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SATURDAY SPECIALS

\$3.50 solid oak desk with chair, like illustration, golden oak finish, desk 28 ins. high, 27x17-inch top. A more useful article cannot be thought of for a boy or girl as a Christmas gift; Saturday only **\$1.95**

\$3.00 Axminster Rug, Oriental and floral designs, size 27x54, Saturday only, each . . . **\$1.65**

\$1.50 Couch Covers, 60 inches wide by 3 yards long, of oriental tapestry; special price—Saturday only—each . . . **\$89c**

\$25.00 Ladies' Work Table—Colonial design, made of mahogany, finished bright or dull, drop leaves, has two drawers and inside tray; Saturday only, each . . . **\$12.00**





Clothing
The Ideal Xmas Gift for Man or Boy

When buying gifts for the menfolk the practical and useful sort are the most favored by everyone; even the men themselves are doubly pleased by a gift that is both handsome and useful.

So you can't possibly make a mistake in giving some article of clothing that you know they need, or will need soon.

Figure up the cost of the many small items each member of your family buys for "Dad" or "Brother" for Christmas.

Why not all "chip in" together and get him a Suit or Overcoat? That would please him better than any number of small gifts.

We've an almost unlimited number that he'll like on first sight and continue to like better every day he wears them.

For a Man—A Suit or an Overcoat, at \$10, at \$30 or

at any price that suits your means, should be selected here, because our garments are the kind he would choose for himself. There's no question of style, quality, fit nor tailoring that is not satisfactorily answered by our clothes.

They're made the best way that years of experience and conscientious care can produce, so they'll resist hard wear better than any garments you could buy for their price.

You'll find every up-to-date style and shade that could be desired by the most fastidious man, at prices that will actually save you from \$2 to \$6 over other stores' "claims."

For a Boy—

Many parents are finding that clothing is well appreciated by boys, and consequently there'll be a good many stockings that will contain a suit or an overcoat this Christmas instead of toys, candies, etc.

And why shouldn't a boy be pleased with one of our new Winter Suits or Overcoats? They're stylish, warm, comfortable and wear like they were made of iron.

Most boys INSIST on wearing "Nebraska" clothes after their first suit is discarded.

Suits and Overcoats
\$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95 to \$10.00

Practical Xmas Gifts for Men

Fur Caps of Alaska seal at \$3—Siberian dog caps at **\$1.75.**

Sweater Coats, fine heavy weight garments at **\$6.00 to \$11.**

Boys' Sweaters of fine grade at \$2.00, \$1.50 and **\$1.**

Phoenix shape knitted mufflers, in all colors, at 45c and **25c.**

Fancy Silk Mufflers, Reefers, Squares and Oxfords at **\$1.50 down to 50c.**

Bearskin Gloves or mittens, with long fur, at **\$3.75.**

Adler's Street Gloves, in French kid, all shades and sizes at **\$1.50 and \$1.**

Boys' Fur Gloves and Mitts, in sizes 10 to 15 years at 90c, 75c, 45c and **25c.**



Hand-crocheted Silk Tie and suspenders to match, in holiday box, at **\$2.**

Fancy Silk Suspenders in holiday boxes at **\$1.50, \$1, 50c and 25c.**

Suspenders, Garters and Arm Bands in holiday box at **\$1.**

Boston Garters in fancy holiday boxes at 50c, 35c and **25c.**

White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, any initial, 1/2 dozen in box, at **50c.**

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 1/2 dozen in box, any initial, at **\$1.50 and \$1.**

Silk Tie and Handkerchief to match, in holiday box, at **50c.**

Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs in colors, each 50c and **25c.**

Flannelet Night Shirts of heavy daisy cloth, at **\$1, 75c and 50c.**

Fancy Lisle and Cashmere Hose at 50c and **25c.**

Leather Collar Boxes at . . . **\$1.00**

Coin and Bill Books, made of fine calfskin, at **\$1, 50c and 25c.**

Scarf Pins, Studs and Link Cuff Buttons in novelties, at **\$2.50 to 50c.**

Holiday Umbrellas of sterling silver, gold and gun metal trimmed, at **\$2.50 to \$1.**

Suit Cases and Traveling Bags of solid leather, strongly made and carefully finished, **\$15 to \$5.**

BRIEF CITY NEWS
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F. Svoboda—Certified Accountant, Banker, Photographer, 14th & Farnam. Lighting Fixtures, Burgess Grand Co. Keys, photo, removed to 16th & Howard. Equitable Life—Policies eight drafts at maturity. J. D. Neely, manager, Omaha. 1630—National Life Insurance Co.—1000 Annuity, Employment, Life, Term Policies. Charles L. Amy, General Agent, Omaha. Six per cent paid on savings accounts. \$10 to \$500, by Nebraska Savings and Loan Association, 106 Board of Trade building, 100 Farnam.

Body Taken to Texas for Burial—The body of Miss Mattie Brown, 30 years of age, whose death occurred Wednesday at the county hospital, was sent Thursday night to the home of her parents at Plain View, Tex., where burial will be made.

Pete Loch Waives Examination—Peter Loch waived examination before Judge Leslie in county court and was bound over to district court on the charge of selling liquor without license at its Owl club, located upstairs in a building at the southeast corner of Sixteenth and Capitol avenues.

Creighton Case Argument Actually Over—Argument is over in the Creighton will contest and the three judges who heard the case have their decision under consideration. Their opinion will decide whether the bequest to the working girls' home is valid, if so, how much of the \$100,000 residue of the estate is to be devoted to the purpose.

Funeral of Mrs. Mary Elbert—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Elbert, who died at her home, 211 North Twenty-seventh street, Tuesday, was held from Sacred

Slippers for Xmas Gifts

It would be quite a task to think of any gift more acceptable to father, mother, brother or sister than a pair of warm, comfortable slippers. They'll be a constant tribute to your thoughtfulness and generosity as well.

FOR MEN—Romeo in tan and black **\$2 and \$1.50**
Opera and Everett styles, in all colors and sizes, at \$2 down to **75c**
Velvet Everetts at **50c**

FOR LADIES—New Antoinette style, like illustration; in gray, brown and wine colors, at **\$1.75 and \$1.50**
Felt Julietts and Opera styles, in all colors, at **\$1.50 and \$1.00**
FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN—Fur trimmed Julietts of red and black felt at **95c-90c-85c**
Children's Bearskin Leggings, all colors **\$1.25**

Extra Special Boys' Shoes
Buy your boy a pair of \$2.50 Timekeeper shoes at **\$1.98** and get a good nicked watch free.
Shoes are made of solid gun calf leather, and are especially intended for boys who are hard on their shoes. Sizes from 3 to 5 1/2.
Both watch and shoes Saturday for only **\$1.98**



Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes

are probably the most welcome gift any man ever receives, and the sort we show will be sure to please the most particular man in town. They're made of beautiful new materials, finely trimmed and are so reasonably priced that he'll never guess how little they did cost.

BLANKET ROBES in choice new colors, and handsome designs, well made, have satin neck-stays and come in **\$2.50**
all sizes—unusual value at . . .

BLANKET ROBES in the newest color effects, beautifully trimmed and extra well made. You'll find their equal below \$7 elsewhere. Priced here **\$4.90**
at . . .

Others at **\$2.50 to \$7.90**

SMOKING JACKETS in superb new two-tone effects in the very newest patterns and colors. Splendidly trimmed, perfect fitting and comfortable, at **\$3.90**

Smoking Jackets in various color combinations, including rich two-tone effects. Good values elsewhere at \$7; priced here **\$5.90**
at . . .

Others at **\$2.90 to \$7.90**



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(Goods and Prices)

Chicken, lb.	13 1/2c
Roast Lamb, lb.	18c
Roast Beef, lb.	16c
Roast Veal, lb.	16c
Sirloin Steak, lb.	16c
No. 1 Flour 24lb sack.	85c
New Potatoes, bu.	17 1/2c
No. 1 Bacon, lb.	17 1/2c

Corn Show Visitors
are reminded that our Xmas displays are now at their best. You can't afford to miss them.

Nebraska Clothing Co
"The House of High Merit."
FARNAM & FIFTEENTH STS.

At the Theaters

"The Girl and the Detective," at the Kress.

After seeing "The Girl and the Detective" one feels tempted to ask a number of questions, answers to which are quite superfluous:

Does Little Tykko, the wail, really root the villain?
Is the villain, being a Charles E. Blaney creation, a perfectly horrid sort of person?
Is the Pinkerton detective trying to hang the crime onto the wrong man?
Is this innocent chap beloved of Little Tykko?

Are the reporters and city editors—note the order—anything like the real thing?
A typical Blaney plot which thickens and thickens and grows even yet more viscous is being given by a company of some talent as respects the principals. The drama itself, the newspaper characters aside, is not so bad and is a very fair example of elaborated melodrama. Mr. Blaney insists on a "big scene," the modern counterpart of the old bus-saw. In this case the hero is just going to become the tamping block for a large white-hot steel ingot. Little Tykko is then as always on the job and the hero is certainly saved. Does Little Tykko get him for her own in the last act? She does.

Suzanne L. Rowe, a young actress of ability and good looks, is Little Bright-eyes. Frederic Ormonde is the heavy Heavy and is convincing despite the handicap of some decidedly "course-em-I'll-be-ever-with-them-ye" lines. Robert A. Bennett is the alleged star reporter and is better than the part. Augusta Gill plays Lady Valmont, the object of the villain's, of course, hateful attentions. Little Tykko will continue to root the villain until Sunday.

Keep Chamberlain's Lintment on hand. It is an antiseptic liniment and causes wounds to heal in less time than by any other treatment.

Most Food is Poison
to the dyspeptic. Electric Bitters cure dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaints and debility. Price 50c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

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Toilet Set
Comb
Brush
Mirror

Sterling silver in simple, plain finish or with many different, handsome scroll and flower effects, with beautifully engraved monogram, packed in handsome, special boxes; no extra charge for engraving monograms. Many sets to select from, at prices from—

\$15 to \$50

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Open Evenings Until Christmas



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good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of rights living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is alike important to prevent the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

Consequently, the Company's Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna gives general satisfaction. To get its beneficial effects buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

\$300 SHOES **\$350 SHOES**

All Leathers For All Weathers
For **LADIES and GENTLEMEN**

A full line of ladies' felt slippers—Acceptable Xmas gifts in all sizes and all the prevailing shades For Trimmed, 75c to \$1.75. Men's leather slippers—Operas and Romeos—Tans and Blacks—\$1.25 to \$2.00. TO FIT ALL—TO SUIT ALL.

COOK'S
NEW SHOE SHOP -- 1609 Farnam



For the first time the packing houses have been killing out on the hog floors on a full time schedule. The good run for the week made it possible. The force of workmen which is being carried on has not been as large this year as last on account of the persistent light runs on the market. The same conditions are said to exist in all other markets in more pronounced degree. The beef killing departments of the packing houses, however, have been doing more work this year than usual for the receipts of cattle are nearly \$900 greater this year than last year. Price for cattle have been high, but the supply has been liberal.

New Ward Lines Determined.
After several consultations on a preliminary agreement as to the boundaries of the seven city wards provided by the latest revision of the city charter. The First ward will be bounded on the west by Twenty-second street and on the south by N. The Second ward is bounded on the north by N street and on the west by Twenty-first street. The Third ward is all the district south of U street and west of Twenty-first. The Fourth ward is between U and L streets and extends west of the First and Second wards to the railroad tracks. The Fifth ward is all the district west of Twenty-seventh and north of L. The Sixth ward lies between the First and Fifth. The Seventh ward includes all the stock yards and packing house district.

The above agreement of the city council will probably be introduced in the form of a resolution instructing the city attorney to draft an ordinance incorporating these bounds.

Fountain to Front Again.
That \$100 stone fountain persists in thrusting itself on the attention of the city council. After it seemed decided that Twenty-fifth and O were to remain clear so as to allow the street to be used for an electric car line to accommodate the Union Stock Yards company, a contract has been submitted for the approval of the city council in which the Offerman Plumbing, Heating and Construction company agrees to place the fountain in position at Twenty-fifth and O streets for \$300. Here is a peculiar situation. The property owners at Twenty-fifth and O streets have vigorously protested against placing the fountain at that point. The Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company has also given the city notice that they wish to use that intersection in constructing the line to the Union stock yards. The merchants of South Omaha don't want the car line to pass over O street at all and would be glad to see the company balked in the plan to run a line there by the obstruction of the fountain. The last element of the dilemma is that the National Humane alliance, which organization presented the city if any other situation intended for the fountain, it will take back its gift.

Magle City Gossip.
Household furniture for sale cheap—at once. Dr. M. P. Cox, 225 North 22d.
Miss Jennie L. Forrey of Killebrew, Mont., is the guest of Miss Kate Gemmill.
Lee Pike, who was severely injured Tuesday at Seymour lake, is getting on nicely.
H. V. Adams lectured under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association last night at the auditorium of the South Omaha High school.
Mrs. C. M. Rich entertained the Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon. The women pledged \$80 for the church.
The South Omaha Commercial club met yesterday afternoon at James Hall's restaurant for the regular weekly luncheon. After the luncheon a short business meeting was held.
A singing party was given Wednesday evening by Miss Waddell of South Omaha. Those enjoying the frolic were: Mussen Raven, Amburst, Ferguson, Goddard and Miller and Messrs. Sutton, Jordan, Gould, Connors, Van Sant, Scoville and O'Connor.
Addresses on behalf of fifty saloon licenses were made to the Board of Fire and Police commissioners by the attorneys for the applicants yesterday evening. The general protests of the Anti-Saloon league were waived by E. E. Thomas, representing the league, except in the matter of the municipal year.
The hearing of the application for a license by R. F. O'Brien for the saloon in the Henshaw hotel was taken up, but nothing was done except to introduce two witnesses, Herman B. Peters and Dr. John Roy, to testify to the good character of the applicant. Mr. O'Brien was called as a witness by Mr. Thomas, who tried to show that Mr. O'Brien was really in charge during violations of the 3 o'clock law. O'Brien testified that he himself had been steward and that his hours were from 1 o'clock in the morning until 7 in the evening.
Thomas protested on some licenses because they had a personal bond instead of the bond of a surety company. Mayor Dahman and some of the members of the board expressed their opinion that a surety bond was more satisfactory.
Further hearing of protested cases will be had next Tuesday evening.
Cut Glass—FRENZER—Uth and Dodge.
ADDRESS BY JAMES WALSH
Informal Talk on Scotland and Ireland at Central Republican Club.
James Walsh entertained the Central Republican club last night at the club rooms at an informal function of purely social significance.
Mr. Walsh returned recently from a trip abroad. He regaled his guests with stories of his summer in Ireland and Scotland.
"And if you're not satisfied at home, try it somewhere else and you'll come back and be better pleased where you are," said Mr. Walsh, boasting for Omaha.
This was the first meeting of the club members since the last election and they took occasion to discuss casually and jokingly.