

Today

On American Mountains. The Grave Near the Hangar. No Place for Winnemucca. Nor for Annenberg. By ARTHUR BRISBANE.

On the Southern Pacific Limited, Eastbound From San Francisco, Dec. 17.—This train carries you along the top of American mountains, everything covered with snow, height above sea level ranging from 4,000 to 7,000 feet.

Where the train screeches by, starting heavy cattle, the old emigrant trail may be seen, leading up from Gravelly Ford, on the Humboldt river. Along that trail, early, painfully with their ox carts, their wives and children, men traveled in 1849.

It was only 75 years ago when the first gold-seeking immigrants came to that ford in the river, watching for Shoshone and Piute Indians, children playing and laughing in the jolting wagons, the women going because the men wanted to go, the men plodding on because there was gold ahead.

Looking from the window first to the right, a little later to the left, you realize that this earth moves rapidly, with science pushing it ahead.

To the right, between Cluro and Beowawe, on a low point running out into the Humboldt river, stands a white cross. On one side is written "the maiden's grave," on the other, the young girl's name, "Lucinda Duncan." She is said to be the first white girl dead in the emigrant rush, not killed by Indians, but by loneliness, homesickness and fear.

As you reach Elko, you see on the left great hangars, with relays of flying machines ready. These United States flying mail carriers land and find a fresh machine to carry the mail bags on. And there the pony mail drivers of old stopped and changed their mail pouches to fresh ponies.

There is a contrast between the old and the new United States; with only 75 years between, the lonely grave of the emigrant girl on the right, and on the left the hangars for flying machines of the modern mail service.

The days of emigrant ox cart, stage coach, fighting Piutes and Shoshones, and the days of romance are gone. The proud citizen who gets on at Beowawe directs your particular attention to the local power plant sending energy in all directions, notably to the Buckhorn mines, 37 miles away, "with \$7,000,000 worth of gold ore in sight."

Real gold in sight is the thing in our practical day. The fighting Winnemucca of the Piutes would find this country once divided between his Indians and the Shoshones no place now for an Indian chief. White men are building houses, harnessing waterfalls, digging holes in the ground for gold, silver, copper. Cattle of strange foreign breeds are fenced in. You may not kill and eat them. The horses, big and heavy, are also within fences. Freedom is gone, from animals and Indians.

But there is enough romance left for the eastern paleface. You look into a deep hole, 40 feet below ground, where the track crosses a stream. On the edge of the hole a concrete mixer is at work, and below 20 men are preparing foundations for a new bridge. Just beyond the deep snow is the group of flat tents in which the workers sleep.

There is romance in that, the romance of the science of engineering at work in this country, which was prepared 500,000,000 years ago, as a home for flying men.

Your great-grandchildren will know these mountains, valleys and rivers by actual seeing from above, as well as children of today know some nearby resort.

In generations to come, men and governments more nearly civilized, will allow no children to develop stunted bodies and deformed minds in city slums. They will fly to this country, to these high lands of Nevada, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, to all parts of this American mountain paradise of health and beauty.

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Christmas Shopping Hours

For the convenience of our customers who are unable to shop during the day and in order that our employes may better fit themselves to serve you by longer rest in the morning, our Store Will Open at 10 a. m. and Close at 9 p. m. from now, to and including Wednesday, December 24th.

A Gift Always Acceptable

Boxed Stationery 69c

High grade stationery in a beautiful cross-stitch box. White only. At this price also—white and colored correspondence cards with gold bevel edges.

Main Floor

Boys' \$6.95 Bath Robes \$3.69

Wonderful quality warm Beacon robes in an assortment of colors and patterns found only in the Beacon blankets. Sizes up to 18.

Third Floor

Girls' \$4.95 and \$5.95 Flannel Middies \$3.95

Well tailored "Man O' War" and "Jack Tar" regulation middies in red or dark blue flannel. Neatly trimmed with white silk braid. Sizes 6-14.

Third Floor

Boys' \$9.00 Sweaters \$4.95

Shaker knit all-wool sweaters in plain colors, or two-tone combinations.

Third Floor

\$1.85 Service Weight Silk Hose \$1.35

Thread silk hose, full fashioned, all first quality. With hile tops and feet. Black only. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

Main Floor

3 Boxed Handkerchiefs \$1.00

Colored and white, with embroidered corners.

Main Floor

Toilet Water, 1.00

A large assortment in plain and fancy bottles. Flower and Oriental odors.

Main Floor

Le Jade Toilet Water, 2.00

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Main Floor

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Main Floor

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Only Five More Days Left for Christmas Shopping

NIGHT HOUR SALES - 6 to 7 P.M.

Children's Beaded Bags 25c	3,000 Toys Values up to \$1.39 25c	Box of Chocolates 29c
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Imported bead bags with chain handle and metal frames. All colors. Regular 50c bags. No C. O. D. or phone orders. Main Floor

This includes games, paints, mechanical toys, dolls, trains, animals, balls and hundreds of other toys too numerous to mention. While they last at ... 25c No C. O. D. or phone orders. Bargain Basement

Assorted chocolate with delicious fondant in six flavors. No C. O. D. or phone orders. Main Floor

TOY TOWN

Bargain Tables Filled With Toys

Picking Chickens, Balls, Rubber Toys and many others, regularly 25c ... 10c	Wood Ducks, Autos, Clowns, Pushing Carts, Mechanical Toys. Values to 50c. 25c	Stuffed Animals, Rag Dolls, which usually sell for \$1.00. Priced at... 50c	Artificial Xmas Trees, Teddy Bears, Mechanical Toys. Values to \$2.00... \$1.00
Floor Brushes and some small mechanical toys. Regularly 35c ... 15c	Games, LaVelle Frog Pond, Wicker Work, Sand Art, Crystal Beads. 75c values ... 39c	Games, Steeple Chase, Ladder Games, Little Chicks, Bead Stringing and others. Values to \$1.25 ... 65c	Imported Horse and Wagon, Sprinkling Carts, Milk Wagon, Push Carts. Values to \$10.00 ... \$5.00

Morning Hour Sales 10 to 11 A. M.

75c Double Face New Okeh Records 15c	25c Pink Brocade Bandeaux 15c	Genuine "Gillette" and "Ever-Ready" Safety Razors 27c	Pearl Beads 98c
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1,500 double face records including dance, instrumental, and vocal selections. At this low price while quantities last. No C. O. D. or Mail Orders. Basement

450 bandeaux of fine quality pink brocade, with elastic section at the back. Narrow shoulder straps. Back closing only. Sizes 32 to 40. No C. O. D. or Mail Orders. Second Floor

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A pair of gloves as a gift will never come amiss, for she can well use a different style with each costume. These two-class styles of first quality real kidskin are especially attractive. Trimmed with contrasting stitchings and embroidered backs.

Main Floor

Christmas Suggestions from the Notion Section

\$1.25 Sewing Boxes \$1.00

Scissors, needles, buttons and bright shades of thread in attractive boxes, \$1.00

75c Sewing Boxes 50c

75c Fancy Cretonne Laundry Boxes 59c

65c Rubber Household Aprons in bright shades ... 50c

98c Fancy Covered Shoe Trees 39c

Main Floor

The Most Exquisite Linens for Gifts

Oriental Mats: Made with or without fringe. Suitable for bedroom, bathroom, chair backs or radio tops. Each ... \$2.50	Hemstitched Table Cloths: Irish linen damask cloths with six napkins to match. Neatly boxed. Set... \$9.50
Madeira Napkins: Hand-made Madeira luncheon napkins with attractive corner designs. Dozen, at ... \$6.75	Irish Linen Towels: Made with lace edges and lace insert in the end. Each, \$1.49
Madeira Towels: Hand-made towels, 18x34-inch size, hand-scaled and hand-embroidered. Each ... \$2.50	Italian Crash Set: 13-piece oblong set, scarf with 12 doilies to match. \$17.95
Mosaic Napkins: Hand-made Mosaic luncheon napkins with corner designs and finished with hemstitching. Dozen ... \$6.95	

Second Floor

China and Glass for Gifts

At \$1.00

This lot includes light cut candlesticks, nut bowls with cracker attached, boudoir sets, handled sandwich plates, comb and brush trays, colored glass flower bowls, ash trays, and hand painted salts and peppers.

23-piece Tea Sets \$12.50

Jap China Cups and Saucers 15c

Hand Painted Cups and Saucers 75c

Victoria shape, pair ... 75c

Dessert or Salad Plates, to match, each ... 75c

FANCY SALAD BOWLS, each ... 95c

Odd Pieces of Imported Colored Glass Ware 98c to \$20.00

Powder boxes, flower baskets, and other odd shaped pieces in combinations of colors.

Main Floor

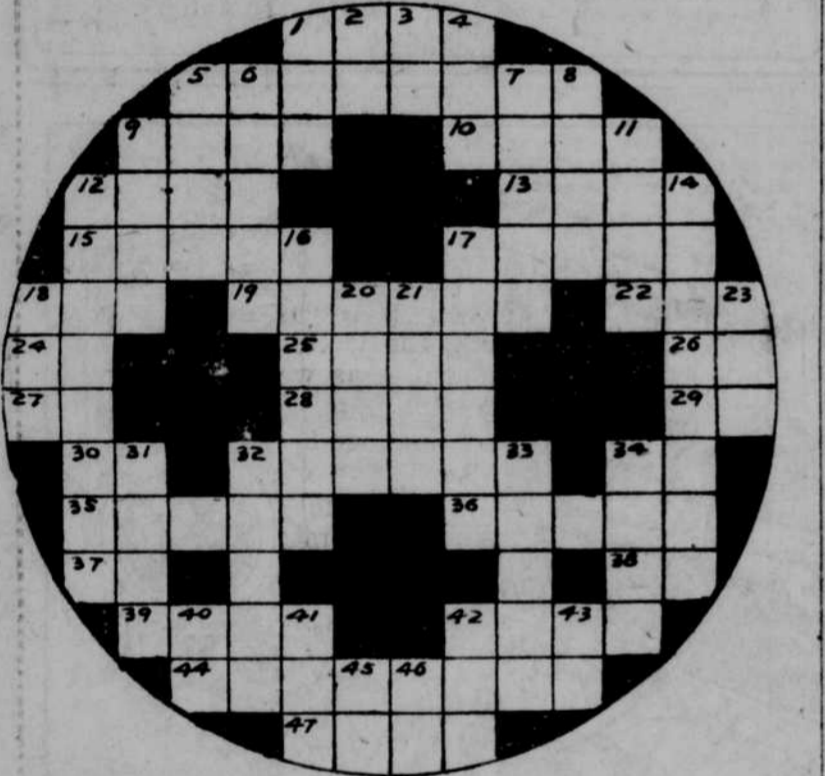
Gifts the Housewife Will Like "Wear-Ever" Aluminum

Tea Kettle: 5-qt. kettle, see a mess, with tight fitting cover and adjustable bail. \$3.19	Fry Pans: 7-in., extra heavy fry pans, at ... 59c
Stew Pans: 2-qt. handled stew pan ... 59c	Bread Boxes: White Japanned bread boxes with round corners and hinged cover. In 87c and 97c two sizes.
Roasters: 10 1/2-inch round roasters, with rack, go at ... \$2.89	Trays: Serving trays, nickel trimmed, with beautiful inlaid decorations. Rectangular or oblong. Choice of two sizes ... \$3.95
Casserole: "Pyrex" casseroles with cut covers in round and oval shapes. Heavy nickel frames. \$5.95	

Fourth Floor

The Daily Cross Word Puzzle

By RICHARD H. TINGLEY.

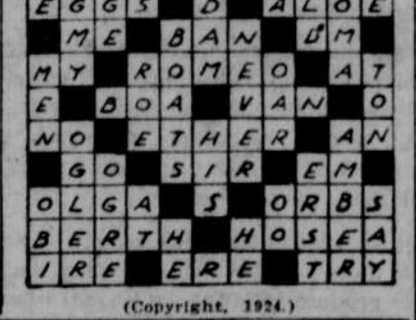


- Horizontal.**
- Sacred bull of the Egyptians.
 - An Indian tribe.
 - To classify.
 - Dreadful.
 - Plant, basis of a drug.
 - Dried leaves of a South American shrub.
 - A case of emergency.
 - Enrolls.
 - Skiffed.
 - Receptacle for brewing a popular beverage.
 - Denoting possession (suffix).
 - A kind of transportation line (abbr.).
 - Among.
 - Biblical city (Genesis 41:45).
 - A preposition.
 - To desire.
 - Right (abbr.).
 - To wit.
 - To annoy.
 - And (French).
 - A state of the spirits.
 - French river.
 - Any person indefinitely.
 - Factor of divinity.
- Vertical.**
- A quantity (abbr.).
 - Greek letter.
 - Included.
 - Turf.
 - Shortly.
 - To build.
 - Legal.
 - The Roman Cupid.

- Narrow opening.
- Outside (without).
- Approximation.
- Classified.
- Health restorer.
- One who rents a room.
- Cunning.
- A book of the Old Testament.
- Half a quart.
- Entomology (abbr.).
- One of Noah's sons.
- A precious stone.
- German river.
- Terminates.
- Bronze Roman coin.
- A small gratuity.
- Greek goddess who incited men to crime.
- A termination (suffix).
- The fashion.
- Horse power (abbr.).

The solution will appear tomorrow.

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle.



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