

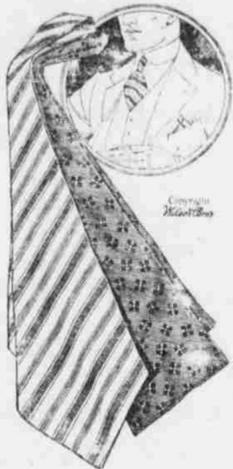


# The Christmas Store



**This is the Christmas Store of the Town.**

Here is Where You'll Find the Most Complete Showing of Useful and Sensible Gifts for Men Folks.



**T**HE Christmas spirit is everywhere in these days. This is the time when you are thinking about Christmas presents and wondering what you'll give this time. For Men we suggest gifts of the useful kind--the kind they will not cast aside and soon forget. Come to our store--let us show you the very things men buy for themselves.



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That's the Thing a Real Man Appreciates.

## Edwards-Reynolds Co.

**COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS**

Board of County Commissioners met Nov. 29th pursuant to adjournment and allowed the following bills: Alex Chambers, bridge work, \$32. John Ketchum, bridge work, \$48. Henry Lowry, D. P., \$25. John Anthony, D. P., \$25. Wm. D. Waldo, D. P., \$25. Wm. Homer, road 44, \$44.85. Hans Jergensen and others, \$48. Banks & Oldfather, Com. 2, \$109.89. Maxwell Rebecca Lodge--rent for election, \$10. Sundry persons, Com. 1, \$40. Wesley Cocker, dragging, \$29. R. C. Selby, R. D. 57, \$14. Geo. Brisban, R. D. 42, \$7.50. Clyde Dark, R. D. 42, \$29. D. B. Baker, R. D. 42, \$20. Jim Fristo, R. D. 42, \$30. Ernest Ballard, R. D. 42, \$35. John O'Hare, R. D. 42, \$12. John Ballard, R. D. 42, \$5. Leslie Griffith, R. D. 42, \$52. Arthur Gaskel, R. D. 42, \$50. Will Hayden, R. D. 42, \$10. P. K. Hoffman, R. D. 42, \$10. Geo. Griffin, R. D. 42, \$152. Geo. Jenkins, R. D. 42, \$180.15. D. Antonides, Mdse, \$147. Richard Winkenworden, R. D. 8, \$25.75. John Gimap, assessing, \$90. Alleen G. Cochran, supplies, \$175. Adelaide Shilling, salary, \$75. Alleen G. Cochran, salary, \$185.00. Field-Birge Co., coal, \$803.08. Paul Myers, sundry person, \$61. C. R. Stevens, for care of Mrs. Blakey, \$21. E. H. Springer, services and mileage, \$168.00. Le Beckius, river work, \$90. W. F. Elliott, river work, \$30. Wilson Bros., work on tractor, \$23. A. S. Allen, office expense, \$43.93. O. N. Sholty, services, \$151. O. N. Sholty, bonus, \$135. Paul G. Myers, office rent, \$25. Alleen G. Cochran, expenses, \$27.03. Bud Boone, road dist. 31, \$25. Jesse Long, road dist. 31, \$21.

Essie Wessberg, services, \$110. A. J. Salisbury salary, \$150. Roy Wilson, salary, \$155. Wm. Heyse, salary, \$156. A. S. Allen, salary, \$166.66. Orville Miller, road dist. 33, \$135. Wilson Tout, printing, \$389.60. Albert Burton, road dist. 52, \$8. Rush Mercantile Co., \$49.15. R. A. Cox, dragging, \$42. John Schram, road dist. 11, \$16. Harry Blackstone, dragging, \$35.40. G. A. Schrecongost, road dist. 14, \$42.75. Harry Schrecongost, road dist. 14, \$38.85. Neal Schrecongost, road dist. 14, \$52.15. S. J. Koch, services and mileage, \$111.80. Wm. T. Laurel, state work and oil, \$6.50. N. Edwards, state supplies, \$10.45. Wilson Bros., state blacksmith work, \$10.55. Pease & Son, state blacksmith work, \$30.25. John Rohrer, bridge work, \$56.25. E. W. Schleicher, patrolman, \$120. Harold Pulliam, patrolman, \$120. Chas. Leopoldt, patrolman, \$120. Leigh Eyerly, patrolman, \$120. Dave Staples, patrolman, \$45. Harvey Tollion, patrolman, \$7.50. W. H. Davis, state work, \$419.55. Wilson Bros., repairs, \$15.75. J. S. Davis, Auto Co., supplies, \$28.05. William Cross, state work, \$297.50. John Discoe, bridge work, \$19. Banks & Oldfather, oil, \$18.59. Lloyd Houser, bridge work, \$7.50. Mort Kahn, bridge work, \$15. Dave Norris, bridge work, \$26.25. Ora Welliver, bridge work, \$56.25. P. W. Herminghausen, services and mileage, \$138.70. K-B Printing Co., supplies, \$65.95. N. P. Gen. Hospital, \$87.20. Omaha Printing Co., \$3105.38. Sundry persons road dist. 50, \$72.80. W. E. Patterson, repairs, \$116.25. Chas. Barton, road dist. 52, \$38.50. Charlton Willis, road dist. 52, \$18.20. Carl Larson, road dist. 52, \$7.

Arthur Power, road dist. 52, \$6.30. J. S. Davis Auto Co., supplies, \$2. Hershey Auto Co., Com. 3, \$7.85. Alf. Slaat, dragging, \$31.50. Tidball Lumber Co., \$35.20. Mrs. Emma Pulver, care of poor, \$610.25. A. P. Beeler, mdse., \$16.95. Briggs, White & Co., dist. 25, \$40.65. Nebr.-Jowa Steel Tank Co., \$1155.41. J. R. Ritter, bridge work, \$695. The County Commissioners spent last Tuesday in checking up the Co. Judge's office. A balance of \$1016.19 was found which was turned over to the Co. Treasurer. At the meeting of the County Commissioners Tuesday names were selected for jury duty at the January term of district court.

**"THE BIRD OF PARADISE"**

Richard Malton Tully's never waning success, "The Bird of Paradise," with Florence Rockwell in the title role, comes to Keith Saturday, Dec. 18. Touring from coast to coast, season after season, this romance of the Hawaiian Islands seems to have lost none of its lustre since it was first produced in Los Angeles nine years ago. "The Bird of Paradise" is a virile drama with an absorbing love story. It is said the awe-inspiring volcano scenes is as terrifying as ever. The production this season has been entirely rebuilt while the casting has been personally supervised by Mr. Tully. Others in the cast include Robert Brister, Brandon Evans, Gertrude Walther, Rose Watson, Leo Curley, James Applebee and the native Hawaiian players.

If you haven't spoken for "Susan," step into Dixon's Music Shop and do so.

Attention Yeomen, regular business meeting and social Thursday, December 9th, at K. C. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. James McMurty, of Sutherland, left Monday for their home after transacting business in this city.

**COATS THAT DEFY COLD**



Those handsome plush frocks which have established a reputation for durability and warmth as well as rich appearance, have been introduced this fall in many attractive coats. Besides those that imitate certain furs so closely that they deceive the eyes, there are others that make no attempt to imitate anything but stand on their own merits as materials of great beauty, especially adapted to coats for the coldest weather.

In the picture a handsome and practical coat is shown made of dark brown plush with a high turn-over collar of fur. Skunk, marten, fox and other pelts provide collars for these coats as for coats of short-haired fur, and the buttons that finish the ends of the long girdle are of fur. Three handsome buttons secure the closing of the coat and are placed to the left of the front.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

John Grimes left Monday morning for Lexington where he will hold court during the week.

Miss Jones left Monday for her home in Springfield, Neb., after visiting Miss Lillian Story.

G. B. Dent arrived here Friday evening from Omaha where she stopped a few days while returning from Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. Margaret Chappell, of Hershey, died in a local hospital Friday night following an operation for appendicitis. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edger Chappell and was ten years, five months and seven days old. The remains were taken to Maxwell for burial.

**COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AT UNIVERSITY SENDS OUT THIS INFORMATION**

More than 10,000 farmers have joined the Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation in the last month. Nine counties have conducted membership campaigns and several more are now in the midst of adding new members. Ninety per cent of the farmers in the counties so far canvassed have joined. Tumbling prices and the money stringency are helping to draw farmers together for the protection of their interests. The Farm Bureau is an orderly attempt to solve the economic problems of agriculture. It is non-political, constructive in its ideals and objects, and appeals to judgment and not to prejudice. It stands for sound and sane co-operation. The campaign now in progress is expected to increase the Nebraska membership by at least 50,000 farmers. More than a million farmers in the United States belong to farm bureaus.

**"THE BIRD OF PARADISE."**

The perennial favorite, "The Bird of Paradise," which is in its tenth season, and still attracting record audiences, will play its annual engagement at the Keith Saturday, Dec. 18th. Like Tennyson's brook, the "Bird" apparently goes on forever. Richard Walton Tully's picturesque tragedy of Hawaii, has been one of the theatrical sensations of the decade. Florence Rockwell will be seen in the appealing role of Luana, the Hawaiian girl, whose love for an American leads only to sacrifice and death. Miss Rockwell's support is one of conspicuous ability, the cast comprising Robert Brister, Brandon Evans, Gertrude Walther, Rose Watson and the native Hawaiians, whose wailing chants are a feature of the performance. R. L. Cochran, A. S. Allen, E. H. Springer, F. W. Herminghausen and J. S. Koch left yesterday for Omaha to attend the County Clerks' convention.



**What You Pay for on a Long Distance Call**

The wires over which you talk are only a small part of the equipment provided for a long distance telephone call.

There must be switchboards and testing mechanism, repeaters and loading coils to magnify the voice currents, and other costly equipment generally unseen by the telephone user.

The amount you are charged when you make a long distance call is used to help pay the taxes on our property, aid in maintaining the lines, help pay interest on the investment in equipment used for long distance messages, and assist in paying the employees' wages.



**NEBRASKA TELEPHONE COMPANY**

Cecil B. DeMille's greatest production—  
**"MALE AND FEMALE"**

A picture that seizes the creatures of misfit "civilization", strips them of their false fronts and handicaps, flings them down in a land where nature rules and says: "Try again, love again."

Come and see what happens. One of the greatest if not the greatest picture of the season. Comedy—Business Without Pleasure. First show 7:00.

**Crystal, Tonight and Tomorrow.**

ADULTS 35c. Children 15c.