

Meyers' Annual Clearance Sale

Many are the opportunities offered during this Annual Clearing and Readjustment Sale. Special attractive price reductions in every section of Salem's Largest Store. Visit "Meyers" this week and take advantage of the many specials offered during the special clearance.

Women's High-Class Ready-to-Wear, ONE-HALF PRICE
Great Reductions on Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Etc.

HANDKERCHIEFS AND EMBROIDERY
Regular 15c hemstitched and embroidered edge Handkerchiefs clearance sale, special on 1c 5c hand embroidered Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, hemstitched; very desirable article, special clearance on 60c Special sale of Venice, O-Tonal and Cluny Laces, a very dainty and exquisite showing; special clearance at 20 per cent less

NOTIONS
Handbags at 20 per cent less. Our extensive showing of fine leather and silver mesh handbags and purses, no reserve. Less 20 per cent Broken lines of Handbags, a splendid lot, your choice. All Hatpins, clearance sale, special your choice. Less one-third A great assortment of belts, fancy and elastic styles, clearance special. Half-price Beads in strands, all popular sizes and colorings your choice. One-half price Bell pins and buckles special clearance at Half price

MEN'S SECTION
Hats, Special, those that sell regularly at \$2.00, your choice, special clearance, each \$1.25 Hats that sell usually at \$3.00 special, each \$1.75 Our entire line of Men's Shirts, including Golf and Neglige, in plain and pleated bosoms, all the latest patterns, no reserve, your choice. Less 20 per cent Men's regular 25c Cashmere Hose, embroidered figures on instep, special clearance, price \$1.50 for 2 pair Men's regular \$2.00 Underwear at \$1.50. Two-piece cotton and wool mixed underwear, tan color, all sizes; extra value, \$2.00 kind, clearance sale, per suit \$1.50

DOMESTIC SECTION
25c pretty Dupione Silk, in lavender, dark green, cream and light blue; a most excellent fabric for pretty dresses, waists, etc., clearance sale Less one-third A good assortment of Superfine Flannel, very suitable for kimonos, 30 inches wide a regular 20c grade, clearance sale Less one-third 25c Zephyr Gingham and Egyptian Tissues; your choice during this special clearance Half-price Special Clearance of Hosiery—Regular 15c quality, black and white, figured, yd. Half price



GLOVES AND NECKWEAR
Regular \$1.75 Auto Kid Gloves, special clearance, pair \$1.30 A great assortment of fine Neck wear, collars, jabots, cuff sets, etc., your choice at Half-price

SILKS AND DRESS GOODS
Regular 50c Taffeta Silks, popular colors, 18 inches wide; special at \$30c Foulard and Fancy Silks; your choice Less 20 per cent Dress Clearance at Half price Special sale of high grade materials in the popular colors; beautiful fabrics for afternoon and evening gowns and dresses to \$1.75 qualities at yd. \$1.19 Another assortment of fancy Suitings in the newest weaves and colorings. Less 20 per cent

WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR AND INFANTS' GOODS
Infants' knit goods, sweaters, leggings, mittens, togues, booties, etc., your choice Less 20 per cent Women's Sweaters, tan, cardinal and white, military collars; special Half price Women's tailored Waists at half price. Linen, cotton, madras and lawn, made up into very neat styles. All fancy waistlets, your choice Less 20 per cent All Furs reduced, clearance at half price and less 20 per cent All silks, coats, dresses, evening wraps and gowns, skirts, etc., your choice (no reserve) special clearance sale at Half price

HOSIERY AND KNIT UNDERWEAR
Infants' regular 15c worsted hose, fine ribbed, in black or white; special to close, pr. 9c Children's regular \$1.25 wool underwear, the popular Lazzerne brand; a splendid quality, special, garment 60c Ladies' fleeced vests and pants Visit the underwear section now and supply your needs at reduced prices.

TOYLAND AND NOVELTY SECTION
Jewel boxes in a wide variety, ivory, gilt and silver finishes, many sizes; choice Less one-third Entire assortment of baskets, including the beautiful Japanese importations Less 20 per cent A great assortment of toys, books, mirrors, typewriters, banks, etc., your choice, clearance at Half price

SHOE SECTION
Ladies \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 shoes in a great assortment of styles, all leathers, your choice .98c Ladies' patent kid and tan shoes, popular lasts, very desirable, \$3.50 and \$4.00 grade at pair \$2.19 Ladies' high grade shoes, \$3.50 and \$4.00 qualities, special clearance, pair \$2.48 Men patent kid and calf shoes, lace and button styles, \$3.50 to \$4.50 grades at pr \$2.37 Boys' tan, patent and calf leather shoes, extra good grades \$2.50 to \$3.00 kinds, at \$1.98 Children's kid, calf and patent shoes, sizes 8-12 to 11, lace and button styles, \$1.50 to \$2.00 grades, special, pair .98c Children's shoes, same as above, sizes 5-12 to 8, \$1.25 to \$1.50 shoes, pair .68c

PETTICOATS AND CORSETS
The popular Klossli Petticoats, taffeta silk and meshlines, black and colors, your choice. Less one-fourth Entire stock of Flannelette Dressing Sacquins, special clearance at Less 25 per cent Special Clearance of Corsets Regular \$5.00 Corsets \$3.98 Regular \$4.50 Corsets \$2.59 Regular \$3.00 Corsets \$2.39 Regular \$2.50 Corset \$1.98 Reg. \$1.50, \$2.00 Corset \$1.30

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The state library will be closed New Year's eve.
Dr. J. H. Clements has moved his offices to the Salem Bank & Trust building; rooms 410-11-12. 12-23-5t
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Our phone number is Main 66. Just call in the store or phone and you will receive quick service. Good goods and at living prices. Ask for Yakima Best flour, Spurling's, 311 North Commercial street.
Meats, both fresh and cured. There's none better on the market. We do our own butchering, curing and packing, the sanitary method used throughout. Steinstoff Bros. Phone Main 1528. Court and Liberty streets.
Series No. 6 of the Mutual Savings and Loan association will be opened on January 4, 1913. Subscriptions for stock will be received after December 1, 1912, at the office of the secretary, 275 State street. J. D. White, secretary.
The completion of the largest tax roll ever turned over to the sheriff in the history of Marion county for collection, comparatively or otherwise, will be completed within a few days by the four persons now engaged in the work. It is said that the roll is not so large on account of the amount of individual taxes, but the number of persons whose property has been assessed is far larger than ever before. Journal "Want Ads." being results.

Pauperism in London Is on the Increase

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
London, Dec. 30.—Despite the invitation to English people to rejoice over their booming trade and great prosperity, conditions among London's legal poor show an immense increase of pauperism, according to the London Times today.
This paper devotes a page to statistics on the subject and confesses in an editorial that it makes "dismal reading." The reason for the increase is attributed to labor disputes. Up to December 14 the poor-law guardians were caring for 110,292 persons representing a ratio of 244 per thousand of the population, the Times declares.
Rear-Admiral Cooper.
Morristown, N. J., Dec. 30.—In poor health since his retirement from the navy in 1904, Rear-Admiral Phillip Henry Cooper, United States navy, is dead at his home here today from heart disease, aged 65 years.
Admiral Cooper was superintendent of the naval academy from 1894 until 1898.



Don't Cheat Yourself

If you have nervous headache the probabilities are that you are suffering from eyestrain. The only permanent relief from this trouble is properly fitted glasses. There is absolutely no other remedy known.
DRUGS WILL NOT HELP YOUR EYES—I fit glasses correctly, and guarantee satisfaction in every respect. Over 31 years' practical experience at your service, and the prices are very reasonable for the service and material you receive.
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Bloodhounds on Trail.
Placerville, Cal., Dec. 30.—Possessing a dog named Lafayette Newell, escaped maniac from the Napa Insane asylum believed to have killed Rosa Lemus, learned that he visited the Weybridge ranch near Somerset and have today again taken up the trail.
Frost prevented the bloodhounds from getting the scent.

WILSON CONFERS WITH OREGON'S SENATORS
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Trenton, N. J., Dec. 30.—President-Elect Woodrow Wilson conferred here today with Senators George E. Chamberlain, of Oregon, and John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi. J. Hamilton Lewis, of Chicago, former congressman from Washington, also called.

The ladies of Jason Lee church will give their annual chicken pie dinner Wednesday, January 1, from 5 to 8 p. m. Price 35c.
When it is bread that you want, just try ours once and you will use no other; it is strictly sanitary. Poultry at all times. The Sunset Grocery, Phone Main 131.
Give the housewife a rest. Take New Year's dinner with Jason Lee Ladies' Aid society; dinner from 5 to 8 p. m. Price 35c.
You can get a fine chicken pie dinner with the Jason Lee ladies cheaper than you can get up a dinner at home, and at the same time help to lighten their burdens.
To the friends of the Young Men's Christian association, you are cordially invited to attend the New Year's reception given by the board of directors and officers of the Y. M. C. A. at the association building on New Year's eve, Tuesday, December 31, 1912. A splendid time is assured, a short, spicy program will be rendered, refreshments will be served. Everybody welcome.

MARRIED.
GOEBEL—LIMBECK—At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. P. S. Knight, in Salem, December 28, 1912, John W. Goebel, of Silverton, and Miss Bertha Limbeck, from near Pratum, in the Waldo Hills, were united in marriage.
Their home will be in Silverton, where Mr. Goebel is employed.

PERSONALS.
Miss Martha A. Stump left this morning for Portland, where she will spend the remaining holidays with friends.
Frank E. Sander, of Chemekeeta, was in Salem today on business.
Vic Anderson, of Shaw, was a business visitor here this morning.
Therlo Black, of Portland, transacted business here this morning.
Superintendent Walter Smith returned this morning after attending the convention in Portland held by state school officials last week.
Miss Alta B. Kelly, of McMinnville was a Salem visitor today.
Jay Penny returned to his home in Woodburn today, after a short business visit here.
Jullus Alm, "the progressive grocer," of Silverton, was in the city yesterday completing arrangements for his son, Christian's, entry into the Capital Business college.
J. T. Chinnock, of the state water board of control, has returned after two weeks in Southern Oregon, where he held a hearing of water claimants on the Chewaucan river. Hearings took place at Lost River and Klamath Falls.
Miss Nellie Mulkey was in Salem yesterday, en route to Woodburn, where she is a teacher in the schools. She spent the Christmas holidays with relatives near McCoy.
Rev. Muckley, of Portland, is in Salem today.

A married woman likes to talk of the days when she was single and had a good time.

SEATTLE MINISTERS INVOKE REFERENDUM
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Seattle, Wash., Dec. 30.—Ministers and prominent laymen are circulating petitions today calling for a referendum vote on the ordinance recently passed by the council, which curtails the power of the police moral squad, Mayor Cotterill vetoed this ordinance but it was later passed over his head and since that time members of the clergy claim there has been an increase of vice.
May Have Separate Schools.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Klamath Falls, Ore., Dec. 30.—In a decision rendered here this afternoon, Judge Benson held that pure Indian and half-breed children may be provided with schools separate from those used by whites.
The case was brought up by half-breeds, who asked that their children be allowed to attend a white school at Fort Klamath, across the river from a school on the Indian reservation. The directors there have provided separate schools for pure blood Indians and half-breeds.
Prominent Man Missing.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Portland, Ore., Dec. 30.—A statewide search is today being made for W. A. Spanton, prominent realty dealer, who dropped from sight a week ago. It is stated that the effort to make good several large notes he had endorsed for others caused his flight.
He notified no one of his intention to leave, and it was known he had but \$25 on his person when he quit his lodgings.

Painter Falls to Death.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
San Francisco, Dec. 20.—Falling six stories and crashing through a skylight, Edward Hannan and John L. Crawford, painters, were instantly killed here today.
The men were working on a painter's fall at the seventh story of the Whitney building, when one of the ropes slipped.
His Steamer Ashore.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Atlantic City, N. Y., Dec. 30.—An unidentified steamer is reported ashore 25 miles south of here. The life-saving crews at Avalon and Latham have gone to the rescue.

FELL FROM BATHTUB BROKE HIS NECK
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
New York, Dec. 30.—Adolph Gotch, brother of Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, died here today, the result of falling from a bathtub. An autopsy showed death was due to a broken neck.
Perhaps one reason why the foolkiller is out of a job is because he soldiers on it.

WILL DESIGN NEW CURRENCY.
Kenyon Cox, New York Artist, Receives Commission.
Secretary MacVough of the treasury department has engaged Kenyon Cox, a New York artist, to design the back of the new American currency notes. This design on the back will be the same for all denominations of all classes of notes—United States notes, coin certificates and national bank notes. By adopting only one design for the back Mr. MacVough believes that this feature of the currency can be given over to art, permitting changes and improvements to be easily made. Mr. Cox has submitted to the secretary the general features of the design he contemplates, and these were tentatively approved. The design is symbolic of progress and peace, showing the development of the nation in the lines of labor and commerce.
The new currency will be two-thirds the size of that now in circulation, its dimensions being 6 by 2 1/2 inches.
Secretary MacVough expects to give the order for printing the new notes to Director Ralph of the bureau of engraving and printing about Feb. 15, almost at the end of his administration. It will require eighteen months to accomplish the change, which consequently will not be consummated until well along in President Wilson's term of office.

Captured the Cups.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Washington, Dec. 30.—The gunboat Helena, of the Asiatic fleet and the cruiser South Dakota, of the Pacific fleet, are the holders this year of the silver cups awarded annually in these fleets for the highest aggregate score in small arms practice.

Came Home to Die.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
New York, Dec. 30.—Returning but recently after a long residence abroad, Robert Lee MacCameron, American painter, is dead at his home here today aged 47 years. He was made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor a few months ago.
Revival Meetings.
The Free Methodist church, 1225 North Winter street, will hold a series of revival services, beginning January 5, ending January 19. Bishop William Pearce, of Titusville, Pennsylvania, will be the principal speaker. The series will close with a district quarterly meeting January 16-19, inclusive. Rev. James F. Lewis, pastor, extends a hearty invitation to everybody to attend.
Some spinsters are unhappy because they have no men around to worry them.



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SHOE REPAIRING SHOP.
J. C. Lalley, who had charge of Ye Boot Shop shoe repairing department for the last seven years, is now in charge of the new and most complete shoe repairing shop in Salem, 232 North Commercial street. Jacob A. Rice, successor to E. S. Lamport, Saddle and Harness Co.

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