

clusive? We sincerely appreciate your very liberal patronage the past year and will bend every effort in the year 1905 to better serve you in all departments of this mammoth store, adhering strictly to our motios:

"Always your money's worth or money back" "Prosperity cannot Thrive on Credit."

## ale wish yon a Thappy Hew Year

HE NEW YEAR is a time for reflection, an opportunity to express gratitude for our continued success. We are thankful for the patronage and confidence our customers have favored us with during the past year. The best values always for the least money is a winning rule. We carry a complete line or DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, LADIE'S and CHILDRENS' CLOAKS, JACKETS and SKIRTS, CARPETS, and in fact, everything that can be found in a first class Dry Goods store. It is one of the principals of our business to render satisfactory service to our patrons. We carry none but the-

> Best Merchandise, Elegant stock from which to select--at

day and today on her return home Service. from St. Edward.

Miss Mary Christenson of Platte Center was the guest last night and William Koch, a farmer living on Frank Muelt's farm east of Columbus today of the N. D. Wilson family on has been serionsly ill for two weeks. her return home from attending the Dr. Tiessing is attending him. Crete school.

Mrs. Julian H. Oiseen of Omain, Two young lads, the Gross boys left daughter of M. D. Karr. has been hat evening for their home in Pine visiting here since Monday. Mr. Blaff, Wyoming to spend the holidays. Olsen will be here tomorrow to spend They are papils in the St. Francis three or four days.

academy.

Creek.

Dr. Platz has been appointed U.S. Fin Howard, John Early, George pension examiner to succeed Dr. Geer. Wilson and Ralph Turner.all students There are three pension examiners Docat the state university Lincoln, retors Martyn, Evans and Platz. The anturned home last evening for their nouncement of Dr. Platz appointment Christmas vacation. was announced in yesterdays World Miss Mamie Mackin returned for Herald.

her Christmas vacation today from Far coats robes and blankets in large Denver where she has been attending varieties at prices that can suit everya convent. This is Miss Mackin's senbody. My harness and collars are hard or year in the school. to beat in quality and price. Why not

get the best? You always will get the Mrs. Ruby Browne is with her parbest at F. H. Rusche's, on 11th street. ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hensley. She expects to remain until after the Columbus. Stw.

holidays when Mr. Browne will move C.C. Hardy has completed this week his headquarters to Norfolk. fine modern barn on the farm of Herman Ahrens north east of town. Mrs. Nellie Ryan and son Clare will Mr. Ahrens will build a residence and leave tomorrow for Monticello, Iowa where they will spend Christmas. Mr. make other improvements costing in all about \$3000. The barn was built John Sullivan of Albion came down at a cost of about \$800. today and will accompany them to

visit relatives. There are many strangers seen on our streets this week, people from towns Vermica Farrell of Central City, along the Norfolk and Albion branches, Fiorence Bush of Ord, Lona and Helen who find that Columbus is an excellent Eberhardt of Gibbon and Clara Costrading point. Columbus merchants tello of Greely Center, all pupils at would do well to look more closely the St. Francis Academy left this after the trade of these sarrounding morning for their several homes to towns. spend Christmas.

Rolla B. Hall is visiting his brother Miss Gladys O'Brien of Loup City, Will Hall and his many friends in Cowho is a pupil in the St. Francis lumbus. Rolla has been traveling for elke sr. academy, left last evening for her the Marshal Paper Combany of Omaha home to pass the holidays. Miss O'the past year, but after January 1st Brien is in the] senior class at the will travel for the Voegel & Duening at home. academy and has been coming to the wholesale candy factory of Umaha.

Columbus school for four years. His territory will be in the Black Hill John Classen of Battle Creek, Necountry. braska, and Miss Gusta Shus of Co-SERENADE -- The pupils of the Lin-

lumbus were married last evening at ccin school sernaded a number of inthe home of Mrs. G. Loseke in the valids and aged poeple at their homes north part of the city. Rev. Miessler this afternoon, after the close of their preformed the ceremony. The bride Christmas exercises. They were accame to America from Germany three companied by their trachers and sang

years ago, and the groom has been songs familiar to them in the school here one year. They will leave this room. The sernade came as a surprise evening for their future home in Battle to those visited and it is needless to

say was highly appreciated by them. Elwood Morris, a stock man of THIEVES .- A sneak thief entered Belgrade was in the city yesterday on the home of Henry Lubker on East his return from Omaha where he Seventh street Wednesday night by marketed 500 head of sheep. Speakremoving the lock on the cellar door ing of the sheep industry he said and stole over fifty quarts of canned had somewhat fallen off in his part of fruit and jellies. We have leard of the country, but from the many years a number of instances of sneak thieves in the stock business he prefered in town, but this is about as cunning to Omaba Saturday to spend Christsheep to cattle. He realized a profit of one dollar per head for the 500 head a job as has been accomplished in mas with their son.

METHODIST .- The children of the city Saturday on their way home from Omaha where they are students Methodist church rendered their can-

tata "EntertainingiSanta Claus"at the in college. church last evening. The church was Miss Bessie Marks was the great of crowded to the doors and many were Mrs. H. I. Murdock from Saturday unable to gain admission. The prountil this morning, when the returned gram was rendered without a mistake to Lincoln where she is engaged as

and was heartily appreciated by the stenographer. crowd. Before dismissing the and-The ladies aid society of the Pres-

the chorus choir, and soloists.

Crete for a vacation.

Center over Christmas.

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home people.

L. R. DeWolf.

on Christmas day.

for several weeks.

tives of Mrs. Gass.

Nebraska yesterday morning.

going to Grand Island yesterday.

Yesterday's Daily Journal.

ience, C. A. Linstrum, the superinbyterian church will give a cob web tendent, asked Miss Louise Davis one social at the home of Mrs. H. S. of the teachers, to present a few to- Elliott, next Friday evening. Everykens to some of the faithful workers body is invited.

in the school. Mr. and Mrs. Erskine, Albert Brugger and John Neumark-Mrs. E. S. Newlon and Miss Jennie er, both students at the Ann Arbor, Weiseman were kindly remembered Michigan university, are at home with by gifts. Sunday morning the regular their parents, and will have a two quartely meeting service will be held, weeks vacation. Rev. DeWolf preaching the sermon.

Miss Lucy Haywood and Mrs. Hay-In the evening, Rev. Millard will dewood of Lincoln and Mrs. Kelsey of liver a Christmas sermon. At both Boulder, Colorado are all guests of J. special music will be rendered by G. Reeder and family. The ladies are all relatives of Mrs. Reeder.

Prof. Campbell of Humphrey is visitiny friends in town. He will attend the state teachers association in Omaha Miss Emily Rorer is home from this week. The Humphrey schools have but one week vacation for the helidays. Mrs. Jessie Henry visited in Platte

The board of supervisors assembled today, with the exception of Chair-Mrs. B. P. Duffy went to-Sutton, man Goetz. He is expected to be here tomorrow and the board will C. B. Tomlin visited friends here meet then and probably remain in session all week. Miss Anna Hoeben came home Sat-

Mr.and Mrs. Fred Blasser of Omaha urday for the Christmas vacation. were visiting relatives here over San-Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvanday, returning home yesterday. Mrs. ized steel mill for \$32.00. A. Dussell & Blasser is remembered here as Miss Stella Elliott, a neice of H S. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Segelke of Cuaha and Mr. Blasser was formerly a Co-

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are visiting the family of Chas. Seglumbus young man. Miss Baker, sister of Mrs. J. E. Miss Frances Maynard went to

Erskine is confined to her bed on Schuyler Saturday to spend Christmas account of a fall on the icy pavement in front of the Erskine home Sun-Miss Alice Luth went to Omaha today. At first it was thought she had day to attend the state association of is nothing more serious than bruises. Peter Duffy arrived here Friday from El Reno, Oklahoma on a visit to evening in the Latter Day Saints chapel the children rendered a short Miss Emily Cook one of the Creston program after which they were given

teachers, is visiting her sister, Mrs. the customary treat. An imitation brick fire place, and a figure of Santa Mr. and Mrs. D. Eldridge were pre-Clans nearby, was a surprise in store sented with a seven pound daughter for the little ones.

William B. Miller of Caimer, Iowa Eber Smith returned home Saturis expected here the latter part of this day from Omaha where he has been week to accept a position in the First National Back. It has not yet been Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gass went to decided what position he will occupy. Staplehurst today to visit with rela-Mr. Miller is a young brother of Rudy Miller who was formerly cashier at

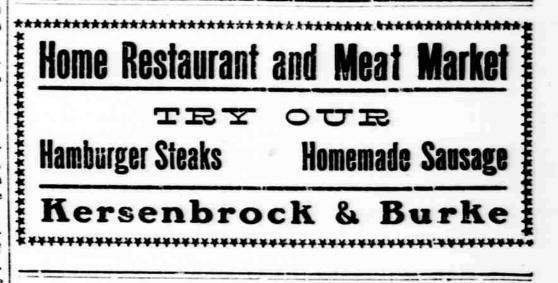
the First National, and who is now Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mathews went in Fullerton.

" The firemen were called out Sunday



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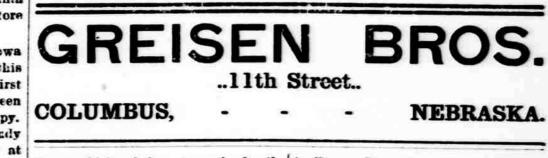
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## GREISEN BROS.' Xmas Offerings.

YOU want to be right, listen! Let your presents consist of something useful as well as ornamental. Why not insist on useful articles? Articles that please and are of economic value. Remember that among our assortment of OVERCOATS, SUITS, GENT'S FUR-NISHING GOODS, LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S SHOES and SLIPPERS you will find many things

that are fit for Xmas gifts. We have a splendid line of TIES. MUFFLERS, GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, Men's fancy SUSPENDERS, UMBRELLAS gold silver and fancy handles such as will make any man's heart glad. We also carry a line of SWEATERS for men and boys of all kinds such as is hard to a broken leg, but physicians believe it beat. Our line of SLIPPERS fit for presents is unlimited, we can surely fit and please you. We are agents for the Gold Seal LATTER DAY SAINTS. -Satarday Rubbers, they wear twice as long as any other. A full line of FLORSHEIM shoes always on hand. Now if you look for good sensible things to make another glad the coming holidays, don't forget to call on us. We guarantee our goods and price right.



but would be glad to have the family in Canton Berne Switzerland fifty-one continue to make this city their home. years ago. He has been in this com-They expect to move to Omaha in the munity since 1878 making his living as a painter and plasterer He leaves spring

the Lowest Price.	sold in Omain and had them on feed but sixty days. CiIARITYMrs. C. J. Garlow	town, and the guilty parties if caught ought to be thoroughly punished.	Will Fairand returned to Lincoln this morning to resume his studies at Wesleyan naiversity.	fire. The residence of P. For in the	Christmas celebration Sunday evening in La Grand Oregon and one brother in their hall. A large crowd was in Switzerland. Funeral services will
Ĉ	president of the Woman's club wishes to ask all who will contribute wear-		Miss Helen McDurmitt of the bus- iness college returned home to Shelton	quickly extinguished by neighbors, before the firemen had time to reach	present and passed the evening in a be held Thursday at 12 o'clock at
These are all factors in the success of this business.	ing apparel or food to be distributed to those in need in our city, will con- fer a favor by bringing or sending to Mrs. A. Heintz or to Mrs. S. A. Brindly. During the school vacation Mrs. Brindly will be out of the city end contributors are asked to send	Dr. Valier, Osteopath, Barber block. Hugh Hughes was in Norfolk yes- terday and today. J. T. Cox went to Omaha today to spend Christmas. Mrs. Ed Westcott went to Clarks to-	at the state university after visiting since Wednesday at home.	the place. There was practically no damage done by the fire. The Sunday school pupils of the	in the usual manner and a treat of candy, etc. distributed liberally among all those present. Prof. Sike's or- chestra furnished music for the dancers of the remains will be taken to Duncan for burial. DISTRESSFUL ACCIDENTWm. Snyder, employed in the Marty mean
FOR NEW YEAR	The company that played at the opera house last night in "Way Out West" was composed of capable actors throughout. The comedian of the	Drs. Martyn, Evans, Evans & Martyn	day season, from his school in the northeast part of the county. Dan Echols, who is employed in a bank in Cedar Rapids, came down	prudent to take the children out doors. A short play will be rendered under the direction of Mrs. Stires, Mrs. Snow and Miss Fannie Geer. Invitations have been received here	held their usual Christmas exercises Sanday evening in their hall. The evergreen tree which was used for the occasion was probably the largest ever brought to town for that purpose. The branches reached nearly across the
J. H. GALLEY 505 Eleventh St	ing. Several surprises awaited the audience in the development of the plot. It was a good show and the audience was pleased and apprecia- tive. The best thing about it was	Jr., office three doors north of Fried- hof's store. Mrs. G. O. Burns will leave Mon- day for Fairbury where she will visit her daughter. Miss Alice Watkins returned home today from Genoa near where she is teaching school.	Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of Merna, Ne- braska are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Paul, during the holidays. Miss Dress of Genoa, the telephone	anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Thurston of Fitzgerald, Georgia, which will take place at that place January 15. The Thurston family left Columbus about seven years ago, and have many acquaintances here who will remember them kindly.	room and up to the ceiling. The tree was given to the society by John Becher. The usual decorations of candles etc., gave a beautiful appear- ance. A short program including se- lections from the Orphens orchestra, a treat for all those present, and a vis- it with members, all helped to pass
COLUMBUS, NEB.	that they did not have some good actors and some bad ones. A show company, like other things, is only as strong as its weakest point, and there were no weak points about the Way Cut West company.	City last evening to visit relatives during her vacation.	price. JOHN SCHMOCKER. 3wdw Mrs. A. B. Tomson went to North Bend Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday with her husband and family.	where he will begin his work as one of the new members of a newly organized wholesale grocery store. Mr. Erskine's friends here hope for	Gottfried Gerber, a man who has accident which caused him to loss