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The Art Embroidery Section will help you greatly. See the large showing of Sweet Grass and Bamboo Sewing Baskets and other novelties in this department.

Large line of Dainty Christmas Calendars, Cards and Stickers. Supply your needs of these dainty Christmas Novelties from this big showing.

Splendid assortment of Toilet Articles, Manicure Sets, Perfumes, etc. Many things in this section for gift giving.

## Salem's Big Christmas Store

Complete satisfaction is assured if you select your gift articles at Meyers. We have prepared especially for the gift seeker and can make your shopping easy by placing such large, choice Christmas stocks at your command.

## Neckwear For Men

Meyers has always been known for its splendid assortments of Christmas Neckwear for men and boys. New patterns, newest shapes and the biggest variety to choose from. Priced at 50c, 65c and \$1.00

# Meyers

GOOD GOODS



New showing of Women's Neckwear, Scarfs, Ribbon Novelties and Christmas Handkerchiefs.

## PERSONALS

Miss Nina Brock left this morning for Sacramento.  
Ray Aspinwall, of Wacousta, was in the city yesterday.  
Chas. Goodale, of Woodburn, was a Salem visitor yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hodelson returned this morning from Idaho.  
Will A. Showalter was a Salem visitor Sunday from McMinnville.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saver, of Dallas, were Salem visitors yesterday.  
Miss Ruth Barber returned from Dallas this morning after a two weeks' visit.  
Mrs. Mae Fuller and son, Charles S. Piper were here Sunday, guests at the J. E. Scott home.  
Dr. M. E. Pomeroy is again at his office after an absence of three weeks on account of illness.  
Fred H. Stensloff will attend the live stock show in Portland Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.  
Miss Bertha Waldorf returned this morning from Sheridan where she has been visiting her parents.  
Miss Alice Putnam returned from Corvallis where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lloyd V. Bell.  
E. W. Zamzow, of the Santa Fe system, and L. B. Tierney, of the Great Northern railway, are in the city.  
Miss Beryl Cox, sister of O. E. Franke, returned this morning to Mouth, where she is attending normal.  
Mrs. Hugh Elliott, of Medford, is a guest at the home of C. B. Webb. She will remain in the city until after Christmas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Newton Smith returned to their home at Corvallis this morning after a visit of a few days with friends in Salem.  
J. F. Macy and wife and three children returned this morning to their home at McMinnville after spending the Thanksgiving season at the home of City Attorney Macy.

## DIED

NEIL—At the Salem hospital, Saturday, December 2, 1916, James Neil, in his 70th year.  
He was a member of the Woodmen of the World lodge and for the past 30 years has been employed at the state hospital.  
Funeral services were held this afternoon from St. Joseph's church with burial in the Catholic cemetery.

## BORN

ABLE—To the Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Able, Monday, December 4, 1916, a son.  
Mr. Able is minister of the Evangelical church at Liberty and Center streets.

JOSSE—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Josse, 2416 State street, Sunday, December 3, 1916, a son.

The final rehearsal of the big orchestra for the musicians' ball at the armory Tuesday Dec. 5, was held yesterday. To say the music will be swell is putting it mildly. You will certainly miss something if you do not attend.

Gilbert & Patterson took three premiums Saturday at the Polk county corn show from corn raised on their farm near Eola. They were awarded first on the 100 ears display, first on the 10 ears display and first on the one ear display.

The governor of every state in the union is a member of the Moose lodge, according to Distator Benjamin Brick, excepting the governor of Oregon. Therefore, in order to make the chain complete, Governor Withycombe was induced to sign an application for membership into the Loyd Order of Moose and he will be properly initiated on the evening of Tuesday, December 12. J. Von Eyth, state organizer for the Moose will stay in Salem about a month, assisting in the membership campaign. He says there is plenty of good material in the city for the Moose and that as the Salem lodge has one of the best equipped lodge rooms on the coast, there is no reason why many more of the men of the city should not be enjoying the advantages offered by the lodge.

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Household Furniture. Woodry the Auctioneer will pay highest cash price for same. Phone 511.

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## STATE OF OREGON PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES

The Oregon state board of control will receive sealed bids on December 12, 1916, at 2:00 p. m., for furnishing supplies to the various state institutions; consisting of dry goods, clothing, furnishings, groceries, shoes, hardware, brooms, drugs, paints, oils, stationery, crockery, plumbing, etc., for the semi-annual period ending June 30th, 1917. Specifications and schedules will be furnished upon application to the secretary at Salem, Oregon, also from the industries and manufacturers bureau, Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Oregon. Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of 10 per cent of the whole amount of bid, payable to the Oregon State Board of Control, to be held as a guaranty of the faithful performance of the contract. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid.  
B. B. GOODIN, Secretary, Oregon State Board of Control, Nov. 28, Dec. 1-4-8  
R. Dugan, of Independence, drove the fender of his car against the fender of a street car last night at 9:25, at High and State streets, with but little damage to either the auto or street car.  
The polls will be open this evening until 8 o'clock for the benefit mostly of the tardy ones and those who have decided to vote at the last minute.

# All Around Town

## COMING EVENTS

**TONIGHT**  
Dec. 4.—Annual Election of Cherians, 8 p. m., at Commercial Club.  
Dec. 5.—Musicians' Association annual dance at Armory.  
Dec. 7.—The Winning of Barbara Worth, Opera House.  
Dec. 11-16.—Third Annual Marion County Cor. Show in Derby building.  
Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist, fits glasses correctly. U. S. Bank Bldg.  
The regular monthly meeting of the board of control is scheduled for this afternoon.  
Evangelical Bazaar Dec. 2. Masonic Temple.  
Regular meeting of Hodson Council No. 1, R. & S. M., this evening. A full attendance is requested by order of the Thirtieth Master, election of officers. Visiting companions welcome.

Pomeroy and Wallace finest jewelry at special prices.

The case against W. D. Albright for speeding on the streets of Salem was dismissed this morning when it was found that the police had secured the wrong number and that the machine speeding was not the one belonging to Mr. Albright.

Wanted two veal calves every day—Roy Rae Meat Market, 177 S. Commercial. Made in Salem. dec9

The postoffice business at the Crown Drug store, known as sub-contract station, No. 2, is assuming considerable proportions. The sales for November amounted to \$943.63. The largest single day's business was on November 20th, when the sales were \$66.61.

The generously good loc cigar La Corona. Made in Salem.  
Charles M. Talmadge, of Newport, Wash., was in the city yesterday, a visitor at the home of D. H. Talmadge. He is the owner of the Silver Birch stock farm at Newport and is on his way to visit the live stock show in Portland this week.

25 per cent discount on all jewelry for one week only.—Pomeroy and Wallace.

Every member of the First Christian church will be given a visit on Sunday, December 17. That day will be known as "Every Member" day, and it is the plan of the members of the church to secure automobiles and make a friendly call on every member of the church, whether living in the city or country.

Diamonds and watches, the best at the lowest prices.—Pomeroy and Wallace.

C. W. Barrick, of this city, a graduate of the Willamette university college of law, is going to Independence to practice law. He will be associated with D. E. Fletcher, also a W. U. law graduate, who is now practicing there. Mr. Barrick is well known in Salem and the best wishes of his friends go with him to the little town up the river.

Carpets and rugs, no raise in the price. Buren's Furniture store, 179 Commercial street.

R. S. White, of Falls City, was arrested for speeding on North Capitol street. He appeared this morning before the police judge and was fined \$10, which he paid. He was out trying his engine and found that it went pretty well. North Capitol street is becoming the speed cop's paradise on account of the attraction it offers to speeders.

Trunk and suit cases underpriced at Buren's furniture store, 179 Commercial street.

James Craig, of Falls City, who was arrested last night by the combined efforts of Officer Varney and Superintendent Beach of the Salem Railway company, faced Judge Elgin this morning on a charge of being drunk and disorderly last night. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$10, which he paid. He said he got his booze from a man in Dallas, who had received a shipment recently.

Early shoppers will save by visiting Buren's Furniture store, 179 Commercial street.

Election times are a wonderful help in increasing the sales of stamps at the Salem postoffice. For the month of November, 1916, the Salem postoffice sold as follows: Stamps and stamped paper, \$7,509.01; for second class matter and newspapers, \$231.92; third and fourth class matter without stamps, \$174.97, making a total sales for the month of \$8,215.90. One year ago the sales for November amounted to \$6,456.75.

Globe-Wernicke book cases, in all standard finishes, Baren's Furniture store, 179 Commercial St.

It might be well for automobile owners to look well to the headlights and tail lights as the special speed cop will

## DO YOU SUFFER FROM BACKACHE?

When your kidneys are weak and torpid they do not properly perform their functions; your back aches and you do not feel like doing much of anything. You are likely to be despondent and to borrow trouble, just as if you hadn't enough already. Don't be a victim any longer. The old reliable medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, gives strength and tone to the kidneys and builds up the whole system. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a peculiar combination of roots, barks and herbs. No other medicine acts like it, because no other medicine has the same formula or ingredients. Accept no substitute, but insist on having Hood's, and get it today.

get them if they don't watch out. Warrants were sworn out for several who have been careless. Within the fire limits, the lawful speed is 15 miles an hour which is pretty slow traveling. Outside of the fire limits, 20 miles an hour is lawful, with a 10 mile an hour passing school houses between 8 o'clock in the morning and 5 o'clock in the afternoon during days schools are in session.

Hoosier Kitchen cabinets, finest made, reduced again for a few days. Buren's Furniture store, 179 Commercial St.

Members from the Chamber of Commerce of Portland and other business men of that city will visit Eugene Wednesday of this week to inspect the flax fields and find out just what Eugene is doing in the flax industry. From Salem, the following will accompany the Portland visitors: T. B. Kay, R. B. Goodrich, Theodore Roth, Ivan G. McDaniel, manager of the Commercial club, and W. H. Hamilton.

Bazaar, Presbyterian church, Tuesday Dec. 5, afternoon and evening. Tea and scones, candy, cooked food, fancy work, popcorn balls.

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