



THE GIFT STORE

The Gift Store ...Is Ready For You...

THE Careful Christmas Shopper appreciating that only the highest standards have prevailed at this store since its opening, naturally turns toward Clinton's Jewelry Store at this season. The spirit of the giver counts infinitely more than the gift itself, so whether your gift be large or small, the fact that you made your selection at Clinton's Jewelry Store cannot fail of appreciation. The following suggestions taken from the multitude of gift things here may be of some assistance in deciding your Gift problems;

GIFTS IN SILVER

- Mesh Bags
- Cologne Bottles
- Shaving Brushes
- Candlesticks
- Atomizers
- Picture Frames
- Hair Receivers
- Card Cases
- Cigarette Cases
- Pencil Holders
- Spoons
- Coin Holder
- Bracelets
- Jewel Boxes
- Glove Boxes
- Flasks
- Letter Openers
- Pen Holders
- Book Marks
- Table Ware
- Match Boxes
- Knives

GIFTS IN GOLD

- Mesh Bags
- Purses
- Cologne Bottles
- Cuff Buttons
- Key Rings
- Flower Holders
- Umbrellas
- Cigar Holders
- Cigarette Holders
- Knives
- Pencils
- Scarf Pins
- Canes
- Tie Clasps
- Brooches
- Rings
- Baby Pins
- Toilet Sets
- Desk Clocks
- Key Chains
- Scissors
- Vanity Cases

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NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Store Open Evenings Until Christmas

We Want Your Repair Work



DR. O. H. CRESSLER, Graduate Dentist.

Office over the McDonald State Bank.

Local and Personal

Miss Cora White, of Hershey, is visiting in the city with her sister, Mrs. Sizemore.

Miss Della Kirsh returned home Wednesday after a visit in the city with her sister, Mrs. G. Hecker.

B. Skinner, of Moorefield, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday to make a final proof on his claim.

District Judge H. M. Grimes returned home Tuesday from Lexington where he had been holding court. The term there was a short one and few cases were to be tried.

William Otten received word the fore part of the week telling of a fire which burned up the home of his mother in Nampa, Ida. The house was only recently built and was valued at \$3,000. The fire occurred Monday of this week.

Turkel and Martin Jepsen of the Curtis vicinity were business callers at the court house yesterday.

William Schott resumed his position yesterday morning as driver for the American Express company, after an absence of sixty days.

The local weather bureau office and the central telephone have entered into an agreement whereby farmers on phone lines can obtain the weather forecast each day without charge by calling up the central office. This ought to prove a great convenience to farmers, for if there is a storm or cold wave predicted, they can learn when it is due and prepare for it in the way of housing their stock and getting feed handy.

The Twentieth Century club met Tuesday evening in the library building and discussed plans for the future work of the organization. Many plans for the civic improvement have been brought up and the club will soon begin the working out of these plans. Reports of the different committees were heard at this meeting and all report progress. The civic department has been called into a meeting for Saturday evening, and at this time they will take up many important plans for the work along the line of civic improvements.

Pioneer Resident Dies in the City.

Mrs. Mary J. Haynes, wife of John S. Haynes, of 618 West Twelfth street, died yesterday morning at 1:30 o'clock at the residence. Mrs. Haynes has been poorly for some time, suffering with cancer which was the cause of her death. She was seventy-three years and seven months old at the time of her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynes moved to North Platte from Butler county in 1885 and have made their residence here ever since. Mrs. Haynes has been a member of the Presbyterian church for a number of years and was always actively engaged in Christian work. She has a host of friends, who regret to learn of her death.

She leaves to mourn her death, besides her many friends a husband, a daughter, Mrs. John Ritner, and eight grandchildren. One child died several years ago.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 from the residence, as she requested before her death. Rev. Christie officiated and the pall bearers were selected from the G. A. R., of which Mr. Haynes is a member. The floral offerings were beautiful, and numerous, many being contributed by friends. Interment was in the North Platte cemetery.

Mrs. L. Johnson was happily surprised Monday evening when some of her neighbors stepped into her home, unannounced, with filled baskets, to help her celebrate her birth anniversary. A pleasant evening was spent in conversation, music and games.

The program at the Baptist church Wednesday evening was one of great interest and a large crowd attended. Both Mr. Hinderhott and his son proved themselves past masters and delighted their audience with many selections of different descriptions.

The S. O. C. club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Baskins, 402 West Eight street, and enjoyed a pleasant afternoon. Cards were played until the usual hour, and at the close of the afternoon, a dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. All report a pleasant afternoon.

Frank Nelson, of Ogalalla, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday. Mr. Nelson is in the mercantile business at Ogalalla.

A gift for everyone! We have an exceptional line to select from. Toilet articles of every description and a full line of white ivory toilet and manicure sets. Rineker Book & Drug Co.

Mrs. D. T. Quigley and Mrs. E. J. Vanderhoof were hostesses at an auction bridge party Tuesday afternoon at the home of the former. Six tables were used and the afternoon passed very pleasantly. Lunch was served at the close of the games.

Organize Against White Slave Traffic

The Presbyterian church was crowded to capacity Tuesday evening when Dr. Essert lectured on the subject, "The Passing of the Double Standard." The lecture was one of the best that has ever been heard in this city and the audience was very much enthused with the Anti-White-Slave idea. At the close of the lecture, the people got together and completed a local organization and elected officers.

As soon as the organization is in working order, a regular meeting time will be appointed by the local president and the committees will be appointed to carry on the different branches of the work. The organization is for all the citizens of the city and a large number has already joined. It will be under the international association and the rules of that organization will be observed. Committees will be appointed as follows: vigilance, censure, membership, publicity, and program. Each of these committees will have a special object and all will join in an investigation of all conditions in the city that have a bearing on immorality or immoral suggestiveness. All places of public gathering will also be investigated. Programs will be arranged a month in advance of each monthly meeting.

The following officers were chosen at the meeting Tuesday evening: Dr. Kerr, president; Bert Reynolds, secretary; J. A. VanCleave, corresponding secretary, and Dr. O. H. Cressler treasurer. There will also be an advisory board of twelve members which will be appointed later. The duties of this board will be to assist the officers in the association work.

State Supt. Delzell has prepared the school apportionment for the second half of the year, of which Lincoln county will receive \$4,141.29.

All Ladies and Misses Sweaters go at one fifth off. Don't miss your chance of getting one of these bargains. Tramp & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Congdon, of Chicago, are expected here to spend Christmas with Mr. Congdon's parents.

Garfield Items.

Allen Brummet went to Arnold Monday after a load of coal.

Clark Andrew and wife and family went to Stapleton Monday.

Mark Smith's wind mill is out of repair.

A. Sinsel and C. C. Siver went to Stapleton after coal.

Cy Fox was down to Beryl Freels on business Monday.

On account of it being so stormy Saturday night, there wasn't any dance. Dr. McLeay was called out to Mark Smith's Monday.

Arva Martin came out from North Platte last week.

Ray Joy went to Stapleton Monday after a load of goods for L. H. Joy.

Mrs. B. A. Stafford is visiting at Cy Fox's home this week.

Jim Gabel of Myrtle had a sale last week and is loading a car at Stapleton. He is moving to Idaho.

Myron Auble made a trip to North Platte Saturday.

Newt Brummet had quite a serious accident Sunday evening coming home from Hoys.

Miss Jessie Williams spent Sunday at Goodenows.

Miss Nellie Conneally slipped on the ice Sunday evening while returning from Mr. Hoy's and fractured a rib.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

AT

THE LEADER

In accordance with my announced intention of retiring from business, and in order that the stock may be closed out as quickly as possible, I have secured Mr. Charles Clavier, an experienced auctioneer of Omaha, to come here and inaugurate an auction sale that will start

Monday, December 15th, at 2:30 P. M.

ann will continue each afternoon and evening, beginning at 2:30 and lasting until 5, and from 7:30 to 10 p. m.

We invite the public to attend this auction, as the entire stock will be put up and sold to you at your own bid. During the hours when the auction is not in progress goods will be sold at cost and less. Now is the time to buy your useful Christmas presents and lay in a supply of winter goods.

JULIUS PIZER, Prop.

CHARLES CLAVIER, Auctioneer.

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