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25 Per Cent.

\$8.50 Coats for	:	:	\$6.38
10.00 Coats for	:	:	7.50
12.00 Coats for	:	:	8.00
15.00 Coats for	:	:	11.25
20.00 Coats for	:	:	15.00

MEN'S SHIRTS, 3 FOR \$1.00

Over 600 shirts, varying in price from 50c up to \$1.50 each are offered at 3 for..... \$1.00

The assortment comprises Fancies and White in Golf and Negligee. Step lively please for buying will be brisk.

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No Dark Nights
SATURDAY MATINEE 2:30 P. M.

Grand Opera House

JNO. F. CORDRAY, Manager.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12.
COUNTESS
OLGA VON HATZFELDT.

"THE LITTLE DUCHESS."

The great laughing and beauty show.
Prices—\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c.
Curtain at 8:35.



Our Optical Department
Will resume its normal condition again, and the best of attention will be given those who need our services. We are equipped with the latest instruments for testing the eyes, and our prices are the most reasonable.

Chas. H. Hinges.
Graduate Optician.

EVERY DAY GOODS.

- 10-lb sk White Corn Meal 30c
 - 10-lb sk Yellow Corn Meal 30c
 - 10-lb White or Yellow in bulk 25c
 - 10-lb sk Steel Cut Oats . . . 60c
 - 2 Packages of Force 25c
 - 2 Packages Grape Nuts . . . 25c
 - 1 Package Puffed Rice . . . 10c
 - 2 Pkg Toasted Corn Flakes 25c
 - 10 different brands of Flour from 95c to \$1.45 a sack.
- These goods are guaranteed strictly fresh.

Moir Grocery Company
456 State St. Phone 182

New York January Fashions

Never before were evening wraps so generally worn, or so varied in material and style of make. Women have learned that it pays to have at least one of these useful and most becoming garments, for they make light, comparatively simple dresses, possible with advantage both to a girl's appearance and to her pocket book.

A Theater Party.
At a theater party which came trooping in at a leading theater the other night, taking up two rows of the parquet near the front several girls were noticed in lingerie gowns, that will be as much in place for a dance next August as they were this January at the theater. They were, of course, covered under warm, pretty wraps until the girls reached the seats, then thrown gracefully back ready to be donned with the greatest ease when the play was over.

Fancy Scarfs and Fichus.
Besides the pretty wraps which

good fur, especially in the hanging furs of the season, where each separate pelt is distinctly visible and could at any time be transferred to any other uses. January sales offer opportunities for securing high grade furs at prices that appeal to clever purchasers. C. C. Shayne, as a matter of precedent, makes substantial reductions throughout their stock after January first, and one can rely on anything obtained from this old established fur house as being made up in the finest manner, and built of fine skins, since no trash is ever allowed to be sold in this establishment.

Silk Braids and Ribbons.
Silk braids and ribbons are important parts of the garnitures of gowns and wraps. Very elaborate effects are easily obtained by taking advantage of the possibilities for easily accomplished decoration that belong to these trimmings. Sashes, belts, bodices and bretelles are quickly and prettily concocted with vel-



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were nearly all in cape or circular forms, most of the girls wore scarfs of light dainty fabrics which were draped about their shoulders during the performance, slipped back or drawn up as occasion or fancy demanded.

The Girl Who Paints or Embroiders.
The girl who can paint or can embroider will be able to make charming throws of this sort for little cost, for many of them are of very thin China silk. The sort that sells for less than 50 cents per yard. The ends decorated with floral patterns done with brush or needle. The brush work is in thin dyes as if printed on. Scarfs of crepe have ends made of warp print sash ribbons put on with fancy stitches or lace insertions and finished with knotted fringes or tassels ornaments.

Fur Sets and Fur Trimmings.
Fur trimmings ornament some of the prettiest scarfs of chiffon, but fur makes its appearance everywhere. There is no better investment than

vet and silk ribbons, while braiddings make dressy designs at little cost, and combined with a few fancy stitches ornament the most expensive creations of fashionable dressmaking.

Hair Ornaments.
Were never prettier or more generally employed. Shell combs of all sorts are among the most practical ornaments of a substantial sort, and those inset with small Rhinestones have proved particularly popular. The jeweled barrette has returned to favor with more prestige than ever, and in many different forms. Very fine small stones that show little of the setting are first in the list, and combinations of pearls and brilliants are reckoned especially desirable. Wreaths of green bay leaves, spangled with dew drops of brilliants with a cluster of crush roses, white, pink, yellow or red, on the left side in front, are especially pretty for evening wear.

LUCY CARTER.

Smiles

Roseburg will soon be out of debt.
Albany may have paved streets.
All that is needed to secure good government is to give the machine more power and more taxes.
Salem is metropolitan. Curtain rises Saturday night at 8:30 o'clock.
It takes the farmers to skin the trusts. There is the Sublimity Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance company, has carried \$120,349 of policies last year for total expense of \$283.60. That is skinning the insurance trusts out of about \$20,000.
Under the present wonderful naturalization laws of congress almost no foreign-born citizens are being naturalized. But the new department created a great many offices for those who are already citizens to draw fees and salaries. That is what congress is for—to create offices.
Today the shippers convention meets at Albany. They should sing that good old hymn:

SALEM IS READY FOR THE SOLONS

Dressed in Its Best Suit of Clothes For Coming Session of Legislature

Salem is putting on its best "bib and tucker" for the reception of the members of the legislature who will begin to arrive tonight and tomorrow and will be here in force on Sunday evening. Especially is this true with respect to the hotels, private boarding and rooming houses. Perhaps the most elaborate preparations have been made by Manager Conner, of the Willamette hotel, who has had the entire hostelry overhauled and renovated and it is as "spick and span" as a new pin.

The lobby of the hotel, ceiling walls and fixtures has been treated to a brand new suit of paint and polish and everything put in ship-shape for the accommodation of the solons who will congregate there in great numbers every evening after each day's session. The painting was done by Frank L. Willman, whose marked ability as a decorator and painter is well known throughout the city. Much has been added to the comfort and appearance of the lobby by the removal of the large table that formerly occupied the center of the floor, and the addition of a set of new easy chairs. Mission style, a need that has been long felt and is appreciated by the guests.

For elaborateness of design, color and artistic finish in the line of interior decorations Mr. Willman, the painter, did himself proud in the painting and frescoing of the walls and ceiling of the Bureau saloon, of which F. P. Talkington is proprietor. This is probably the most expensive and elegant pieces of work of its kind in the city and great credit is due to the artist as well as congratulations to the proprietor.

CURRENT TOPICS TODAY

Prepared for the Public Schools and the Family Circle.

New York City is to do away with the last horse car lines.

A train load of gold and silver ore from Goldfield, valued at \$7,000,000, was taken to the smelters at Callejo Junction, Cal. It was heavily guarded.

Coal famine at San Francisco and other coast cities has made a tremendous advance in the value of the Coos Bay mines.

A clerk at Hoquiam, Wash., was hazed by high school boys because he "rooted" for a rival basketball team. He was stripped and given a coat of varnish.

The Pennsylvania railroad, which has a four-track line from Chicago

IT ALL DEPENDS ON QUALITY.

OUR CONSTANT AIM DURING THE PAST FIFTEEN YEARS HAS BEEN TO KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

THE ENORMOUS INCREASE

IN OUR BUSINESS PROVES THAT CUSTOMERS FIND OUR MERCHANDISE SATISFACTORY TRADE IN EVERY DEPARTMENT IS INCREASING.

Our Dress Goods DEPARTMENT

HAS MADE A WONDERFUL RECORD DURING THE PAST YEAR, AND OUR PREPARATIONS FOR THE COMING SPRING FAIR ECLIPSE ANY FORMER SEASON'S SHOWING. THE NEW CREATIONS IN

Dress Goods, Waistings, Trimmings, and Novelty Silks

WILL BE ON DISPLAY ABOUT THE MIDDLE OF FEBRUARY. YOU MAY THINK IT A LITTLE EARLY TO TALK ABOUT IT NOW, BUT TAKE OUR ADVICE AND BUY EARLY IF YOU WANT A CHOICE SELECTION, FOR THERE WILL BE NO CHANCE FOR REORDERS THIS SEASON, OWING TO THE SCARCITY OF BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC NOVELTIES.

Barnes' Cash Store
E. T. Barnes, Propr.

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WE HAVE ON HAND SEVERAL PARTICULARLY CHOICE ISSUES OF BONDS, INCLUDING SOME VERY ATTRACTIVE SCHOOL BONDS, YIELDING FROM FOUR AND A HALF TO SIX PER CENT AND WILL BE PLEASED TO FURNISH COMPLETE INFORMATION REGARDING THE SAME UPON REQUEST.

MORRIS BROTHERS, Bankers

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
PORTLAND, - - OREGON

"Yes, we'll gather at the river. The beautiful, the beautiful, The beautiful Willamette river."

Albany Democrat: Frank Davey had simply been down to the coast hunting votes. Next time he should go to all the Portland papers and divulge his plans and give his itinerary.

Into each life some sorrow must fall; Wise people don't sit down and bawl; Only fools suicide or take to flight; Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.
—Sold at Dr. Stone's store.

M. A. A. C. GAME TONIGHT.

Salem Y. M. C. A. and Multnomah Play Basketball Tonight—Preliminary Game.

The Multnomah star basketball team will arrive in the city tonight on the 6:20 train from Portland, and, after a light supper and a rub-down, will be in excellent condition for the game with the local Y. M. C. A. this evening. The Salem boys have been practicing hard the past week, and feel that they stand a good chance of winning the game tonight. Coach Graunls has had his men in training, and feels confident. The local team has lost a good man in Perry Jones for some time, who is at present suffering from a sprained wrist, but they have another good

man, Rhodes, who has recently come into the team.

The Lineup.
Salem M. A. A. C.
Allen.....C..... Bellinger
Rhodes.....F..... Rush
Basher.....F..... Dent
Steinbach.....G..... Livingston
Simonton.....G..... B. Allen
M. A. A. C. subs—Noth, A. Allen.

Preceding the big game a preliminary game will be called at 8 o'clock between the second Indian school team and what is called Humphrey's team. This will probably be a snappy little game. The Multnomah game will be called at 8:45 sharp.

Carrie Nation Certainly smashed a hole in the barrooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horehound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for coughs, bronchitis, influenza and all pulmonary diseases. T. C. H., Horton, Kan., writes: "I have never found a medicine that would cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it for years." Sold by D. J. Fry.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Hooper*