

Xmas Orders are in Order-So is our Stock of most Attractive Holiday Gifts for "HIM," whether He's Big or Little. You will not find anything more pleasing and suitable for Xmas than our Ties, Shirts, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Hose.

A SHOPPING LIST FOR YOU:
HOISERY-Pure Silk, Lisle, Wool, Casmere
at 25c to 75c
TIES-When in doubt, a tie is always a safe
gamble. Our Pure Silk Ties at 50c to \$1.00
Smokng Jackets, \$5.00 to\$10.00
Bath Robes, \$5.00 to\$10.00
Traveling Bags, \$6.00 to\$15.00
Fur Caps, \$3.00 to \$7.50
Men's Dress and Auto Gloves, \$1.00 to \$3.50
Boys' Gloves and Mittens, 35c to \$1.75
Suspenders, 25c to 75c

THE TOGGERY **BEN AND BERNIE**

-East of Golden Hotel

MORE LOCAL MATTERS. Judge J. J. Harrington made a business trip to Plainview last Tuesday.

Miss Etta Froelich and Miss Grace Ward left for a short visit to Omaha last Sunday afternoon.

The O'Neill stores are filled with good things for the Christmas trade a good business.

farmers and stockmen of McClure

the week visiting at the home of Mrs. Mayne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meredith.

Mrs. Izetta Hagensick and W. C. Shaw were united in marriage last Sunday. Mr. Shaw is engaged in the estaurant business, being one of the proprietors of the Busy Bee.

The first snow of the season arvived last night and today. Snow fell to the depth of several inches. A little sleet before the snow made walking very difficult.

O. P. Chambers of Dallas, S. D., was n the city the first of the week. Mrs. Chambers, who had been visiting at the home of her mother here for the past two weeks, returned home with him.

Chris Christenson, formerly buttermaker at the McGinnis Creamery, returned last week, but we are sorry to say not much improved in health by the treatment he has been taking for several months past.

Jack Sullivan returned last Sunday night from a few days' spent in Omaha. He had intended going to the Gibbons fight in St. Paul but the fight was called off on account of the sickness of one of the principals.

J. H. Dunn has leased the Virgin building across the street from this office, and has installed two bowling alleys therein and a box ball alley and now "strike," "spare," etc., are the order of the day. Fred Sparks is running the place.

Last week Judge Dickson decided the case of Mrs. Viola Brown vs. the K. C. Hall company. He issued an order restraining the Hall company from operating a moving picture show, but they can rent the building to motion picture shows.

A representative of the Britt Chautauqua of Lincoln was in the city last week interviewing our business men with a view to having the Britt chautauqua here the coming summer. We understand that enough pledges were ecured to insure that it will be put on.

Local news matter is a little scarce this week as the live merchants have taken most of our space to tell the people of the wonderful bargains they have in their several establishments. December is the newspaperman's harvest and advertisements take the place f local matter.

The republican national convention will be held in Chicago the first week in July, or a week ahead of the demo cratic convention, which will be held in St. Louis. There are numerous candidates for the republican nomina tion, evidently figuring that the chances of success are good.

A surprise party was tendered Mrs. ane Bentley at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Wise, last Wednesday afternoon, it being her eightieth birthday. About twenty ladies were present and Mrs. Bentley and our merchants have been enjoying received many useful presents to commemorate the day. A splendid two A. E. Pierce, one of the leading ladies before departing to their several homes expressed the wish that they township, was in the city last Sunday might return and help celebrate

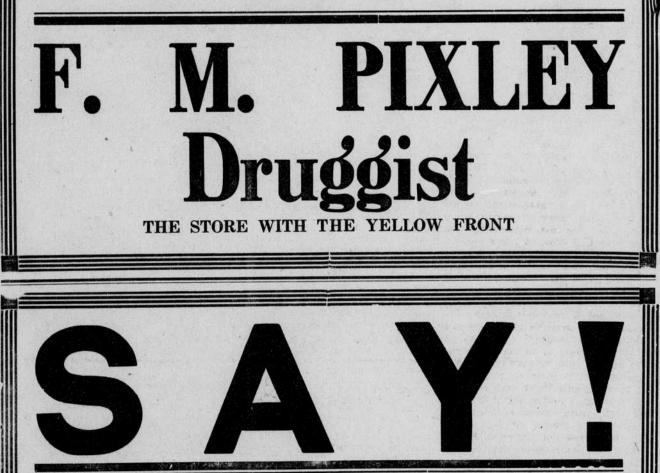


A SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SALE WILL START DECEMBER 18TH. THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL PRICE ON EVERY-THING IN THE CHRISTMAS LINE.

WE WANT TO CLEAN UP OUR STOCK OF DOLLS AND TOYS AND WILL GIVE GOOD DISCOUNTS ON EVERY-THING IN THAT LINE.

WE WANT YOU TO LOOK AT OUR STOCK AND PRI-CES BEFORE YOU BUY. WE THINK WE HAVE THE BEST LINE OF HAND PAINTED CHINA AND CUT GLASS IN THE CITY. IT WILL BE A PLEASURE TO SHOW YOU.

ANSCO CAMERAS AND SUPPLIES



J. A. Donohoe returned last Friday greeting his many friends from Omaha, where he had been trying the Gaghagan will case.

John Hagerty came up from Columbus last Friday night to spend a few days visiting at th home of his parents,

P. J. McManus spent three days in Omaha last week having been a wit- Mr. and Mrs. William Hagerty. ness in the Gaghagan will case in district court.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayne of Harlan, Iowa, were in the city the first of

For Your Christmas Dinner

CRANBERRIES	GRAPES
CURRANTS	GRAPE FRUIT
FIGS	HONEY
DATES	NUTS
OLIVES	CANDY
PICKLES	PICKLES
SWEET POTATOES	CANDIED CHERRIES
APPLES	CELERY
ORANGES	BANANAS
California Oranges	Salt Peanuts 15 cents per pound.
20 cents per dozen.	
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Send us your Orders and we will fill them promptly with first class goods.

J. C. HORISKEY, O'Neill

many more birthdays.

Upper Classmen at Creighton Vie for Honors in Debate.

Omaha Bee: The first preliminary oratorical contest to determine who is to represent the school in the next intercollegiate competition next March was held at the Creighton university yesterday afternoon. Every student in the college division is required to take part in the first preliminary, yesterday being the day for the seniors, juniors and special students. Nine representatives from these three classes were selected to appear in the second preliminary contest next Monday, in which twenty-five contestants will take part, the remaining sixteen being chosen from the freshmen and sophomores, who will compete later this week.

The nine successful upper classmen who are to compete in the second contest are Benjamin English, Joe English, Gerald La Violette, and Arthur O'Rourke of the senior class; Cornelius Keyes, Joseph Ostdiek and Waldo Shillington of the juniors, and Earl Burns and Robert Green from special class.

Miss Matie Theiroff. Star, Neb., Dec. 16: Miss Matie Theiroff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Theiroff, died at Creighton Tuesday night at 11 o'clock. Miss Matie was born at Plattsmouth, Neb., about 28 years ago and moved with her parents and family to this community when about 13 years of age, growing to womanhood here. From here she went to Seattle, Wash., where he lived with relatives and was employed in a seed store for more than year. During this time her parents moved to Creighton and from Seattle he returned home. For several years er health has not been of the best but he was almost always found working. "a lifter and not a leaner." in this battle of life. She had worked in Omaha and has friends and relatives both there and in Plattsmouth. Besides her father and mother she leaves George, Albert and Ona Theiroff, Mrs. school and the other is a pupil in three brothers and three sisters, Weber and Miss Victoria and Creighton. Rosa

If you are looking for something that is nice for Xmas, we have just what you want in the following:

Rockers, From \$2.25 to	\$17.50
Library Tables, From \$10.00 to	20.00
Smoker Stands, From \$1.50 to	3.50
Telephone Stands, From \$3.50 to	4.50
Cedar Chests, From \$6.00 to	20.00
Bissels Carpet Sweepers, From \$2.25 to	4.50
Bissels Vacum Sweepers, From \$7.50 to	8.50
Rugs, All Sizes, From \$2.25 to	45.00
Pictures, From 25 Cents to	5.00



The funeral will take place Friday Miss Saphronia, all of whom are living near Star, except the two young- afternoon at Creighton. est. One of them teaches the Star

O'Neill High School last Friday evening. The O'Neill girls won their game by a score of 8 to 7, while the Inman boys were too much for the O'Neill

The Basket Ball teams of the Inman team and they won with a score of 20 High School played the teams of the to 21.