

Christmas Announcement to To Early Holiday Shoppers

Our efforts this season to please the Christmas shoppers seems to meet with the approval of the public, as our sales so far this season are far ahead of last year. Our store is crowded with new and pretty gifts for everybody. Let us make a few suggestions for you.

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| Ladies' and Men's Gold Watches, | Boys' and Girl's Watches, |
| Diamond Rings \$10 and upwards, | Diamond Brooches \$10 and upwards |
| Stick Pins, | All kinds of Set Rings, |
| Cuff Links, | New Locketts and Chains, |
| Gold Fobs, | Hat Pins, |
| Signet Rings, | Bracelets, |
| Chime Clocks, | Gold Headed Canes, |
| Mantel Clocks from \$3.00 and Upwards, | |
| Ladies' and Mens' Detachable Handle Umbrellas, | |
| Silver Plated Spoons one-half dozen 90 cents, | |
| Knives and Forks \$3 a set and upwards, | |
| Sterling Spoons \$2.50 per set and upwards, | |
| Jewel Cases \$1 and up | Hand Bags \$1.50 and up. |

And everything in the store marked at very low prices as we are out for the Holiday Trade, if a big stock and low prices will do it, we are going to do the business. Would be pleased to have you drop in and let us show you.

All articles sold engraved free of charge. Anything you may select will be laid away for you.

CLINTON, Jeweler and Optician

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Miss Edith Wendeborn will entertain the Jolly Twelve Thursday evening. Buy your Christmas gifts of the Presbyterian ladies Thursday evening, Dec. 1st. Manager Westphal, of the Crystal, returned yesterday from a brief visit in Omaha.

If you want to borrow money on real estate see Bratt & Goodman. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott have returned from a week's visit with their son Fred and family in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Thompson returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with friends in Omaha. License to wed was granted yesterday to Wm. Milldyke and Miss Nellie Haney, both of whom gave Kearney as their residence.

Nothing nicer for a Christmas gift than a delicate piece of china. Make your selection at the Tramp Grocery. Mrs. C. S. Clinton writes from Grand Rapids, Mich., that her father died last Friday, a few days after she reached his bedside.

Manager Stamp has booked Lillian Russell for the evening of January 9th. The play to be presented will be "In Search of a Sinner."

Our display of plain and fancy china is the best shown in the city. Tramp Grocery. The record keeper of the Lady Macca-bees will be at Newton's store tomorrow afternoon at which time dues for that lodge will be collected.

The ladies' aid of the M. E. church will meet on Friday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. M. J. Forbes, in the 500 block on West Fourth street.

Mrs. Albert Schatz left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Topeka, Kan., expecting to be absent several weeks. She was accompanied as far as Omaha by Mr. Schatz.

Fire Insurance is always the best when written by Bratt & Goodman.

The last of the jury cases for this term of court is being heard today. Court will be adjourned Saturday until the latter part of January. Judge Grimes will leave Sunday to hold a term of court in Scotts Bluffs county.

A special feature of our stock is the opportunity for selection. In all departments we are showing new and exceptional goods at reasonable prices. DIXON, THE JEWELER.

A ten cent social will be given under the auspices of the Altar society of the Catholic church at the home of Mrs. Con Walker Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 30th. Mrs. Walker will be assisted by Mesdames McCabe, Basta, Dunn and Tillion. A nice lunch will be served to which the public is invited.

The Tramp Grocery carries Usinger of Milwaukee line of sausages. They include Braunnachweiger style Libervurst, Meltwurst (fine), Knackwurst, Smoked Bratwurst, Blutwurst, Butts from Young Pigs and Cervelat (Goethinger) style.

Rev. J. W. Hill, Presbyterian minister at Gandy, is a visitor in town today.

For Rent—Furnished rooms with furnace heat. Inquire at 820 East 5th St. Visit the booth of home made canned fruits, pickles and jellies at the Presbyterian fair Dec. 1st.

Harry Bulch has closed his blacksmith shop on Locust street and this morning went to Grand Island where he will open a shop.

At the last meeting of the Methodist aid society it was decided to renew the former custom of donating \$25 per year for the running expenses of the Y. M. C. A.

Only eleven tickets to the consecration of Bishop Beecher were allotted to North Platte people, but a letter received yesterday stated that all North Platte people who presented themselves at the north door of the cathedral before 9:40 Wednesday would be given seats.

Choice Poland China spring males, the heavy boned kind, also choice Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Prices reasonable. Valley View Stock Farm, B. G. Sowle, Prop., Maxwell, Nebr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mason returned home Sunday after a ten-weeks pleasure trip spent at Ames, Iowa, with their daughter Nina and with their son Rob at Aurora. They also visited in Chicago and Des Moines. Mac says he had such a pleasant time he really regretted to return home.

Wanted—Young woman between the age of twenty-one and thirty to enter training school for nurses; address superintendent, Physicians and surgeon Hospital, North Platte, Nebr.

C. F. Swift, of Peckham precinct, who is a juror at this term of court visited The Tribune office yesterday for the purpose of helping "grease the wheels." Mr. Swift said his corn this year would run about thirty-five bushels to the acre. While this is far below the average crop, he is thankful that it is not less. He has one hundred head of hogs about ready for market.

If you select your holiday gifts early you have the advantage of best selections at lowest prices. Goods selected now will be held until Christmas. DIXON, THE JEWELER.

Sigel Melton, who has been raising horses and cattle in Willow precinct for twenty-eight years past, has been serving on the district court jury for the past ten days. In a call on The Tribune yesterday he said he intended closing out his cattle and raise horses exclusively. He now has 100 head of well bred horses and will increase the herd. There is less work and more money in raising horses than cattle.

To friends and neighbors, to members of the Royal Neighbors, and Knights of Columbus and Bolleermakers, thanks are extended most sincerely for the assistance so kindly given during the illness and following the death of the late Mrs. Thomas Yonda and for the beautiful floral tributes. THOS. YONDA AND RELATIVES.

For Sale. A few young jacks from 14 to 15 hands high, three to six years old. Inquire of R. L. Douglas, 207 east 11th street.

Mrs. Ray Raynor will soon leave for an extended visit with her parents in Idaho.

The Beam brothers expect to open their billiard hall in the Goosee building the early part of next week.

Dr. T. J. Kerr returned yesterday from Omaha where he had been transacting business for several days.

We have genuineness attractions for Christmas and we want you to know it. DIXON, THE JEWELER.

George A. Walker, now resident of Denver, has been in town for a couple of days transacting business.

Miss Whitaker will continue to close out her entire stock of trimmed and un-trimmed hats at very low prices.

Barb wire at \$3.00 pr 100 lbs. at Her shops.

W. J. Crusen left yesterday for St. Cloud, Florida, where he will investigate real estate conditions and may conclude to invest.

For Sale—Same choice Poland China Boars, also some Red Polled Bulls. Payne's Dairy Farm, one half mile south of North Platte.

Ed Coker and A. B. Yates, of Sutherland, were in town yesterday making final settlement in the estates of the late Mrs. Yates and Mrs. Conway.

The Jeffries-Johnson prize fight pictures will be exhibited at the Keith Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week. There are six reels of the pictures, and they are said to be very steady and clear.

Miss Jessie Blankenburg will organize classes in China painting. Those interested may call at 102 West 6th St. Also a line of hand painted china and other hand decorated Christmas gifts for sale, and orders taken.

O. H. Thoelecke reports the sale of the northeast quarter and lots 4 and 5 of section 15-14-31 to W. E. Chaney of Nuckolls county for \$6,000. This land lies northwest of town and is known as the Walker tree claim.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL



EAST FRONT STREET, NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

MEDICAL STAFF: Dr. D. T. Quigley, Dr. G. B. Dent, Dr. V. Lucas.

A general hospital for all acute and chronic cases—medical, surgical and obstetric. Open to the medical profession. For further information address.

W. M. CUNNINGHAM, Mgr

Samples from Col. Cody's Mine. Jeweler Dixon placed on exhibition in his show window this morning samples of rich ores from Campo Bonito Mines in the Santa Catalina Mountains of Arizona, of which company Colonel W. F. Cody is president. Among the samples displayed is one containing free gold which assays from \$550 to \$750 per ton and another containing lead and silver running \$81.00 per ton and others containing a very high per centage of copper.

Included in the display is a bracelet of pure gold nuggets—one of which weighs over two ounces. This bracelet the Colonel had made at Tucson and presented it to Mrs. Cody with the proper inscription.

The company has erected a large stamp mill on the property, and the mines are being worked with three shifts of men, each shift working eight hours. It is learned that this mining property is likely to make Colonel Cody a multi-millionaire. Bully for the Colonel, say we all.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Tout returned Sunday from their visit in Lincoln.

Capt. Swingley, of the tax department of the Union Pacific, was a North Platte visitor yesterday.

Frank Weingand, foreman of the coal yards, returned yesterday from a visit with friends in Omaha.

Chief Dispatcher Zentmeyer returned today from Omaha, where he had been transacting business for a few days.

A number of section foremen of the Wyoming division were in town Sunday and were examined by the board of examiners.

See the Philathea Girls at the Presbyterian church Thursday, Dec. 1st, for home made candy and pop-corn.

During the absence of Mr. Mohler in Europe, Genl. Supt. Ware is acting general manager of the Union Pacific.

Though seven crews running west out of North Platte have been taken out of service and others may be soon, business on the U. P. is termed good by local officials. The first of this month sixteen engines of the 300 class were sent from the Nebraska division to be used west of this terminal, and as these are heavier than the 1600 and 1900 class, heavier train tonnage has resulted, and this has resulted in fewer trains.

Campaign Expenses. The treasurers of the democratic and republican county committees filed with the county clerk yesterday their receipts and disbursements during the last political campaign. The receipts of the democrats were \$174, of which amount \$24 was contributed by the state committee, \$90 was received from the city saloon keepers—\$15 from each—and the remainder was contributed by a few individuals. All the money received was disbursed. The republican committee received \$196.20, this sum coming from twenty-four contributors. Not a cent was received from the state committee. The receipts were a little less than the disbursements, the unpaid bills being listed. This deficit will be made up by members of the party.

The best bargains ever offered in 640 acre improved farm ranch near the White Horse Creek. It consists of an 8 room house, water piped in house, grove, sheds, barn, cows, teams, wagons, buggy, harness, implements, over four miles of fence, corn, hay. All goes. Close to good school. Only \$12.00 per acre. Part long time. If you want something worth the money, buy this. Must be sold quick. BRATT & GOODMAN

The Elks met last evening and balloted upon a dozen applications for membership. Initiatory services will be held two weeks from last night, when there will be a class of twenty or more.

Mrs. George Harvey and children returned to Sidney last night after visiting Mr. Harvey for a few days. The latter has been working at the Ritner marble yards for a couple of months.

The woman's auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will meet at the rooms Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. A full representation of members is desired.

W. C. Ritner, of this city, will open a branch marble yard at Scotts Bluffs and will probably place George Harvey in charge.

The bulk of the hogs in South Omaha yesterday sold at \$6.98, a ten cent advance over Saturday's prices.

Improved Train Service to Chicago. Six trains daily in each direction between North Platte, Lexington and Chicago, via the Chicago, Union Pacific and Northwestern line including superbly electric lighted Denver Special which leaves North Platte at 5:35 every evening, reaching Chicago at 1:30 p. m. the next day. A solid through train with convenient schedules and all travel convenience. Full information on application to the Ticket Agent Union Pacific R. R.

Notice. Just received a carload of Onions and Cabbage which we will sell as follows: Cabbage at \$2.25 per 100 pounds, onions \$1.40 per bushel. See us for prices on 10 and 20 bushel lots. LOUDEN, North Locust street.

Serial No. 01913-02131. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. United States Land Office. At North Platte, Nebraska, Nov. 26, 1910. Notice is hereby given that George H. Schaefer, of Myrtle, Nebraska, who, on Nov. 23rd, 1908, made homestead entry No. 19776, Serial No. 01913, for the southeast quarter and on July 15th, 1909, made H. E. No. 30978 Serial No. 02131, for the east half of the southwest quarter, and lots 6 and 7, all in section 5, Township 16, N., Range 2, W. of the 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver at North Platte, Nebraska, on the 23d day of Jan. 1911. Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur R. Todenhoff, of Tryon, Neb.; Casper F. Sivita, of North Platte, Neb.; Eugene Ardery, of Gandy, Neb.; and R. E. London, of North Platte, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Ray D. Raynor, Deceased. To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that I will set at the county court room in North Platte in said county, on 25th day of December, 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on the 26th day of June, 1911, at 9 o'clock a. m., to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is 6 months from the 25th day of December A. D. 1910, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 25th day of December, 1910. This notice to be published eight successive issues in the North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune, prior to December 20th, 1910. Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 25th day of November, 1910. W. C. ELDER, County Judge.



Mr. VanDerhoof of The Star says:

He has in stock and will put on sale for Christmas trade the greatest and most beautiful line of Grips, Bags and Suit Cases ever shown west of Omaha. The public is cordially invited to call and inspect them at

The Star Clothing House.

THE FRENCH DRY CLEANING AND PRESSING PLACE. We do all kinds of cleaning, pressing, dyeing and repairing for ladies' and gents. We call and deliver the goods. A. SIGEL, The Little Tailor. 223 E. 6th St. Phone 182.

You economical women who buy Corsets for a dollar or two—



Don't you know that's false economy? Let us tell you about a REAL bargain.

When front laced corsets were first placed on the market at \$25 they were purchased only by the millionaire class. Later when the \$15 corset made its appearance women sought them because, even though considered a luxury, they were recognized as the one corset that combined style and healthful comfort. Then when the \$12, \$8 and \$5 Gossard was offered many women eagerly accepted the opportunity to secure the corset that until then had seemed beyond their reach.

THE GOSSARD CORSETS

NOW, when you can get true Gossard principals of corsetry, with the distinctive features of the Gossard front lacing, the habit back and the hygienic comfort combined, and the same beautiful lines for which formerly \$25 was cheerfully paid—for only \$3.50—doesn't it seem absurd to even think of another make?

Suppose you HAVE felt that \$2 was your limit to pay for a corset. Be honest. Has it been satisfactory? Has it kept the lines that looked good to you when you bought it? Has it worn well? Has it been comfortable? Was it fitted by an expert corset fitter whose experience proved of valued aid in knowing the particular model for your style of figure? Have you sometimes wondered why some women had such perfect poise, could stoop and exercise without having a steel break and dig into them, why their clothes fitted so well, especially why their backs looked so good? Didn't it ever dawn on you that it is the Gossard that does all this and more?

A Gossard at \$3.50 is true economy, but it's not cheap in the true sense of the word, for there is nothing tawdry about it. The materials are the best there are on the market for the money.

The model illustrated conforms to the present styles and the workmanship shows the Gossard precision of details and accuracy of boning. Boned with Electric boning, which is as strong as steel, yet more pliable than whalebone.

Here is an opportunity waiting for you. Be fitted by one of our experienced corsetieres who is acquainted with every detail of corset fitting from a fashionable and hygienic standpoint. The same courteous attention given to the \$3.50 fitting as to a \$25 one. Other models from \$5 to \$25. Come and see for yourself.

Wilcox Department Store, North Platte, Nebraska.