

HOLIDAY GOODS HEADQUARTERS

But Two Weeks and a Day Till Christmas.

Boston Store Toy Opening

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We urge and advise you most emphatically to do your holiday shopping tomorrow. We cannot impress upon you too strongly the importance of making your selections before the great rush begins. Just now you can choose from our complete stocks. Our goods are the newest and most desirable. Useful as well as ornamental gifts. The best that money can buy is here. We have the best facilities for handling the crowds—numerous entrances, wide aisles, broad stairways, large elevators, commodious waiting rooms, plenty of light, and pure air, make trading pleasant here. Our service is the best, and delivery system prompt. And, above all, our prices are unmatched. Below are a few of the many wonderful bargains that await you here tomorrow.

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Dress Patterns

For Christmas Gifts—Special Values
\$3.50 Dress Patterns for \$1.75.

500 high grade dress patterns containing 7 yds. of extra wide material in all wool and silk mixtures. English coverts, two-toned granites, camel's hair, mohair jacquards, Armures, two-toned granites, camel's hair, mohair jacquards, Armures, Roman Plaids, Bangalines, French serges and German Henriettas in all colors, including black. These goods are sold regularly as high as 75c yd. Monday they go on special sale on Bargain Square, the entire pattern. **\$1.75**

\$5.00 DRESS PATTERNS FOR \$2.98.

An extraordinary sale of all the newest and most desirable fabrics shown this season, comprising silk and wool materials, English pique, shrunk chevrons, jerseys, molossine suitings, Viennas, habit cloths, silk poplins, clay worsteds, blister crepons, figured mohairs and many other new weaves, in all the latest shades. This is an opportunity to secure a very fine dress pattern for less than half manufacturer's cost. These patterns are worth \$5.00. Monday on special sale, the entire pattern for. **\$2.98**

\$8.00 DRESS PATTERNS FOR \$3.98.

A most attractive offering of strictly high class dress patterns, consisting of silk crepons, silk and wool velours, broadcloths, Venetians, Zibelins, pebble chevrons, Scotch tweeds, panne cloth, camel's hair, prunella, rose outings, and an immense lot of high grade imported novelties. Enough in each piece for a full dress pattern—no two alike—positively worth up to \$8.00 yd.; on special sale Monday, the entire pattern. **\$3.98**

75c AND 85c NEW FRENCH FLANNEL 4 1/2c yd.

A new arrival of 200 pieces of French flannels in all the very latest patterns, handsome floral and Dresden designs, polkadots, stripes and plain colors. The most popular goods for waists, dressing saques and wrap-pers. French flannel, worth 75c and 85c yd., on sale Monday, at. **49c**

Sale of Holiday Silks.

We have just received over 300 pieces of fine silks in advance for the Holiday trade, which we will place on sale Monday, all at special prices. Nothing is a more suitable gift for a lady than a handsome silk petticoat, a swell silk waist pattern, skirt or evening gown pattern. We can show you more fine silks than all the other stores; and everybody knows we are leaders in silks; our prices are always the lowest.

FOUR SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR MONDAY.

BARGAIN 1—Your choice of any \$6.00 or \$7.00 waist length, containing 3 yds. of silk, self-corded novelties, panne silk flannels, satin soles, taffetas and dots, Persian and Dresden effects; entire pattern for. **\$2.98**

BARGAIN 2—Over 500 different silk dress patterns, black and colored, 24 and 27-inch wide, each containing 12 yards of material, in the new soft finish satin lumines, poult de sole, poult marvellie, guaranteed taf-fetas and Fattis solide, every yard guaranteed right on the selvage, 20-inch satin Luxors, 24-inch soles, Satinas; over thirty different weaves, worth \$1.50 yd. Monday, the entire pattern for. **\$1.15**

BARGAIN 3—350 unmade silk petticoats containing 7 yds. of 27-inch and 30-inch guaranteed taffeta, in black and every shade of the rainbow; also a big lot of fancy stripes, rustling taffetas, etc., worth up to \$1.50 yd.; Monday entire pattern for. **\$5.00**

BARGAIN 4—50c and 75c grades of China and Japanese silks, silk satins and fancy figured silks, at. **29c**

On Bargain Square \$1.00 and \$1.50 Silks, 50c and 69c.

Over 5,000 yds. of all kinds of high grade, plain and fancy silks, including black and corded dress silks, waist silks, new 27-inch colored taffetas, all silk drapery material, yard-wide chinans, in colors and black, heavy rustling black taffetas, black and colored satins, and a big lot of fine silk shirtings, at. **50c and 69c**

Holiday Handkerchiefs

A New York importer's entire sample line and broken lots of high class Silk Handkerchiefs imported for this holiday trade, all new, up-to-date styles, mostly all on the original cards just as they arrived from Japan. In this lot will find almost every style of silk handkerchiefs for men, women and children. A small part of this grand lot of handkerchiefs has been displayed in our show window, regular from \$2.00 to \$7.50 dozen. They go on sale in lots at

8 1/2c 15c 25c

All the men's medium and extra large size silk handkerchiefs from this lot, with plain, heavy tatted and fancy borders, all widths, worth regular \$1.50, go at **49c**

1,000 dozen fine imported genuine Irish linen Handkerchiefs, with plain and hand embroidered initials, every one guaranteed strictly all linen, hemstitched with all widths of hems, some with slight imperfections. A manufacturer's samples, and odds and ends, worth up to 50c, go on sale at **10c-15c**

Jewelry and Holiday Novelties

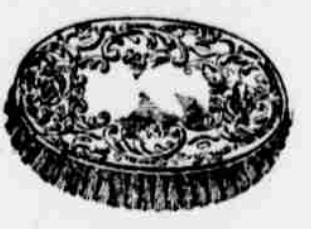
You cannot find a more choice and varied stock in the city, and, as far as prices are concerned, judge them by the following quotations—



Handsome toilet sets, made of sterling silver, \$25-100 fine, consisting of comb, brush and mirror, nicely engraved and hand engraved, special. **\$6.98**

Ebonized toilet sets, sterling silver trimmed, comb, brush and mirror, put up in fine box; **\$1.25** per set.

3-piece toilet set, double glass mirror, large size brush and comb, all sterling mounted; put up in fancy box, actual \$2.00, value, at. **\$2.98**



Military brushes, very finest bristle stock, sterling silver backs, handsomely engraved, actual \$5.50 value. On sale **\$6.98**



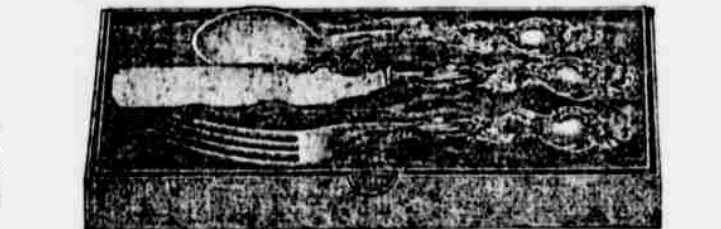
A choice lot of sterling office novelties, including files, inkwells, calculators, etc., very beautiful designs, on sale tomorrow. **49c**



4-piece Quadruple Plated Tea Sets—consisting of tea pot, sugar bowl, spoon holder and cream pitcher, warranted—special sale price only. **2.98**

4-piece Quadruple Plated Tea Sets—hand burnished, nicely engraved, sugar bowl, spoon holder, cream pitcher and tea pot, special sale price only. **3.98**

Wm. A. Rogers' 4-piece Tea Sets—handsomely satin finished, hand engraved, warranted to wear 10 years—special, per set—only. **6.98**



Wm. A. Rogers' child's sets in fancy designs, knife, fork and spoon, put up in silk lined box, special. **98c**

Wm. A. Rogers' butter knife and sugar spoon, put up in a fancy silk lined box, special per set. **98c**

Rogers Bros. 1847 knives and Wm. A. Rogers' knives and forks, No. 12, first quality, spe. per set of 6 knives and 6 forks, **\$3.29** only. **\$2.19**

Lenders, Fary & Clark's celebrated carving set, sterling silver ferrule, stag handle, fine quality steel blade, carver, fork and steel, special. **2.98**



Clear jars, imitation cut glass bowl, quadruple plated top engraved and embossed, mounted by apron, private figure, special. **98c**

3-piece mantle set, consisting of file, cuticle and button hook, special price. **49c**

Sterling silver, \$25-100 fine, novelties, including files, cuticles, bells, combs, curling irons, buttons, etc., choice of entire lot. **29c**



Opera Glasses, pearl mounted, fine clear lenses, actual \$3.00 value, for. **\$3.98**

We have others up to \$15 a pair—They look their value too.

Special Sale of BOOKS

In Toy Department on Third Floor.

Tomorrow we begin the biggest sale of books Omaha has ever known. Books are not one of our regular lines, but the eastern trade knowing us to be large cash buyers of almost any kind of merchandise which we can offer to our patrons at a great reduction in price, they offered us almost a million copies of all kinds of books. Thus we are able to sell to the people of Omaha books at about 10c on the \$1.00.

One big lot of current books of the best titles, bound with the best possible binding, with gilt edges and silk markers, books that generally sell at \$1.50 each, at **39c**

One big counter of all kinds of handsome bound books with buckram—a book that generally sells for \$1.00, all the current titles, we offer at. **25c**

One big table of all the handsomely bound gift back books, cloth bound, that generally sell at 50c and 75c, we offer in this sale at. **15c**

One big table of those handsome gift books, gilt and silk bound, one in a box, just the thing for Christmas gifts, worth up to \$1.00; we offer them at. **15c**

One big lot of Webster's Unabridged Dictionaries, large heavy books, handsomely bound, worth \$2.50. For. **69c**

A Special Offer of \$2.50 Books for 39c
39c "Nansen in the Frozen North," originally published to sell for \$2.50. A more instructive book was never published, we offer them at **39c**

Grand Special Sale of Children's Picture Books

Never was there such a line in Omaha. We have divided them into lots as follows—
All the 25c Picture Books at 5c
All the 35c Picture Books at 10c
All the 50c Picture Books at 19c
All the 75c Picture Books at 25c
All the \$1.00 Picture Books for 39c

MCABE SENT TO FAR SOUTH

Methodist Bishop Obligated to Postpone His Residence in Omaha.

SOUTH AMERICA "CHAPLAIN'S" NEW FIELD

Demotion in This City Feels Keen Disappointment at New Arrangement—Bishop in Well Fitted for Task.

Omaha Methodists are nursing a disappointment which even the doctrine of forbearance prominent in the faith of John Wesley's cult will not dissipate. It comes in the shattering of the long-cherished ambition to have this city once more the home of a bishop of their denomination. Bishop Charles C. McCabe, who was assigned to make his episcopal residence in Omaha by the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, has been unexpectedly ordered to South America to preside over the mission conferences in that field.

Bishop McCabe's residence in this city was established last May and shortly after the adjournment of the quadrennial session of the general conference the bishop, or, as he is more affectionately known to Methodists all over the country, "Chauncy," McCabe, came to this city and arranged for apartments in a prominent family hotel. The bishop remained here but a short time when he was called east to preside over various conferences and to confer with other members of the Methodist bishopric. It was expected that he would return to

BOARD HAS OTHER TROUBLES

Mayor Refuses to Put Busy Officials to Needless Task of Investigating Garbage Ordinance.

TICKET BROKERS IN DISMAY

Railroad's Offer to Redeem Unused Tickets Will Work Havoc.

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Milwaukee Makes a Public Proposal, However, and Brokers Fear for Result with Public Not Enlightened.

PRINTERS PICK UP STICKS

Disagreement Regarding Apprentices at Root Office Settled to Satisfaction of All.

The strike at A. L. Root's job office was settled yesterday after the printers had been out twenty-four hours. The settlement made was to the satisfaction of all concerned and the old men are back at work. This trouble is the first one in which "Port" Jones has figured in the capacity of organizer for the International union and his work is commented upon by the members of the craft as being effective.

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The road issuing it for a return of his money except as a last resort.

"It is through this means, more than any other, that ticket brokers have been enabled to do a thriving business. In nine cases out of ten a man having a ticket in his possession which he finds he cannot use will dispose of it to a broker, in case he makes any disposition of it at all, and of course does not by any means realize its face value.

"This practice of redeeming unused tickets has been effective with the Milwaukee as with other roads heretofore, but never, I think, has such prominence been given the matter. Our instructions relative to the posting of the notice where our patrons can easily see it have just been received, so that the Milwaukee's idea of giving publicity to the announcement is something new."

ENGINES NOT YET DISCREDITED.

New Locomotives Have Not So Far Been Given Fair Chance.

QUICK RUN TO OMAHA.

The officers of the Burlington road are talking of a rapid run made by the fast mail, No. 15, which left Chicago Thursday.

SANTA FE SHOPS TO REOPEN.

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 8.—General Superintendent Nixon of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railway today wired from Cleburne to General Manager Polk that the shops there which closed Thursday night on account of the operators' strike will reopen Monday with a full force of 600 men. Twenty-one stations on the northern division have been transferred to new agents. General Manager Polk says that in two days all

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS.

General Superintendent T. E. Calvert of the Burlington was in the city Friday night from Lincoln.

General Passenger Agent J. Francis of the Burlington has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

L. B. Eveland, traveling passenger agent of the Denver & Rio Grande, is a visitor in the city from Chicago.

General Agent C. A. Rutherford of the Rock Island has returned from a business visit to Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

H. J. Siffer, superintendent, and E. A. Kellogg, assistant superintendent, of the Northwestern, were in the city from Boone.

Herb Howell and Billie Barnes, traveling passenger agents of the Milwaukee and Missouri Pacific, arrived in the city to remain over Sunday.

S. S. Huntley, general manager of the Yellowstone Park Transportation company, and Secretary Bach of the Mammoth Hot Springs company, are in the city from Yellowstone Park in connection with General Passenger Agent Francis of the Burlington relative to next season at the park.

POLICE COURT JUDGES.

The Bee is in receipt of an inquiry concerning the length of the terms of Police Judges Louis Berka and S. I. Gordon. Judge Berka served from May of 1887 until January of 1890. Judge Hesse was then elected to the office for a term of two years. In January of 1892 Judge Berka entered upon a two-year term. S. I. Gordon became police judge in January of 1898 and continued in the office until deposed by recent action of the courts.

DEFERS GOVERNOR PINGREE.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 8.—Judge Howard West of the Ingham county circuit, who conducted the trial resulting in the conviction of General Marsh and who sentenced General White to ten years in prison, was attacked by Governor Pingree in an interview yesterday.

Today Judge White telegraphed Governor Pingree a request to have the legislators investigate his conduct as circuit judge and take such action as the proofs warrant.

Sale of Cloaks

and Furs—Radical Price Cuts.

\$4.75 for Women's Short Jackets worth up to **\$15.00**—This is most unusual offer!

but we are considerably overstocked owing to the mild weather and are quite willing to make the sacrifice. The jackets are all this season's make, representing the very newest styles, and are made of very fine materials. They are all well lined and perfect fitting garments. They range in value from

\$8 to \$15 all go at one price, **\$4.75**

\$7.50 for **\$20.00** Tailor Made Suits—These come in blouse, e-ton and fly front effects, the season's newest styles and choicest materials. We make this radical reduction to clear out a number of odd garments. The values ran ge upward to \$20.

\$1250 for **\$20.00** Automobiles—In this lot you will find sample garments that are worth even more. The sizes we must admit are somewhat broken. They come in tans, navy and black, with storm and coat collar, 36 inches and 40 inches long, all elegantly lined, your choice of the lot \$12.50

Women's Silk Skirts—A large assortment of fine costume taffeta dress golf skirts, made of heavy goring materials, well tailored and velours, etc., all samples, **\$8.50** worth up to \$17.50, at **\$3.98, \$4.98, \$7.50 \$9.98** and.

Ladies' Fine Furs

\$69.00 for Persian lamb jackets, reversible—An exceptional bargain.

\$85.00 for XXX Persian lamb jacket, 32 inches long, with blended mink collar and revers.

\$119.00 for XXXX Persian lamb jacket, 32 inches long, with blended sable collar, cuffs and revers.

XXX and XXXX ladies' fur jackets, 22 inches long, lined with heavy sealers' satin, at **\$125, \$139, \$150 and \$175**

\$39.00 for 22 inch near seal jacket, with beaver collar and revers, guaranteed lining.

\$42.50 for 22 inch near seal jacket, with mink collar and revers.

We are also offering some very unusual values in storm collars and collars and collarettes, in all the popular furs, both light and dark, at **\$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.98, \$4.98, and up to \$27.50**

Fine Electric Stolls at \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.50.
Fine Marten Stolls at \$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98 and \$6.50.

FANCY SLIPPERS

Extra specially fine new styles Swell Ballroom Slippers—

Evening Slippers—

Beaded Slippers—

Patent Leather Slippers—

Kid Slippers—

Silk and Satin Slippers—

Warm Beaver Slippers—

The finest line of slippers in all Omaha from

29c to \$10

