



What Will You Give Her for Christmas?

HOLIDAY SPECIALS

Traveling Sets in Leather Cases, etc.

These sets make ideal gifts. We bought the entire stock from Heinrich, Herman & Weis, 35 Howard St., New York, at a tremendous bargain. You couldn't please a man better than to give him one of these:

Traveling Cases, Manicure Sets, Bottles in Cases, Military Sets, Quadruple Sets, Traveling Sets with Razor, Knife, Fork and Spoon Sets, Stanley Mirrors, in Ebony Plate, etc., Worth up to \$12.00, at—

75c up to 4.98

Special Purchase Sale

Belts and Leather Goods



Entire stock of Belts, Opera Bags, Solid Leather Bags, Music Rolls, Vanity Bags, Purses, Men's Card Cases, Shopping Bags, etc., worth up to \$3.50, finest gifts you could buy at—

\$1

The Gifts Most Welcome

Are gifts for the home. Visit our Basement, Housefurnishing Goods Department, basement old store, and look at these desirable gifts moderately priced.

Our line of Chafing Dishes, 5-O'Clock Teas, Coffee Percolators, Baking Dishes, Silver Tea, Coffee and Chocolate Sets, Candle Sticks, Ash Receivers, Chinese Gongs, Silver Knives and Forks, Silver Tea Spoons, Carving Sets, Silver Mugs, Smoker Sets, etc.

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BUY
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BRANDEIS
"BOSTON STORE"
& SONS

Saturday Will Be the Greatest Day of All

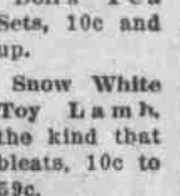
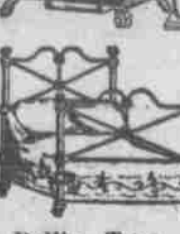
The Christmas Season at Brandeis

This store is one great, glorious Christmas display. Thousands and thousands of beautiful and useful gifts at bargain prices that are lower than anywhere else in the United States. The stocks are all complete and right at their best now.

Your Christmas Money Will Last Longer at Brandeis—It Will Buy More Gifts and Better Gifts—Our Immense Selection Makes it Easy to Find Just the Right Gifts for Everybody. Christmas shopping is a delight in this beautiful big store. See the exquisite store decorations. See the brilliant Christmas windows. See Toyland ablaze with light. See the "Holy City". See the Circus of Teddy Bears.

Don't Delay Your Christmas Shopping—Do it Now!

Beautiful Toyland in the Basement



No such Toyland was ever constructed—a Fairyland to delight young and old. Everything that is new in toys. Every new imported novelty. See the Jolly Old Santa Claus the Eastern papers and periodicals are talking about. Better, newer, stronger toys at Brandeis than anywhere and positively lower prices every time. Saturday will be our biggest toy bargain day.

Teddy Bears, a whole menagerie of 'em. A plush bear, very saucy for 39c.
Bears in larger sizes at 49c, 75c and 95c. Big bears, \$1.50 to \$10.00.

Teddy Bears Sweaters, Caps and clothing, all sizes.
Humpty Dumpty Circus—greatest laughing hit for children. All sizes, 49c, 75c 98c up to \$10.

Magic Lanterns, 59c and up.
Improved Toy Air Ships at 25c.

Toy Carpet Sweepers at 10c, 15c, 25c.

Doll Beds, with springs, brass trimmings, special at 49c.

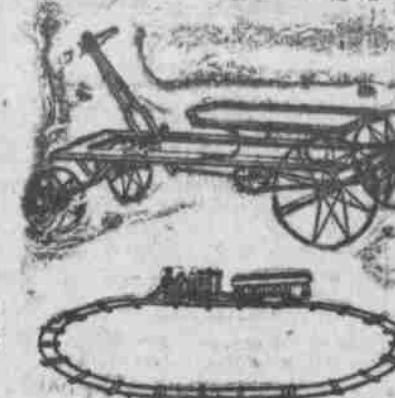
Other Dolls Beds at 75c, 98c and \$1.25.

Lithographed Christmas Tree Rugs, in colors, keeps grease off the carpets, 59c.

Young America Toy Cannon at \$1.50. Diabolo, the new outdoor or indoor game, at 50c to \$1.50.

Mechanical Toys that do everything but talk.

The Boys' Gun that shoots rubber balls, harmless but exciting, 49c.



Dolls of All Kinds—Greatest showing in Omaha. Special for Saturday, large jointed, kid body dolls, sewed eyes, moving eyes, some with eyelashes, 49c.

Big assortment of Kestner dolls.

Doll's Go-Carts, special, at 25c up.

Doll's English Cabs, at 25c to 10c.

English and Irish Mail Hand Cars and Flying Dutchmen at \$2.98 up to \$10.00.

A. B. C. Embossed Wood Cubes, a box, 10c to 49c.

Dime Cash Register, will hold 100 dimes, at 49c.

Also the Book Bank, the kind that saves money, 35c.

U. P. Train on track, complete for 39c up to \$7.50.

Steam Engines, 98c to \$5.00.

Doll's Houses, drug stores, groceries, most markets, coffee stores, etc., all complete at 25c to \$7.50.

\$1 Table Tennis Game at 15c. Parlor Balls, velvet and plain rubber, 10c, 25c to 98c.



Store Open Evenings
Until Christmas
Beginning Saturday

Come in the evenings and buy at leisure.

Jolly Old Santa Claus Will Give a Souvenir to Every

Boy or girl accompanied by parents who visit him Saturday.

GIFTS for MEN

That are Suitable and Welcome

Give a man something he needs and he will be pleased. Here are just the sort of things he would like to have.

Men's bath and lounging robes, manufacturers samples, worth up to \$10, at **25c and 39c**

Men's outing flannel and domest night shirts, worth up to \$2, special, at **50c-75c 98c**

Men's silk suspenders, gold plated and sterling silver buckles, at **98c to 4.98**

Men's fine imported silk neckwear, worth up to \$2.00—special at **45c and 98c**
Men's 50c silk Neckwear, special at **25c**
Men's wool Underwear, shirts and drawers, worth up to \$2.50, at each **59c**

Great Sale Men's and Boys'

SAMPLE SHIRTS

Pongee, Flannel and Cassimere Shirts, men's and boys' Negligee Shirts, collar attached and neck band style, also laundered bosoms worth up to \$1.50, at **50c**

VISITING CARDS

For Christmas Gifts

Latest style type, lowest prices—always an appropriate gift. Order now and avoid the rush—

39c Per 100 and Upwards.

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THE BEST CLOTHES FOR MEN and BOYS

Men's \$25, \$22.50 and \$20 Suits These are all very high grade tailored garments—made in all the very newest shades—brown and grey mixtures, elephant shadings, wood browns, etc.—Christmas special, at **17.50**

Men's Right Up-to-date Overcoats and Suits at **\$10**

Boys' Winter Suits, \$3.75

Norfolk, Knickerbockers and other late styles, ages 6 to 17, at **3.75**

Little Boys' Overcoats—ages 3 to 10 only at \$2.95

Boys' Overcoats, ages 3 to 15 years. at **\$5.00**

Men's Fur Lined Coats, .. **\$25 to \$98**

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ONE HEN THIEF REFORMS

Brought to Bay with Gun, He Pleads and Promises.

CAUGHT IN ACT BY OWNER

W. F. White Does Not Shoot and His Man Thanks Him for Not Taking His Life.

Charles Anderson, living in the north part of Omaha, has entered into a solemn compact with W. F. White, a clerk in the Omaha postoffice, to buy what chickens he may need in the future and forever to abstain from any attempt at stealing chickens, especially Mr. White's chickens.

It happened this way: Thursday night Mr. White returned to his home, 213 Nebraska avenue, after finishing his work at the postoffice about 10:15, and scarcely had he got comfortably housed when he heard his dog growling. From the fact a number of chickens recently had been stolen in that vicinity, the thought occurred to him that maybe someone was attempting a raid on his chicken coop.

Mr. White, without any fear of trumps, quietly took down his shotgun, which was loaded with a handful or less of No. 4 shot, and proceeded to investigate. He hid in an outhouse adjoining his chicken coop and presently he looked out and saw a man standing in the door of the chicken house, with the evident intention of making a raid on the poultry preserve.

Mr. White covered the stranger with the gun and used it as a prodder for his nocturnal visitor to accompany him into the kitchen so they could talk over the matter.

"I was very nervous," said Mr. White, "and was awful glad the fellow acceded to my demand to go into the kitchen. I was afraid he would attempt to run, and had he done so I surely would have shot him and in all probability killed him, and I dreaded the horror of it. When we got into the kitchen I made him sit down and we talked over the matter. In the meanwhile I had made him bring two sacks he had with him and he meekly confessed he was after the poultry. He pleaded tearfully for mercy and asked that I would not report him to the police and gave me his name as Charles Anderson, saying he worked at the smelter. He also admitted he had a pal by the name of Hans Jacobs, but the dog had scared him away, so Anderson had fled all to himself. I made Anderson promise he would never go into the chicken stealing business any more and he did so with no limit of assurance. I then let him go after he told me where he lived, and he thanked me profusely for not shooting him. I went over to his house Friday morning, where he had directed me, and he was there all right and again thanked me for not killing him. He was still very contrite and says he is going to be good for the remainder of his days."

Jewel Boxes—Copley, Jeweler, 215 E. 18th.

DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. B. D. Havens.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. B. D. Havens, wife of a bandmaster, who was Miss Anna Pearl Robeck and was married to Havens in Omaha August 15, 1906, died here today of

peritonitis. She was born in 1875 at Dannebrog, Neb.

Colonel A. S. Colyar.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 12.—Colonel A. S. Colyar, aged 50 years, distinguished jurist, statesman and author, died at his home here today. He was a member of the confederate congress.

Have all your family meet Mr. and Mrs. Jean Bregant "the smallest and best proportional couple in the world," today and tomorrow at the Saratoga Drug Company, Twenty-fourth and Ames avenue.

INJUNCTIONS TO TEST LAW

New York Amusement Men Find the Sunday Statute is Still in the Way.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—If the board of alderman does not on Tuesday next amend the law prohibiting all kinds of Sunday amusements, it is probable that other steps will be taken to gain relief for the amusement owners. The recent decision of Justice O'Gorman, which was responsible for the closing of all places of amusement on Sunday was a civil case and it is not appealable. It is possible now that a test case will be made by opening one vaudeville theater and allowing the manager to be arrested. In such a case the question could be carried to the court of appeals and the law finally pressed upon. The keepers of penny arcades have formed an association. Efforts will be made to prevent the police from closing their places of business, by means of injunctions. Nine of these places have already obtained injunctions against the police and more will probably do so today and tomorrow.

WAVES INJURE TWO SEAMEN

Captain and Officer of Tank Steamer Hurt During Severe Storm on Atlantic.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 12.—The oil tank steamer Baku Standard, from Roush, for Philadelphia, put into port today, bearing evidence of the terrific weather which has prevailed on the Atlantic. The steamer is considerably damaged and several of its boats were carried away. Captain Fraser and Third Officer Ross each

had a leg broken and four seamen were seriously hurt. The Baku Standard was laboring so much in the heavy seas on December 7 that the captain and third officer, with several seamen, tried to set a jib to steady it. They were in the midst of this operation when a huge sea broke over the bows and swept them all the length of the deck. Several men were almost carried overboard.

ORCHARD AND HIS VICTIMS

Witness Nearly Broke Down on Stand When He Detailed His Crimes.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 12.—Harry Orchard concluded his direct testimony in the Pettibone trial this morning, with a narration of his arrest and imprisonment.

Orchard said he gave Miller an order on Pettibone to pay the attorney all the money he had coming to him. Orchard was abruptly asked by Hawley how much money he had received from the federation at various times and he said between \$2,500 and \$4,000.

Orchard all but broke down when Hawley asked him if he had any personal enemy against his victims, naming them one by one, and in each case he said that he had none. He was especially affected when asked concerning McCormick and Beck at the Victor mine, of whom he said he thought a great deal.

KIDNAPED GIRL DISCOVERED

Lillian Wolf, Stolen in Chicago, Recovered Through Suspicious of Farmer's Wife.

KANKAKEE, Ill., Dec. 12.—Little Lillian Wolf, who was kidnapped in Chicago last Saturday, was recovered today five miles south of Monmouth, ten miles east of here. A man and woman, who were her captors, were arrested. They gave their names as Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, and say they were on their way from Pennsylvania to Missouri, where they intended settling. They refuse to discuss the kidnapping. The child declares they picked her up on the streets in Chicago, put her in a wagon and drove away.

The arrest of the couple was brought about through the report of a farmer's wife, whose suspicions were aroused when

the trio drove past her house. A deputy sheriff followed and arrested them.

The child acknowledged that her name was Wolf, but said she had been traveling under the name of Jones. She said she had escaped once on the road between Kankakee and Chicago, but was recaptured.

POLITICS AMONG TEACHERS

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down. The doctor has a badly discolored optic, but is rejoicing greatly that he was well killed.

YORK—York lodge, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, at its banquet, had a most enjoyable occasion. Hon. Ed Bandal acted as toastmaster and responses were made by W. Woods, A. McClelland and Dr. O. M. Moore. The Elks have a large number of applications and on the afternoon of New Year's day will initiate a large class, and at night they give their annual banquet and ball.

NEBRASKA CITY—News has been received here of the death of John Roberts, at Long Beach, Cal. He was the first mayor of Long Beach. Mr. Roberts was for many years a resident of this county and city. He served one term as county commissioner and was connected with the United States Internal revenue office when it was a New York collector, and went with the office to Omaha.

NEBRASKA CITY—Harry Hartman, a young man who has been employed in one of the local butcher shops, last night called upon the police and asked that he be locked up. He imagined there were a number of men badly hurt, but he was in jail he would be safe. Hartman passed his boyhood days in Syracuse, this country. His father having been in business there for many years. The commissioners for the police will investigate his case.

TECUMSEH—At a regular meeting of the Women's Relief corps, Wednesday, the following officers were elected to serve the coming year: President, Mrs. A. W. Sherman; senior vice president, Mrs. A. W. Sherman; junior vice president, Miss L. A. Philpott; treasurer, Mrs. David Grinn; secretary, Mrs. Sarah Dismore; chaplain, Mrs. George Miller; conductor, Mrs. W. E. Philpott; assistant conductor, Mrs. W. C. McClelland; guard, Mrs. Oliver Davidson; assistant guard, Mrs. Barker.

NEBRASKA CITY—Roy Hucksins, whose home is in this city, had a narrow escape from being hanged a few days ago. He is express messenger on the Burlington between Villisca and St. Joseph. His train left the track and turned over. When the accident occurred he jumped from the chair in which he was sitting just in time to miss the large safe, which completely demolished the chair. Roy broke open a

window in the car and made his escape, but not until his clothes had been torn from him. He escaped luckily, but the fireman and engineer were both badly scalded. Fred and his wife, who were in the car, were down 200 feet, when the well filled with water and then began caving. Heavy casing were sunk and then it was necessary to do a lot of under-ripping. The well is now in such a condition that they can again begin boring and hope to do some lively work between now and the first of the year. Their bad luck has put them back at least three months.

TECUMSEH—John H. G. Hasenager, who lives north of Tecumseh, has secured the appointment as herdsman at the sub-state experimental station, near North Platte, 10 next. Mr. Hasenager will have charge of the dairy and swine which are kept on the place for experimental purposes and will assist in the work of the station.

Selection of Mr. Hasenager for this place is quite an honor to him, and he is abundantly competent to fill the well filled position. He has made farming and the raising of fine stock a success in his work here, and his many friends of Mr. Hasenager and his family will regret very much to have them remove from the community. Mr. Hasenager proposes to hold a public sale on December 27 and dispose of his personal property, and he will leave his family for North Platte as soon as he can arrange business matters to enable him to get away.

Electric Lamps—Copley, Jeweler, 215 E. 18th.

Sewing Machine Agents Strike.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Singer Sewing Machine Agents' union has ordered a general strike of its 80 members. A higher commission, a closed shop and the reinstatement of several discharged agents are demanded. It is said the strike will include agents in Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago, as well as in New York.

Car Company Taxes Unpaid.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The city has discovered that it has \$312,196 coming from a street car company, in looking up the facts in regard to the Brooklyn Queens County & Hudson Railroad company, which has asked for permission to lay more

tracks. It was discovered that the company has not paid the 5 per cent gross earnings tax which it should have paid since 1888. On account of the statute of limitations the tax can only be collected for the last six years. The city will attempt to make the collection.

Estimate for Officers' Quarters.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The chief of staff of the army has recommended the construction of officers' quarters at the Army War college at an expense of \$100,000, which is included in the general item for barracks and quarters in the estimate for appropriations just submitted by the quartermaster general. Another item amounts to \$197,000 for the construction of necessary buildings for two companies of the signal corps at Forts Riley and Leavenworth.

Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna acts gently yet promptly on the bowels, cleanses the system effectually, assists one in overcoming habitual constipation permanently. To get its beneficial effects buy the genuine.

Manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SOLD BY LEADING DRUGGISTS—DOY—BOTTLE.

Liver Pills

It is impossible, simply impossible, for any one to enjoy the best of health if the bowels are constipated. Undigested material, waste products, poisonous substances, must be daily removed from the body or there will be trouble, and often serious trouble, too. Ayer's Pills cleanse the system, and are the best.