

UNPRECEDENTED SALE OF
Kid Gloves!
THIS MONTH.
Every Pair Is Reduced!
See our "Centemeris" and "Suede Mosquetaires" to close at 67c the pair.

CASH STORE, **HOLVERSON'S** CASH STORE.

This Week, **Kid Gloves!** This Week.
Good assortment of English Reds and Browns in a clasp glove.
\$1.00.
To close our line of Button Gloves, regular \$1 qualities, we put them at
65c.
J. J. Dalrymple & Co.

Reduction Sale!
Goods in All Lines Reduced.

The celebrated H. & S. corsets reduced from \$1.25 to 90c.
Other corsets reduced to 75c, 50c and 35c.
Great reductions in the price of both ladies' and gentlemen's underwear.
Some lines of ladies' kid shoes for about half price.
Look at the prices in both windows, then come in and see the prices on the counters. It will pay you.

Osburn's Racket Store
Next door to Albert's bank.

THE WEATHER.—State house barometer this morning stood only one point on the "fair" side of "change," indicating possible fair weather for tomorrow with also a possibility of showers.

PERSONALS.
HOLVERSON'S JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE.
J. O. Bozorth was in Portland today.
C. H. Burggraf is home from Portland.
A. M. Hansen was an Albany visitor today.
Mrs. A. B. Smith is visiting friends at Seaford.
C. T. Roberts is visiting friends in Portland.
Wm. Ellis arrived in the city today from Ashland.
Miss Gertrude Hirsch is the guest of Portland friends.
Mrs. J. M. Somers returned this morning to Albany.
John Farrar came down from Eugene this morning.
Mrs. W. S. Dunaway has returned from a visit in Portland.
Henry Jacob, of San Francisco, is in the city the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. M. Stock.
Grand Master S. A. McFadden and Mrs. I. D. Holman returned this morning from Gervais.
Geo. W. Hubbard and B. O. Shuckling, two local hop buyers, were north-bound passengers this afternoon.
E. T. Barnes, of the New York Racket store, returned from Portland last evening on the delayed overland.
Mrs. J. F. Hughes and mother, Mrs. E. J. Flint, of Sacramento, returned today from a short visit at Jefferson.
Miss Anna Noon, who has been visiting at the home of W. H. Moon in Yew Park, left today for Kennon, Wis.

Jackets Slaughtered!
\$5.50 jackets now \$2.50; \$10.00 jackets \$5.00; \$15.00 jackets now \$7.50.
Good line of misses jackets on hand.

LADIES' SHOES.—Ladies' \$3.00 shoes, button, cloth, and kid tip now 2.25. Great values. New lines heavy shoes for men and boys.

FLANNELLETTES.—Just opened a new line of patterns, suitable for wraps—only 10c a yard. New outing flannels for 5c, 7c, 10c a yard.

R. & G. CORSETS.—Best in the world, all sizes and styles, 50c to \$1.05. Ferris Good Sense Corset waists, for ladies, misses and children.

CLOTHING.—Palace of our clothing will be closed out at bargain prices. Agents Standard Patterns, best and cheapest.

Bring your quotations on staples to us and we will meet all prices and "go 'em one better."

WILLIS BROS. & CO
#2 Commercial street. The cash-dry goods and shoe house.

SOME STRANGE CERTIFICATES

Assessor J. W. Hobart Certifies Regarding the Assessment Roll.
Since the Columbia Implement company, of Portland, has instituted a writ of review proceedings against the state board of equalization, and also from the fact that the grounds upon which such proceeding has been begun, was based, to a great extent, upon the irregularity and non-conformity of the Marion county assessment rolls with those of the other counties of the state, the following certificates made by County Assessor J. W. Hobart and County Clerk L. V. Ehlen relative to the Marion county assessment roll, will not be out of place.

The following certificate from County Assessor Hobart accompanies the original assessment roll, as placed in the assessment books:
"I, J. W. Hobart, assessor of Marion county, state of Oregon, do hereby certify that the assessment roll is the original assessment roll of Marion county, Oregon, for the year 1897, and that it is a true and complete statement of the taxable property as returned for the year 1897."

J. W. HOBART, Assessor for Marion County.
The following applies to the abbreviated roll furnished the county clerk:
"I, L. V. Ehlen, county clerk of Marion county, state of Oregon, and ex-officio clerk of the circuit court of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of copy of summary of assessment roll of Marion county for the year 1897 has been compared with the original, and that it is a true and correct copy of said original and of the whole thereof as the same appears of record in my office and custody."

L. V. EHLEN.
The certificate following, applies to merely a summary sent by the clerk to the state board of equalization, before the copying of the abbreviated roll was finished:
"I, L. V. Ehlen, county clerk of Marion county, state of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of the assessment roll of Marion county, state of Oregon, consisting of two volumes, for the year 1897, has been by me compared with the original assessment roll, and that it is a true and correct copy of said original assessment roll, and of the whole thereof, as the same appears of record in my office and custody."

Following is the certificate the board presented to assessor Hobart to make, and it is incorporated in the report of the board's action sent out by the secretary of state.
SALEM, Ore., Dec., 17, 1897.
To the State Board of Equalization.
GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with your request, I herewith hand you the original assessment of the property of this county for this year, made by me, and I hereby certify that the same constitutes all of the assessment made of all the property of Marion county, Oregon, for this year, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the original assessment of the county for this year, and that it is a true and correct copy of the original assessment roll, and of the whole thereof, as the same appears of record in my office and custody.
J. W. HOBART, Assessor for Marion County.

TWO MORE ALARMS
The Fire Department Is Again Summoned Twice Within Thirty Hours.
About 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the fire department was called to the meat market of G. S. Freiberger, on East State street, where an incipient blaze had started that for a time threatened to prove a serious conflagration.

A large kettle containing about 250 pounds of hot lard was on the furnace, beneath which a few live coals had ignited the flooring. The employees soon detected the blaze and devoted their energies to smothering the flames until the fire department should arrive, an alarm having been sent in. In this they were successful and when the fire boys reached the scene a line of hose was attached to the hydrant at the corner of State and Fourteenth streets and a hole having been made in the floor, the flames were soon extinguished.

For a time the blaze threatened to result in a serious conflagration but this was averted. There was stored in the room in which the fire started, about a ton of choice lard ready for the market.
About 8 o'clock this morning the department was again called from its quarters in the city hall. The cause for the alarm proved to be the burning out of a fire at the residence of J. F. Roberts, on Center street near Twelfth. The flames shooting from the mouth of the chimney startled the ladies of the house not a little, who decided as a means of precaution to summon the fire department, but all danger had passed before its arrival.

This is the seventh fire alarm turned in thus far this year on exactly one half the total number of alarms for the year 1897.
STARTED FOR THE KLONDIKE.—J. E. Baker, who for several years has been an attaché of the J. C. Goodale Lumber Yards in this city, left this morning via the overland for the Klondike. Mr. Baker goes direct to Dyea where he will engage at his trade, that of a carpenter, until spring when he will go through to Dawson City.

MORE MORTGAGES.—Two mortgages representing \$1,050, and two satisfactions of mortgages aggregating \$1,500 were today filed with County Recorder F. W. Waters.

WATCH PRICES.—HOLVERSON'S JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE.
CASTORIA.
The quality of *Castoria* is in every wrapper.

SOCIETY NOTE BOOK.

Prof. Scobie's third musical is announced for Wednesday evening the 19th at the First Congregational church.
Mrs. C. L. Davis and Mrs. T. A. King went to Aumsville today where this evening they will organize a Pacific Circle, the object being to organize auxiliary of the Woodmen of the World.

The next lecture in the Willamette University course will be given next Monday evening in the chapel, by Prof. W. T. Matthews. This one, Prof. Matthews' initial lecture and will most likely be entertaining. His subject will be "Schools and School Days of the Thirteen Colonies."

At the state insane asylum this evening Mrs. D. A. Paine and Mrs. W. T. Williamson will entertain the Friday night dancing club. It will be a masquerade ball and the well known hospitality of the hostesses insures the success of the affair.

On the evening of January 10, a number of the friends and neighbors of J. V. Dawson came to his home to say "good bye," as he was to start with his family for Bay View Washington on the following day. The evening was spent in social conversation closing with a prayer-meeting in which all present took part. Mr and Mrs. Dawson will be greatly missed by their many friends here, who wish for them a safe journey and restoration to health.

The following paragraph is taken from the Pacific Woodmen, the official organ of the Woodmen of the World and refers to the insurance policy of the late Mrs. Lydia Wright, of this city whose death occurred last November.
"The Women of the Woodcraft has a death claim of \$1,000 at Salem, Oregon, which was paid at once, and leave a balance of \$4,000 cash in the bank to the credit of the benefit fund, with no claim against it on file. The Women of the Woodcraft is a success, she is a daisy. The large grove of the W. C. at Helena, Montana, has unfortunately gone out of the order, as has also South Side and Highland Groves, in Denver, and the grove at La Junta, Colorado, with sixty-five members. Still there's more to follow."

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.
Motion to Make Temporary Injunction Permanent in O. F. & P. Co., Case.
In the case of the Standard Box Factory, of Portland, the Sugar Pine Lumber Co., of Grants Pass, vs. The Oregon Fruit & Produce Co., Capital National Bank, Chas. A. Gray, E. C. Power, H. Hansen & Landon and E. E. Hansen, plaintiffs, motion to make temporary injunction permanent until final hearing, was argued before Judge H. H. Hewitt at Albany today and taken under advisement.
Attorney Webster Holmes appeared for the plaintiffs, while Geo. O. Bingham and John W. Carson, also of this city, represented the defendants; the former appearing for Hansen & Landon and C. E. Hansen, while the latter appeared for the Capital National Bank and Chas. A. Gray.

Last week Judge Hewitt granted a temporary injunction preventing each and all of the defendants from further prosecuting their actions at law. A motion on the part of the plaintiffs to have the injunction made permanent until final hearing was the subject of a receiver would be made, was today argued at length by the respective counsel and taken under advisement.

A Queer Defense.
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The reading of palms instead of lengthy briefs, and the introduction of occult science in the place of the traditional "exhibits" in the sensational trial of a receiver already sensational case of Chris Merry, alleged chief of an organized clan of thieves, who is on trial charged with wife murder.

Following out a line of defense that has been begun, the case may turn out to be an innovation in criminal cases. Questions will be heard and objections raised, the lawyers say, that will be new to criminal practice.
Frank Fay Pratt, associate counsel for Merry, who conducted the examination of venemen in Judge Horton's court, began an investigation into the lives and habits of the prospective jurors to find whether they had been students of sociology, and if so if their studies had brought them in contact with the environments of the slams.
It is said that Merry's defense will be conducted along this line; that his attorney will try to show that Merry was a creature of circumstances, that he was the victim of heredity and surroundings to such an extent as to be irresponsible for his actions. It is asserted that Mr. Pratt will endeavor to convince the jury by the lines of the peddler's palm that the owner is not a hardened criminal, but the victim of destiny.

A Myth.
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 13.—The following statement, made over the signature of William M. Springer, judge of the district court at South McAlester, has been received by the Star:
"J. W. McCloud, general solicitor of the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, has just arrived from Shawnee, O. T., and reports that there is no truth in the reported Indian uprising. There is, however, great excitement, and many persons are leaving their homes near the border and taking refuge in the neighboring Oklahoma towns. The Indians have been collecting, doubtless for some lawful purpose, and there is no evidence that they have killed anyone for the burning of the two Indians on last Saturday, near Mauld, O. T. The United States officials are taking all necessary precautions to preserve peace. (Signed) Wm. M. Springer, judge of the United States district court."

Earthquake.
THE HAGUE, Jan. 13.—An official dispatch from Batavia announces that the capital of Amboyna, one of the Moluccas islands, has been completely demolished by an earthquake. Fifty persons were killed and 200 injured.

"The Bargain House of Salem."
Growded ★ Growded!
Just see the crowds at our counters daily taking advantage of the bargains we are offering during our
Clearance And Remnant Sale
which extend through January. Be not deceived by others who imitate our business methods. "We lead, others follow!"
A few more sale prices:
Changeable taffeta silks, new colorings..... 68c
All wool serges, all shades..... 24c
All wool mixtures nobby goods..... 38c
50-in. all wool serges, all shades..... 47c
52-in. table damask, all linen..... 40c
64-in. table damask, half bleached, worth 75c..... 55c
Extra large heavy towels..... 10c
Heavy, fleece-lined, Union suits..... 47c
Every Article in the House Reduced.
This is the sale of the year.
257 Stocks
Commercial St.

General Munoz Dead.
MADRID, Jan. 13.—General Munoz, the new captain general of Porto Rico, died immediately after his arrival there.

How's This!
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CENEY & Co., Props. Toledo, O.
We the undersigned, have known F. J. Coney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out an obligation made by their firm.
West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Walding, Kinnam & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c, per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

What Dr. A. E. Slater Says.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Gen'l.—From my personal knowledge, gained in observing the cure of your Shiloh's Cure in cases of advanced Consumption, I am prepared to say, it is the most remarkable remedy that has ever been brought to my attention. It has certainly saved any from Consumption. Sold by D. J. Fry.
F. J. Constipation take Karl's Clover Root tea, the great Blood Purifier. Cures Headache, Nervousness, Eruptions on the face, and makes the head clear as a bell. Sold by D. J. Fry.

A NEW SCUF.—Ladd & Bush are plaintiffs in an action for money recently instituted in the Marion county circuit court against John W. West. Judgment for \$200 with interest amounting to \$63 is demanded.

Stop that cough. Take warning. It may lead to consumption. A 25c. bottle of Shiloh's Cure may save you. Sold by D. J. Fry.
To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

See Things Pleasantly
The coming year.
By having your eyes properly fitted with a pair of scientifically ground lenses. Your eyes examined and consultation free by the only exclusive OPTICIAN.
Charges for spectacles and eyeglasses very reasonable.
C. H. HINGES, D. R.
200 Commercial street, second door north of postoffice, Salem, Or.

Something Wrong!

There is something suspicious about it when you are offered something for nothing. We are not doing business that way but let us say that no where among honest dealers can you get more for your money than you do from us. We are now making a big run on
Rubber Stamps!
We have received a large stock of supplies direct from the east. Notice all the daily papers for our advertisement. We repair old stamps. Come and see us and get our prices. We will take pleasure in quoting them to you.
PATTON BROS.
Booksellers and Stationers, 68 State street.

A Common Dishpan

is not a thing of beauty but it is a necessity. We have them in all sizes, also teakettles, brass kettles, granite kettles, etc., etc.
Also a full line of stoves, tinware and house furnishing goods.
GRAY BROS.
Corner State and Liberty sts. Salem, Oregon.

Christmas Is Over!

But we are going to commence the New Year again with offering you low prices for groceries.
Aumsville and Salem Flour..... \$1 00
New Pickles, per qt..... 10
Arbuckle and Lion Coffee, per pk..... 10
Best Mocha and Java Coffee, per lb..... 35
Good Mocha and Java coffee per lb..... 30
10 lbs Lard..... 85
5 lbs Lard..... 45
Chocolate, per lb..... 25
10 lbs. B. Wheat..... 35
10 lbs Corn Meal..... 35
Try our Rio Cream Oats.
HARRIETT & LAWRENCE
Old P. O. Grocery.

WE RECOMMEND
Class' Shears, Scissors and Razors.
They are fully warranted.
Also a complete stock of table and pocket cutlery and carvers.
BROWN & SMITH.