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SUGGESTIONS

For the last few days of Christmas shopping. A few items of what to give and things this store is showing suitable for gift giving may help you decide. OPEN EVENINGS THIS WEEK.

Handkerchiefs
The latest, choicest and largest display of handkerchiefs values shown in the city.

Real Lace Handkerchiefs
Never has there been such a beautiful showing of real lace as the present one.

Infant's Wear Department
Do not forget the little ones in your Christmas shopping.

Gifts for Men
The good, practical gift to be used every day.

Christmas Linens
Torchon Lace Scarfs, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.50 each.

Handsome Farthing Novelty Sets in Dress Patterns.
Of the many choice dress goods shown here this season these are the most beautiful.

Beautiful Novelty Silks for Waists at Special Cut Prices for Wednesday's Shopping
Could you better the news right on the eve of Christmas?

Beautiful Black Dress Goods That You Should Know About
When in doubt what to give, give black.

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Christmas Hosiery
We have a splendid variety of women's fancy hosiery.

Furs
A hint for the men. Select a pretty neck scarf, muff, or coat.

Christmas Boxes.
We are showing a large line of well made boxes.

Japanese Kimonos
We are showing a beautiful line of new patterns in Japanese Kimonos.

CANAL BILL PASSED

Measure Restored to Its Original Form as Passed by the House.

HOUSE CONTINUES INSURANCE DEBATE
Managers of Big Companies and State Governments Reprimanded for Law Methods of Administration.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The senate today accepted the report of the conference committee on the Panama canal emergency appropriation bill.

HOUSE CONTINUES THE DEBATE
States Criticized for Law Methods of Controlling Insurance.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The house today continued debating, under the guise of referring the message of the president to committees, topics of interest, local and national.

WORKING FOR MODUS VIVENDI
Secretary Root Would Devise Scheme for Trading with Germany Pending Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Secretary Root is in conference with Secretary Shaw and some of the custom officers of the Treasury department.

REPORT ON NATURALIZATION
Commission Recommends Fee for Naturalization and Knowledge of English as Prerequisite.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The report of the Naturalization commission, composed of Milton D. Purdy, chairman, assistant to the attorney general.

PAYNE BILL IS FAVORED
By Vote of Seven to Five House Ways and Means Committee Reports Measure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—By a vote of 7 to 5 the house committee on ways and means reported favorably today on the Payne bill.

CONFIRMATIONS BY THE SENATE
Appointment of John F. Weston as Major General Approved.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations:

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States Criticized for Law Methods of Controlling Insurance.

NEW RATE BILL BY DOLLIVER

Measure Introduced in the Senate by Request of President.

COMMISSION INCREASED TO SEVEN
Provides Public Tribunal Before Which Shippers May Enter Complaints and for Fixing Maximum Schedules.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Senator Dolliver introduced a bill today designed to simplify the railroad rate-making process.

PRIEST IS ACCUSED OF THEFT
Pastor of New York Church Indicted by Grand Jury for Grand Larceny.

TAGGART DIVORCE CASE IS UP
Application for New Trial in Being Heard by Judge in Ohio.

SENTENCED FOR MINE SWINDLE
Philadelphia Man Gets Six Months for Hoarding a Wyoming Scheme.

FARMER INJURED BY MOTOR
Was Driving on Street Car Track on the Albright Line.

HOUSE NEWS LOGS
LOGAN IS (SPECIAL TELEGRAM)—The farm home of M. E. South on the edge of town was totally destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon.

HYMENEAL
NELSON-BRUNNER.—John Nelson and Salida Brunner were married yesterday at the First Methodist Episcopal church.

HOUSE BREAKER HELD
George Fritz, arraigned in police court Tuesday morning on a charge of breaking into and entering into the apartments of David H. Smith and Della Hayes at 125 Douglas street.

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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

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Deposits accepted of any amount.
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Who does not appreciate them?
Prices range for either **CASH or CREDIT**

Solitaire Rings or Studs from \$12.50 to \$300.
Diamond Earrings from \$10.00 to \$250.
Diamond Lockets from \$8.50 to \$75.00.
Diamond Brooches from \$7.50 to \$100.

Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins, Crosses, Neck Chains, Gold Bands, etc., make useful Xmas Gifts.

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The Leading Jeweler
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Nights & Sun. Mats. 10c, 20c
Fest. Thurs. Sat. Mats. 10c-25c

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FOURTEENTH B'WEEK.
TENTH-EVEN WEEK.

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Grand Double Orchestra All Week.
Xmas Week—THE CHRISTIAN.

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Every Night, Matinee Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

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Mrs. Stuart Robinson & Co.'s 12 Broadway.
Witches—12; Herbert & Dogs; Clayton, Jennings & Jasper; Paris & Mazze; George Lewis; Tom Hines; and the Kintons.

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The Great Success
UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES
Thursday-MARY MARBLE in NANCY BROWN.

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by imprisonment in this class of cases. Nor in the Richards and Comstock case did I receive any such instruction.

"The court, in announcing his sentence, took occasion to state that in his judgment the object and purpose of the act against the fencing of public lands was to compel the removal of fences and not to punish the offenders; that no moral turpitude attached to the offense; that it was purely a statutory one; that in view of the fact that counsel for Richards and Comstock had stated they had already removed some of their fences and would take them all down; that in his judgment the end which the government sought to achieve in the prosecution had been obtained; that it was not a case calling for a severe sentence; that the imprisonment would be nominal and he only asked the views of counsel upon the question as to the amount of the fine. Counsel for defendants naturally urged a low fine. I objected and insisted that Richards and Comstock ought not to be treated more leniently than had been the Krause brothers, who had been found guilty after an eight-day trial of unlawfully fencing public lands and of intimidating settlers. In the Krause case the court sentenced the defendant, John Krause, to pay a fine of \$50 and each to be imprisoned in the custody of the marshal for twenty-four hours. The sentence was suspended for ten days to enable the defendants to determine whether they would go to pay or appeal. They took an appeal.

"When I called Judge Munger's attention to the sentence in the Krause case he said to the defendants in that case deserved a more severe sentence on account of being convicted of intimidating settlers. I said I had no doubt whatever to shield or make it easy for Richards and Comstock. My acquaintance with these gentlemen is very slight and I never had any business relations whatsoever with them. In fact I never met Richards until the trial of the Krause case, but I met his partner, Comstock, while in Washington last April. And while I was there for the very purpose of obtaining additional help in these land fencing matters.

"I feel that I did my full duty in the Richards and Comstock case, as I have endeavored to do in every matter in my charge as United States attorney."

"I am utterly at a loss to understand why an attempt should be made to hold me responsible for the court's action, which I neither recommended, assented to nor advised.

Mr. Baxter has had a long official career in Omaha and Douglas county. He was elected attorney for the Omaha Board of Education in 1902 and re-elected a year later. That same year he was elected county judge and re-elected in 1905 and 1907. He then went to the district judge's bench, to which he was elected for a four-year term in 1909 and re-elected in 1912. He resigned from the bench to accept the appointment of United States district attorney to succeed W. S. Summers, which was removed by the president. This change came about last spring.

LINE UP FOR BATTLE

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Previously been terrorizing the city. When a robber was captured he was placed under a triphammer with the threat that it would be dropped unless he revealed the whereabouts of the booty. This usually was effective in each case and the recovered plunder was returned to its owners. Two notorious robbers were hanged in the public square.

Hundred Cossacks Killed.
TUKUM, Courland, Russia, Sunday, Dec. 17.—(Via Stettin, Prussia, Dec. 19.)—A special staff correspondent of the Associated Press, who has just arrived here, learns that mobs of Lithuanians and Estonians yesterday attacked the Cossacks and, draconous, the only military force stationed in Tukum. The mobs, after wild fighting, killed the soldiers to the last man, cut off their arms and legs and ripped up their bodies. The streets were strewn with bodies and dismembered parts. Six hundred troops arrived here this morning.

Colds Cause Sore Throat.
Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

Latest Log Collars—Edholm, Jeweler.

DEATH RECORD.
Joseph Grammer.
KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A telephone message was received here today stating that Joseph Grammer had died at his home in Pleasanton at 8 o'clock last night. The cause of his death was not stated. Deceased was an old and highly respected citizen of the county and was a member of the Board of Supervisors during the years 1888 and 1889. He leaves a wife and four children.

Stephen Ralph Douglas.
SEWARD, Neb., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Stephen Ralph Douglas, long a resident of Seward, died at his home yesterday. He had lived in the county thirty-one years. He was a director of the First National bank of this place and a man of wealth. The funeral services will be held from the First Congregational church on Thursday at 11 a. m., conducted by Rev. Ray of St. Paul, Neb., and Rev. V. W. Leavitt, pastor of the church.

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