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for Year-End an January Clearance Specials

The Clearance which we inaugurate at the end of each year and during the fore part of the new year, gives splendid opportunities to save on good grade merchandise. Many broken and short lines remain from Fall and Christmas seasons. You'll find each department has something of interest to economical

Just Received

The shipment of Women's White Spats so many have been waiting for. We have them in two grades --- Ask to see them --- (Shoe Section.)

A Sweeping Clearance of Women's Misses', Children's Ready-to-Wear

HOUSE DRESSES In light percares, some with caps to match, selling to \$2, your

95c

Rack of Dresses

In silk taffetas, messaline, crepe de chine, velvet, serges and other choice materials, selling to \$33.50, clearance at

\$14.95

WOMENS' and MISSES' SUITS serges, mixtures, broadcloths

One Half Price

A LOT OF SUITS, all this scasen's garments, selling to \$30. Year end sale, yours for

\$10.00

DANCING FROCKS less one DRESS SKIRTS, in serges, checks and cords, choice

\$1.98

SPORT SKIRTS, plaids and silks Fancy flowered HALCYON PETTICOATS, usual price \$3, to

\$1.69

Special Prices on KIMONAS.

Odds and Ends in Waists Lineus, voiles and lawns, just a few left, selling to \$3.75, your few less, choice for a DOLLAR

BLACK SILK WAISTS, about a dozen, selling to \$7.50, to close out at prices less than

One-Half

MIDDY BLOUSES, a few odd numbers and samples to clean up the stock are offered at special

WINTER COATS, about 25 left, in plain colors, mixtures and plaids, prices cut as low as

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a few sets in excellent condition French mole, Sable, Squirrel, white Monffon and a few scarfs, less one half price, balance of stock all this season's furs, at

Special Prices Children's Coats

A few left, sizes to 14, selling from \$2.50 to \$16.85, your choice one half \$1.25 to \$8.43

Children's Dresses In cotton cheeks and plaids and serges, your choice price, sizes 4 to 14 65c to \$3.25 formerly \$1.25 to \$6.50

One Rack of Waists

Crepe de Chine, Georgette crepes society silks, and voites, year end sale

\$4.69

One Rack of Waists

Taffetas, nets, voiles, satiu, tub silks and organides, selling to \$6.35, Yours for

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Various Patterns in Good Weight Robe Flannels

\$5.00 Bathrobes, clearance\$3.95 \$ 9.50 Bathrobes, clearance .. \$ 7.60 \$6.50 Bathrobes, clearance\$5.25 \$12.00 Bathrobes, clearance .. \$ 9.50 \$7.50 Bathrobes, clearance \$5.95 \$15.00 Bathrobes, clearance . . \$11.75

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR OTHER SPECIALS TOMORROW

Regular 35c Cotton Challies, clearance 19c Yard Regular 35c Heavy Cotton Plaids clearance 23c Yard Regular 50c Batbrohe Flannel,

clearance 39c Yard

Clearance of Silks

Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 Fancy Silks, clearance . . . \$1.69 a Yard Regular \$1.65 Crepe de Chine, clearance \$1.39 a Yard

A BIG CLEARANCE OF **WOMEN'S** SHOES

These are mostly broken lines of sizes---if your size is here you can save a big sum on new shoes.

Women's \$4.50 and \$5.00 Shoes, many styles and leathers, your choice \$3.35 pr Women's \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes, various styles and leathers, your choice \$2.95 pr Broken lines Women's Shoes, clearance \$1.95 a pair

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The boys in the Great Northern Express company's office feel that the employes of the Great Northern Express company received a Northern Express company received a five per cent increase in salary effective in October and therefore they had go Express company, the Pacific Teles and Electric and the Southern Pacific along in quarterly and semi-annual installments during the year 1917. Any stallments during the year 1917. Any

how, the employes of some of the big corporations will have more money to PORTER—At his home near Rickey, spend next year, while the average clerk and employe of smaller institutions Tuesday, December 26, 1916, W. H. &

Porter, in his 76th year. TURKEYS ARE SCARCE Afternoon from the chapet of Webb & Afternoon f

Portland, Or., Dec. 28.—The greatest shortage of turkeys ever experienced on the Portland market exists today, only five turkeys having been received a brother lying in Portland.

COMING EVENTS

December 28, 29,-Seventh convention Oregon Butter and Cheese Makers, at Commercial club.

December 31 .- Moose will attend Unitarian services in a hody, 11 n. m. January 1 .- Company M annual

home-coming.
January 1.—Elks' New Year's dance at Elk lodge. Jan. 2.—Annual Cherrian banquet.

January 9.—Knights of Pythias annual home-coming. Jan. 8-13.— Marion County Poultry Show. January 23, 24 and 25.—Oregon State Association Grocers' As-sociation at Commercial club.

Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist, fits glasse as correctly. U. S. Bank, Bld.

Five room apartment, elegantly furnished bot and cold water, no other tenants in house, would rent unfurnshed. Price surprising low. Phone 1995

Supervisor J. V. Fike and Supervisor John W. L. Smith are in Portland at-tending the meeting of the state teachers' association.

Silverware and cut glass of standwith the street clock.

Dr. Stone's Drug Store makes free

will drive an auto from Carvallis to Alseo over the Alsea mountains. They the mountain roads again.

Wanted-Copies of Capital Journal Sept. 14, 1916. Call 81, Cir. Dept. tf

Come to the New Years restival at night, Dec. 29th, A good time is assur

William E. Smith, who enlisted in the Lloyd T. Rigdon by request, infantry a Tew days ago, was rejected at Vancouver on account of defective eyesight. The man wso happens to be a little under height will now have a chance as the war department will now take enlistment from any man over five feet and two inches and with a weight ot less than 120 pounds.

Commerce, practice limited to diseases recruit by the name of Williams with of the eye, ear, mose and throat, also sworn in yesterday. According to

Col. J. K. Greer, auctioneer, and family of Portland are noving to Salem today, they will teside at 775 South 13th St. Mr. Greer was formerly from Illinois where he has had extensive experience in the auction business. He will be an assistant to Mr. Woodry in will be an assistant to Mr. Woodry in work during the coming year.

A few copies of Nycena Kloshe Illahee, Col. Cradlebaugh's little book of booms, the last of the edition are on sale at Patton Bros. book store. They make a pleasing Christmas remembrance, and cost only 50 cents.

Now that Governor Withycombe and State Treasurer T. B. Kay have joined the Moose, members of the ledge are angling for several more state officials and the rumor was on the street this morning that Secretary of State Ben W. Oleott would be handed an application blank for membership and shown the dotted line where he could sign his name.

with the street cleek.

es, who ought to be increasing their cfficiency by taking some useful studies in the Capital Business College night school. Think this over, you may be one of the two hundred. If so, start the new year right by enrolling next a charge of temperature yesterday was from 40 to 30, running along about the same as this time of the month last year.

Earl Hurst, an attendant at the insame asylum, was arrested last nicht a charge. week. New classes, day or night.

suck with no address. One article is a sender can identify the pin and con-vince the postoffice authorities of the

Rex T. Turner, well known Salem boy, who has been homesteading in central Montana near Winifred, is back in Salem for the holidays. He has taken ap 320 acres of land in connection with 320 acres of land in connection with them amounting to one month's salary-work in the real estate business. Later he expects to be admitted to the Montana bar to practice law. He likes the news has been confirmed and the Jan-

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The annual banquet of the Poresters of America will be held this evening this season and to be interesting. short addresses, there will be several

Marion street, Salem.

welcome. The final account of B. Murphy

mith, administratrix of the estate of Frances D. Murphy, deceased, was no epted this morning by Judge Bushey ondsmen exonerated, Wanted Good reliable boy deliver-

Age 12 to 15 years, See Cir. Mgr. 12-30 James Burns, of Portland, who has

been in Salem only a few days, was picked up drunk yesterday by the po-lice and this morning fixed \$10. He had no money to pay the fine and took five days in jail.

Wanted-Good reliable boys, must rd quality. Gardner & Keene, The store give reference and experience, Age 15 rith the street clock. 12-26 to 18 years. See Cir. Mgr. 12-30

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pague, of Oak-land, Cal., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Jackson, Clayton Young, who has been visiting 406 North High street, have gone to in the city, left this morning for his bome at Waldport. With a friend, he friends and relatives.

Dr. D. X. Beechler, dentist, located came in that way and figure on trying 3.4 mile north of the fair grounds, Port land road. Owing to no office expense prices reasonable. 1-21

In the council caucus Tuesday evening in the city hall, the vote on police mutron was as follows: Mrs. S. J. Dor-United Evangelical church Friday sey, 9; Mrs. Shank, 5; and Mrs. Lynch, tht, Dec. 29th; A good time is assur
1. The petition for Mrs. Lynch had 45 names of prominent business men of Salem and was presented by Councilman

> Silver, Ebony and Ivory toilet ware, also complete line of novelty goods. Gardner & Keene. The store with the

James Houck, formerly a member of company M, who went to the border with Company A, of McMinwille, has Dr. F. h. Thompson of 416 Bank of been transferred to Company M. A new sworn in yesterday. According to statement of Lieutenant Allen, Company M is now about the largest com-

In the case of R. R. Randall against

A complete line of bracelet watches, diamonds and jewelry for your inspection at Salem's most reliable jewelry tow water. Last night with its low restore. Gardner & Keene. The store The river continues to fall to a rathstore ord of 25 above was the coldest since 12:26 November 17, when the mercury dropped to the 25 notch. The range of ter

the name of Jim Powers. Powers re-fused to undress and go to bed and the The postoffice is holding several arti- attendant "necked him out," or in othcles that were carelessly wrapped when an alled and were later found in the mail according to the story told the officers were with no sub-He was taken before Judge Webster beautiful gold brooch set with pearls, with a small card attached with the inscription, "For Blanche." Unless the sender and include the port of the authorities.

The overflow for the Belmont sewer correct address of Blanche, the Christmas remembrance will of necessity be teen the water as far east as Nine-forwarded to Washington. The Crown Drug Co, has a vaccine of an overflow hereafter. From High The Orown Drug Co, has a vaccine for preventing colds and grip. It is proving highly effective in a large percentage of cases. Several physicians of the city are using it and advising its use.

Or an overflow hereafter. From High to Nineteenth street there was several overflow last winter and a partial one this fall. The surface water hereto-fore running into the sewer at Broaduse.

> The Wells Pargo employes are resting easier now, as they have had official notification of the bonus to be given

Now that the champion shooters of he Salem Rifle club have discovered they can make records about as high in percentage as the best in the land, there s an extra interest in the rifle shoots at the old armory and in the elimination contest. Every one of the 40 will have his chance at making a record which will place him in the team of 10 chosen to compete in the national shoot. Last night an average of over 90 per cont was made by H. V. Doe, P. J. Rosenberg, B. W. Macy, C. J. Mullen and G. Keuscher,

dayed tonight in the old armory be ween the quintet of the Salem high chool and the five of McMinaville high school. Last year the McMinnville bunch was the only team that defeated Salem high and this year the Salem team is determined to turn the tables. The McMinnville team is the hardest competitor of the local lads for honors this season and the contest is expected

On the side of the postal card to be used only for the address, is a card at the Salem postoffice addressed; "Myr-Start the New Year right with a box of La Corona cigars. On sale in most Salem stores.

A marriage license was issued this morning by the county clerk to Martin N. Miller, a clerk at the city hall. Salem, and Hurriett E. Claggett, of 200 the county was thoughtful all right until she addressed: "Mr. Ray Williams," and that is all. Other incomplete addressed postal cards are: Mrs. Wm. Meyer, 935 West Eighth A clerk at the city hall, Sa-Hurriett E. Claggett, of 260 street, Salem, Ore.; Mrs. Jacob Fisher, Gainesville, Oregon. There is also a card addressed "Mr. Green, from Laura McFalone, Merry Christmas and Happy mah chapter, No. I, R. A. M., New Year." Unless some one can come this evening. Work in the R. A. degree. Visiting companions Green's chances of receiving that heliday greeting is pretty small.

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Auction Sale of Real **Estate and Household** Goods

Mr. C. D. Babcock, who is moving from the city, will make a public sale of his home and household goods at 257 S. 16th street, sale to commence at 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, Dec. 30th, 1916. This sale includes one of the

nicest located homes in the city consisting of two lots 45x174 feet each; also a 7-room modern house with two porches—having an east front, 0-blocks from the state house, 1 1-2 blocks from State street and earline. This home contains a number of fine fruit trees and vines, as cherries, pears, apples, peaches, plums, quinces, English walnut, almond, grape vines, black caps, raspberes, mulberries, loganberries, e. Chicken house and fence, e. Some very fine household loods including such things as heater, kitchen range, book cases, bed-room suits, dining room table and chairs, kitchen furniture, garden tools and other articles too numerous to mention. The terms will be eash on household goods; very reasonable terms will be given on the real property if desired.

Don't miss this sale.
Everybody cordially invited to attend this sale whether you sh to buy or not. COL E. G. SNIDER,

MAMMOTH AUCTION SALE

At the People's Quick Exchange

Auction Market, on Saturday, December 30, at 10 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., consisting of: At 10 a. m., horses, harness, way ons, plows, spray pump—nearly new, and many other things. At 1:20 p. m. sharp: Household furniture as follows: 1 Domestic drop head sewing machine nearl new; 1 New Home drop hea sewing machine nearly new; mahogany pinnola and 10 rolls of music, which can be applied music, which can be applied to any pano, original cost \$200; I funed oak settee upholstered in Spanish leather; I massive library table early English fin-ish; I good spring couch up-holstered in green veloc; I good red couch; I bed longue; I mission onk stand table; I mahogany rocker upholstered in leather; 8 day mantel clocks mearly new I waxed oak rocker; I mission oak carver uphelstered in leath-er; and also five antique walnut chairs upholstered in red celour; 2 large oak arm chairs; 2 good kitchen enbinets; 1 good kitchen treasurer; 1 fir extension table; 1 drop leaf table; 1 bed; spring and matress; 2 gas ranges good washing machines; rown body Brussels rug 9x12 red body Brossels rug 9x12; green rag rug 9x12; 1 brown la-grain rug 9x12; two 3x6 ft. Axminister mats; 8 1-2 yards body Brussels stair curpet marly new; 4 other small rugs; curpenter tools and kitcker

> TERMS CASH. Everybody welcomed, ladies

specially invited. F. N. WOODRY, Auctioneer, Phone 511

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