

{The Upstairs} {Clothes Shop}



Come up and see the Suits and Overcoats at the Herbst Upstairs Shop They are all . . .

\$15 Instead of \$25

If you are particular about your clothes, if you insist upon skilled tailoring, correct style and absolute fit and if you've been accustomed to paying not less than \$25 for your clothes, THEN HERBST CLOTHES, at my only and unchangeable price of \$15, will surely appeal to you.

HERBST CLOTHES are \$25 clothes in every detail of fit, fabric, finish and style, and the only reason they are sold for \$15, instead of the \$25 they are worth is because I save the \$10 that elsewhere pays for high rents, and other expenses that I haven't got and don't have to add to your clothes cost.

So if you haven't yet visited Herbst Clothes Shop, spend a few moments of your time here, compare our clothes at \$15 with those offered elsewhere at \$25 and I know that you, too, will do as hundreds of others are now doing—BUY HERBST CLOTHES AND SAVE \$10.

See Display of Overcoats in Case Opposite Elevator

\$25 Full Dress Suits \$15

\$25 Tuxedo \$15

NO ALTERATION CHARGES.

Herbst Clothes

2nd Floor National Realty Building TAKE ELEVATOR SAVE \$10 Open Saturday Night Until 10 o'Clock.

MAYOR COMES TO THE PHRENOLOGISTS' DEFENSE

Mayor Fawcett believes that a phrenologist is a regular guy—not a vagrant.

When Commissioners Atkins' ordinance defining all classes of fortune tellers as vagrants came up today, Fawcett kicked. Finally he consented to let astrologers be called vagrants, but he clung to his theory on bump-readers, and the phrenologists were stricken from the ordinance.

Buckley-Tacoma Stage Co. EFFECTIVE AFTER AUG. 1 Leave Tacoma Leave Buckley 10:00 a. m. 8:00 a. m. 3:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m. 8:00 p. m. 6:00 p. m. *Except Sat. and Sunday. SPECIAL Sat. and Sun. Only. Leave Tacoma 11:30 p. m. OFFICE and DEPOT Puritan Drug Store 9th and Pacific Ave., Tacoma Buckley-Overmyer's Round Trip \$1.50; Single 85c.

OLYMPIA-DUPONT STAGE Via Dupont Leaves Donnelly Hotel, Tacoma, at 6 a. m., 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. Leaves Kneeland Hotel, Olympia, at 8 a. m., 1:30 and 6:30 p. m. Phone: Main 762. Subject to change without notice.

Go Home For Christmas THE holidays will soon be here. The time of happiness and cheer. Your friends will be expecting you to come home. So will mother, father, sister or brother.

Low Holiday Fares Are available for the holidays. On sale between all Southern Pacific stations in Oregon, Dec. 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1. Return limit Jan. 4. From Oregon to California points on sale Dec. 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, Jan. 1st. Return limit Jan. 31.

Ask the local agent for fares, train service and other information, or write Southern Pacific C. M. Andrews, 1201 1/2 Pacific Ave., Tacoma. John M. Scott, General Passenger Agent.

Enough Thieves For One Family

The family of Steven Burke, 2517 So. G street, had two experiences with crooks last night that it will not forget in a long time. As little Harry Burke, age 13, a newsboy, was climbing the 25th street hill to supper, a strange man stopped him, put his hand over the boy's mouth, and went through his pockets. He took 35 cents, the child's earnings for the day.

At 1 o'clock this morning Coleman Burke, another son, awoke to find a man in his room. Burke roused, and the fellow jumped out of the window, one and one-half stories above the ground. Burke found later that \$3.50 was missing from his trousers pocket.

31 PRECINCTS FOR TACOMA

A new precinct system for Tacoma, by which the precinct numbers are not grouped by wards, was introduced in the form of an ordinance by Commissioner Woods today.

It names the boundaries of 131 precincts, 20 more than the city had formerly. Under the new system, the precinct formerly known as the first of the fourth ward, for instance, becomes the 53rd precinct. The 8th of the 8th will be the 131st precinct.

Precincts are apportioned as follows: First, ward, 15; Second, 18; Third, 18; Fourth, 22; Fifth, 26; Sixth, 10; Seventh, 13; Eighth, 8.

HERE AND ELSEWHERE

STELLA'S BARGAIN COUNTER providing that male aliens over 15 years who cannot read should be excluded from U. S.

When a man gives serious thought to getting married he seldom does it. Dr. Robinson, Dentist, National Realty building. Sec. Lansing receives wireless from Ford peace ship urging him to provide members of the party with passports for warring countries.

McLean the contract mover. Main 1850. Posses pursue lone handit who held up and robbed Mantou, Cal., bank.

Ortie McManigal takes stand as star witness in trial of Mathew Schmidt for murder in Los Angeles.

Fraud charged in Vashon island election to determine route of proposed ferry to Seattle mainland.

Marriage Licenses. Frank Chinnite and Katherine Buono, both of Tacoma.

Diamond Rings \$5 to \$150. Pfaff, Jeweler, 1147 Brdwy. adv.

Mothers of Sidney Alven of Tacoma writes from England that British schools are all being used as hospitals.

Bulgaria expected to demand eastern Serbia as well as Macedonia and strip of the Danube as reward for participation in war.

Holly wreaths with berries. 50c. Ritto Floral Co. 9th and St. Helens. Main 1817. "adv."

The Conyngham, largest destroyer in the U. S. navy, exceeds contract speed requirements in speed test.

American steam Winnebago captured by British cruiser.

Informal reception for new members held at Y. M. C. A. last night.

Gale Hughes and two sisters drown while skating near Park Rapids, Minn.

A. Norton Fitch, active attorney in Tacoma for 17 years, dies.

Senator Dillingham of Vermont introduces bill in congress

VIOLINISTS Strings are the most essential part of your violin. Therefore, use the best. I have the largest stock in Tacoma of the finest and highest grade Violin strings on the market. Barks' hand-made clarinet and saxophone reeds a specialty.

Musicians' Supply & Repair Shop Room 517 Provident Bldg.

All styles and sizes of Box Letter Files. The Walter Berg Stationery Co. 306 Herring Bldg. Open Saturday Evenings.

HAWAII ENTERS BID

FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Honolulu, T. H., is making a bid for the republican national convention. When the national republican committee meets Dec. 14 the claims of Hawaii to the honor will be presented by Lorrin Andrews, national committeeman from the territory, he announced yesterday.

Hawaii, he says, has already raised \$100,000 for the purpose, and is ready to charter two special steamers to carry the delegates there.

S. A. Perkins left Tacoma this morning for Washington, D. C., to attend the national committee meeting. He is the Washington member of the committee and member of the executive committee.

HURLED OVER CLIFF

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 8.—How Mary Friday Price, member of a prominent Minnesota family, was thrown over a cliff to her death by her husband on Nov. 28, 1914, just after she had received \$50,000 from her father, was described to officers yesterday by Charles D. Etchison, a traveling salesman.

Etchison, who with Frederick T. Price is under indictment for murder, is said to have signed a confession that he was an accomplice. Yesterday he went with officers to the place where he said Mrs. Price was hurled over the cliff. Price is also charged with bigamy. He denied Etchison's story.

ST. LOUIS CHOSEN

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—The democratic national committee last night selected St. Louis for the 1916 national convention to be held beginning Wednesday, June 14. At the same time it adopted resolutions calling for the renomination and re-election of President Wilson as the trusted leader of national democracy. Chicago and Dallas vied with St. Louis for the honor of the convention, but the result was never in doubt.

The resolutions endorsing the president were adopted with a standing vote.

OIL LAW IS KILLED

OLYMPIA, Dec. 8.—Superior Judge Wright yesterday handed down a decision practically knocking out the oil inspection law of Washington, which has netted \$300,000 in profit since it was enacted in 1903.

Overruling the demurrer of the state to the complaint of the Standard Oil Co., Judge Wright held that on account of its profitable nature the law violated the federal and state constitutions which forbid the taxation of one industry alone. The case will be appealed.

SWAT GRAIN BROKER

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 8.—The first step toward the elimination of the broker in the marketing of grain in the middle west was taken here today when, in the presence of several thousand mid-west farmers, ground was broken for the half-million-bushel co-operative elevator that will be built and ready by next year. The farmers have bought hundreds of big barges and will ship their own grain down the Mississippi river to New Orleans, thence to Europe.

VON'S A CARTOONIST

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—When State Secretary von Jagow is not engaged upon a diplomatic note or something, he's a cartoonist and decorator. As you enter his big office you note a large, clean blotter on his desk. As he talks he gradually covers the blotter with pencil sketches, humans, animals, all sorts of things. It is said that his servant brings him a new blotter for every visitor.

WILL CONTEST VOTE

The election of George Taylor to the commission of Tacoma waterway district No. 1 by a vote of 26 to 25 yesterday will be contested by I. N. Hague, defeated for re-election. Hague claims at least three illegal votes were cast. The votes are being canvassed today.

TO TALK ON BIBLE

C. S. Longacre of Washington, D. C., and W. M. Healey of Los Angeles, Cal., will visit Tacoma and speak in the Temple of Music at 8 p. m. Thursday on "The Bible and the Public School."

Yesterday's Late News

MUST REMOVE THEM. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—All exhibits in bond at the exposition must be ready for removal February 1, when the customs business in connection with the exposition will be completed.

URNS SOCIALIST. CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Francis Lillie, daughter of the late Richard T. Crabe, multi-millionaire ironmasters and one of his heirs, has turned socialist. Today she denounced society, the church and government for permitting existing circumstances among the workers.

INTERCEPT MESSAGE. PARIS, Dec. 7.—The Eiffel tower wireless caught a message

this afternoon between two wireless stations in Germany containing information that is valuable to the French army.

FRENCH SUB SUNK. PARIS, Dec. 7.—An Austrian warship sank the French submarine Eresmel Sunda, capturing 26 prisoners.

FILE BIG DECREE. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 7.—The disposition of 96,000 acres of timber land largely in Coos county was placed in the hands of congress in a decree filed today in federal court. It amounts to a foreclosure of all of the S. P. company's claim except \$2.50 an acre.

Concords, 25@27c bskt; Tokays, \$1.50; lemons, \$3.50@4; Gravestein apples, 75c box; cranberries, \$9.50@10.50 barrel; quinces, \$1.25 box.

Vegetables—cansons, Walls Walla, \$1.25; California, \$1.63; Oregon onions, \$1.50@1.65; head lettuce, \$2.40 crate; cabbages, 35@40 sk. Chili peppers, \$2.35; rutabagas, \$1.35; Call tomatoes, \$1.35 crate; egg plant, \$1 box; beets, \$1; Merced sweet potatoes, 2c lb.; squash, 2c lb.; pumpkin, 1 1-4c; Hubbard squash, 1 1/2c; Nettle Gem potatoes, \$22@23 ton; homegrown, \$14 ton; Brussels sprouts, 10c lb.; California green peas, Call cauliflower, \$2.25 crate.

Wholesale Hay and Grain Prices. Clover, \$18@17; alfalfa, \$14@15; corn, \$28@29; wheat, \$24@25; whole barley, \$28@29; rolled oats, \$30; bran, \$28; shorts, \$28; hops, 1915 crop, 8@12 1/2 c lab.

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SEATTLE ROUTE Steamers Tacoma and Indianapolis for Seattle Leave Municipal Dock, Tacoma, 7:30, 9:00, 11:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00 p. m. Leave Colman Dock, Seattle, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00 a. m.; 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00 p. m. Fastest and Finest Steamers. Single Fare, 15c. Round Trip, 30c. Sight Round Trip Daily. E. J. Jones, Agent, Office Municipal Dock, No. 2413.

Prices Paid Producers For Meats, Butter, Eggs, Poultry Livestock—Cows, 6 1/2@7c; hogs, 7@7 1/2c; lambs, 8 1/2@7 1/2c; dressed hogs, 8c; steers, 6 1/2@7c; heifers, 5@6c; dressed veal, 8@12c.

Butter and Eggs—Ranch butter, 30@31c; strictly fresh ranch eggs, 42@43c. Poultry—Chickens, ducks 17@18c; squabs, 16@18c; geese, 16@18c; squabs, \$2@2.25; turkeys, 22@25c; turkeys, 25@26c.

Selling Prices to Retailers For Butter, Eggs and Cheese Cheese—Washington, 17c; Tillamook, 17c; Domestic Swiss, 21c.

Eggs—Fresh ranch, 44@45c; storage, 23c. Butter—Washington creamery, 42@43c.

Wholesale Meat Prices. Fresh Meats—Steers, 10@11c; heifers, 10c; hogs, trimmed sides, 16c; mutton, wethers, 11 1/2c; lamb, 12 1/2@14c; ewes, 10@10 1/2c; whole hog, 11c.

Prices Paid Wholesale Dealers For Vegetables, Fruit Fruits—Bananas, 5c lb; Navela, \$3@3.25; Florida grape fruit, \$5 box; Caligrape fruit, 3 for 25c; Pinesapples, 5c lb; home grown apples, 75c@1.50 per box; grapes, \$1 bskt; Malaga, \$1.25;

The Christmas Store of Tacoma. Get the Christmas Spirit Now.

SOMETHING NEW EVERY DAY THE PEOPLES STORE THE BUSY STORE ON PACIFIC AVE. Men's Gift Shop SILK BOSOM SHIRTS For Xmas Gifts \$1.45 These shirts are made of fine heavy tub silk bosoms and cuffs, with matched Denecetine bodies which are matched perfectly. A beautiful assortment of striped patterns, colors and guaranteed fast. Sizes 14 to 17. Our price \$1.45

TOY SHOP Blocks to Play With Blocks to Build With SANTA, BRING BLOCKS A B C Blocks, fancy colors, some with animal pictures. Priced at, a set, \$1.50, 25c, 35c, 60c, 85c and \$1. Sanitary Burnt Wood Blocks, priced at, a set, 35c and 60c. Architectural Blocks, priced at 35c and 65c. Wagon Blocks for the little builder, priced at, a set, 30c, 75c and \$1.25. Circus Blocks, showing an assortment of animals, priced at, a set, 15c, 25c and 60c. Interlocking Sanitary Blocks for building bridges, houses, windmills, etc., priced at \$1.00. Spelling Boards, priced at 85c. Wall Slates, germ proof, with counters, priced at each, 85c and \$1.10. Color Cubes, priced at 65c and \$1.25.

It's a Dandy The Boys' Magazine Some ripping good stories, of course, for it's certainly the liveliest magazine for boys that men who have been boys—and real live boys at that—ever turned out for boys. Then there's the carpentry department, with full illustrated directions of how to build a—; oh well, let us send you the next copy and you'll be building it. And the stamp and coin news and the amateur photographers' own corner and a whole lot full of other good things. YOU CAN HAVE IT FOR A WHOLE YEAR FREE! All you need to do is to use a little of your spare time to get the liveliest magazine you ever heard of. A whole year's subscription and not a cent to pay. Just sign the coupon, fill in the clip, paste on a post card and we'll start the magazine to you for a whole year. GET BUSY RIGHT NOW ONE NEW SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TIMES AND IT'S YOURS Coupon—Clip Here I am not now a subscriber to the Tacoma Times, but hereby enter my subscription for 3 months, for which I agree to pay the carrier each month on his regular collection day. NAME Address Please send the Boys' Magazine for one year to (Write plainly) (Magazine will start with next issue)

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