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LADIES' DRESSES, COATS and SUITS

Ladies' One-Piece Dresses, of Poplins, French Serges; regular \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50; in two lots, now \$2.98 and \$5.90

Ladies' Tailored Suits, of every fabric and desirable color; regular \$12.50 to \$30; in two lots, marked \$5.90 and \$10.90

Ladies' Winter Coats, every coat included; \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00 in first lot, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00 in second lot \$3.90 and \$9.90

MISSES AND CHILD'S COATS

Must go. All styles; all materials. Values from \$3.50 to \$8.00

1.98 to \$3.45

Millinery Department

One table of Ladies' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Felt and Trimmed Hats 49c, 69c, 89c

18-inch Ostrich Plumes, Ostrich Tips, 3 in bunch \$1.25, \$1.19

One table of Shapes and Trimmed Hats, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 98c, \$1.35

Children's 35c and 45c Knit Caps, Ladies' 85c and \$1.00 Caps 24c, 48c

One table Ladies' Velvet shapes and trimmed Hats, \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50 values \$1.95

Girls' Corduroy Hats and Tams up to \$1.00 48c, 69c

One Table Ladies' \$6.00, \$7 and \$8 trimmed Hats \$2.95

Ladies' colored Felt Hats and Silk Velvet Shapes; \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 values 98c, \$1.25

Men and Boys' Clothing

Men's Suits of wool serges, cassimere, chevots, worsteds or tweeds, up to \$12.50 and \$15.00 \$7.90

Men's Winter Overcoats and Bal-Mars, ranging in price from \$12.50 to \$20.00; special . . . \$6.90 and \$9.90

Men's Rain Coats and Mackinaws that were \$6.50, \$7.50 and up to \$10.00, are..... \$3.90 and \$5.75

One line, fifteen suits in all, Men's \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$9.50, while they last \$3.90

Boys' Knicker School Suits, regular \$4.50, \$6.50 and \$7.50, are now \$1.98, \$2.49 and \$3.90

The Greater Chicago Store

Stork Halts Train To Deliver Parcel

Making an unprecedented stop of 55 minutes at Whitehall at 3:05 o'clock Saturday morning, the crack Burlington train, No. 41, was delayed by a visit of the stork, which carried a son to Mrs. Theresa Junk of Omaha, who is en route to Silverton, Ore., where her husband is. The stork's unexpected visit caused consternation among the members of the train crew until the cause of the delay was ascertained and then Dr. Packard of

Whitehall was summoned hurriedly, while wires were sent to B. O. Johnson, division superintendent of the Northern Pacific at Livingston, asking instructions.

While the answer was awaited from the superintendent at Livingston the stork unwrapped his bundle, containing a lusty-lunged boy. The youngster first saw the light of an incandescent globe in a drawing room of the Burlington's sleeper and immediately proceeded to notify sleepy traveling men of his arrival.

In the meantime the instructions came from B. O. Johnson: "Take Dr. Packard's instructions regarding movement of No. 41. Lead every possible aid."—Anaconda Standard.

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* CURLING HAIR THIS WAY *
* PRESERVES ITS BEAUTY *

That dull, dead appearance of the hair no longer troubles the woman who has adopted the silmerine method of keeping her tresses in curl. The result is very different from that produced by the drying, devitalizing waving iron. The hair appears more naturally wavy and curly, and the application is really beneficial to the life and growth of the hair.

Any druggist can of course supply the liquid silmerine and one need not get more than a few ounces. A small quantity should be put on before retiring, using for the purpose a clean tooth brush, drawing this down the full length of the hair from root to tip. The effect upon arising is delightfully surprising and there is no discoloration, no stickiness, greasiness, nor any other unpleasant accompaniment. The hair is quite manageable, no matter how it is done up.

NIXY FOR THE MEN.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Suffragists claim they have sufficient votes in congress to prevent the proposed enfranchisement of men in the District of Columbia, unless the vote is also given women.

EIGHT MEN DESIRE JOBS AS PASSPORTS FROM PRISON LIFE

Have Been Paroled But Face Another Christmas Inside Unless Work Comes

Eight men who have been paroled from the Oregon state pen are still held at the institution because employment has not been found for them and they cannot be released until they can go to work. Parole Officer Joe Keller considers it particularly unfortunate when a man who has been paroled because he has made good and whose parole is signed by the governor must spend Christmas within the walls of the prison simply because no job has come to his aid.

All eight have been tried as trustees and have proven themselves worthy of another chance in life but even though a man has shown himself to be worthy of trust he is not allowed to go abroad seeking a job and at present it appears that few jobs come seeking the man especially if he is a prisoner. Parole Officer Keller is making every possible effort to find employment for these men and does not hesitate to recommend them to anyone who has a spare job about the place and needs a man to fill it. His charges have had a wide range of experience as the following list will show:

One is a young man who would be handy as a baker helper and has some experience along these lines or is willing to do any kind of light work that he is able to do, not being very strong physically. No. 2 is willing to do any kind of labor, prefers to go on a farm where the work is steady, is a good hand with stock. No. 3 is strong and healthy and wants any kind of labor; he has had experience as a miner and tunnel man. No. 4 is a man that has spent most of his time working in orchards and understands that line of work thoroughly. No. 5 is a young man strong and healthy and willing to do any kind of manual labor, a good hand with horses and would like to locate on a farm. No. 6 wants any kind of labor that will give him a chance to make good; he is a young man and willing to work. No. 7 is a cook by profession but will take any kind of labor that he can do justice to. No. 8 is a man along in years, and of slender build, would be a handy man to do light chores on a farm, take care of stock and teaming. All these men have been tried by the warden as trustees or other work around the institution and have worked their way to the parole board and now waiting some one that will employ them so that they will be able to get another chance in life.

CATARRH CAUSED BY A GERM

Must Be Destroyed Before Catarrh Itself Can Be Cured. Wonderful Results From Breathing Medicated Air.

Medicine that acts on the blood alone will never cure catarrh. And neither will the sprays, douches, lotions, creams and other temporary reliefs that so many catarrh victims make a habit of using. To cure catarrh so it won't come back you must first drive from your body the millions of germs that are flourishing in the inner recesses of your nose and throat and are causing the disease.

There is a preparation used to do this called Hyomei (pronounced High-o-mey). Hyomei is a germ killing vaporized air formed from the purest of Hyomei's combined with other healing and antiseptic ingredients. You breathe Hyomei through the mouth and nose by means of a little hard rubber inhaler which druggists furnish with it. This medicated germicidal air penetrates into every fold and crevice of the mucous membrane of your nose and throat, kills the catarrh germs that lodge there, soothes, reduces and heals the swollen inflamed membranes, stops the discharge and opens the clogged nose and air passages in a truly wonderful way. It gives blessed relief in five minutes from catarrhal distress of every kind and if you make a practice of breathing Hyomei for a few minutes each day for just a few weeks not only will all the symptoms of catarrh vanish but the disease itself will be a thing of the past. No one need try or buy Hyomei until they see the name of J. P. Fry and many other leading druggists in Salem and vicinity sell it with the positive guarantee that it must cure catarrh of that the money paid for it will be refunded. Hyomei is very inexpensive and with this protecting guarantee behind your purchase there is absolutely no reason why any sufferer from catarrh should not give it a fair trial.

LIBERTY NEWS

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Liberty, Or., Dec. 15.—The basketball game between the Theologians of Kimball college and the Liberty team Wednesday evening resulted in a victory for the visitors with a score of 24 to 14. This shows conclusively that Liberty has the material for a first class team and should have the support of the entire community.

Dr. Ford held Quarterly Conference services at this place Friday evening. The Ladies Aid society will hold a bazaar at the hall Friday evening, December 17th. Supper will be served from six to seven. A good program has been arranged. After which the sale of the various articles will be conducted.

The oyster supper given by the Progressive club Saturday evening was a success in every way and all present spent a most enjoyable evening.



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SCHOOL LIBRARY IS WELL PATRONIZED

Report of Librarian Shows 1,724 Books Were Taken Out During November

The students of the Salem high school are evidently doing considerable reading at home these long evenings, as the November report of the school librarian Miss Flora M. Case, notes the fact that 1,724 books circulated during the month for home study alone.

The average daily circulation for the month was 86 which is a gain of 20 a day over November of one year ago. The total attendance at the library was 2,658, which, figured on a basis of 20 school days for the month, gives an average of 253 each day.

With the removal of the ninth grade from the high school, it was anticipated that the attendance at the library would show a considerable falling off. Instead, the use of the room and books has been steadily increasing. The greatest number of books taken out in one day was 113.

One year ago the Grant, Lincoln and Washington schools were not supplied with libraries. This year, organized as junior high schools, the pupils in the seventh, eighth and ninth grades are beginning to take advantage of their opportunities for taking out books. For November, the Grant junior high had a circulation of 114, the Lincoln junior high, 219, and the Washington junior high, 215.

The junior high school libraries are now well organized. In Grant and Lincoln, the work is under the control of one teacher who is assisted by three pupils. The libraries in these schools are located in the principal's office from which the books are circulated. As yet, no library room has been established. The appointment of Miss Alma Ashby as librarian at the Washington junior high school has greatly facilitated the work. By the assistance of several helpers, a room has been suitably furnished and in a short time it will be open regularly every hour of the day.

During November, in the grade schools, 142 books have been issued on teachers' cards, and 137 pictures issued for general school work. The story hour at the public library has been attracting the attention of the children as the average attendance has been 190, and the largest attendance for any one day, 275.

The November report of Miss Case, school librarian, indicates that the libraries of all the schools are being patronized more than one year ago, and that the libraries in all of the schools are receiving in general more attention from the students.

THE UNLUCKY THIRTEEN

Galveston, Texas, Dec. 15.—Thirteen men and five women bandits have been arrested in Mexico City and with the exception of the women they will be publicly executed, according to a cablegram received here today.

Masquerading as army officers, the bandits are reported to have cleaned up more than \$1,000,000 in gold and jewelry. They were captured after a running fight in which two policemen were killed.

A HORSE ON THE OFFICERS

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 15.—Dupuy Sheriffs Brewer and Hodge, Superintendent Elliott, of the county stockade, and Guard Morgan are nursing blisters on their hands today.

John C. Barclay found a new made grave near the city limits. Victims of a foul murder spurred the deputies to furious speed. Armed with spades they dug for an hour. They found an erst-while horse.

SOME 1915 CROPS

Washington, Dec. 15.—The 1915 wheat crop will total 1,011,505,000 bushels against 891,017,000 in 1914, the department of agriculture announced today. The corn crop is 3,054,535,000 against 2,672,684,000 while cotton is 11,161,000 bales against 10,135,000 the past year.

"Wayside Notes--Ogden Route"

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Arthur, Mr. J. B.
Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. J. V.
Birdens, Mr. P. L.
Brown, Miss Grace.
Bowman, Mr.
Carson, Ida.
Cory, Gertrude.
Cresson, Mr. Geo. S.
Cowell, Thomas.
Cutter, Mrs. Ethel.
Davis, W. H.
DeLong, Mr. A.
Detrick, Mr. M. E.
Diemel, Miss.
Dinnick, Miss Alice.
Downs, Mr. Wesley.
Earl, Mrs. Rachel.
Eldinger, Mr. Jas.
Ellingson, Edward.
Ingalls, Kenneth.
Johnson, Mr. Jim.
Jones, Mr. Griffith.
Kauffman, Mr. P. J.
Knori, Miss Alice.
Knower, Mrs. L. E.
Kratthal, Mr. Fred.
McDowd, Mrs. Bertie.
McParlane, Mrs. R.
McKay, Mr. S.
Melander, Miss Anna.
Morgan, Mrs. Bessie.
Moulton, Mrs. S. Williams.

JAPAN'S MOTIVE PURE

Washington, Dec. 15.—The Japanese embassy today assured the world that the "simplest and purest" motives inspire Japanese relations with China, particularly in the Japanese protest against the change of the Chinese republic to a monarchy.

The statement was in response to newspaper suggestions that Japan is not actuated by proper motives in her protest. It denied the Japanese government had in any way furthered a revolutionary plan against the new Chinese regime.

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