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#### BRIEF CITY NEWS

Lighting Fixtures. Burgess-Grandon Co. Fidelity Storage & Van Co., Doug. 1888. Eave Boot Print Is—Now Bescon Press. Balarige-Madden Co.—Compensation in-surance inspections for Special rates free. Beautiful All Modern Romes for Sale on the easy payment plan. Bankers Realty Investment Co. Phone Doug. 2026. 1915 Promises to Be a Big Year-Have you prepared for big business by ocating your office in the Ree Building

(the building that is always new)? "Today's Complete Movie Program" classified section today, and appears in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer.

Mrs. Knabe is Granted Divorce-Mrs. Mary M. Knabe has secured a dirorce from John M. Knabe on grounds of on-support.

Pupils' Recital Saturday-Pupils of Lucila Allen Violin school will give a of \$50,000 is desired. program Saturday afternoon at 4 p. m., Arlington block Baham Arrested for Abusing Wife

Joe Baham, 707 South Fifteenth street, is being held in police court for trial on a charge of abusing his wife. Brennan Opens Office Here-W. P. Brennan, inspector of mechanical

equipment in federal buildings, has arrived in Omaha and opened an office in the government building. Beasley Bound Over-Jesse Beasley, arrested with a forged check for \$10.75 in his possession, was bound over

from the police court to the district court with bonds fixed at \$750. Sanko Arrests Deserter-Officer Sanko earned a 50 reward Friday morning when he arrested Harold Holbein of

Reed City, Mich., who is a deserter from the United States army. Pszanowski is Ill in Bed-Detective Jack Pszanowski has been confined

street for the last few days with an acute attack of appendicitis. Now that Business is improving you should improve every opportunity that will mean more business for your firm. An office in The Bee Building (the building that is always new) is that oppor-

Bids on Girls' Home Delayed-Bids to construct the Creighton Working Girls' Home will not be opened until Trustee McShane reaches home and with Trustees Creighton and Daugherty has the bids tabulated.

Kohler Being Held-J. N. Kohler, giving his address as 312 Bee Building and the Carter Lake club, is held at police headquarters on three counts for btaining money under false prestenses. He will be given a hearing Saturday

Bring Daughter for Operation-Frank John and wife of Grand Island brought their daughter to Omaha Thursday for an operation, which was successfully performed yesterday at the Methodist hospital. Miss John is progressing satisfactorily.

Operation for Mrs. Lynch-Mrs. Edward Lynch, wife of the leading man in the stock company now playing at the Boyd theater, was operated upon for appendicitis at Wise Memorial hospital by Dr. H. A. Waggener Thursday. Mrs. Lynch railled from the operation very satisfactorily and is reported to be doing

Union Pacific Promotions-J. B. Ryan, for years chief clerk to Superintendent Lewis of the entire Union Pacific dining car system with headquarters here, has been made commissary agent at Kansas City. He is succeeded here by H. A. Hansen of Kansas City. Purshouse, formerly of Omaha, later commissary agent at Ogden, has been promoted to the same position at Denver. J. J. Veldenzer, dining car conductor, has been promoted to commissary agent to succeed Purshouse at Ogden.

#### Thieves Get Money, Jewelry and Silver

William Barber, 2215 Fowler avenue, reorts to the police that his house was entered through a basement window and jewelry to the value of \$80 stolen. Mrs. M. Schmidt, 2243 North Nineteenth street, also asserts her house was visited by thieves, who gained entrance through

a basement window and carried awae silverware to the amount of \$25. Abe Columbus, 408 North Thirteenth street, lost clothes to the value of \$10 when his room was ransacked by a sneak

Carl Hanson, jeweler, reports the theft of a watch valued at \$12.50, which was taken after the thief had hurled a brick through a plate glass window, and destroyed several valuable piece of cut

## Says He Was Misled in Buying Hotel

Because, he alleges, after purchasing it he learned that the Madison hotel, 2102 Chicago street, had a bad reputation, is one of the reasons given by J. B. Mueiler for suing Peter Langer for \$16,685. The plaintiff alleges incorrect representations concerning the property were made to

#### COLLECTOR CADET TAYLOR MAY GET PAY INCREASE

An annual salary of \$3,500 instead of \$2,500 will be paid Cadet Taylor, collector of customs and custodian of the Omaha federal building, if a bill just passed by the house of representatives is approved by the senate. Under it he will receive the higher rate of pay from July 1, 1913. or almost \$1,500 back pay. Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo explained to congress that the lower salary authorized originally for Collector Taylor was a mistake. The bill to raise his pay was introduced by Congressman C. O. Lobeck. The \$3,500 salary is paid to other collectors in cities the size of Omaha.

#### MARQUETTE CLUB OF BENSON CLOSES BAZAR

After a two-days' bazar at Voss' hall. Benson, the Marquette club, made up of village citizens, closed as a success.

Best for Kidneys Says Doctor.

Dr. J. T. R. Neal, Greenville, S. C., says that in his thirty years of experience he has found no preparation for the kidneys equal to Foley's Kidney Pills. Pain in back and hips is an indication of k'dney trouble- a warning to build up the weakened kidneys, make them vigorous, ridding your blood of acids and polsons. Foley Kidney Pills will help any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. In 50c and \$ cizes. For sale by all dealers -Advertise

#### WANT INCREASE FOR LIBRARY

Members of the Board Working to Get Larger Appropriation.

NEED TWENTY THOUSAND MORE

Present Institution is Not Able to Meet the Demand of Omahans with the Money that is Now Forthcoming.

Declaring that the annual appropriation or the Omaha public library is inadequate and not in proportion to the size of the city, members of the library board are working to have it increased. To do so an act of the legislature will be necessary, as the \$30,000 provided for in the city budget is the maximum now allowed by the city charter. An annual allowance

President C. N. Dietz, Secretary Lucien Stephens and other members of the 'library board have been conferring with the Douglas county delegation to the legislature, and it is understood that all are friendly to the proposition. A bill authorixing the increased appropriation will be introduced early in the new legislative

A better reference library, a new collection of reference books concerning bustness, applied science and industry, more deposit stations in the suburbs, 'ncreased facilities in the book bindery, more new titles and more duplicate copies of books in the main library, and a generally in- cities in the United tSates have a much creased equipment, so as to accompdate greater library allowance per capita. more book borrowers, are among the urgent needs of the library, according to members of the board.

"We are now serving 24,000 patrons." says President Dietz, "and are unable to take care of any more with our present clamoring for library nervice. The library to his home at 2509 South Twenty-fifth has been unable to keep pace with the East, was fined \$25 and costs in police tempt to force payment of all taxes be- charge of breaking into sealed grain cars GRACE SORENSON, Editor. Tel, H. 2687 growth of the city, because of lack of court Friday morning.

#### PRACTICAL CHRISTMAS CHARITY

The Christmas season is THE SEASON OF GIVING, and the giving that brings most satisfaction is that which extends assistance to needy, but deserving unfortunates.

While there are many worthy objects of charity, The Bee is inviting attention to A FEW SPECIAL CASES, carefully investigated and vouched for by the Associated Charities, that appeal strongly to the sympathetic heart behind the helping hand.

Italian widow and three children—Came here from Italy last March.
Father had been here about a year before he sent for his family.
Father died last June. No insurance. Do not speak English, so mother finds it hard to get work. Children: Girl 11, girl 9, and boy 4. Live with relatives, who are poor themselves and can hardly afford to let them have their room rent free. County helps with groceries and coal. Need warm clothing, shoes and extra food.

Bohemian family of seven—Mother and six children. Father in State Asylum for the Insane in Lincoln. Children: Boys, 10, 6 and 2½, and girls, 4 and 2 years. Mother's pension of \$30 a month. Rent, \$10 month. Need clothing and shoes for the children.

Widow (colored) and 12-year-old daughter—Mother lost an arm and leg in accident. Tries to support family with washing. County helps with groceries and coal. Need warm clothing, shoes and a little extra food.

Those disposed to contribute to any of these worthy objects may emit directly to Mrs. George W. Doene, secretary of the Associated

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funds. Practically all other metropolitan PEGG OUT COLLECTING

#### DAVIS FINED TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS AND COURT COST

John Grant Pegg, city sealer of weights and measures, is making an effort to H. E. Davis, 2129 North Twentieth ers. The secretary of the Small Coal tag of the Missouri Pacific, are being small fund, although many more are street, arrested on a charge of assault Dealers' association has interested him- held for trial and investigation by the and battery preferred against him by T. self in the collection work and will at- Interstate Commerce commission on a fore Pegg starts prosecutions.

#### Charities of City Endorse the Work of Miss Mabel Porter

At a regular meeting of the executive committee of the Associated Charities of Omaha the following resolutions were unanimously adopted and signed by Mrs. Draper Smith, Robert Burns and Rabb

Bucklen's Arnies Salve

For a cut, bruise, sore and skin trouble. box should be in every household. All druggists -- Advertisement.

#### OCCUPATION TAXES THREE HELD FOR BREAKING INTO INTERSTATE SHIPMENT

Sam Bohl, George Clark and Hugh Valcollect occupation taxes from coal deal- entine, arrested by Special Officer Palmin transit.

#### **Oriental Rugs** FOR Holiday Gifts

It would be difficult to imagine anything more appropriate for Christmas than a beautiful ori ental rug.

They possess the twofold merit of beauty and value and will be used w th pleasure and satisfaction long after the "usual gift" has been for-

Oriental Rugs at Beaton & Laier's are not high. priced - ranging from \$9.75, \$10.50, \$12, \$15

Beaton & Laier Co. 415-417 So. 16th St.

#### A Christmas Gift EVERY CHILD'S MAGAZINE

Subscription, 50 Cents a Year. 314 South 19th St., Omaha,

# Presents Please Absents!

Who has not heard the saying, "Absence Makes the Heart Grow Fonder." It's older than I am and I have tarried here a few years. Some cynical individual said, "Absence Makes the Heart Grow Fonder-of Somebody else," and he may have had reason for his cynicism. The saying holds good and is true, nevertheless and notwithstanding. Many and many a reader of this page will remember when far removed from home and friends, how the heart was gladdened by tidings from loved ones. And when the Natal day came round-joyous Easter, Merry Christmas, -how the little giftling from friends far away warmed the cockles of the heart. Yes, dear reader, we have been there, and we know all about it. Now then, that's the justification for the headline. You know and we know PRESENTS PLEASE ABSENTS. What if the delightful custom is abused. What if there are some who are doing away with the habit, they may have a good reason. What if your income has been slightly reduced. All the more reason why you should not depart from normal custom this year. Don't you realize that if you and others commence curtailing it only aggravates the situation. Just as important to avoid hysteria as it is not to rock the boat.

### THOMAS KILPATRICK & CO. Offer Special Attractions on

# SATURDAY, December 12th

We have cleared off one entire counter in our Dress Goods Section, have covered it over with Books, Stationery, Cards, etc.; impossible to give you full list or description, but our word for it. Many of the items will be sold at half former prices and some much less than that. To make easy selling, divisions will be made and the lots will be sold at 5c, 10c, 25c, 35c 50c, and one division at exactly one-half former prices.

AT 5c-Cards, Tags, Seals, "Do Not Open," Etc. Many

items one-half and one-third usual prices. AT 10c-Engraved Cards for son, daughter, for babies' picture, Volland 30c booklets, e'c,

AT 25c-Stationery, Correspondence Cards, Odd Initials, Mottoes. Every Man's Library, Loving Cup, Christmas Wish, Love in All Ages, Me to You, Etc. Articles and lots worth 35c, 50c and even 75c.

AT 35c-Miniature Books, Poets, Classics, Ariel booklets, World's classics, Robert Louis Stevenson's calendar, Flona McLeod Calendars, new this season; this is an attractive division. You should come in the morn-

AT 50c-Golden Treasury, Gem Classics, Land of Little Care, Bullfinchs' Fables, Christmastide, by Dickens; Old Sweetheart, Rubiyat Prayers and Mottoes, Pencil Sets, in boxes. Many items worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. AT 98c-Lullabys, Guest Room Mottoes, etc., worth

up to \$2.00. Just in, some wonderful book ends, made from a metal composition. Verde Bronze, Statuary Bronze, Old Gold, Etc. Subjects: Buffalo, Elephant, Owl, Goat and Gate, Sphinx, Young Student, Silence, Captive, Monk with Beads, Buddha, Frolic, Etc.-DON'T MISS THESE.

#### THE CHILDREN'S SECTION

Filled to the running over point with so much and so varied a collection as to fill the hearts of mother and child with gladness and satisfaction. Practical, Playful, Pleasing, and the Christmas spirit and sentiment running through and through it all. Coats and dresses for all ages. Dressy dresses in holiday boxes. Dolls and then more dolls. German character dolls, talking dolls, clown dolls. Children go wild over the one that rocks the baby, and the pig that runs and squeals is a scream. There's a lot of big dolls, usually \$4, and \$5, selling at \$2.98. A big assortment of dolls at 25c each.

Infants' Section-Draws fond mothers and those who like to please them.

#### KIDS—Dressed and Undressed

Also Mochas. Arranged for your convenience. Gloves in boxes-one, two and three pairs. Specially good value. Sizes and colors not right can be exchanged. All gloves are warranted to please the wearer.

I want to pause right here and acknowledge with gratitude the many, many kind expressions about our store, our stock and our help. One lady said only yesterday, "Courtesy, is in the very atmosphere." This morning a dear friend and customer sent us the following-it is so complimentary as to embarras us, but knowing how sincere she is, we desire in this way to show appreciation and acknowledgment-

I don't know what to read tonight. This novel is so deep And that one is so foolish The other one so cheap! And Magazines don't tempt me. The War News is so sad But look! Here's wit and wisdom! I'll read Kilpatrick's Ad.

This is so sweet as well as complimentary, that we feel this is just the place to mention COBB. Instinctively now people make the connection "COBB"-"CANDY." I read the little rhyme to Cobb and he said, "By George, that's good-good like our candy."

# COBB'S CANDIES

In special containers, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5-lb, boxes, Shipped by express or mail wherever your Uncle Samuel will take them. Bon Bons, Delicious Chocolates, 60c the pound. Connoisseurs (that's a good word), say equals much that sells for 80c and even \$1.00. Cobbs clientele grows constantly. Orders come from all over our own land and many from over the ocean wide. Black Walnut Pillows, Rich chewey candy, interior of new black wainut kernels. This is a big seller. When we offer at 30c per lb., usually all out by noon. That's the price for Saturday.

MELTAWAYS-What names Cobb coins, so apropos. (How is that?) This is a confection with a crispy center, a covering of Chocolate and nuts, 25c a box. From the neutral port of Holland, unpacked today, Chocolates, Santa Claus Candy and quaint candies for the Christmas tree.

Salted Jumbo Pecans, Almonds, Pistachio Nuts, Etc. Just writing about these goodles has started the habit. You'll get it too, and be just as glad as I am. Cobb's Candies are Presents Which Please Absents.

# NOW, DOWN WE GO To the Beautiful China Section

Take a little time. Handle and inspect. This department is so different from the usual as to be almost an education. Bowls for a Jap village. Flower holders for the table. English Pottery. Baskets, Jars and Bowls, Smoking Sets with quaint wording, and Wicker Trays artistic; Book Holders, Brass Jardiniers, Vases and Bowls, new and unique. Not likely to be a duplicate in the entire city if you select here.

Last year we sold a large number of Spencers-made in the Orkneys. Not easy to get them this year. But we have a Spencer with sleeves made in this country from Shetland wool. Awfully comfy, women say, under a coat or otherwise. Usually \$1.00 on sale at 69c.

We surely did start something when we sprung the

# **FUR SALE**

Do you know there are hundreds of people who believe in the power of suggestion? Getting people to think alike has a far reaching effect we know. I wonder if that's what brought wintry weather and snow. Wish we had sprung it earlier. Still a good fur assortment left. Stock is dwindling down, however. Here is just a little list:

\$125.00 Muff selling at ...... \$ 95.00 \$100.00 Muff selling at ...... 85.00 \$ 75.00 Muff selling at ...... \$ 55.00 \$ 65.00 Muff selling at ...... \$ 30.00 \$ 67.50 Collar selling at .....\$ 45.06 \$ 50.00 Collar selling at ...... 8 37.50

\$ 37.50 Collar selling at ...... \$ 25.00 Our furs are selected with the greatest care and like everything else in this store, warranted to give satisfaction.

#### WOMEN'S COATS

New ideas for cooler days. New Seal Plush garments with Fitch collars. New Plaid short coats. New Corduroy flares, a special satin lined garment for \$15.00. We omitted to state that most of the fine fur pieces are Mink. A Fur opportunity you should not miss. You'll go further and not fare so well.

## We Have an **Exacting Clientele in Underwear**

Years of catering to thousands of intelligent and discriminating buyers has made us insist on perfect merchandise. The value is in the garment, not in ink or on sign boards. Shapes that are new, % sleeves, Dutch necks, knee lengths, all weights. Bodices all weights. Gauze Cotton vests with wool pants in combination suits. Low neck with sleeves, etc. Glove silk underwear in suits, vests, bloomers, camisoles. Not only chic, pleasant to touch but also durable. Saturday specials, Vests, \$1.19; Bloomers, 81.69 each.

### Silk Stockings for Gifts

Did you ever know anyone who was not pleased with such a gift? Sometimes disappointment may have come in the wear. A rare happening when bought at KILPATRICK'S. And when it occurs Made right quickly. When we say silk its silk, not wood fiber. Splendid value at \$1.00 per pair. Black and sixty colors. Clocked stockings in black and white, at \$1.50 per pair. Out sizes, \$1.00 and \$1.50 per pair. Novelties made by Mac Callum and many direct from France, priced at regular stepping stones up to \$10.00 pair. These, too, are Presents to Please Absents.

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