

Christmas Shopping

made easy at our store—so many articles to select from—every one of known worth—it isn't necessary for you to be a judge of value here—we see to it that prices are made according to values.

Dress Goods and Silks—Our dress goods department is a safe one for men to buy dress patterns for their sisters, cousins, aunts or mothers.

Notions—Christmas comes in two weeks. Don't forget your friends. You will always find a gift suited to your purse here.

Merry Christmas—Useful gifts for small fry, have you seen our infant's Christmas goods?

Down Quilts—Down quilts covered with dainty and beautiful sateen, filled with reliable down.

Underwear and Hosiery—Ladies' cotton Swiss ribbed vests, high neck and long sleeves, 50c each.

Handkerchiefs—A carefully selected stock of pure linen hand embroidered, also plain hemstitched handkerchiefs for the holidays.

Cloaks and Capes—Useful gifts in our cloak department—special prices for Thursday's cloak sale.

Beautiful Plush Capes—Elegant fancy trimmed capes, the sort we have always sold at \$12.00, reduced price \$8.00.

Bleached Sheet—Is always a useful article in any household during the winter season.

Men's Furnishings—A pair of gloves will make an acceptable Christmas present for a gentleman or youth.

FOR GOOD OF UNION LABOR

Federation Considers Plans to Better Workmen's Condition. ANTI-EXPANSION TALK BY A NEBRASKAN

J. F. O'Sullivan of Boston Introduces Revolutionary Measure Imposing Tax on Women's and Children's Employers.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 13.—The eighteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor had hardly gotten down to business this morning when a recess till 2 o'clock was taken.

Anti-Expansion Talk by Nebraskan. S. J. Kent of Lincoln, populist labor commissioner for Nebraska and a personal friend of J. F. O'Sullivan, introduced an expansion resolution.

Miners Imprisoned by Fire. Five Known to Be Dead and Little Hope of Saving Lives of Twenty-Five More.

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BEER ADDED TO ARMY RATION

That Article Recommended in Interest of the General Health. EAGAN WILLING TO INCUR HOSTILITY

Commissioner General Would Make Addition to Soldiers' Menu to Promote Better Conditions—Plenty of Beef Furnished.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Commissioner General Egan of the War department continued his testimony before the investigating committee today.

Plentiful Supply of Beef. Referring to a complaint of the beef given the men in Porto Rico at the outset of that campaign, General Egan said the responsibility rested on other shoulders than his own.

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ST. LOUIS AFTER EXPOSITION

Meeting to Be Called to Arrange for Fitting Celebration of Centennial of Louisiana Purchase.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 13.—The official invitation to the states of the Louisiana purchase to participate in a conference in St. Louis, January 10 next, to determine the place and character of a commemorative of the centennial anniversary of the purchase of the Louisiana territory from France has been issued by Governor Lon V. Stephens, from Hot Springs, Ark., where he is staying while preparing for the coming session of the Missouri legislature.

A Popular Mistake. Regarding Remedies for Dyspepsia and Indigestion. The national digest of Americans is indigestion or in other words, dyspepsia, and for the very reason that it is so common.

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BLISS TO LEAVE THE CABINET

Secretary of Interior Expected to Resign Within a Short Time.

LARGE BUSINESS REQUIRES HIS ATTENTION. Retirement Considered for Some Time and Only Postponed Until More Favorable Conditions Present.

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Six Provinces, Each with Military Governor, Subject to Him. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Major General Brooke arrived in Washington from Fort Monroe today, and was closeted for more than an hour in consultation with Secretary Alger.

ICEBOUND FLEET IN DANGER. Craft of All Descriptions Locked in the Fields Off the Detroit River.

DETROIT, Dec. 13.—The increasing cold weather has rendered more precarious the situation of the big icebound fleet off the Detroit river. From Amherstburg are seen imprisoned craft of all sizes between Colchester Light, Pelee Island and Bar Point.

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