



## The Greatest Holiday Store in the City

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# Practical Gifts for Christmas

This is a modern, up-to-date Christmas display in an up-to-date store. The new things to give for Christmas are all shown here. They are spread attractively before you to make selections easy.

If you are looking for the best your Christmas money will buy, you should trade at this store. Your Christmas money will buy better gifts, buy more gifts and last longer than any place else. Come to our store, do your Christmas buying at your leisure, when store is not crowded.

No. 511 DEWEY  
STREET

# CLINTON

Jeweler and Optician

TELEPHONE 338

Make your selections now and have them laid aside. Spend a few moments in our store when down town.

Miss Mabel Patterson returned Sunday night from Denver, where she spent Thanksgiving and the days following with her parents.

District Foreman Beery, who had been Topeka for a week as a witness in a damage suit against the Union Pacific, returned home Sunday night.

Chafing Dishes, Leather Goods, Hair Combs, Fountain Pens, Cut Glass, Watches, Diamonds and the finest line of jewelry ever displayed in our city. Call early and get the best selection.

Harry Lamplugh is completing at the Lamplugh lake a cement block ice house with a capacity of three thousand tons. The building of this house insures a supply of ice for the people of North Platte next summer. The ice on the lake is now about five inches thick and Mr. Lamplugh anticipates an early harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Bailey left Saturday night for a few days' visit with Mr. Bailey's parents at Cozad.

For Rent—House at 509 West Second street. Five rooms. \$16.00 per month. Inquire of Fred Wendeborn, 602 West 9th street.

The Payne Investment Co. chartered a special train on the North River branch this morning and took out a party of prospective land buyers.

The witnesses of the state in the Munger hearing failed to appear in court Friday and upon affidavit of the county attorney, the case was continued for one month.

Mr. Taylor, a returned missionary from Alaska, in which territory he spent five years, will address the woman's auxiliary at the Episcopal church next Friday evening. All persons interested in an address of this nature are invited to attend.

**DR. BROCK, DENTIST,**  
Over First National Bank.  
Phone 148

Go to the Masonic hall Thursday night for supper.

Lee Grimes spent Sunday in town visiting his parents and friends.

Miss Mary Strahorn will assist in Rincker's book store during the holiday trade, beginning her duties yesterday.

Miss Katherine Feathers and Miss Fern Tudhope, who had been guests at the E. G. Weston home, returned to Ogallala Sunday.

Chas. Eichelberry, who went to Zanesville, Ohio, last spring, returned to North Platte yesterday to remain. His family will come as soon as he secures a suitable house in which to live.

W. C. Patterson returned Sunday from points in Colorado after an absence of ten days. His mission there was to look up the hay market, and to close contracts.

W. A. Tanner went to Lexington this morning where he will assume management of the Woodsum lumber yard during the absence of the proprietor and his family in California.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter and Mrs. Geo. Crosby and children, of Sutherland, are spending today in town and leave on the Los Angeles limited this evening for Southern California where they will spend the winter.

Having received our third car of furniture since putting in the line, we are now able to suit the most critical eye. We have all styles of the different lines of furniture, and will be pleased to have you give us a call.

Yours for the furniture business,  
WORKMAN & DERRYBERRY.

The meetings at the Christian church will close Thursday evening with a lecture on "Crimes and Criminals". This lecture has been delivered at Y. M. C. A. gatherings, teachers' institutes, farmers' institutes and educational associations. It is a fitting close to the meetings that have had an influence for good on many in North Platte. There will be special music. Come and let us close the meetings with good fellowship.

F. VON FORELL.

**For Sale.**

Just listed one of the best and cheapest alfalfa, hay and cultivated farms in the valley. Let Bratt & Goodman show you this.

Mrs. John Barnell went to Ingleside, Neb., last night to visit her husband.

Miss Mayme Johnson, of Brady, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Johnson.

George T. Field is transacting business in Omaha, having left for that city Sunday night.

E. L. Robinson left last night for Beatrice, having been called there by the illness of his sister-in-law.

Mrs. Tim Hanifin has returned from Hastings, where she was called by the sickness and death of a brother.

B. O. Franzen, who had been visiting in this section for a few days, returned last night to his home at Wheatland, Wyo.

Pearl desk and manicure novelties are very much in vogue this season. We have selected a superb line for the holidays. DIXON, The Jeweler.

The Mid-week service at the Baptist church this week will begin at 7:30 and dismiss at 8:45. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at this service.

For Building & Loan money, see Temple Real Estate and Insurance Agency.

J. C. Fogg, foreman of the Gould & Pedersen ranch north of Paxton, was in town this morning enroute home from South Omaha, where he marketed seven cars of cattle last week.

Engine 1508, one of the two which figured in the Borie wreck, passed through to the Omaha shops yesterday. But little remains of the engine other than the boiler.

For insurance. See Temple Real Estate and Insurance Agency.

Considerable moisture fell Sunday, rain and wet snow falling for several hours. There was a decided drop in the temperature last evening and this morning was the coldest of the season.

The Methodists of Kearney dedicated their new \$38,000 church Sunday, Bishop McIntyre presiding. Three services were held, and during the day \$20,000 were subscribed. The fact that so large a sum was given is pretty good evidence that prosperity abounds in Kearney.

See the fine line of Christmas china at Rincker's book store.

Letters addressed to Santa Claus sent by juveniles are already being dropped into the postoffice boxes. Here's hoping that Santa Claus may receive them all and all the requests be granted. The implicit confidence which the child reposes in Santa Claus should not be dashed earlier than possible.

Diamonds for Christmas are a safe investment, as well as an always acceptable gift. We are offering this season some exceptional values in fine diamonds. Let us show you we can save you money. DIXON, The Jeweler.

### Union Pacific Pays Taxes.

The Union Pacific without protest paid its 1908 personal taxes yesterday, the amount of which was \$50,792.38. This is the tax on the main line as well as the O'Fallon branch. Over fifty thousand dollars; that's a big sum. Lincoln county would have had sledding were it not for the taxes paid by the Union Pacific and the Burlington.

### Bratt & Goodman

rent houses, stores, farms, hay, alfalfa and grazing land, make collections, buy and sell real estate. See them.

### North Platte Not Recognized.

Governor Sheldon announced the appointment of four supreme judges yesterday afternoon but failed to recognize either of the two North Platte applicants—Judge Grimes and Judge Hoagland. The appointees are Root and Fawcett, two of the late supreme court commissioners, W. B. Rose, deputy attorney general, and J. J. Sullivan, of Columbus.

The republicans of the "sandhills" of western Nebraska are good fellows for "voting her straight," but when it comes to receiving appointments they are always overlooked.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors, and to the W. R. C. and to all other societies, for the assistance given during the last illness and funeral of our mother, Mrs. Sarah King.

Signed: Mrs. J. S. Morsch, C. A. King and Edwin King.

### City and School Taxes Low.

Some of our citizens are inclined to think that the city taxes in North Platte are high, yet they are but little over half as high as those of Beatrice, York, Kearney and Grand Island. The following table shows the city and school tax of eight of the larger towns of the state, North Platte standing at the head as the lowest in taxation, the figures being for the year 1908:

	City	Schools
North Platte.....	16.5	22.4
Beatrice.....	30.5	30.
Norfolk.....	29.62	25.
York.....	30.	22.
Fremont.....	30.	22.
Hastings.....	24.	27.
Kearney.....	30.	20.5
Grand Island.....	30.5	15.

### For Rent.

Five room house, modern in every respect, bath, electric lights, etc. Only five blocks from the business part of the city. Located in the south part of town. See us at once, for the amount that this place can be rented for will insure its rent by the first applicant. Temple Real Estate & Insurance Agency. Rooms 1 and 2 McDonald Building.

## 5 and 10 Acre Tracts

at

# \$100 Per Acre.

Adjoins City Limits. Ten blocks southeast of Court House. Roy B. Tabor, Trustee.

By Wm. E. Shuman, His Attorney.



### WHEN YOU PUT MONEY IN A CARRIAGE

you want to know that your money isn't wasted. We give a written guarantee to every purchaser. There is no enjoyment that can equal a ride in one of our matchless carriages. We can supply you with any style, all built with that careful attention which in construction and finish add so much to personal comfort.

A. M. Lock.



### You Can't Get Along Without

good harness. When your harness breaks you will realize this. It is better to realize it before and get good harness before you buy. Then you will avoid accidents and won't risk spoiling your horse. We sell a light dependable harness for \$16.00. Every harness we sell is reliable in material and make.

A. F. FINK.

**It's a Real Thanksgiving for the family with a Monarch Range**

**WALLEABLE**

With a Monarch Range in the Kitchen there will be true thanksgiving in the hearts of cook and guest alike. A woman's pleasure in using this perfect range quite equals her pride in serving the family and guests with the delicious food it prepares. Why not make this a Genuine Thanksgiving in your home? What ever your cooking arrangements may be, you can improve them—and you ought to do it. It's not as though it were an extravagance to buy the "best range possible"—as a matter of fact you can't afford to use anything else! The Monarch actually does its work with so little fuel that it soon Pays Back Its Cost in Real Money.

**The things that the Man With a Monarch Range in His Kitchen Has to be Thankful for.**

**It Pleases His Wife Thoroughly.**  
A woman who uses a Monarch Range is more than merely satisfied. She is pleased—enthusiastic about it. She appreciates that she has a range far superior in every respect to the so-called "Steel Ranges" that her friends are using.

**It Cooks His Meals Promptly and Perfectly.**  
No unexpected delay because "the oven wouldn't heat." No spoiled meals that are usually blamed on the cook when the range is really at fault.

**Uses so Little Fuel It Pays for Itself.**  
Here's the important thing. This makes the Monarch range for poor and rich alike. It saves its own cost in a short time and continues to save, year after year. It's an investment that yields big returns regularly, long after the principal has been paid back.

**Some Features of the Monarch Range that makes the Woman Who Uses One Truly Thankful.**

**The Polished Top.**  
Never requires any stove blackening—yet is always in perfect condition—clean and shiny.

**Wellsville Steel Body.**  
Always retains its splendid finish without the use of stove blacking or paint. Most lasting material known for range bodies.

**The Duplex Draft.**  
A device found on the Monarch alone which does away with sifting ashes and keeps the oven uniformly heated.

**An Air-Tight Oven.**  
With patent non-warping bottom. Seams can never open up to admit drafts, ashes and dust as in a so-called "Steel Range." Assures Perfect baking which can be done only in an air-tight oven.

**Lower Warming Closet.**  
A convenient storage compartment underneath the oven. With the door open it heats the kitchen like a base burner and can't interfere at all with the baking oven.

**Absolutely PURE**

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar, the officially approved ingredient for a wholesome, high-class powder

There is greater deception in the sale of baking powders than ever before. Closely observe the label and be certain of getting Royal.

**SOLD BY JOS. HERSHEY,**  
LOCUST AND FIFTH STS. PHONE 15