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How from the four corners of the earth—the mole of the Scottish Highlands—the lamb of the Thibetan peaks—the seal of Alaska—the sable and ermine of Russia, etc., the furs of milady's preference find a common meeting ground in the splendid holiday display in our big salesrooms. While we yield the palm to none in the question of low prices, we take pride in their genuineness and afford you protection by guaranteeing what you buy from us. Come and see.

Fur Sets, at . . . . . \$10 up to \$150  
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Fur Muffs, at . . . . . \$1.95 up to \$89  
Cross Fox Scarfs, at . . . . . \$45 up

Hudson Seal Coats, at . . . \$95 to \$350  
Brook Mink Coats . . \$45.00 to \$89.00  
Taupe Fox Scarfs, at . . . \$35.00 up  
Red Fox Scarfs, at . . . \$19.75 up

Furs of All Descriptions at Most Pleasing Low Prices.

Evening Gowns and Dancing Frocks  
Hundreds of new ones.  
Special values—  
\$19.50, \$25, \$35 up.

Beautiful New DINNER GOWNS  
A special showing of splendid values, at—  
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Lovely Gowns in Georgette and most beautiful silks.  
Big assortment of specials, at—  
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DAINTY BLOUSES  
A wonderfully complete showing of clever new styles. Choose now; we will hold them for you.

Everything that's Daintiest for Baby in Our Baby Bargains, Second Floor.

## Why Not Give a Nice Waist or Dress Pattern?

Xmas Silks in Our Daylight Silk Section—Stylish Silks for Waists and Dresses, at Prices That Will Mean Quite a Saving.

25 pieces of All-Silk Satin striped and washable, crepe de chine, new 1917 styles just arrived; a firm, heavy quality for waists and men's shirts; very special. . . . . \$1.50  
40 pieces of yard wide Novelty Dress Chiffon Taffetas, in neat stripes and satin plaid effects; regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 values, at \$1.25  
100 pieces of plain and Novelty Silks, including plain chiffon, satin de chine, striped and checked taffetas, all-silk crepe de chine, printed raddiums, satin striped taffetas; regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, at . . . . . \$98c and \$1.10  
1.75 GEORGETTE CREPE, at \$1.00  
10-inch All-Silk Georgette Crepes, in Russian blues, rose, pink, Nile green, gray, black, taupe, navy and yellow; while they last, Monday, worth \$1.75. . . . . \$1.00  
\$2.50 COSTUME VELVET at \$1.50  
36-inch Costume Velvets, fast pile and color; guaranteed to wear, in navy blue, myrtle, brown, raisin, plum, golden brown; the \$2.50 quality, for one day, Monday, \$1.50



All-Wool Dress Patterns for Xmas Gifts.

300 dress patterns in different weaves and colors. Storm Serges, French Serges, Epingles, Taffetas, etc., enough goods in each piece to make a dress, according to the width; \$5.00 and \$6.00 values; a full dress pattern, \$2.98 and \$3.98  
A SEMI-MADE SKIRT FOR XMAS  
A very practical Xmas gift; just sew up the seams and these skirts are ready to wear; perfect in fit and style. Several smart, new models for Monday, at . . . . . \$2.98 and \$3.98  
100 pieces of All-Wool French Serge Taffeta and Epingle, the materials that are in demand; every new color shown here; worth \$1.25, at 98c  
200 pieces of popular priced dress goods, 36 to 54 inches wide. All wool Serges, fancy Plaids and mixtures. Black and white, checked suitings; diagonals, etc., worth up to \$1.00, at . . . . . 48c, 58c, 68c

\$2 Skirts Made to Order  
Perfectly fitted and tailored \$2 skirts, made in the newest styles; your choice of any material in our dress goods stock; a perfect fit guaranteed; for the making, \$2.00.

## Paradise

\$5.00 value at a very acceptable Xmas gift. **\$2.95**

To encourage early buying we offer this extraordinary value. Black and Natural. Only one to a customer.



Other values to \$45.00



## Crockery Department Specials

Fourth Floor, Monday  
Big Savings to You in Needed Articles.  
7 piece Flint Blown Water Set, \$1.75 value . . . . . 98c  
Flint Blown Sherbets, regular \$2.25 dozen kind, each . . . 10c  
7 piece Glass Berry Set, regular \$1.00 values . . . . . 59c  
100 piece semi-porcelain Dinner Set service for 12 persons, \$1.00 value; special . . . . . 98c  
100 piece Gold Band Dinner Set, regular \$12 value . . . . \$8.98  
100 piece Dinner Set, spray design, regular \$15 value, \$10.98  
Gold Band Cup and Saucers, regular \$3 doz. kind, pair, 10c  
Turkey Platter and Covered Dish, values up to \$2.00, special . . . . . 45c  
One lot of Dinner Plates, Tea Plates, Pie and Bread and Butter Plates, values to 25c; choice of the lot, each . . . . 7c

## Leather Goods are Acceptable and Lasting Remembrances

Leather Goods are Acceptable Xmas Gifts

A large assortment of Real Leather Hand Bags, and Hand Purses, many styles, silk and leather lined, mirror and inside purses; values to \$1.50, choice . . . . . 95c  
Children's All-Leather Hand Bags, many attractive styles, choice . . . 50c  
Misses All-Leather Hand Purses, silk lined, in red, gray, blue and green; nobby styles, 50c values. . 39c  
A large assortment of fine Pin Seal, Crepe Seal and Morocco Bags, newest styles and shapes; fine silk linings, all wanted fittings and some with inside frames; choice . . . . . \$3.50  
Fine Morocco, long grain and crepe grain Leather Hand Bags and Purses, silk and calf linings; very desirable, choice, at . . . . . \$1.75  
The largest showing of high grade Purses and Hand Bags, all newest novelty styles, finest linings and fittings; will compare favorably with most \$7.50 bags. Finest Pin Seal, Dull Seal, Crepe and Long Grain, Seal, Morocco and other fine leather, choice . . . . . \$5.00  
A large showing of Fitted Traveling Sets, First Hand Bags, Steel Studded Silk and Velvet Bags, Large Shopping Bags, Music Bags, Billfold and other Leather Novelties.

Jewelry Gifts for Men and Boys Sterling Silver

Belt Buckles, hand engraved and engine turned designs. Large variety of designs, complete with tubular leather belt. Monogram engraved free; \$2.50 values, choice . . . . . \$1.49  
Men's Gold Filled Scarf Pin and Cuff Link Sets, signet styles, fine Roman finish, all velvet lined box. Engraved free. Variety of styles, choice . . . . \$1.00  
Men's Solid Gold Signet Scarf Pins, fine Roman finish, several styles. Engraved free. Choice . . . . . \$1.50  
Men's 20-year Gold Filled Watches, 12 size, engine turned cases, 15-jewel Elgin movement; warranted perfect time-keepers; special . . . . . \$11.50  
Men's Gold Filled Knives, warranted for wear, many styles, good quality steel, choice . . . . . \$1.00  
Men's Gold Filled Cuff Links, warranted for wear; many styles, each in neat, lined gift box; engraved free; choice, for . . . . . 50c  
Men's Solid Gold Fancy Scarf Pins, new, neat styles, variety of designs; values to \$3.00, choice . . . . . \$1.69  
A very complete showing of gifts for men in Waldeemars, Vest Chains, Cuff Links, Fobs, Scarf Pins, Lodge Receipt Cases, Tie Clasps, Pocket Knives, Military Brushes, Men's Bill Folds and many other novelties, at extremely moderate prices.

## Many Pleasing Suggestions in Hardware Department

Link Ropeters, a 3-piece set, enamel, self heating. No. 1 . . . . . \$1.75  
Link Ropeters, a 3-piece set, enamel, self heating. No. 2 . . . . . \$2.00  
Link Ropeters, a 3-piece set, enamel, self heating. No. 3 . . . . . \$2.25  
Savory Enamel Baking Dish, No. 11 . . . \$1.10  
Steel Roasters, medium size, No. 75 . . . . 85c  
Steel Roasters, large size, No. 200 . . . . 98c  
Aluminum Roasters, large size, No. 426 . . \$3.59  
Brownie Roasters, small size . . . . . 30c  
Brownie Roasters, medium size . . . . . 35c  
Brownie Roasters, large size . . . . . 45c  
Climax Food Choppers, No. 50 . . . . . 59c  
Climax Food Choppers, No. 61 . . . . . 98c  
Ever Ready Flashlights, regular price \$2.75 . \$2.25  
Ever Ready Flashlights, regular price \$2.00 . \$1.75  
Ever Ready Flashlights, regular price \$1.25 . 98c  
Gillette Safety Razors, regular price \$5.00 . \$3.75  
Gem Safety Razors, regular price \$1.00 . 75c  
Ever Ready Safety Razor, regular price \$1.00 . 75c  
Copper nickel plated Baking Dish, up from . \$2.50  
Pearl Handle Pocket Knives, regular price \$1.50 . \$1.00  
Star Handle Pocket Knives, regular price \$1.00 . 75c  
Star Handle Pocket Knives, regular price 75c . 50c  
Keweenaw Shears, fully warranted, up from . 75c  
Embroidery Shears, fully warranted, up from . 50c  
Men's and Boys' Ice Skates, nickel plated, up from 49c  
Ladies' Ice Skates, nickel plated, up from . 98c  
All copper and copper nickel plated Chafing Dish, up from . \$6.50  
All copper and copper nickel plated Coffee Machines, up from . \$7.75  
Copper nickel plated Casseroles, up from . \$1.98  
Electric Toaster, triangular in shape . . . \$2.50  
Electric Toaster, rectangular in shape . . . \$2.98  
Electric Curling Iron Heaters . . . . . \$2.25  
Electric Crocking Dishes . . . . . \$4.98  
Copper nickel plated Tea Kettles, No. 8 . . \$1.50  
Copper nickel plated 4 cup Percolators . . \$2.35  
Aluminum Coffee Pot, 2 quart . . . . . \$1.89  
Aluminum Coffee Percolator, 6 cup . . . \$1.19  
Aluminum Preserving Kettles, 10 quart . . \$1.79  
Aluminum Berlin Kettles, 6 quart . . . . 95c  
Cast Aluminum Fry Pan, No. 9 . . . . . \$2.65  
Cast Aluminum Tea Kettle, No. 8 . . . . \$4.25  
Aluminum high stand Waffle Iron . . . . \$1.79  
Aluminum Rice Boiler, 1 1/2 quart . . . \$1.79  
Lunch Kits, with Thermos bottle in . . . \$2.25

## Toyland Opens

Santa Claus is in our Toy Department every day and wants to meet all the children and have a talk with them, so he can get their orders in early, on account of the big rush.

Beautiful Kid Body Dolls with sewed wig, moving eyes, from . . . . . 49c to \$6.00  
Jointed Dolls, hip, knee and elbow joints, with parted, sewed wig and eyelashes, from . . 98c to . . . . . \$12.00  
\$1.50 Mamma Doll, with a human voice, special, at . . . . . 98c

Don't fail to see it.  
Tree ornaments, from 3 for 5c to . . . . . 10c each  
Teddy Bears and stuffed animals, from . . . . . 35c to \$10.00  
Wicker Doll Buggies . . . \$3.50 to . . . . . \$12.00  
Carpet Sweepers . . . . 19c  
Children's Tea Sets . . . \$3.50 to . . . . . \$8.00  
Velocipedes . . . . . \$2.25 to \$8.00  
Boys' Tool Chests . . . . 35c to . . . . . \$4.50

## Murphy, Dahlman's Nemesis, Goes Out After More Scalps

James B. Murphy, erstwhile boiler-maker and representative of a clique of taxpayers who object to Mayor Dahlman's alleged "joy rides" in city-owned automobiles, is out after the city commissioners' scalps now.

Through the office of the sheriff of Douglas county Murphy has served a formal demand on City Attorney Rine that he (Rine) sue the city fathers and their bondsmen for \$13,800, alleged misappropriation of public funds for the purchase and upkeep of Mayor Dahlman's motorcars since 1912. Murphy wants the city dads to make good the money which, he charges, has been "wantonly wasted" on the mayor's automobile.

Murphy filed a petition with the clerk of the court several days ago in which he sought to enjoin the city commissioners, city comptroller and Mayor Dahlman from further "cooperation" in carrying out his mayorship's automobile program.

## Dr. J. P. Lord Buys Blocks in Bellevue

Dr. J. P. Lord has just purchased eight blocks of the "Inglesby tract" at Bellevue of George G. Wallace of Omaha. This tract comprises some of the finest sites in the village of Bellevue and some of the most attractive views to be found along the Missouri river.

It is likely that Dr. Lord will develop a part of this and sell the rest. The demand for solid blocks or half blocks of ground in Bellevue is said to be steadily increasing, and a number of new homes have been built during the last year. Particularly is this true in the southwest portion of the village, nearest Fort Crook. Several retired farmers have recently located in Bellevue and are building homes. They will educate their children at the college there.

## Five Petty Thefts Peeve the Police

Harry Brockman, Vienna hotel, reports the theft of \$23 from his room. John Chiousis, 505 South Thirteenth street, asserts that his store was broken into and cigars and tobacco taken. B. Miller, 2418 1/2 Cumming street, lost \$35 from his room. Goss & Butler's store, 902 North Sixteenth street, was visited by thieves during the night, who stole cigars from the establishment. Joe Dubs, 1610 Davenport street, lost \$3 when his roommate departed for parts unrevealed.

## McVann Relates Omaha's Story at Kansas City

A hearing in a rate case affecting freight shipments of coopeage, paper and many other commodities from the Mississippi river to Missouri river points is on in Kansas City today and will probably continue to the middle of the week. E. J. McVann, manager of the traffic bureau in Omaha, went to Kansas City from Washington, where he had been on another case. P. P. Murry of the traffic bureau in Omaha, left Friday night for Kansas City to meet Mr. McVann there. Both are taking part in the hearing, representing Omaha's interests. The hearing is before a special examiner of the Interstate Commerce commission.

## One Hundred Per Cent of Sunshine for Half Month

November was a dry month for Omahans, according to monthly meteorological report of Lucius A. Welsh. There was only a total of 0.73 precipitation. The average temperature was 40.6. Omahans can complain little of the character of the weather handed out. The report shows fifteen days having 100 per cent of sunshine. The highest temperature of the month was on November 3, when the mercury hit the 78 mark. The coldest day, 3 above, was November 14.

## Federated Improvers to Work for Light Contract

At a meeting Friday night the executive committee of the Federated Improvement club was authorized to send out a circular letter to members asking support for the light contract at the polls on Tuesday. This organization claims to be the pioneer in the movement for better lights, which now depends on the outcome of the election. For the last three years it has been engaged in a continual agitation for the better service, and now is putting all its energies into the campaign in favor of the contract.

## Kaplan President of North Side Improvers

A. Kaplan was elected president of the North Side Improvement club, a new organization formed Friday evening in Wolk's hall, Twenty-fourth and Seward streets. N. Joffe was elected secretary. Mayor Dahlman, L. J. Piatti and Harry Wolf spoke for the five-year lighting contract, which will be submitted to referendum vote next Tuesday. This organization favors the contract and intends to work for its endorsement at the special election.

## Indians Deny They Sold Booze to Burly Bucks

Jane Teholl, Percy White Eagle, Omar Humphrey and John Wakin, Winnebago Indians, indicted by the federal grand jury for introducing intoxicating liquor to reservation bucks, pleaded not guilty to the charge when arraigned before Federal Judge Woodward. They were released on bail pending their hearing at the next session of the criminal court.

## Light Contract and Barn of Sunderland on Program

The Central Improvement club, an organization of property owners, will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Columbia hall, Twenty-second and Pierce streets, to discuss the Sunderland barn and the electric lighting ordinance.

## GERARD TAKES NEW PROTEST TO BERLIN

U. S. Takes Further Informal Action on Wholesale Deportation of Belgians.

## MEETING AT NEW YORK

Washington, Dec. 2.—New representations on the deportation of Belgian civilians, which have been made by the United States to Germany recently, will be emphasized personally on German officials by Ambassador Gerard when he returns to his post, for which he sails next Tuesday. He will convey the individual attitude of President Wilson and tell of the bad impression created among the American people by recent treatment of the Belgians.

The protest, based on broad grounds of humanity, was hurried along partly because of fear that Germany's policy in Belgium would interrupt American relief work there.

## Mass Meeting at New York

New York, Dec. 2.—Plans for a mass meeting here on December 15, "to voice the protest of the American people" in the matter of the wholesale deportations of Belgians from their homes to Germany, were announced today. Elihu Root will be one of the speakers. Others thus far announced are former Assistant United States Attorney General James M. Beck and Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity church.

In addition to this meeting a movement is under way to unite prominent educators and clergymen throughout the country in a general protest to German officials and university heads of Germany against the deportations. The Rev. Dr. Edward S. Young, pastor of the Bedford Presbyterian church of Brooklyn, who started this appeal, has received favorable replies from Presidents Hibben of Princeton university, Butler of Columbia, Lowell of Harvard and Faunce of Boston and Chancellor Day of Syracuse university and John A. Marcus, moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church.

A number of men interested in the coming mass meeting held a private conference during the week, it was announced today, to discuss what could be done in the interest of the Belgians. Among those who attended were Elihu Root, Thomas F. Ryan, Robert Bacon, Henry L. Stimson, Joseph H. Choate and John M. Parker.

## Ask Wilson for Facts

The following telegram signed by those at the meeting was sent to President Wilson:

"There are many of our citizens who wish to do their part toward an expression of public opinion regarding the deportation of Belgians into Germany and France, which as now reported appears to be in violation of law and humanity. We should be glad to have all the information possible, so as to be sure of the facts before taking public action.

"May we have such information as may be proper as to what facts the State department has, what our government has done and what, so far as known, other neutral governments have done about the violation of international law in this respect? If the facts are not known by our government, cannot they be obtained from our minister to Belgium?"

## Detective Does Some Real Sleuth Work; Finds Stones

When Virginia Gordon of the Albany hotel missed diamonds to the value of \$750, she immediately notified the police and had two men and a girl arrested for the theft.

"I am sure one of these three got them," asserted Virginia as she took a chair in Chief Maloney's office. Detective Felix Dolan, who has a keen eye, noticed that Virginia wore an extra thin pair of silk hose. Near the ankle he saw something sparkle through the silk.

"I can find your jewels in one minute," remarked Felix. "Take off your shoe?"

"All right, Mr. Holmes," quoth Virginia facetiously, and did as requested.

There were found the three missing rings.

## Bank Clearings in Omaha Still Soar

Despite the fact that an entire day, Thanksgiving day, was lost, Omaha bank clearings for the week made their usual large gain. The total clearings for the week were \$26,945,768.76, a gain of more than \$6,000,000 over the total for the corresponding week last year, which was \$20,755,379.66. And there were only five banking days during the week this year because of turkey day, while there were six full banking days during the week last year.

## Santa Claus Collects For Volunteers' Christmas

Six Santa Clauses, dressed in the usual Christmas regalia and presiding over their customary chimneys, were placed on the downtown corners by the Volunteers of America today. The Volunteers are seeking to raise money for their annual Christmas dinner to homeless and needy families of the city. In addition to the Christmas dinner the organization is planning to have a Christmas tree from which clothing will be distributed to the needy Christmas eve.

Alice McCormick, daughter of Major McCormick, and Miss Leona Mitchell, an ardent volunteer worker, paraded the downtown streets dressed as old Kris Kringles.

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