

Telephone Douglas 615. We want you, when waiting for the North 24th, Sherman Ave., Hancock Park or South Omaha cars to step into our vestibule at 16th street entrance, it is specially heated for this purpose.

Holiday suggestions From Omaha's Most Attractive and Economical Shopping Headquarters

But fourteen shopping days to Christmas. Didn't think it was so near did you? With memories of the great Thanksgiving feast still fresh in our minds, our thoughts turn Christmasward. There are but fourteen days in which to solve all the gift problems and perplexities. Think of the planning and scheming it means. But this store has been planning for months to lighten your task and to make gift choosing easy. We have been planning to make our store a better gift center than ever before. Whether or not we have succeeded we will leave it for you to decide Saturday. The spirit of Yuletide prevades the store. The store decorations are finished, the shelves are bountifully laden with things suitable for father, mother, sister, brother and friends. Commence shopping Saturday at Thompson, Belden & Co.

Fancy Combs. SPECIAL SHOWING FOR THE HOLIDAYS. What lady is there who does not like to have pretty combs? Our showing for the holiday season is more interesting in style and variety than any other previous showing.

New Buttons. The largest and prettiest showing of Buttons in the city, both plain and fancy effects, all modestly priced. Fancy Enamel and Cut Steel Buttons, in large, medium and small sizes, at 40c to \$2.50 per dozen.

Saturday Sale Lace Dollies. 200 CLUNY LACE DOLLIES, 10c EACH. 500 CLUNY LACE DOLLIES, 5c EACH. 1,000 CLUNY LACE DOLLIES, 3c EACH. 1,500 CLUNY LACE DOLLIES, 2c EACH.

Saturday Attractions in Our Beautiful Cloak Dept. In such a beautiful and up-to-date Cloak Department as ours, where there is a continual change of fashionable attire being shown from day to day and from week to week, there is always attractive things to speak about; for instance, there's the

Special Shirt Sale—Saturday 9 A. M. We bought a large manufacturer's line of fine shirts, samples representing his new spring line; he got through with them; we bought them cheap, and as there are no two alike, we cannot put them in regular stock, but shall sell them at prices that will make you hesitate to get one.

Women's Gloves. Novelties for Xmas Giving. White and Cream Gloves—Gloves with 3-garol clasp and kid trimming and stitching of lavender, rose, navy, black, etc., very pretty, at \$2.00 per pair.

Holiday Neckwear for Women. What woman is there who would not welcome a pretty piece of neckwear on Christmas morning? acceptable, as it is beauty and utility combined. Our spick and span new gathering invites your inspection Saturday.

Special. Our Domestic Department is offering printed wash goods, done up neatly in dress patterns, at 60c and \$1.00 per pattern; a suitable, inexpensive Xmas present.

urial curls, extra well made kid body, jointed hips and knees, bisque hands, fancy shoes and stockings, 20-inch, for \$1.00; 22 and 24-inch, similar to above, \$1.25; 26 and 28-inch, similar to above, \$1.50.

BABYLAND (Topeka Turkey)—Two dolls combined in one, size 11 inches, \$1.00. We also have the Smart Set paper dolls at 10c per set.

COAL TRUST CASE LENGTHENS. (Continued from First Page.) The stand and the printing of Kemp's picture on the front page of the paper.

EPIDEMIC OF FEVER AT DIETZ. Over Eighty Cases Reported and Mine Company Cleaning Up the Town. SHERIDAN, Wyo., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—Over eighty cases of typhoid fever are reported in Dietz, the coal camp on the Burlington six miles from this city.

functions for a while of general manager, just after the resignation of E. Dickinson. He went from Omaha to Salt Lake City.

San Francisco Lumber Yard. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—The plant of the Union Lumber Company at Sixth and Hooper streets was completely destroyed by fire early today. The loss is estimated at over \$200,000.

Testimony Agent Assailed. EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Dec. 7.—James Sealy, business agent of the Teamsters' union, died from the effects of wounds on the head and neck without regaining consciousness long enough to tell how he was inflicted.

Xmas Suits and Overcoats. Heavy selling in those finer Suits and Overcoats. Don't put it off, the very thing you'd like best is here now, but a week or two of present selling will make great gaps in the now fine assortments. Boys' Suits. We've a special suit for boys from 8 to 15 years, at \$6. Young Men's Suits. Young men's college and dress suits of black unfinished worsted and Peadale blue serge; Prince Chap coats and sailor waist trousers; there's \$20 worth of clothes value in these suits, at \$15.00.

clearly an invasion of the rights of a sovereign. Mr. Lacey (La.), in charge of the measure, told of the president's interest in the matter and said the creation of such a game preserve meant the protection of the last herd of elk on the Pacific coast, some 200 splendid specimens.

Bar for Simplified Spelling. With an appropriation of over \$100,000 and a provision barring "simplified spelling" in documents authorized by law or ordered by congress, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill for 1907 was reported to the house by the appropriations committee on Monday.

Model Farm in Shoshone. RIVERTON, Wyo., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—The announcement is made that the Wyoming Central Irrigation company will establish, in connection with the United States Department of Agriculture, a model experiment farm at this point.

Label Suit Settled. SHERIDAN, Wyo., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—The \$100,000 label suit brought by W. S. Metz against Perry & Mills, former owners of the Post of this city, has been settled out of court.

Game Reserve in Washington. The sovereignty of the state was the subject of earnest debate in the house today, growing out of the consideration of a bill to establish a game preserve in the Olympic forest reserve in the state of Washington.

CONTROL OF CORPORATIONS. Secretary Metcalfe Favors a Federal Franchise as a Carb. MEAT PACKING LEADS THE INDUSTRIES. Bureau of Immigration Shows Alien Arrivals of Over a Million During the Past Fiscal Year.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The report of Secretary Metcalfe and Labor assistant in part as follows: The work of the bureau of manufacturing has been prosecuted along the lines indicated in my annual report in accordance with the law, which requires the department, through this bureau, to compile and publish a list of the manufacturing industries of the United States and markets for the same at home and abroad.

Bureau of Corporations. The bureau of corporations, continuing the work outlined in the annual report of the commissioner. The results of the bureau's investigations have furnished reliable information regarding the operations of various corporations engaged in interstate and foreign commerce.

Bureau of the Census. The annual report of the director of the census reveals a large number of statistical reports issued by the bureau during the past year. The reports cover a wide variety of subjects completed and published during the past year.

CONVICT LABOR BILL IS PASSED. House Amends Interstate Commerce Bill to Allow States to Prohibit Shipment of Convict-Made Goods.

CRIMINAL RECORD. Massachusetts Business Houses. HOLYOKE, Mass., Dec. 7.—Two business buildings were destroyed by fire here today, causing a loss of \$200,000.

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CRIMINAL RECORD. Mr. Buckingham was formerly with the Union Pacific in Omaha for many years. He was superintendent of transportation and then general superintendent, with the

ICE CREAM DEALERS HIT. Unless Government Changes Its Rule Price May Be Higher Next Summer.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 7.—The manufacture of vinegar, cider and syrup was taken up today by the United States commission on the purity of food.

Warehouse Convention Closes. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 7.—The concluding session of the American Warehouse Association's annual convention was held today.

BOYD'S Woodward Mgrs. THIS AFTERNOON AND NIGHT. LOUIS JAMES as "FALSTAFF" in THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR. SUNDAY AND MONDAY, THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR.

Mr. Richard Mansfield PEER GYNT Wednesday Eve.—By Special Request BEAU BRUMMEL. Seats on Sale—50c to \$2.50. No Free List.

KRUG THEATER. Matinee Today, 2:15. NOTE—CURTAIN AT 8:15 SHARP. TONIGHT PRICES—10c, 25c, 50c.

AUDITORIUM. ROLLER SKATING. All Day Saturday, December 8. Morning, 10 to 12. Afternoon, 2 to 5. Evening, 7:30 to 10:30.

"ZOO" 1207 Douglas St. WILD ANIMAL ACTS. 7-BIG AREN'T ACTS. Performing Lions, Arabian Stallions, Riding Lion "Nero," Talking Pony "Romeo," Trained Seal "Alfred," Open a. m. to 10 p. m. Admission Free.

Where to Eat. John M. Fixa's Cafe and Restaurant. 1516 Dodge St. Everything New. Best of Everything. Thoroughly Up-to-Date. First Class in All Respects.

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