

# A Talk With Santa Claus.

Is what almost everyone is wanting now, especially the children. You may not have a talk with Santa Claus but you can come into Dr. McMillan's Drug Store and see what he has for you. Our line is very large and complete. Everything new and up-to-date and prices within the reach of all. We have Toilet Cases, Mirrors, Manicure Sets, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Cuff and Collar Boxes, Shaving Sets, Smoking Sets; a beautiful display of Fancy Dishes, Gift Books and Miscellaneous Books of all kinds, besides all kinds of Toys and many other interesting things for children.

Don't fail to see us before buying.

## CITY PHARMACY

Dr. McMillan, Proprietor.

Falls City, Nebraska.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Of The Falls City State Bank of Falls City, Nebraska, Charter No. 199, incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business, November 30, 1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$167,654.88
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,216.97
Banking house furniture and fixtures	13,200.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,831.13
Total cash on hand and due from banks	44,715.22
Total	228,618.20
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits	9,685.88
Individual deposits subject to check	\$100,044.76
Demand certificates of deposit	36,477.21
Certified checks	3,046.00
Due to state and private banks and bankers	19,370.35
Total	228,618.20

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. County of Richardson, ss. I, W. A. GREENWALD, cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board. W. A. GREENWALD, Cashier.

ATTEST: S. P. GIST, Director. T. J. GIST, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of December, 1907. R. B. HUSTON, Notary Public. My commission expires February 6, 1908.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Of the Richardson County Bank of Falls City, Nebraska, Charter No. 158, incorporated in the State of Nebraska at the close of business November 30, 1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$291,750.24
Overdrafts secured	3,012.43
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	7,000.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	2,673.41
Due from National, State and private banks and bankers	\$79,931.28
Checks, items of exchange	1,127.80
Currency	11,632.00
Cash—gold and silver coin	14,941.54
Total cash on hand	107,634.62
Total	\$412,140.72
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	7,171.98
Individual deposits subject to check	\$174,915.94
Demand certificates of deposit	146,250.48
Due to National, State and private banks and bankers	11,602.30
Total	\$412,140.72

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. Richardson County, ss. I, George W. Holland, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board. GEO. W. HOLLAND.

ATTEST: J. L. SLOCUM, WARREN HUTCHINS, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of December, 1907. CHAS. LOBEK, Notary Public. My commission expires March 23, 1912.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Of The Farmers State Bank of Preston, Nebraska, Charter No. 708, incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business November 30, 1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 20,742.15
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	242.25
Banking house furniture and fixtures	650.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,035.17
Total cash on hand and due from banks	22,533.22
Total	\$45,202.77
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 5,000.00
Surplus fund	1,500.00
Undivided profits	2,372.12
Individual deposits subject to check	\$22,521.14
Time certificates of deposit	12,309.51
Total	\$45,202.77

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. County of Richardson, ss. I, Clyde Thacker, cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board. CLYDE THACKER, Cashier.

ATTEST: W. C. MARGRAVE, Director. H. C. ZOLLER, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of December, 1907. L. D. McCUMBER, Justice Peace.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney trouble that is not beyond medical aid. Kerr's Pharmacy.

## REMEMBER

As usual we are Headquarters for

### Christmas Candies

Our Fine candy in

### 1-2-3 and 5 lb. Fancy Boxes

Just the thing for Christmas presents.

### Pure Candy 10c-15c-20c-25c-40c and 60c per lb.

Lots of Nuts and Fruits.

### Christmas Trees, Holders and Candles

### HOLLY AND MISTLETOE

Also Brick and Plain Ice Cream and Ices.

Call on Us

## SOWLES

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Of the Bank of Salem, of Salem, Nebraska, Charter No. 359, incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business November 30, 1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 96,743.35
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,500.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	3,506.85
Current expenses and taxes paid	2,160.49
Total cash on hand and due from other banks	16,823.87
Total	\$120,734.46
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits	7,352.89
Individual deposits subject to check	\$4,195.90
Demand certificates of deposit	\$4,985.67
Total	\$120,734.46

STATE OF NEBRASKA, Richardson County, ss. I, R. B. HUSTON, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board. R. B. HUSTON.

ATTEST: S. P. GIST, Director. T. J. GIST, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of December, 1907. GUY P. GREENWALD, Notary Public. Commission expires Dec. 22, 1911.

### RULO.

Mrs. Fisher is on the sick list. Grandma Ratkin is on the sick list. Martin Arnold visited here last week. Phil Horan went to St. Joe Monday. Ed Scott has returned from a visit at McCook. Frank Cardner visited at Fortescue Sunday. Frank Kern was a St. Joe visitor Monday. W. B. Hinton of Omaha was here Tuesday. James Langdon of Wymore was here Tuesday. John Jones of Falls City was here last week. Mrs. Esser was a county seat visitor this week. Mrs. Samuels of Hiawatha is visiting friends here. Jim Goolsby of Rushbottom visited here Sunday. Mrs. George Hull was a Falls City visitor Friday. Mrs. Jeffries one of our old settlers is very poorly. M. J. LaBlanc was a Craig, Mo., visitor this week.

James Mendenhall visited friends here this week.

Ella Carpenter spent the week with Dawson friends.

J. E. Hart of Hardy visited friends here this week.

Emma Shepherd returned home from Oklahoma last week.

Thomas Booker of Fortescue was a visitor here recently.

Mrs. Emma Kern is suffering with badly inflamed eyes.

Mr. Easley who has been poorly for a long time is improving.

Charles Scott and family of Kansas visited friends here Friday.

Hester Bunker visited with home folks in Missouri this week.

Ves Bunker from the Bigelow lake was a visitor here Saturday.

Maggie Bowker returned last week from a visit in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. James Tagney, sr., of Falls City visited friends here this week.

Vincent Caverzagie fell from a tree Saturday and sprained his arm.

Mrs. John Chaney and children visited friends in Missouri this week.

Mrs. Celey's mother who resides in Highland is visiting her this week.

Dave Anderson left Monday for a visit with friends at Forest City, Mo.

Wm. Lyndsman of White Cloud was here Wednesday with a load of apples.

Wm. Weybright is filling Mr. Grayes place as night operator during his absence.

Mr. McKeever and wife have been the parents of a new baby since Wednesday.

Mrs. Pete Frederick of Preston came down Saturday to attend the mission.

Ben Frederick is fixing up the sidewalks around the school house grounds this week.

Arthur Lytle and Fred Evans returned last week from a two months trip in Washington.

U. T. Duncan moved to town last week and will occupy the house recently purchased by him from Fred Steinhaur.

Will LeHuquet who has been visit-

ing his grandmother here for several weeks, left recently for his home in Kansas City.

Mr. Wiggins has moved into the room which was occupied as a lodge room until recently and is keeping house all by himself.

On Wednesday of last week A. C. Graves night operator at this place and Miss Wright of Omaha were married at Falls City. Miss Allie Tilton and Will LaHuquet accompanied them to witness the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Graves departed the same evening for a ten days visit with relatives at Hebron.

### BARADA.

Nie Williamson went to Fargo Sunday.

Jake Peters was a county seat visitor Friday.

Charlie Surman was a Shubert visitor Friday.

Chris. Horn made a business trip to Omaha last week.

L. H. Morehead went to St. Joe on business Thursday.

H. S. Hayes and family of Shubert were here last week.

R. H. Dunn took a load of produce to Falls City on Thursday.

C. H. Martin and family took dinner with W. P. Butlers Sunday.

Henry Langdon and family were guests at the Franklin home Sunday.

Wilson Wamsley and wife spent Sunday with George Frazee and wife.

C. E. Burgess moved his family from the Dunn farm to the Elam farm last week.

Mrs. David Harris of Camp Point, Ill., is visiting her daughter Mrs. John Langdon.

John Walker moved his family to Verdon this week where they will make their home.

Wade Teneyek and Herman Kelley went to Oklahoma this week to work for the Gilligan Bridge Co.

Kessler's moving pictures held forth at the opera house on Friday and Saturday evening. The pictures were good and well worth seeing.

On Sunday Dr. Van Osdel was called to attend the 10 year old son of Charles Heath. The boy while playing with a shot gun shell took the shot out and touched it match to the powder

causing an explosion that burned his face to a solid blister. It is feared he will lose the sense of sight in one eye.

Mrs. H. M. Burgess met with a serious accident on Sunday evening just as she was starting with her husband and little daughter for a drive. A lurch of the buggy caused her to lose her balance and she fell from the rig striking on her shoulder bone. A surgeon was called and she is doing as well as can be expected.

### Cannot Raise Night Rates.

The Nebraska Railway Commission has refused the Bell Telephone company the right to raise the night rates on long distance telephone messages. The company asked permission to charge the day rate on all messages until ten o'clock at night. The commission, however did grant them permission to charge the day rate on messages for which the engagement was made in the daytime, no matter at what hour the talking was done.

## HOLIDAY SHOPPING!

If you find that financial conditions are against you, remember that useful needed gifts are always acceptable. Our specialty for Christmas is a complete showing of every day staple Dry Goods of all kinds. We have a great display of Men's and Women's Fancy Embroidered and Lace trimmed Initial and Plain Handkerchiefs. Embroidered and handsome Linens, handmade Lace Pieces, Brushes, Bags, Combs, Pin Cushions, Men's and Women's Neckwear, Ribbons, Cloaks, Furs, Skirts, Suits, Shawls, Blankets, Dress Goods, Silks, all of which are family necessities, but at the same time are suitable for gifts.

### Rugs Small--Large

Rugs are most acceptable at all times and particularly when not expected. We have some specially low prices of room sizes. Take advantage of this opportunity to get your Holiday Gifts at a great saving

\$25 Axminster Rugs \$20

25 Velvet Rugs only \$20

20 Smyrna Rugs at \$16

25 Smyrna Rugs at \$20

### Every Cloak Cut

We have too many Ladies' Cloaks ranging in price from \$20 to \$30, On every garment marked above \$20 we will give

### 25 Per Cent Discount

On every Cloak at \$20 and under, a discount of twenty per cent will be given. There remains an excellent choice in Blacks, Browns, Reds, Castors, in long cloth Coats and short imitation Fur Coats. Early buyers will get as good designs as we have had this season, at a great saving.

All Children's Cloaks at Great Reduction.

V. G. LYFORD

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