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# HAYDEN's The Most Convenient, Complete and Beautiful HAY Display of Toys and Fancy Goods in Omaha

The entire main floor devoted to toys and fancy goods. Everything spread before you to make selection easy. A visit will be full of suggestion to you. Everything that is novel, beautiful, entertaining and instructing in holiday goods from the world's best makers. Buy Saturday and get the benefit of complete assortments and best service. Books and Jewelry at a Saving of 50 Per Cent,

# The Real Live Santa Claus Will Meet All the Bright Children of Omaha Saturday Morning

The great toy department, with its gorgeous decorations and beautiful and limitless displays of dolls at all prices from 1c to \$10.00, velocipedes, wagons, picture books, games, hobby horses, steam toys, wooden toys, iron toys, toys of every description and from every land will be turned over to the children Saturday morning. The real live Santa Claus will meet the children, talk to them, find out what they want, show them his magnificent collection of goods and let them select just the very things they want. Every child in Omaha should come and see him Saturday morning.

# Watches, Clocks, Jewelry

Big Special Sales Saturday. The most complete assortment in America. Buy while selection is easy.

Handsome 8-day, large size iron clocks, best movements, guaranteed for Beautiful new line of new China Clocks, fancy hand decorated caseson sale at ..... 1.85

### Watches Saturday at Big Saving

All the best movements, sizes and cases.

Boys' regular \$3.00 American watches, in fancy nickel cases-

Select a watch now and we will hold it for you until wanted.

# **Special Silverware Sale**

The most appropriate and pleasing gifts	
Borry dishes, quadruple plate, fancy crystal bowl, worth \$4, Saturday at	. 1.50
Cake Stands, at \$1.50 and	1 00
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Your choice of a great odd lot of Rogers Bros' and other good makes of and forks.	table spoons
In Rogers' and other good makes	
Tobacco jars, in the silver plated tops	
A full set of nut picks and cracks at	
Bon-bon dishes	
Puff boxes	25c
Child's silver plated three piece sets, at	250
Ladies' sterling silver nethersole bracelets at	50e
Child's three piece desk set, at	49c
	TO ADA CALCORA NO. CONTRACTOR

# **Opera Glasses**

price. Very seasonable and desirable at this season. You can save money by buying here and now.

### Men's Holiday Furnishing Goods Sale

Men's 25c Handkerchiefs, in all the new colors, at ..... 10c Boys' \$1.50 all wool sweaters, at ..... 250 dozen boys' fine wool sweaters, in plain and colors-these were made to sell at \$1.50- on sale at .... 75c Men's cardigan jackets, in black, blue and brown, at .... \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and up to \$5.00 Men's 50c and 75c neckwear, at ..... 500 dozen men's fine neckwear, in four-in-hands, tecks and bows, in all the very latest styles, that were mmade to sell at 50c and 75c, on sale at ..... 25c Men's 75c oxford mufflers, at ..... 25c 25c

objection at all.

some time last April.

and Mittauer answered:

braska Brewers' association."

same in detail. He said:

the attorney.

Mittauer Talks Freely.

could compel men to answer questions on

as he had been unable to secure the needed

information. The court then overruled the

"At a meeting of the Nebraska Brewers"

Peter Boysen, representative of the Lemp

Brewing association, succeeded Mittauer on

"We have two saloons in South Omaha. 1

the witness stand and told a story much the

association some time in the spring it was

the witness stand his efforts might fail.

### **Greatest Piano Sale That** Ever Took Piece in

Omaha. **Umana.** From now until January 1st we will cut the price on every plano on our floor. Any one thinking of purchasing a plano (or Christmas should not fail to attend this sale. We guarantee to save you from \$100 to \$200 on your purchase. Every plano guaranteed to give satisfaction or money cheerfully refunded. We will have an ex-tra force of salesmen to walt upon you. No planos sold to dealers. Here are a fow of the planos that will go in this sale: Chickering. Fischer, Franklin, Knabe, Jacob Doll, Behr Bros, Loster, Marshall & Wendell, Haines, Birkgs, Ivers & Pond, Weber, Kirkman, Bans and Singer. Planos sold on easy terms if desired. New planos for rent. Planos tuned, moved and re-paired. Catalogues furnished to out-of-town customers on application. Tel 16.3.

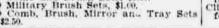
Special Picture Sale

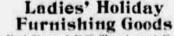
Pharaoh's Horses, r ound frames, black and brown, at See each. Smaller round black frames, gilt ornamented. "Pharaoh's Horses," "Society of Friends," "St. Ce-cella," etc., at 55c; large size, beaded edge and gold burnish, at 85c. Frames at 25c, 35c and 50c. The largest assortment of good framed-up plctures to select from at the lowest prices. A lot of Framed Pictures to be closed out at 25c and 35c, worth 55c and 51.00. Before you buy anything in either pic-tures or furniture see us—we can save you money.

### China Department

### **Brushes at Half Price**

\$1.00 BRUSHES ON SALE AT 50C. A sample line of Cloth, Hair, Hat and M8. itary Brushes on sale Saturday at one-haif price, \$2.00 Comb and Brush Sets, \$1.00, \$2.00 Military Brush Sets, \$1.00, \$5.00 Comb, Brush, Mirror an., Tray Sets only \$2.59.





**Furnishing Goods** Ladies' 75c and \$1.69 Shawls and Faseina-tors at 25c. One lot of ladies' fancy Hose, worth 35c and 50c, at 25c. Ladies' \$1.60 Fancy Hose, in all the new colors, at 50c. Ladies' for Gloves and Mittens at 25c. Ladies' for Gloves and Mittens at 25c. Ladies' 50 Gloves, in black and 52 the new shades, at 35c. Mittens at 25c. Men's Umbrelias at \$1.00, \$1.59, \$2.00 and up to \$5.00. Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns at \$1.01 and up to \$5.00.

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Sheet Music

Saturday Meat Sale Fresh Dressed Spring Chickens 6-th pails best Lard No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams No. 1 XXX Cured Bacon Spiced Tripe (in glass) New Ealogna Boneless Cottage Ham Potted Ham, pr can Boneless Corned Beef

Tobaccos. packages Cut Plug, 1 pound Duke's Mixture, Nerve Navy, per plug.

for

#### Standard Navy, per plug. 37c for Fruit Julce, per plug, for 35c Newsboy, per plug, for Climax, for 38c

**Christmas Handk'chiefs** \$1.00 pure linen Handkerchlefs only 50c 50c Handkerchiefs only 25c. Handkerchiefs only

Christmas Pipes, Pocket Books, Garters, Neckwear, etc.

#### **Great Reduction** in Price of Canned Goods

We purchased the entire pack of one o the largest canning factories in the coun Being in need of money they accepted

our cash proposition. All the goods were put up this year and are fresh, new goods. 5-lb, can Corn, finest packed, worth 5c be can, our price 5-lb, can Tomatoes, worth ise can, 7kc When in need of anything in the sheet music or book line be sure to give Hayden Bross a call as we carry everything in the weil place on sale an elegant lot of sheet music at only be per copy, by mail, the in this lot are a lot of pretty songs, wallzes, two steps, plano solos, etc. Call or send for catalogues, which are free. 7 tc

#### Dried Fruit.

New bright goods. pounds Santa Clara Prunes pounds California Prunes, 23c pounds large fancy Oregon Prunes, 27c 3 pounds fancy New York Apples, 24c pounds San Jose Peaches, for 7320 24c pounds Butte County Peaches, for 29c pounds 4 Crown Raisins, 10c 29c pounds Virginia Blackberries, for 30c : 27c 25c

### Teas and Coffee.

50c Special Roast Rio Coffee, worth 5c 12 c 174c, only Jolden Blend Santos, worth 43c 15c amily Java and Mocha, worth 36c 25c Broken Java and Mocha, 38c 10c ancy Drink Sundried Japan, 35c only New Young Hyson and English Breakfast Tea Breakfast Fired Japan. 374c 42c 42c <sup>for</sup> Bars Best Laundry Soap, 25c

# Grand Book Sale.

\$1.50 BOOKS ONLY 25c-Fort Frayne, Wounded Name, Garrison Tangle, 25c Warrior Gap, and Army Wife-a lot of \$1.50 copyrighted books only 25 cents.

Santa Claus' Reception

to Children Saturday Morning

Your choice of over 100 titles such as Alice Adventures in Wonderland, Black Beauty, Burn's Poems, Dog of Flanders, Dicken's Shorter Stories, Imitation of Christ, etc., only 125gc. \$1.50 COPYRIGHT BOOKS ONLY SIC-Janice Meredith, When Knightbood

81c Was in Flower, The Reign of Law, David Harrum and Tony and Grizel

98c	\$3.00 SILK tional Silk former trat	SEWED BD Sewed Bible, uslations, rev	containin	ng the old	1 and new	testiments.	and with
25c 12 mo.	Books, only		****				
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# 19c Great Sale Xmas Slippers



Over 2800 pairs of Xmas Slippers closed out to us by two big eastern slipper houses at less than manufacturer's cost. All on sale in our two shoe departments Saturday. Slippers for men, women and children, from Hazen B. Goodrich & Co., and J. Irwing Benedict & Son, the greatest fine slipper manufacturers in the world.

MEN'S 75c velvet house Slippers	28c
MEN'S fine \$1.00 velvet embroidered Slippers	<b>49</b> e
MEN'S fine \$1.25 velvet chenille embroidered Slippers	73e
MEN'S fine \$1.35 tan and black goat Slippers	90c
MEN'S fine \$1.50 goat opera cut Slippers	\$1,15
MEN'S fine \$2.00 goat Faust Slippers	\$1.45
BOYS' fine \$1.00 embroidered velvet Slippers	65c
LADIES' 75c velvet Slippers	<b>28</b> e
LADIES' fine \$1.00 Turkish Slippers	49c
LADIES' fine \$1.50 felt turn sole Slippers	98c
LADIES' fine \$1.75 felt Juliette felt Slippers	\$1.23
LADIES' fine \$2 satin Juliette fur trimmed Slippers	\$1.37
MISSES' fine \$1.00 felt Slippers	59c
CHILD'S fine 60c velvet Slippers	2Sc

### BREWERS PUT UP THE MONEY had confidently counted on a ruling of the it to him. He didn't say who was going to court excluding this testimony. court excluding this testimony.

### And Their Saloons in South Omaha Run Wide Open.

EVIDENCE OF BRIBES FOR MAYOR KELLY plaint originally stood, Kelly was charged

Of Course the Men Who Paid Do Not Care Who Pockets the Cash as Long as They Get Results.

There was some sensational testimony relative to the case with which the saloon panies mentioned in the complaint were: keepers of South Omaha purchase immunity against the operation of the Sunday closing ordinances brought out at the preliminary hearing of Mayor Allen R. Kelly of South Omaha on the charge of bribery before Judge Vinsonhaler yesterday. The state's attorney put on the witness stand managers of two brewing concerns having branch establishments in South Omaha and showed by them that when the saloon keepers wished to avoid orders against keeping open house during the hours not sanctioned by the law all that was necessary was to produce money with a liberal hand.

The abandon with which the brewery managers talked of paying out sums of money by no means small, without seeming to demand information as to whom it was to be paid, or for what purpose, caused the ser-Busch Brewing company, was called to will have only to trace the money, if it eyes of some of the court spectators unused the witness chair. He was not reticent to can be traced at all, through one change of amazement.

change than some folks have faults," gasped the running powers of saloons, but a lounger in a seedy hat and threadbare there was was no specific evidence that he paid \$50 to a man without knowing this will come later. The successful start who was going to get if, or whether he exceeded his most sanguine expectations. In would derive any returns from the payment, or why he paid it.

Shocks the Defense.

The evidence was in the nature of a ing hours forbidden by law, Mittauer ad-

# A LIFE SAVED.

### A Druggist's Timely and Straightfor-ward Advice Saves the Life of a Prominent Citizen.

CHICAGO, III., December 14.-(Special.) Among the Catholic Foresters in this city none is better known or more universally esteemed than Mr. S. P. Rush, conductor (president) of Holy Name court No. 26. His many friends inside the order and objections and the testimony was admitted outside of its ranks, were, therefore, much

startled to learn that his life was in danger, he having Bright's disease, that most terrible and fatal disease. Mr. Rush, however, made a grand strug-

gle for his life, taking prescriptions and pills and powders, until his stomach refused tood. At last, his local druggist, guided by the numerous inquiries being made at his store for Dodd's Kidney Pills, advised Mr. Rush to buy and try some. This he did, and to his delight he was restored to health and strength. Mr. Rush says that after commencing

the use of Dodd's Kidney pills he felt much ing. better, but it took two months to effect a cure. "I took nothing else but Dodd's Kidney

pills during that time, so I know that 1 owe life and health to them." What this wonderful remedy has done

for Mr. Rush it will certainly do for anyone. It is the only remedy that has never failed to cure Bright's disease. Mr. Rush is just now receiving the congratulations of his friends, but always

finds time to say a good word for the medicine that saved his life. Sold for 50 cents a box; all dealers.

Mayor Kelly and his attorneys came into him by check out of the funds of the comcourt with another request for a continu- pany. Tierney merely said he wanted the ance. The hearing had already been moved along on the call on two different occasions. have it without asking any questions. so Judge Vinsonhaler overruled the motion. Customers Make Complaint. Then there were objections to several

"Mies was paid by check along in June amendments to the complaint. As the comor July. My customers in the saloons we supply came to me with the complaint that with having received sums of money from they were being closed up while others were a number of brewing concerns in consideraallowed to run on Sundays and after midtion of his permission that saloons operated night. In looking for information how this by them would be allowed to keep open on happened I found Mies. He told me I could Sundays and between the hours of midnight get open for \$25 for each of the saloons. and 5 o'clock in the morning, periods dur-This I refused to pay. A little later my ing which the ordinances specify liquor customers again came to see me and said shops shall close their doors. The comthey were going to move out of the buildings and rent from someone who could

The Omaha Brewing company, Joseph guarantee them the privilege of keeping Schlitz Brewing company, William J. Lemp open. Then I gave Mics the \$50." Brewing company, Fred Krug Brewing com-On cross-examination Boysen said that he pany, Metz Bros. Brewing company, South paid the money with the intention of having Omaha Brewing company, Anheusert reach the people who controlled the open-Busch Brewing company and Pabst Brewing of the saloons. ing company. To this list the county at-"Did you pay it to bribe Kelly," asked the torney had appended the names of the xaminer.

agents of the concerns, so that in the event "No." of an inability to prove that money had "Well, how did you expect to get the been paid by the concerns proper, proof caloons open ?" was the next query. that the agents, in their official capacity, "That was immaterial to me," was the had paid money to Kelly would serve in reply. "Any old way, just so they got open, lieu. The motion for a continuance on the and I was satisfied. They opened the next objections to the amendments were as day after the money was paid." promptly overruled as the one based on no Between Tierney and Kelly.

The afternoon session resulted in disclosures to such an extent that the state George Mittauer, cashier of the Anheu-

to handling cash so lavishly to bulge in tell a story of the way he contributed to hands, from George W. Tierney to Mayor laws of the state?" Kelly. One witness after another said exa fund to "square" the authorities "Gee, but them fellows have more loose who had it in their power to limit plicitly that he paid money into the hands of a person supposed to be the agent of the South Omaha chief executive for the excoat, when one of the witnesses insisted against Kelly. The county attorney says press purpose of preventing the enforcement of the laws. One even went so far when pinned down by the persistent queries of the state's attorneys as to admit he was reply to the county attorney's query guilty of offering a bribe. No one could whether he had ever paid out any money

swear of his knowledge that Mayor Kelly to ensure the opening of his saloons durgot the funds, but each andidly confessed bombshell to the defense, as the attorneys mitted that he had, saying that he paid \$100 that he believed he was bribing the mayor contributions and the results promised by "Tell the court the circumstances under the mayor having been secured each be which that money was paid," commanded lieved he had bribed him by means of the

payment. At once there were objections on the The person who is alleged to have ofscore of the testimony being hearsay. The ficiated as go-between from the salooncounty attorney thereupon informed the keepers to Mayor Kelly and who is proved court he expected to prove that money to have been paid by the saloonkeepers see him fust. had been paid to Kelly, but unless that he

various sums from \$30 to \$44 is George W. Tierney. It is expected that he will go on the witness stand and undergo an examina tion sometime this morning. Otto Siemsen did not contribute as many

facts to the state's collection as the witnesses following him. He said that the brewers got their first inspiration to establish a fund for Kelly's benefit at a meeting

brought up that we were taxed \$25 for held in April, when the word was passed Balduffs Specialeach of the saloons run. I do not know who around that the mayor's election expenses brought the information. We have four had amounted to about \$3,000 and in censesaloons in South Omaha; that is, saloons quence the friends of a "liberal adminiswhich we furnish with our beer. It was for them that the \$100 was paid. Payment a \$2,000 reimbursement. When tormented was made by check to George W. Tierney. I understand he is a solicitor for the Ne-'liberal" he said it meant assurances that the saloons could keep open where there was money to be made. Siemsen concluded The witness gave the names of the met who he remembered had attended the meethis testimony by refusing to answer whether

> among other purposes that of bribing city officials on the ground that the reply might 'discriminate" the organization.

> > Money to Kelly's Agent.

have paid or caused to be paid out of the Charles Metz, general manager of the funds of the concern I work for money to be Meiz Bros.' Brewing company, said that used in preventing Sunday closing. The he contributed money twice to persons purfirst payment was to George Tierney early porting to be Kelly's agents. The in the spring. The second time I gave time was after the meeting mentioned bemoney to anyone for this purpose was to fore. The occasion of the second payment Henry Mies. Mies works for the South was complaint by some of the concern's Omaha Brewing company. Tierney came to customers that the officials were discrimimy office and said he wanted \$30 and I gave | nating against them in compelling them

to close up on Sundays. Metz said he get it or what it was wanted for. I paid visited Mayor Kelly and asked the reason of the difference in the treatment of his customers and those who bought their money for 'South Omaha' and I let him beverages from other brewerles. The ex-

> Metz salcons had been talking against the doubtful if many of them ever spent a he was burned. administration. The remedy suggested more uncomfortable half-hour than when was to visit a brewer named Jetter. Metz before the throng that filled the court said he had a talk with the person named room the attorneys plied them with quesand was advised to contribute \$75 to Henry tions regarding the transactions. Mies, a hint that he promptly followed, stood between a fear of betraying Kelly He added that after the money had been and the mortification of admitting their paid Tierney informed him that it had own misdeeds and there were moments

been turned over to Kelly. William Krug, vice president and gen-[stand squirmed about in their seats as if eral manager of the Krug Brewing com- someons had built a fire under their chairs. pany, said that his concern had paid \$75 under his own direction and further sums, \$75 and \$100, during his absence in Eu rope. He said that the first payment had

been made to "protect the saloon interests" in South Omaha. He admitted that he intended to bribe Kelly, but he wanted to describe the transactions by a more dignified name.

#### Knew It Was a Bribe.

"You expected the money would be paid to public officials, didn't you?" queried the attorney. "Well, I didn't expect it would, but 1 thought it might."

## De Hully Ge?

But isn't I a lucky coon-an' dat's because my name is Zeke and I work fur Mr. Raymer-de man wat sells de B. & B. skates for 50c-an' he dun give me a pairsay, but de odder boys is jelus o' me-my boss is sellin' lots o' tings cheap now-fur instance-iron wagons fur 75c-good sleds fur 25c-pocket knives fur 10c to \$4.00scissors au' shears fur 25c-razor sets fur

\$2.00-chafing dishes \$2.50-karving sets \$1.00 and fancy tea and coffee pots fur 98c-den he has lots o' plated knives, forks and spoons-an' all at de lowest prices-

### A. C. Raymer

### 1514 Farnam St.

The most delicious candy made for tration" ought to come to his relief with the holidays-put up in 1, 2, 3, 5 and into giving his construction of the word 10-pound boxes-packed for shipping-at 60 cents a pound-what nicer present could you think of than a box of Balthe Nebraska Brewers' association had duff's delicious candy-put up in the most exquisite boxes made-or, if you prefer, one of our beautiful satin lined baskets-it will be expressed same day

> W. S. Balduff. 1520 Farnam St.

"No, but answer the question just as I is alleged, that the wind blew the flames have put it." "Well, yes, sir."

The witnesses were in hot water when alleges that the railroad is responsible for the attorneys began to question them re- the accident in the fact that Kriss was in planation was that proprietors of the garding their intent to bribe, and it is the employment of the company at the time

They

the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad to recover damages in the sum of \$5,000 on account of the death of her husband, who she alleges was roasted to death while in the employment of the company last No-vember. Kriss was at work along a track west of the city with a gang in charge of a foreman. He became ill and unconscious

Court Notes. Judge Fawcett has granted a decree of divorce in the case of Annie Cessal against James Cessal on the ground of cruelty. Judge Baker is hearing the case of the state against Ed Caldwell on the charge of grand larceny. Caldwell is said to have stolen \$80 from his employer, Peter Walker,

when some of the men on the witness stand squirmed about in their seats as if torreons hod built a fire under their chairs. The hearing will be resumed this morning at 9 o'clock.

 MRS. KRISS ASKS MONEY BALM.
 posing of property in her name.

 Seeks to Hold Railroad Company Responsible for Death of Husband.
 Charles H. Anthes has such the Cudany Charles H. Anthes has such the cudany company to recover \$10,040 damages on account of personal injuries received list November when he fell down an elevato: shaft from the third story of the sweet-plckling department. The accident was of Peter Kriss, has commenced suit against the Chicago Burlington & Ouiser salized

thought it might." "That is, you intended to bribe those officials?" "No, I would put a different construc-tion on the word. I was forced to pay the money." "Wern't you paying the money so that you and your customers could violate the laws of the state?" "I would say it another way?" west of the city with a gang in charge of a foreman. He became iil and unconscious. As the day was cold his companions had the day was cold his companions had built a fire at the side of the track a short the money." "Wern't you paying the money so that you and your customers could violate the laws of the state?" "I would say it another way?" west of the city with a gang in charge of a foreman. He became iil and unconscious. As the day was cold his companions had built a fire at the side of the track a short man and Kriss' fellows carried him to a place by the fire and there left him until they could secure medical aid. Kriss was placed so close to the burning material, it raded with them on the Board of Trade

Speaking About Christmas-And Christmas presents-there are some things that are better than others

-Drex L. Shooman feels sure that boys' shoes are about the most sensible gift for boys-more sensible than usual when they come from our storethe best \$1.50 shoe we've ever sold is the genuine calf solid school shoes that we offer this winter-better than everthe little toes never get cold with these shos on their little feet-they can't kick them out with ordinary wearthat's what we call a sensible Christ-

Drexel Shoe Co.,

New Catalogue Ready-Sent Free for the Asking. Omata's Up-to-date Shoe House. 1419 FARNAM STREET.

## The Knabe Piano —

of today will outlive the 20th century-Viewed from any standpoint the Knabe is absolute perfection-It will pay you in the long run to buy a plano like this -and as we have now a nice selection of these beautiful instruments in stock, we invite you to give us an early call and inspect them-There is nothing more suitable than a fine Knabe plano for a Christmas gift-We are sole agents and are in a position to give you the very best prices on these planos-Have you seen the self-playing plano attachment -Apollo?-Ask for it when you call.

A. HOSPE,

Music and Art.

1513 Douglas

involving the sum sued for, but that he realized a profit of about \$2,099 on the transactions. across him in the absence of the workmen and he was fatally burned. The plaintiff Postmaster Commits Suicide.

LANCASTER, Pa., Dec. 14-Major A. C. Reinochl, postmaster of this city, was found dead in his office today, having com-mitted suicide. The unlighted gas lets and gas stove were turned on full. Financial troubles are ascribed as the cause.

For a Cold in the Bead. LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE TABLETS.









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