At Removal Sale Prices Here's a Partial List

\$ 9 00 \$ 8 00 \$ 6 80 \$ 4 50	Grey Fox, Special Price. \$ 7 00 Opossuro, Special Price \$ 6 50 Mink, Special Price \$ 6 55 Blk. Martin Special Price \$ 5 50 Black Seal Special Price \$ 3 85	\$25 06 Blouse or Etons. \$17 \$20 00 Blouse or Etons. \$15 \$20 00 Oxford Box \$15 \$20 00 Oxford Box \$15 \$20 00 Castor Box \$15 \$18 00 Eton Fur Trim \$13 \$14 00 Eton \$11 \$18 50 Black and Browns \$10 \$10 00 Assortment \$8
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# O VERSON'S THE BIG BARGAIN HOUSE OF SALEH

## D. H. HINGES

Watches Cleaned 75c. New Main Springs 75c.

Chas. H. Hinges

THE WEATHER.

## Tonight and Tuesdaycontinued cold.

Wheat Market, MAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31 -Cash 10114. CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 31,-May, 78,

## GOLD DUST FLOUR

The Sidney Power Co. SIDNEY, OREGON.

made for family use, sak your grocers for Bran and shorts always on hand.

## 1. WALN, AGENT,

A No. I, Dry 4 foot Fir wood \$2,75 a cord. Also sawed wood and cedar posts.

D. S. BENTLEY & CO

### PERSONAL

State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore went to Portland today. Mark Savage went to Yaquina Bay on

business this morning.

H. B. Thielson went to Jefferson this morning on Masonic business. O. V. Allen went to Corvallia on a short business trip this morning.

Judge J. J. Whitney, representative from Linn county, is in the city today. J. A. Rotan has sold out at Albany and will return to Salem, it is said, to

go into business. Mr. J. M. Kyle, who is with Page &

Sons, Portland, is spending the holidays at his home in this city, Miss Anna Lindgren, teacher in the

Marion school, returned to her home Saturday after a few days visit. Rev. R. C. Ramsby, ex-sheriff of Ma-

rion county and at present justice of the peace at Silverton, is reported dangeronaly ill.

Mrs. A. A. Cunningham of Lewiston, Idaho, and her little daughter came up this morning to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Matthews.

Dr. Gruce Albright, the osteopathist, spent Sanday with her family at Portland. She expects to bring them to Salem in a few months to live.

The New York Rucket will not open for bosiness New Years Day.

#### NEW KOARS DAY off the Co FGAL HOLIDAY

The the Twentieth cenof course, and all pur. flices will be closed. Stores and many cer business places will also close the greatest part of the day. New Year will be a quiet day in Salem and no Jounnal will be

was in town today greeting friends. He the famous Boston beauty, at Niagara leave well informed public men here are is fully recovered from a long Illness.

#### TODAY'S MARKET.

\$3.40, Graham 2.60 Oats-Choice White 43@45c, grey 41

Mil'stuff-Bran, \$15.50; shorts, \$17.00 Hay Timothy—\$12@12% per ton. Onions—\$1.30

Potatoes—50 to 60c per sack, Butter—Best dairy, 25@30; fancy reamery, 5 0to 55c, Store 25 32% per

Eggs-Oregon, ranch 27% c. per doz. Poultry-Chickens, \$2.75 to 3.50; hens 13.50 to 4.00; turkeys, live 10 to 11c. Mutton—Dressed, 6% to 7c per pound. Hogs—Heavy dressed 5 to 6% c. per

Beef-Steers, \$3.50@4; cows, \$3@3.50; ressed beef, 6 to 7c.

Veal—Dressed, 8 @ c. 832 for small.

Hops—6@7c. for 1899 crop, 1232 to

14 %c for new crop. Wool—Valley, 13@14c ;Eastern Ore-gon, 9@12c; Mohair, 25. Hides Green, saited 60 lbs, 7 @8c; ander 60 lbs, 71/2@81/2; shoop pelts, 15/2

Wheat—58 pounds and over, 50. Wool, 13 to 16c, Mohair, 25c. Hops—11 to 15c Outs—38c, to 10c Hay—Baled, chest, \$7; timothy, \$10

Eggs-22c [6; 25c, Flour-In wholesale lots, \$3.00; retail Milletuffs-Bran, \$13; shorts, \$1436 Hogs-Dressed, 5%c, Live cattle-Steers, 3%; cows, 2%

Sheep-\$3@3.50,

Butter-Dairy, 15@20c; creamery, 25 Poultry-Hens per lb.,6 of 7c; spring chickens per lb., 6c. to 7c. Potatoes 25c per bushel.

# CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bough

Signature of Charty Hetcher

Apples 30c to 40c.

## - HOLIDAY SPECIALS

### Table Fruits ...

connecte's eliced nine applies 2 he, the, Young's eliced nine applies 5 the, the, Johnson's grated nine applies 1 th, 150, fine filtering near loots.

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APANY, ATLANTA, Q

Delicacies...

### Vegetables...

Rest Ribbon petti pors, lite.
Cur Fing uxira sifted peas, 20c.
Imported French Peas, 20c.
Our Fing straigles Beaver 20c.
Our Fing Lims Beauty 20c.
Othey Hennel Golden Wax, 10c.
Rest Ribbon, extra fancy corn the 2 for 20c.
Rite Ribbon, sweet corn, the 3 for 20c.
Rite Ribbon extra fancy tomather \$25c.
Inc. 25c.
Inc.

#### TELEPHONE COMPANY **VERSUS SALEM**

An Injunction.

Resists the License Tax Levied by the City.

city of Salem came on for hearing before and Saunders. Judge Boise.

The petition of plantiff in seeking an njunction sets forth that the city of Salem under the charter of 1899, is duly authorized by its Chief of Police, D. W. Gibson to execute all processes issued by the city, that on July 1st, 1801, the city perate telephone lines in the city.

Under that charter the plaintiff, as necessor to Geo. S. Ladd who procured the charter, has maintained and operated a first-class telephone exchange in the City of Salem, on which property it has paid its taxes; that it has leased its in- allied troops. Officials of the adminis-

the consideration for a franchise.

mills the city council has now levied expedition to a point south of the city, second one of the term. Some of the and proposes to collect a special license Adjutant General Corbin denied today young ladies were chaperoned by tax of the sum of five cents per month most emphaticall that this column way Mesdames Byrd and Gabrielson. Miss plaintiff in this city.

the plaintiff claims this is "illegal, ar- duty of the column is to rescue some popularity. bitray and unreasonable, and is not with missionaries and return with them to in the power of the city to enact or Pekin. d enforce.

and occupation of the various persons, American missionaries were supposed Minnie Christonsen, of Portland, who firms, or corporations doing business in to be, the Chinese authorities would are spending holidays in this city.

force and ability.

The plaintiff asks a temporary reenforcement of its provisions.

To this complaint and petition the to the Americans. ity by its attorney. Wm. H. Holmes, nters a demorrer, "for the reason that the same does not state facts sufficient to be the belief here that the reports of to constitute a cause of smit \*

#### A FAMOUS BEAUTY'S RESCUE Emily Marshail's Walk Over a Hu-

man Bridge at Ningara. Writing of "The Lovellest Woman In All America," William Pervine, in The Ludles' Home Journal, recalls the Capt. John B. Dimick of Hubbard thelling adventure of Emily Marshall, to the capital until the foreign troops and a young, ungainly college student. falls, in those days a perilous undertaking. After they had proceeded a short PORTLAND, Dec. 31.— Wheat valley distance under the sheet of water there ominal Walla Walla, 54.

Flour—Portland, best grades \$2.90 @ and a part of the ledge which formed and a part of the ledge which formed the path disappeared, cutting Miss Marshall off from her companions by

orrents to stand upon. "In the commotion Job had been forgotten, but instantly a ray of hope shot into Willis' heart when he saw his rugged features, his sandy hair plastered over his forehend, his scanty dress elinging to his form like a skin and his as he steadled his steps. Without saying what he intended to do he crept ing abyse till he stood up to his knees possible that he could reach the lovely creature or that she could jump forward safely from the slippery rock in-

to his arms. wonder. The next moment when he nearly seven feet high. He had flung himself over the gulf, caught the rock with his fingers and with certain death f he missed his held, Miss Marshall had quickly walked over his body in its bridgelike posture. At this moment the guide returned with a rope, fastened it he recovered from his immersion, he fell on his knees in a prayer of thanks to God, in which the poet and the bean-

### Mail Box Honesty.

ty devoutly joined him."

"That naive trust in human honesty that one sees here is distinctly Ameriontinental business man lay packages and large envelopes on the top of the post boxes. They would be taken before the glue of the stamps was dry. There is another reason why we can't do that at home. Our dear old London fogs would wipe out the address in short order, and unless the collections were frequent the paper would be reyou Americans talk with a dreadful bearing. nasal accent, but it shows up your honesty."-New York Tribune.

Feminine Thrift. He-Have you done as I asked, Elsie, and saved some money this month? She-Oh, yes. I spoke to the grocer and asked him not to send in his bill

### till next month.-Pliegende Blatter.

Headquarters for the best meat and lard in the city. Give us a call and see how, well we can please you. Prompt and care-(ul attention to all orders. : : Phone, black 2501, 1: 1: 1

YEW PARK MEAT MARKET

### G. BOWERSOX, PROP'R

#### OREGON CHAMPIRONS OF THE GRIDION

Suit Before Judge Boise for Great Closing Game of the Season will be Played Off.

At Portland on New Years day will

having scored. The Salem players who will go down are Jarvis, Reed, Judd, Williams, At two o'clock today the suit of the Young, Gault, Farrar, Olinger, Fechter, Pacific States Telephone Co. versus the Bonham, Bowles, Bishop brothers, Lucas

> Mitchell of Columbia college, New York, will ampire. Wann of Monmouth has been asked to referee the game. Master Lewis Richardson will be taken

along as mascot. President McNary, Manager Durbin and Treasurer and Secretary Harry smed a charter to build maintain and Albert will go down. Mr. Durbin is the only one of the official athletics who will take his family along.

### ARMISTICE DECLARED

Continued from First Page,

struments of the American Bell Tele- tration insist that it is absolutely necessary to maintain in Pekin the force That the plaintiff has presented to now there, declaring that the inthe city free use of telephones in its terests of the United States could engine rooms and city hall as part of not be protected with a smaller number, General Chaffee is in control of a section What in addition to a city tax of 10 of Pekin and a few days ago sent out an day avening was well attended for the for each instrument operated by the in any sence punitive. There are to be Copeland is an accomplished instructrees so executions nor is there to be any in- and her Saturday evening receptions This to produce city revenues, and terference with Chinese officials; the from 7:45 to 10 o'clock are growing in

Also that it is illegal and void for the in Washington that had Minister Conger played the part of hostess when they futher reason that it is not a general, communicated to Prince Ching and Li- entertained a company of young friends uniform or equal taxation of the business Hung Chang the danger in which the in honor of Miss Mabel Shupp and Miss immediately have taken measures for Other legal reasons are set forth at their rescue and protection from injury. At the home of M. P. Moore, at Libervent the collection of this tax and the atrocities and the hatred felt for the until 4 a.m. Germans, British and others will extend

> said, to protect all foreigners and it seems to a few of their special friends. danger to American missionaries are got

In view of China's preservation of order outside of Pekin and of her willingness to protect foreigners and the fact that the imperial court whose presence in Pekin is so desirable will not return She, with Nathaulel P. Willis advocating the immediate withdrawal of General Chaffee's command to the Job Smith, attempted to go under the Philippines, where regulars are needed to take the places of the volunteers who will return beginning next month to

San Francisco. Adjutant-General Corbin said last night that the American troops in China are the Ninth Regiment of Infantry, one at that very hospitable home, Almost an abyss six feet in width and leaving squadron of the Sixth Cavalry and ber but a small stone in the swirling Battery F of the Fifth Artillery. Since October 3600 men have left China and proceeded to the Philippines. There is no doubt but Administration wish to terminate the occupation of China by foreign troops and it is stated positively that as soon as it can be done General hand trembling on the poet's shoulder Chaffee's command will be withdrawn, the United States merely reserving the right to maintain New Years, day with Mrs. Leo Willis down carefully to the edge of the foam- a legation guard in Pekin, the privilege and family. to be taken advantage of in case the in the breaking bubbles. It seemed im American Legation should again be endangered. All the other powers are retaining in Pekin, and the province of Chi Li an exceedingly strong force both order of their popularity, were: "Willis covered his eyes in fear and to impress each other and repress China. The withdrawal of all the American opened there hay at his feet the troops at this juncture, would Adminis- ellor. quivering and exhausted girl. Job was tration officials fear, would cause a loss

of prestige by this government and pre- Barrie. vent Minister Conger maintaining the commanding position he now occupies. As explained by an Administration Allen Lane. official, the situation in the Philippines requires that all American troops availaround one of Job's feet and dragged able shall be stationed in the Archipelhim back through the whirlpool. When ago. There are less than 60,000 effectives in the islands. Major-General MacArthur thinks the situation demands that there should be at least

this number of effectives. Change of Firm For the New Century. Mr. J. C. Gilmore who formally conducted a feed store on State street has

### MARION COUNTY PROBATE COURT

DABNEY & GILMORE.

Final account in the estate of John E. Ross, deceased, of Woodburn, has been duced to a pulp. A dry climate makes filled. Feb. 4, 1901, is set as date for

one that we prove every day, and can prove to you in a moment if you're inerested. Come and see. Lock and chain stitch, high speed, arge hobbin, all in one machine. Mr. N. H. Burley is in Salem for a few days. Any of his old customers desi siring to see him, leave word here.

F. A. WIGGINS

The Christmas And our prices are unchanged but our stock is. We had no high Rush is Over... prices for the Christmas trade, consequently we have no reduced prices now, but our prices as usual are the lowest to be had

in the city. We have a number of bargains left in rockers. Pacific States Telephone Co. come off the second football game for the championship-first game neither of bargains left in rockers. If you need anything of the kind we can save you from 10 to 15 per cent.

## F. W. HOLLIS & CO

#### SALEM SOCIAL HALLS OF FAME

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Moore had a lively chating dish party Wednesday night. These affairs are getting very popular and every one accepte with great

The second Mardi Soir party is set for his Monday evening Dec. 31.

The State Insane Asylum employes entertained about fifty city triends at a dance Friday evening.

Miss Copeland's dancing class Satur-

On Thursday evening Misses Cora It is the belief of Chinese diplomats and Neva Griswold very gracefully

length in the petition ; with considerable It is expected that as a result of the ty, on Christmas night a most enjoyable American expedition, the American oyster supper was given, about fifty troops will be confounded with those of young people being present. The time straining order, or injunction, to pre- other powers which have been guilty of was spent in dancing and card playing

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lafore gave a very China feels able at this juncture, it is charming chafing dish party Thursday

Mrs. Reuben P. Boise, Jr., entertained up to prevent a solution of the Chinese Saturday afternoon at lancheon in honor of Mas. M. H. Eldredge, of Vancouver and Mrs. R. D. Prael, of Portland.

> Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Gilbert gave an informal Saturday, that was, as usual very enjoyable, entertainments at their home always being of the finest order.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bigger gave a very delightful party Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Florence, who had attained the attractive age of "just sweet sixteen."

There were lively games of various order, choice refreshments and good humor that always characterize affairs thirty-two of Miss ! Florence's friends responded to her courteous invitation and all sincerely wished her many happy returns of the day.

Mr. Rik Dearborn came to spend New Years day with his sister Mrs. Scott Bozorth, and will return Tuesday afternoon to his Portland home.

Mr. Harry Cusic, of Albany will spend

The latest returns of the "Bookman" show the six most widely read books in America during the past month, in the

1. "The Master Christian,"
Marie Correlli. 2. "Eben Holden," by Irving Batch-"Tommy and Grizel," by J. M. "The Redemption of David Cor-by C. F. Goss.
"The Reign of Law," by James

#### 6. "Alice of O'Maurice Thompson. **VALLEY TRAINS** CHANGE TIME Oregon,

After Jan. 1. the Shasta express goes can," said an Englishman, pointing to 274 Commercial St. and this busy mart only affect two passenger trains. All icanizing" amendment although voting consecration. the trains passing through Salem will for the "Americanized" treaty, come on the regular schedule now in force, except the atternoon northbound Gold framed medalitons for Chr istma and one to be enjoyed will be served to train, now passing Salem of 4:58, or 53 presents.—The Elite Studio. 11 21 ti patrons of the minutes later than at present, and the evening albany local, now due at 6:15, will arrive at 6:19 p. m. These trains will begin running on the new schedule

### The Modern Mother.

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy, than by any other. Children enjoy it and it befits them. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrap Co. only.

has more good features in one machine than any other machine on the market. This statement is not buncombe, it is whole wheat flour and the best dinner at STRONG'S RESTAURANT. STRONG'S RESTAURANT.

> At Willamette Hotel 5:30 to 7:30 souvenir menues. Send in names and number of party, the dinner will be tirst

> The Colder the Weather. The better you will appreciate the Staple tirocories and high class provisions which are sold at fair prices by Branson & Ragau.

To you all, and many thanks to the public for the treatment Friedman's New Racket received at their hands

The rush for clothing, hats, shoes, velvets, velveteens, plushes, corset covers, laces and passementric still continues and we hope it will last until the 15th of Jandary. Never before has the public had such an opportunity where they could buy goods at such sacrifice sales as were made at Friedman's Racket. The fire has look opportunity three thousand dollars on the appendix three sacrifice sales as were made at Friedman's a cast. The firm has lost apwards of three thousand dollars on the amount sold in forty-five days, yet we are satisfied for we expected to make the cross the amount of money, and against the amount of money. forty-five days, yet we amount of money, and against such odds that we had to contend with, for never in the history of that we had to contend with, for never in the history of Salem were there so many actual genuine sales by a number of Salem merchants. There were no false pretenders, but everyone meant what they said. Therefore it is but natural that they got a good share of the trade. Our great loss has been the public gain. The people bought at home—it kept them from going to Portland There were very few packages coming from other towns, the There were very lew packages coming from other towns, the money was not paid out to railroad companies in transporting ladies and their packages. It saved it for the families. They had plenty of money to invest at home and Santa Claus gets the credit in making large, elegant presents. Yet of all the sales

O. N. T. cotton for 25c per dozen, that cost wholesale 50c; a suit of good clothing that cost \$15 for \$8; an undershirt that cost \$15 per dozen for 25c; a yard of plush or velvet that costs \$2 for 50c; a pair of overalls that cost 50c for 38c; a pair of shoes that cost \$1 for 50c; a pair of kid gloves that cost a dollar for 25c; a core cover that cost \$1.25 for 20c; a yard of genuine silk quilted satin for 40c, in fact the whole stock of goods at Friedman's New Racket were sold and will continue until the 15th of January at the above prices. We have nothing to say what the new firm will do after that date. Don't miss the opportunity while there is yet time to bring your well-filled purse to Friedman's New Racket. You'll not go away empty-handed when you see the goods and

# FRIEDMAN'S NEW RACKET

### Blank Book Talk JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

we have been talking to you about holiday goods, but we have been cleaned out of everything in that line, we now ask you how about a new set of books for the beginning of the new Century. Our stock 25c a pair for ... is complete and the prices have not been raised, since the new prices went into a pair for. Ladies kid gloves formerly \$1.25 effect. We have office specialties galore. Can a pair for ..... 90c pr. Heavy silk veiling for we not fill your wants?

PATTON'S BOOK STORE

### JOURNAL "X-RAYS."

"McBride has saved the state \$498. 500,"-McBride's circular, It is claimed he added that amount to the Oregon appropriation at Washington, What; buying a senatorship a second

A Salem anti-Corbett paper takes a page to prove the terrible fate that will and individual instruction Send for catalogue. Address, W. I. Staley, Salem Ore, chosen from Portland. One from Port land and one from St. Helens is the

only safe and honest plan. The Oregon State Journal has entered

built, the Chemawa Indian school gets another big appropriation to improve its electric light plant. But such a project WATCH NIGHT AT as Yaquina bay, that affects all the commerce of Oregon, don't get a cent. And yet we hay men to go to congress for

upon its 38th year under the management of Harrison B. Kincaid. No other paper in Oregon and perhaps no other by on the Pacific coast, and but few in the United States, has been owned and controlled so long and continuous ly by one and the same person.

On top of two new buildings not yet First Door South of Postoffic

## close out my tine fall stock of millinery everything new at great reductions.

The watch night service in the First Methodist church will begin at 8 p. m. Congratulations are due and are here- this evening. The first hour will be denorth nearly an hour later, and the by extended to the senators who voted voted to a general discussion of some vibought a half interest in the Fair Store m., on January 1st, which however, will Mr. McBride voted against the "Amer- followed by a service of testimony and

### MIDNIGHT AT ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

Albany local south from minutes later.

The new time table goes into effect on the line, running through Salem, at 8 p.

The line, running through Salem, at 8 p.

The line in the senators who voted to a general discussion of some vital topic, and the second to two addressions of politics.—Resolving Review, Dem.

The line in the senators who voted to a general discussion of some vital topic, and the second to two addressions of at the rectory. Supt. Lambrith has kindly consented to hold a car for the line, running through Salem, at 8 p.

The line in the senators who voted to a general discussion of some vital topic, and the second to two addressions of politics.—Resolving Review, Dem. social hour and light refreshments, to be Asylum Avenue.

11 21 tf patrons of the ST. ELMO RESTAURANT. Prepare for the New Century.

THE SAM S. GOLDSMITH CIGAR CO. wish you all a Happy New Year and cordially invite you to have a New Year cigar with them. % %

# Holiday Novelties

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We have the largest and finest line of Holiday novelties in the city at exceedingly low prices. See our fine line of umbrellas. We can save you money and give you strictly high grade goods. ; ; ; ;

\$2.50 up. Come and see the new novelty, an eight day watch : ; ; ; ;

S. W. Thompson & Co.

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For the past few weeks

We have watches from

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Now on -- we are determined to close

out all our winter stock, and will sell | Ladles kid gloves formerly \$1 a Misses wool hose formerly 20c a Ladies kid gloves an assorted Ladies silk mittens formerly \$1 a Ladies fleeced lined hose formerly pair for. Childrens mittens adies fleeced lined hose formerly .14c pr. | Fleishers knitting yarn 25c skein Ladies cotton hoseformerly his e 10c pr. Dress buttons formerly 25c a dos

Liberal Reductions on all lines of goods. Shoes, hats and caps, dress skirts, waists, corsets, underwear.

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\*IT DO NOT intend to carry any goods: over their season. Therefore I will

MRS. D. L. FIESTER

# METHODIST CHURCH

Those who wish to attend the midnight services at St. Joseph's church should have tickets. These may be had for the asking either at Barr's jewelry

> To hope to succeed amid the great competition of the new century, you need the very best of provisions and groceries kept for sale by Branson & Ragen.

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