

# Suggestions for Xmas for Men

## From a Modern Men's Store

A KNOX HAT WOULD MAKE A FINE X-MAS GIFT, A PAIR OF WALKOVER SHOES WOULD BE FINE, ARROW DRESS SHIRTS AND COLLARS, EVERWEAR SOX IN X-MAS BOXES, FUR OVERCOATS AND FUR CAPS, BRADLEY SWEATER COATS, SILK SOX IN X-MAS BOXES, BATH ROBES, LOUNGING ROBES, NECKWEAR, SWEATER COATS, PAJAMAS, STAG JEWELRY, FANCY SUSPENDERS, MUFFLERS, FOWNES GLOVES, FANCY UNDERWEAR, FANCY MACKINAW, CAPS, SLIPPERS

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#### REV. SCHMIDT GOES TO TRIAL FOR AUMEULLER MURDER

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—After several postponements, the Rev. Father Hans Schmidt, supposed Roman Catholic priest, who confessed to murdering Anna Aumeuller, today went to trial before Judge Warren W. Foster. Father Schmidt's crime was one of the most sensational in New York criminal history. Only by clever detective work was Detective Inspector Faurot able to arrest Schmidt in the parish home of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, where he was an assistant priest.

A woman's torso was found tied in a pillow slip on the Jersey side of the Hudson on September 5. A faint leaf-shaped mark on one shoulder afforded scant hope that the victim's identity would ever be unearthed.

A few days later the lower part of the torso from the waist to the thighs was found in a similar pillow slip, which bore the trade mark of Robinson-Rogers company, and the number 89. The company had made but twelve of these pillow slips. They had been sold to a retailer named Sachs, who furnished the police with the names of those to whom he had sold them.

One of the purchasers was found to have bought also two pillows, a chair, bedsprings and a white enameled bed, which had been moved to a four-room apartment at 58 Bradhurst avenue, which had been leased in the name of Hans Schmidt.

In the meanwhile an autopsy showed that the woman had been subjected to a criminal operation and the motive of the crime was thereby known. For five days and nights the Bradhurst avenue apartment was watched, and then the police broke into it.

There was no doubt the crime had been committed there, for the place was smeared with blood. Besides the furniture were a packet of letters addressed to Anna Aumeuller and two trunks. A coat hung in the closet with a letter to Anna Aumeuller and a photograph of Hans Schmidt in the pocket.

In the bathroom were a butcher-knife and a large carpenter's saw.

In the letters were contained the addresses of three places where the girl had worked. One of these was St. Joseph's Rectory. The police went to the other places first.

Schmidt met them at the door of the last place. He attempted suicide, and then confessed.

He said he killed the girl on the night of September 2, returned to his priestly duties, and the next night carried one portion of the body to the river. The next day he gave parishioners confessional, and that night took another part of the body to the river. This was continued until the body was disposed of. Then he carried the bed clothing to a nearby lot and burned them.

All of his confession was corroborated, and the priest declared he had been commanded by God to consummate his "love sacrifice in blood." At his first hearing he threw his rosary in the face of his attorney.

His defense, according to his attorneys, will be insanity. The terrible feature of the murder was that the girl's body was cut to pieces while she was still alive.

#### To California.

J. A. Thompson left Saturday for California points, where he will spend the winter.

#### PLEVNA FARMERS FINISH PLOWING

PLEVNA, Dec. 9.—The farmers of the Plevna district have been able to plow nearly all their grain land this fall, owing to the good weather. They are now taking advantage of the good roads to secure their winter firewood.

Geo. Ager has been making daily trips to the county court as one of the circuit court jury.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller and daughter of Klamath Falls motored out to Mr. Hiram Murdoch's Sunday.

H. A. Talbot and family called at G. F. Sevits' Sunday evening.

Mrs. R. A. Alford has been called to Ashland, owing to the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Tozier.

Plevna school now has twenty enrolled scholars. It also has a very able and efficient teacher in the person of Miss Rose E. Quast.

A literary society, known as "The Matter of Fact Literary," has been organized in Plevna for the promotion of literary and educational work among the young people. An interesting and instructive program is rendered each week under the able and worthy officers, who are Grant Gay president, Geo. Shell vice president, Chas. S. Sevits secretary, R. V. Ess treasurer, Arthur Sevits editor of the newspaper (called "The Spy"), and Mrs. R. V. Ess, Mrs. Geo. Shell and Miss Rose E. Quast as program committee. At each meeting the program consists of a debate, recitations, songs, readings and talks. The subject for debate on December 6th was, "Resolved, That there is more happiness in pursuit than in possession." The decision was in favor of the affirmative. The subject for December 13th is "Resolved, That school districts should supply books and stationery to the scholars free." As there are some able talkers on each side, it promises to be of deep interest to everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shell and Mrs. Shell's father, D. W. George, spent a pleasant afternoon Sunday at Mr. Jas. A. Bushong's.

Chas. S. Sevits is enjoying the pleasant weather and good roads these days in his new Ford roadster.

Miss Ruth Bushong was on the sick list last Sunday, from a severe cold.

H. A. Talbot butchered nine fat hogs Tuesday for his winter's supply of meat. Nearly all the farmers of this vicinity are enjoying a like prosperity, as they all have fat hogs to kill and in addition, had a good grain crop.

#### AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE WILL MAKE POTATO EXAMINATIONS

CORVALLIS, Dec. 9.—In order to ascertain whether the potato disease that recently appeared in this country has really gotten into Oregon, the department of plant pathology, Oregon Agricultural College, would like to receive specimens of scabby tubers from every part of the state.

The disease under investigation is known as powdery scab, and in its early stages is hard to distinguish from common potato scab, although it is much more destructive when developed.

Powdery scab is widely distributed

in Europe, and is known to be in Eastern Canada and in Massachusetts and Nebraska. It is likely that its distribution in the United States is more general.

Anyone who has used seed potatoes from any of the above named districts or from any recent importations would do well to have this examination made. It costs nothing, and may result in checking the disease, should it have reached Oregon.

#### CUSTOMS OFFICERS CONFISCATE ARMS

BELFAST, Dec. 6.—Obeying the proclamation recently issued against the importation of arms into Ireland, the customs officers today seized and confiscated large consignments of rifles, bayonets and ammunition.

The leaders of the anti-home rule movement ridicule the proclamation, and claim that he Ulster volunteers are already organized, armed and thoroughly equipped.

Large quantities of ammunition were smuggled out of this city last night and concealed in the country.

The unionists boast that they will continue the importations. The liberal press of Ireland and England applaud the proclamation.

#### THOUGHT THAT LANE WILL REVERSE HIS DECISION

Despite the fact that Secretary of the Interior Lane this week refused to grant Klamath county lumber interests the right to drive logs on the Sprague and Williamson rivers, local people believe the order will eventually be made for this concession.

"The greater number of petitions that were made out were sent to the Oregon senators, Chamberlain and Lane, on account of their party affiliations," said a prominent man today. "So far as I know, Congressman Sinnott received only a copy of the resolutions of the Chamber of Commerce and the Sportsmen's Association."

"The big petitions were mailed to Washington only a few days ago, in fact, I do not think that they have been received there yet. These may cause the secretary to change his mind."

"The biggest petition is signed by more than 500 residents of the county. This sets forth the fact that the timber on the reservation is largely duly ripened, and that it is for the best interests of the Indians and all concerned to remove it before the trees begin to deteriorate in value."

"This also points out the fact that the use of the rivers is the only practical method to get the timber to the mills."

"Besides this petition, petitions along the same line have been drawn up by the county democrat and republican central committees, the state fish and game commission also taking action. The Portland Chamber of Commerce will also urge Lane to open the Sprague and Williamson rivers to logging."

"In addition to these petitions, the Klamath Indians are also signing one to be sent to Washington, asking the utilization of the streams for commercial purposes, rather than for the pastime of tourists. After these are all presented to the secretary, he may change his mind in the matter."

#### Down From the Agency.

Ray Atherton, who is managing the general merchandise store at the Agency for Marvin Cross, came down Friday to appear before the grand jury as a witness in a federal case.

#### TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

S. O. Johnson et ux to the S. O. Johnson company, deed, \$10, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 21; SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 22-23-9.

S. O. Johnson company to G. X. Wendling, warranty deed, \$10, half interest in lot 16B, block 7, Railroad addition.

C. P. Stewart et ux to H. R. Harrison, et al, warranty deed, \$10, lots 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, block 17, Second addition.

H. I. Miller et ux to Curt F. Setzer et ux, warranty deed, \$675, lots 518 and 519, block 102, Mills addition.

C. C. Low, sheriff, to W. F. Arant, deed, \$1.64, lots 4 and 5, Doten.

Henry L. Low to Ethel A. Low, deed, \$1, lot 9, block 14, First addition.

Pelton-Reid Sugar Pine Lumber company to Weyerhaeuser Land company, warranty deed, \$10, NW 1/4 and S 1/2 Sec. 12; E 1/2 Sec. 28; W 1/2 NW 1/4, W 1/2 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 Sec. 32, all in 40-5; all of fraction section 4; all of section 9; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 16, all in 41-5; all of section 36-38-6; fraction section 1; NW 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 11; N 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, W 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 13; N 1/2, N 1/2 SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 14; SW 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 22; W 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 25; Sec. 26 and 27; E 1/2 Sec. 34; Sec. 35, W 1/2 Sec. 36, all in 39-6; SE 1/4 Sec. 2, SE 1/4 Sec. 22, S 1/2 Sec. 24; NW 1/4 Sec. 34, all in 40-6; W 1/2 Sec. 5; fraction S 1/2 Sec. 6; E 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 Sec. 6; SW 1/4 Sec. 11; NE 1/4 Sec. 15; W 1/2 Sec. 16; E 1/2 Sec. 17; Sec. 20; N 1/2 SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 21; N 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 23; NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 26; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 28; W 1/2 Sec. 29, all in 37-7; lot 1, fraction NW 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 1; fraction Sec. 2; frac NE 1/4 Sec. 3; lots 5 and 6, E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 8; W 1/2 Sec. 9; E 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 12; NE 1/4 NE 1/4 and lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 19, 11, Sec. 17; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4, lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Sec. 20; lots 3 and 4, Sec. 21; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, Sec. 29; Sec. 31; W 1/2 Sec. 35, all in 38-7; E 1/2 Sec. 23; fraction SW 1/4 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 30; E 1/2 Sec. 34, all in 39-7; S 1/2 Sec. 7; lots 1, 2, 3, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 8; lot 1, Sec. 9, all in 37-8; lots 3 and 4, SW 1/4 Sec. 32-38-8; containing 17,456.19 acres.

Wilbur White et ux to Burk Wilson, warranty deed, \$10, W 1/2 of lots 7 and 8, block 18, Fairview addition No. 2.

Burk Wilson et ux to H. C. Ratliff, warranty deed, \$200, W 1/2 of lots 7 and 8, block 18, Fairview addition No. 2.

United States to Arnold Press, patent, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 1-40-8.

Mrs. Olive Witherill to Arnold Press, \$1,015, lot 2, Sec. 20-40-9.

George H. Randall et ux to Ralph R. Randall, Laura Randall and Geo. C. Randall, warranty deed, \$10, E 1/2 NE 1/4, Sec. 25; W 1/2 SW 1/4 and lots 3 and 4, Sec. 25; S 1/2 NE 1/4, Sec. 26, all in 37-7.

A. J. Daire et ux to M. R. McDonald, warranty deed, \$1, SW 1/4 Sec. 21-37-15.

United States to Josephine C. Matney, patent, W 1/2 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 14-37-11 1/2.

Klamath Corporation to F. B. Bremer, deed, \$10, lot 1, block 209, Mills Second addition.

William Ruwe to the S. S. Johnson company, deed, \$10, lot 16B, block 7, Railroad addition.

#### County Warrants

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er, Boyd road	8.00
S. T. Summers—Road viewer, Boyd road	8.00
S. T. Summers—Road viewer, Wheeler road	4.00
R. A. Emmitt—Road viewer, Wheeler road	4.00
U. E. Reeder—Road viewer, Pelican Bay road	4.00
R. A. Emmitt—Road viewer, Pelican Bay road	56.00
C. C. Low—Expenses, trip to Dorris, Cal., for Frank Hoover	6.20
C. C. Low—Trans. of Mr. Carmichael, Co. poor, to Corvallis, Ore.	26.00
C. E. Hoyt—Bringing Fred Burscough, a prisoner, from Ft. Klamath to Klamath Falls, Ore., per request of D. H. Wimer, Justice of Peace, Wood river precinct	25.00
K. F. Northwestern—Supplies & printing, Co. Treas.	11.85
K. F. Northwestern—Pub. Letters to Taxpayers	67.20
K. F. Northwestern—Pub. Letters to Taxpayers	54.85
W. E. Seehorn—Wood for Court House	165.50
Rose Goddard—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	32.50
Mary Eliza Jones—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	32.50
Martha Wilson Swan—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	10.00
Nettie Wallen—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	40.00
Ida M. Shidler—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	17.50
Mary McLane—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	25.00
Laura E. Madison—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	10.00
Huldah Smith—Widow's	

pension, Dec. 1913	25.00
Bertha C. Donelson—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	17.50
Alma Petersteiner—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	17.50
Viola Cox—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	10.00
Althea Daniels—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	17.50
Rose Catherine Tull—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	10.00
Mary M. Liberty—Widow's pension, Dec. 1913	10.00

#### TO GET POWER IN NATIONAL FOREST

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 9.—Acting Secretary of Agriculture B. T. Galloway has just given a permit to James Lindsey of Portland, Ore., for the construction and operation of a power plant on Mill Creek, Douglas county, Oregon, within the boundaries of the Sluslaw national forest. Mr. Lindsey intends to transmit the power obtained from this hydro-electric plant a distance of eighteen miles to Reedsport, where it will be used in the manufacture of pulp. There are now at Reedsport a fish cannery, a cold storage creamery and a warehouse, but when the Southern Pacific railroad completes the extension upon which it is now at work, Lindsey and others who are associated with him in the development of Reedsport believe that the town will become a valuable manufacturing shipping center.

After a short deliberation Saturday afternoon, the jury empaneled in the case of Joseph Johnson, returned a verdict finding him guilty. Johnson, with Arthur White, was arrested at Chiloquin, a short time ago, charged with burglarizing the tent of Joe Martinas, and taking \$40 from his clothes. They both entered pleas of guilty, but Friday they changed the plea to not guilty. White will be tried Tuesday.

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