much a part of the holiday spirit as Santa Claus.

We Make Our Own

Everything from the high-grade boxed goods to Holiday Mixed.

Special Prices in large quantities.

THE ELITE



"They're All in the Range of Electricity"

ELECTRIC COOKING WILL

1. Improve the taste and flavor of food served on your table.
2. Cut down the food bills.
3. Save the Nutrient of the Food Cooked in your house.
4. Save tiresome steps and the aches of overwork.

MOUNTAIN STATES POWER Co.

306 West Second Both Phones 15

SOCIAL

Mrs. Gordon Van Gundia (Anne Dawson) of Newport spent several days in Albany this week visiting friends. Lieut. and Mrs. Van Gundia will leave in a few weeks for the East to make their home.

Miss Carolyn Cannon of U. of O. is spending part of the Christmas holidays in Albany at the home of her aunt, Miss Flora Mason. She will spend the latter part in Portland at her home.

A few friends of Clarence Veal were informally entertained this week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Fred Veal, in celebration of his eleventh birthday. Games and a jolly time were completed with refreshments.

Adding a liberal amount to the Belgian Relief fund, the refreshments served in the different business houses by prominent society maids and matrons last Saturday, proved to be most successful. Everyone responded liberally to the good cause.

Mrs. Bert Stevenson charmingly presided as hostess to the Needlecraft club at her home in Sunrise Thursday afternoon. About the rooms, profusions of chrysanthemums added their beauty, making the dainty lavender color-scheme predominant. Besides the members present Mrs. Linn Harris, Mrs. J. J. Barrett and Mrs. Wm. E. Dawson were complimented guests. The social afternoon was brought to a close with dainty refreshments.

Gaiety prevailed at the clever 'children's' party arranged by the new teachers for the pleasure of the old ones this week on Thursday evening at junior high. Garbed in appropriate attire the guests passed a jolly evening in children's games and diversions. A gorgeously laden Christmas tree and Santa Claus were features of the evening. Dainty refreshments added the completing touch to the evening's pleasures.

On Thursday evening of this week the Alpha Nu girls met at the home of Miss Thelma Burnett for a business session. Following the meeting a social time was enjoyed and light refreshments served.

HAMILTONS' Only Two More Days and they'll be busy ones



Waists

of the most beautiful texture and colors. A waist is a never failing pleasure bringer.



HANDKERCHIEFS

An eleventh hour suggestion, but an exquisite one. 5c to 75c each

Here's a gift of true worth and value—

BUY HER SHOES

She will be delighted—if you are not sure of the size she can have them fitted after Christmas.

Every hand will point to

HAMILTONS'

Santa Claus Headquarters

when you ask the children what they want for Christmas, because there are still plenty of toys from which you can choose for them their gift for Christmas. In the Basement, you will find about almost every toy that you have ever heard of and many you have never thought of.

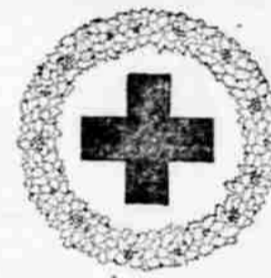


Dolls, Games, Books, Shirts, Ties, Shoes, Umbrellas, Stationery, Soaps, Towels, Belts, Ties, Sox, Suspenders, Purses, Cedar Chests, Suitcase, Hand Bags, Travelling Bag, Trunk, Bathrobe, Pants Pressers, Slippers, Perfumes, Mackinaws, Blankets, Gloves, Aprons, Indian Robes, Chinaware, Pyrex, Aluminumware, Graniteware, Book Ends, Pictures, Stationery, Pottery, Corset, Silk Underwear, Kimonos, Jewelry, Reefers, Jerseys, Sweaters, Rubber Boots, Silks, Manicure Sets, etc., etc.

Christmas is celebrated for the greatest gift ever given to men,

"Jesus of Bethlehem"

Will your gift be a worthy one? Use the Red Cross as your agent of mercy. "All you need is a heart and a dollar."



Last Week's "Flu" Record

In many cities last week the increase of new "Grippe" cases was recorded as being in excess of the number of new cases before the first ban was raised.—Showing that the public still has great need for PUROLA Chlorozin, a very effective gargle and mouth wash, used to prevent influenza and many other diseases by ridding the mouth, throat and nasal passages of disease germs. Prevention is the wisest measure. Why not help safeguard yourself by using this splendid mouth wash and gargle? 25c and \$1 bottles at your druggist.

is with an honorable discharge. He was in the hospital twice while he was at Corvallis, once with the "flu," but is again in good health.

Going to Astoria—G. W. Forgey and wife left for Astoria where they will visit for a few days with their son.

Naptha Soap, large bars, 5c. Holloway's Farmers' Store. n27tf

WILL BUY POTATOES—I PAY CASH

at loading point F. O. B. car. I also handle Number One Hay or Second Grade Hay.

M. G. REED Both Phones

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of Decorated Japanese Waste Paper Baskets, and Framed Scenes of the rated Columbia River Scenic Highway. Also strong line of Rugs, bought before the big raise in prices and sold at moderate prices.

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