



A Host of Suggestions

for your guidance in making

Eleventh Hour Gift Selections

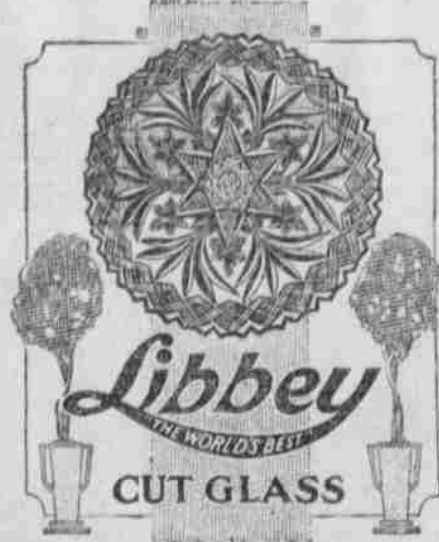
In our gift collections you can find the "Right Thing" for every member of the family and for friends whom you desire to remember. Whether you wish gifts of diamonds, solid gold jewelry, watches, clocks, china, table silver, silver novelties, cut glass or leather—you will find here in every department a wealth of suggestions to meet with every requirement and at a price to suit every purse.

The following suggestions are intended for those whose time is limited:

FOR MEN

Pencils
Card Cases
Cigarette Cases
Shaving Brushes
Pocket Knives
Pocket Files
Dressing Cases
Manicure Sets
Fountain Pens

Ash Trays
Key Rings
Ink Wells
Cigar Cutters
Match Cases
Pipes
Shirt Cases
Toilet Sets
Collar Bags



FOR WOMEN

Broaches
Locketts
Necklaces
Thimbles
Pendants
Bar Pins
Rings
Purses
Veil Pins

Hat Pins
Vanity Cases
Shoe Buckles
Bon-bon Boxes
Handy Pins
Mesh Bags
Card Cases
Manicure Sets
Bracelets

FOR THE CHILD

Crosses
Cups
Baby Pins
Rings
Comb and
Brushes

Neck Chains
Napkin Rings
Teething Rings
Rattles
Bib Holders
Safety Pins

MISCELLANEOUS

Automobile Clocks
Smokers Sets
Enamel Watches
Nursery Pins
Canes
Umbrellas
Ivory Toilet Articles

Tea Bells
Thermometers
Stamp Boxes
Shirt Waist Sets
Highball Sets
Nut Bowls

Gravy Bowls
Cold Meat Forks
Cocktail Sets
Razors
Thermos Bottles
Sewing Sets
Bread and Butter plates

Sterling and Leather Photo Frames

CLINTON, The Jeweler.

The Sign with the Big Ring.



DR. O. H. CRESSLER,

Graduate Dentist
Office over the McDonald
State Bank.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

W. H. McDonald will return today from a brief visit in Omaha.

Clark Paulson left Wednesday evening for Omaha to visit for a week.

Harley Gates went to Omaha Wednesday night to remain for a few days.

For Rent—5 room house at 320 So. Walnut. See T. M. Simants at 303 So. Chestnut.

Mrs. A. M. Selbert returned Wednesday evening from Aurora and Grand Island where she visited relatives.

The Rincker Book & Drug Co. offers for your gift-giving an exceptionally fine line of perfumes in Christmas packages.

For Sale Cheap—Good horse, buggy and harness. W. C. McDermott, phone Black 850.

Mrs. L. C. Newton and children, of Wellfleet, are visiting her mother Mrs. John Baker while enroute home from Omaha.

Soft Water Shampoo and Electric Massage. Cozles Beauty Parlors, Phone Red 655.

Col. W. F. Cody passed through this morning enroute to New York where he goes to make arrangements for organizing the show which he will put on the road next season.

A. L. Konold, general chairman of the B. of L. E. left Wednesday morning for Cheyenne after spending several days here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hayes and children, of Omaha, former residents of this city are expected next week to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Austin.

For Sale—Three lots on west 5th streets for \$450.00. First lots in Cody addition. Inquire of Will Hawley. 95-1f

Fred Garlow, who had been transacting business in Omaha, spent Wednesday in town while enroute home to Cody, Wyo. He went via Denver in order to meet Colonel Cody.

A nine and one-half pound boy was born Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McNamara, of Oakland, Calif. Mrs. McNamara and the new son are reported to be getting along nicely.

The girls' missionary society of the Christian church were entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Celeste Crawford. Mrs. H. G. Knowles who will soon leave the city, was the guest of honor.

For Farm Loans see or write Gene Crook, room 3, Waltemath building, North Platte. 411f

Miss A. Tracy, of Omaha, who recently came here to accept a position in the governor-elect's office will leave after January 1st for Lincoln to be private stenographer for Mr. Neville.

Merchants report Christmas trade this week as very satisfactory and by tomorrow anticipate that it will be in full swing. Next week will, of course be a busy one for all stores that handle holiday goods.

Next Saturday, Dec. 16th, the Methodist ladies will hold their Christmas bazaar at Derryberry & Forbes store. In the morning the food sale will include pie, cake, bread, jellies, candy, etc. In the afternoon a fine assortment of fancy articles will be on sale. The public is invited.

One nice gift for the boy or girl is a nice pair of ice skates. We handle the Spaulding make, with the new patent clamp. They range in price from \$1.25 to \$6.00. We also carry a full line of Canadian hockey sticks.

RINCKER BOOK & DRUG CO.

The losers of the series of games played by the Indian card club held a banquet and dancing party at the Hotel McCabe Monday night. The husbands and gentlemen friends of the members were also guests. Covers were laid for fifty. Punch was served during the dancing. Miss Ruth Heacock, of Omaha, was an out-of-town guest.

How to look your best demonstrated at the Coates Beauty Parlor.

At the regular meeting of the local Yeoman Homestead Tuesday evening the following officers were elected: Foreman, Dean J. J. Bowker; Master of Ceremonies, E. H. Evans; Correspondent, Leslie Baskins; Master of Accounts, Ray C. Langford; Chaplain, Mrs. Daisy Martin. The Yeoman series of socials will start next Tuesday evening all members are requested to be present.

F. J. DIENE & CO.
Real Estate and Insurance
Come and see us for town lots in different parts of the city. Good investments on easy terms. Houses for sale and rent. We have also good bargains in farms and ranches.
Cor. Front and Dewey Sts., upstairs.

A Festival was held the latter part of last week by the schools of Lincoln county of which there are one hundred and fifty. Several districts combined in their program and one hundred and thirty entertainments were given. The parents and friends of the pupils were guests. Interesting programs of readings, music, spelling bees and contests were held at each meeting and the school work was on exhibition.

In a recent issue it was stated that George Wilson had been arrested on the charge of being drunk and disorderly, beating his wife and threatening to burn his house. Mr. Wilson complains that this item was erroneous; that he did not abuse his wife, nor threaten to burn his house, but while under the influence of liquor did suggest to burn an auto which had given him trouble. While it is true Mr. Wilson was arrested, there was no formal complaint filed against him, and it is only fair to him that the correction is made.

We have a Schiller Piano slightly used at a great bargain.

WALKER MUSIC COMPANY.

The case of John D. Lincoln vs. Charles J. Burke, Charles J. McNamara and the Union Pacific company which came up in the district court this week was settled Tuesday afternoon in favor of the plaintiff who received one hundred and seventy-five dollars. In this case the plaintiff alleged that the defendants while constructing the sewer from the North river to the U. P. grounds allowed water to run into his lake where he had planted a large quantity of clover and the crop of seven acres was totally destroyed.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB HOLDS GENERAL MEETING

A general meeting of the department of the Twentieth Century club was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. S. Davis.

Those taking part in the program were as follows: Reading, Mrs. Frank Buchanan; reading, Mrs. Wilson Tost; instrumental solos, Emma Bogue; paper, Mrs. W. H. Blalock; vocal solos, Mrs. J. S. Davis. The club has agreed to engage a community nurse to care for the residents of this city who are in destitute circumstances and her salary will be paid with the proceeds of the Red Cross stamp sale which is being conducted by the ladies, who have already sold one hundred dollars worth. Arrangements for the Christmas tree program which will be held in the court house yard were completed and although the tree will be illuminated on Sunday, Christmas Eve, the program will not be held until the following evening.

One thousand packages of candy have been ordered and a Santa Claus engaged. The musical numbers will be in charge of Prof. E. A. Garlieh and Miss Wright. Thirty Christmas baskets will be distributed on Saturday morning Dec. 23d to the needy families and several of the elderly people of the city will receive special gifts.

Plans were made for the district convention which will be held here beginning April 1st.

Former Resident Passes Away

A telegram received Tuesday by E. J. VanDerhoof, announced the death of his father J. W. VanDerhoof at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. At the time of his death, he with his wife who survives him, was making his home with his daughter Mrs. Harry Pritchard. The deceased resided in this city from 1902 to 1910, leaving the latter year for Grant's Pass, Ore., where he resided until the Pritchards moved to Idaho. Mr. VanDerhoof was a veteran of the civil war and a Mason. He was eighty years of age.

STOCK FARM SNAP.

Improved Stock Farm of 640 acres. Frame dwelling, barn, well and windmill. Only \$5.00 per acre. Easy terms. BUCHANAN & PATTERSON.

Members of the Yeoman to the number of nearly two hundred have formed a card league and will play progressive five hundred. Each team will be composed of eight members, and the various teams will meet each other in contests and a record kept of the games won. At the end of the season the winning team will be given a prize. Members of the league anticipate much enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMullen have returned from Perry, Ia., where they were called recently by the death of a relative.

Mrs. Ada Lewis will entertain the Club Nevada at a Christmas party next Wednesday afternoon.

Sacred Concert.

The combined Methodist and Presbyterian choirs will give the following program at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, December 17th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Prelude.....Selected
Choir
"Behold I Bring you Good Tidings"
.....Goss
Choir
"Silent Night! Holy Night!"
Mrs. Burke
"The Palma"Faure
Junior High School Boys Quartette
"Once in Royal David's City" ..Steele
Choir.
"Bethlehem's Plain"
Caryle Derryberry and choir
SoloSelected
Mrs. Osgood
"My Robe is Christ"
Miss McVeY and Mr. Antonides
"The Lord is My Shepherd"
Dorothy Hinman
QuartetSelected
Georgina McKay Ruth Loan
Mansel Overman, Jack Husband
"As Panteth the Hart,"
Misses Betty and Dorothy Hinman
"King Over Death and The Grave,"
Mr. Owens
"The Evening Star"Lachner
Mrs. Burke, Miss Erb, Miss Wright
"Be Not Afraid," from "Elijah".....
.....Mendelssohn
Choir
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Victrolas are becoming more popular each year, and really no home is complete without one, especially so if the members of the family are lovers of music. We have Victrolas—and there are none quite so good—ranging in price from \$15.00 to \$350.00.

RINCKER BOOK & DRUG CO.

Louis Assman, the Omaha druggist who was arrested this week as one of the bandits who held up and robbed the Winslow state bank of \$6,540, is known among many local people, as he visited here frequently a few years ago as salesman for the Mulford Manufacturing Co. of Omaha, and is a nephew of Joseph Busch, who formerly lived here.

Farm and Ranch loans at lowest rates and best terms. Money on hand to close loans promptly.
431f BUCHANAN & PATTERSON.

Mrs. John Baker, who was visiting in Omaha and Council Bluffs last week has returned.

The Electric Vacuum Cleaner

would make a useful Xmas gift; order one now at \$19.50. The price will raise after January 1st.

Mrs. M. V. Mitchell
Phone Red 104.



With the High Cost of Christmas Gifts

It is more necessary this year than ever before to remember that a gift should be practical above all else.

Then, too, we should not spend more than we can afford. Too often we allow our enthusiasm to overrule our better judgment in the matter of buying.

Let us make this Christmas a SANE one and the first of the New Year will find us all in a happier mood.

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Platte Valley State Bank

North Platte, Nebraska.

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Call at C. M. Newton's Store.