

CHRISTMAS WILL SOON BE HERE

And I am better prepared to please you than ever

My assortment of goods suitable for Christmas gifts is better this year than ever before. My stock of cloaks is large and they are simply beautiful and prices moderate. My tailored suits are the finest ever brought to this section and the prices are low. The dresses are simply grand and we have a large assortment of artistic designs, with beautiful decorations and quality the best you ever seen. At this store you can have a selection and anyone can be suited.

Our clothing department is stocked with the choicest in color and quality. There is no question of a fit as we can fit any man, boy or child, from the age of three years to a 48 sized man, with class and quality.

My shoe stock is of the first class and you are assured of the best of quality in all the various lines, from the infants soft sole to the best twenty button for ladies. Also from the mannish shoe for a child, to the best grade for men, and style the very latest.

Mamma wants a blanket for a Christmas gift, "O. K." said Uncle Joe "While I was looking over P. J. Mc's stock I saw the Novejo and his price is right \$9.50, others get \$12.00"

And Aunt Julia wants a set of furs, "Well she must come with me to McManus' as he has a beautiful line, all of the latest shapes and colors. She can have what she wants, a set of Coney at \$5.50 to a set of Jap Mink at \$45.00.

Ladies' and Misses Furs.

We have a splendid line of furs of the latest creations. We have fine sets at \$10.00, 12.50, 15.00, 18.50, 20.00, 25.00, 28.50, 30.00, 38.50 and 40.00.

Separate Muffs at \$2.50, 5.00, 6.50, 8.50, 10.00, 12.50, 15.00, 18.50 to 25.00.

Vanity Bags.

We have a splendid line of Vanity bags at 25c, 65c, 90c, \$1, 1.25, 1.50, 2.50 and 3.00.

The latest shetland with a guaranteed watch. This watch is so located that you can see the time by holding up the shetland. Price \$5.

The very latest mesh bags, with a drape skirt, at \$4 and \$5.00.

The beautiful Ribbon Shetland, to match the Otto Hood is quite the correct thing.

Hair Switches.

We have Hair Switches at \$1.58, 1.98, 2.25, 2.98, 3.50, 4.98, 5.50 and 6.00.

Lavalier Chains.

Lavalier chains with brilliants \$1, 1.25, 2.00 and 3.00.

Watch chains and buttons 75c.

Back Combs.

The Alluminum Back Comb \$1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50.

Back Combs decorated with brilliants 65c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2, 2.50, 3.50, 4, 4.50 and 5.00.

Blue Birds

Blue Bird Sets, five beautiful pins, 25c.

Blue Bird Rings, all sizes 25c.

Neckwear

A large assortment of Bead Neck Laces 25c, 50c, 65c and 75c.

The Up-to-Date Velvet bow, hand painted, all shades, at 35 cents.

Pillow Tops.

"The Harvest," "Where Memory Lingers," "Bow Nots, With Violets," "Poppy Land," "Morning Glory," "Autumn Leaves," "Daisies and Butterflies," "Forget Me Nots," a variety of conventional designs at 35 and 50c.

Neckwear For Men.

We have a large assortment of Four-in-Hand and Tecks at 50c.

Strings and Bows at 25 and 35c. Windsors at 25, 50c.

Christmas Boxes, socks and necktie, silk, at \$1.25.

The Home of Good Mdse.

P. J. McMANUS

WHO WILL WIN THE FURS?

Who Will Win the Automobile a Week From Saturday.

The third period in the Frontier's Contest, which will close Saturday Dec. 13th, promises to be more than interesting.

The beautiful set of Furs to be given away at the time as well as an extra 5000 Votes on each \$15.00 turned in is a prize worth many more weeks work, and that candidates realize the time is short in which to win the Automobile and they are doing the best work of the Contest now in trying to win this special prize as well as the extra 5000 votes on every \$15.00. Have you stopped to figure that every \$15.00 turned in now will mean 12500 votes where in the first of the contest it only brought 7500 votes. Don't forget this, as now is the time to pile up the votes for the Automobile.

Now is the time to turn promises into all the votes possible. The subscriber who has been waiting until he could do the most good should "do it now," and candidates who are still thinking it over should leap now and think afterwards.

The Special Prizes and Extra Votes are won according to the amounts of money turned in on subscriptions by the different candidates. The Automobile will be awarded on the Votes obtained during the contest, the coupon votes, the extra special votes and subscription votes, so gather all you possibly can as now is the time to make every dollar count votes for you.

The interest and enthusiasm keeps gaining all the time—candidates who were "just thinking about it" a week ago have seen the valuable possibilities and are now out after the votes with a telling effect, which proves that it is never too late and that there are votes in abundance for those who go after them.

Friends of the candidates continue to vote at the office and by mail, further illustrating the wide spread interest. The Contest will close Sat-

urday Dec. 20th, at nine P. M. and it is not a great ways off, but that is just the advantage and there is plenty of time ahead for any one to win. The contest was arranged to be a short one so as not to tire every one, candidates and friends alike, and on the theory that as much can be accomplished in a few weeks as in several months—and the real fact of the matter is "The race is now on." Who will win the Furs December 13th.

Who will win the Automobile Dec. 20th. The count of votes as they stand for the Automobile is as follows.

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| O'NEILL | |
| Miss Hazel McPharlin..... | 9700 |
| Miss Mildred Downey..... | 9800 |

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| Miss Mae Shoemaker..... | 81400 |
| Miss Catherine Morrison..... | 88650 |
| Miss Zeffa Ziener..... | 40500 |
| Miss Myrtle Hoxie, Rural Route 2..... | 40500 |
| Miss Alice Hickey, Rural Route 1..... | 38000 |
| ATKINSON | |
| Miss Clara Dickerson..... | 40500 |
| INMAN | |
| Miss Gladys Hancock..... | 84300 |
| PAGE | |
| Miss Hazel Walker..... | 18200 |
| STUART | |
| Miss Cella Mattice..... | 32000 |
| STAFFORD | |
| STAR | |
| Miss Mildred Wertz..... | 89000 |

Our Girls.

There are just two things that will keep girls straight at the age when they begin to think of longer dresses,

and beaux: One is plain clothes and the other home duties. The girls we see making fools of themselves are almost invariably over dressed. They wear duds that women of thirty should hesitate to wear.

A little girl with too many clothes and to costly one's soon becomes self conscious and vain, and you grown ups know the next step.

A pure hearted girl who has a place in a home, home work and home duties has her heart there, too, and no boy can steal it. Even when maturity comes, and a real man comes, and a real affair of the heart comes, will such a girl leave home, and then only after a heart rending. But a girl

who is at home only at the table and late at night won't love that home. Work makes things sacred. The child whose home memories are not hallowed by work, who is not needed, and does not feel the need will not love that home, and if she does not love the home of her girlhood she is not very apt to love anything. Home will mean nothing to such girls.

The mothers of this town who are responsible for the girls who gad the streets at nights should stop and think what it is going to mean both to that daughter and to herself in years to come. I not only speak of young ladies but of little girls from nine to thirteen who are let run at night to

the writers personal knowledge. They make so bold as to get away from home and go into some one else's telephone to some kid. "And well you come on down town on such a corner I have something to tell you, Oh don't be afraid of the dark, come on.

These girls are getting beyond children and are at an impressionable age. Where will you have their impressions come from, the home or the Rif-Raf of the street. It is for the Mother's to settle the question.

District Court.

The case of the State of Nebraska vs. M. A. Englehaupt, charged with shooting with intent to kill, occupied the attention of the district court the first three days of the week, the case being given to the jury after supper Wednesday night and they returned a verdict sometime during the night finding the defendant not guilty.

The case was the outcome of a family quarrel, the complaining witness, Chris Bodewig, being a son-in-law of Englehaupt. From the evidence introduced during the trial it was evident there were several shots fired during the quarrel, both by Englehaupt and Bodewig, Englehaupt using a shotgun while Bodewig handled a revolver, but no damage was done either combatants.

The case of the State of Nebraska vs. Charles Reynolds, charged with disposing of mortgaged property, is on trial today. Last spring Reynolds mortgaged some property to one of the local banks and disposed of the same and left the county, being arrested at Yankton, S. D., and brought back to this county by Sheriff Grady last week.

Watch Party.

The dining room of the New Golden Hotel will be open New Year's Eve for a watch night party.

The hotel will be tastefully decorated and a good time is assured all who attend.

Several parties are all ready being formed and reservations for tables should be made early, not later than December 20. Dining room open at 10:30. \$1.00 per plate. 26-1-adv.



All Ready for Xmas

CHRISTMAS is only a few weeks away, and the wise shoppers are those who make their selection of gift things early—when stocks are complete and varieties unbroken.

This store is ready to supply you now,

Presenting the most remarkable assembly of articles suitable for presents, we have ever invited you to see.

Useful and ornamental gifts of almost every sort, in qualities that will reflect credit upon the giver and bring delight to the recipient.

And all are offered at the lowest prices.

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| Manicure Sets, | Shaving Sets, | Razors, | Fine Stationary, |
| Toilet Sets, | Candies, | Mirrors, | Pocket Knives, |
| Perfumes. | Cigars | Fountain pens, Smoking Sets, | |
| Etc. | Etc. | Etc. | Etc. |

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