

Brief City News

**Have Root Print**—New Beacon Press. For Yarns—Everything electrical Burgess-Graden Co.

**Herbert Hammond Commissioned**—Herbert Hammond, an Omaha boy, has received a commission as second lieutenant in the United States ordnance department.

**Leaves for South**—James Walsh of Benson will leave Thursday night for San Antonio, where he will visit a son before proceeding to Corpus Christi, Tex., where he will remain until early spring.

**Hung Service Flag**—A three-star silk service flag in the office of the county registrar of deeds indicates the enlistment of Harry Pielke, jr., son of Elizabeth Pielke, Rudolph Kobholz and Ralph Orey.

**State Bank of Omaha**, corner Sixth and Harnoy streets, pays 4 percent on time deposits. Three per cent on savings accounts. All deposits in this bank are protected by the depositors' guarantee fund of the state of Nebraska.—Advt.

**Sentenced to Workhouse**—Richard Hayes, 222 North Nineteenth street, salesman, arrested Tuesday night and charged with embezzling \$12.50 from the Sherman-Devine & Son Co., was sentenced to 15 days in the workhouse.

**Naval Enlistments Light**—Navy enlistments were light Wednesday, there being six acceptances. They are: Ralph Dermody, Kearney; Edwin Guthrie and John Browning, Fidda, Minn.; Fred and L. H. Berger, Vin, brothers, St. Ouge, S. D.; Nicholas Jensen, Sioux Falls, S. D.; and Joseph Fedr, 5625 South Eighteenth street, Omaha.

**The Fireplace Goods at Sunderland's.**

CUPID'S DARTS GO AWRY AT CITY HALL

Two Misses Who Used to Love Each Other Dearly Now Exchange Glares; a Sad Tale.

Cupid has been playing havoc with hearts in the city hall, the result of this latest escapade of the little god with bow and arrows being that two misses of the municipal building do not speak as they pass by.

In other days it was the wont of these maidens to eat out of each other's box of candy and to place their arms around each other's neck. Now they widen the distance between them and exchange cold looks.

It is another case of "all's fair in love and war."

One of these maidens had a "steady bean" who averred that her eyes were as the stars above, her smile like sunshine and her voice like the music of the angels. All went well until this girl's friend smiled upon the young Lochinvar. Then it happened.

The young man in the case transferred his affection to the "friend," and now one little girl is sad and the other is glad.

"There is just as many fish in the sea as ever were caught," quoted a friend of the sad little girl.

"But not like him," she replied.

"He wasn't good enough for you, anyway," was the consolation offered by another friend of the bereaved one.

Italian Bird Man Makes New Altitude Record

Rome, Dec. 19.—Lieutenant Brachpapa of the Italian army and a pilot attained a height of 25,758 feet, in an Italian airplane, mounting to the altitude in 55 minutes. This is said here to be a world's height record.

In July 14, 1914, Oelrich, a German pilot, attained a height of 25,758 feet, the record, however, not being passed upon by the Federation Aer-nauque Internationale in Paris, owing to the outbreak of the war. H. G. Hawker, an English flier, reached a height of 23,622 feet on April 26, 1916, at Henden, England.

House Confers With Wilson On Recent War Meeting

Washington, Dec. 19.—Colonel E. M. House, back from Europe, where he attended the great inter-allied war conference as head of the American mission, came to Washington yesterday and drove directly to the White House to make a personal report to President Wilson.

Jerome Pratt Magee Files Suit Against Wyland W.

Jerome Pratt Magee has filed a petition in district court demanding an accounting from Wyland W. Magee, agent in charge of the large estate left by Colonel James H. Pratt. The petition alleges that Wyland Magee cultivated a Douglas county farm belonging to the estate and sold large quantities of grain and live stock without rendering an accounting of the proceeds.

The petition avers that Jerome Pratt Magee purchased the one half interest of the Colonel Pratt estate deceded by Colonel Pratt to Maragret Pratt Olsson. The other one half interest in the estate was deceded to Harriet Magee. Both gifts being subject to Colonel Pratt's life estate and passing to them on his death. Wyland Magee has had the control and management of the estate since Colonel Pratt's death, according to the petition.

Age Limit Changed for Marine Corps Recruiting

Sergeant L. L. Carpenter, in charge of Omaha station for marine corps recruiting, has received orders from Washington that certain changes have been made in the rules governing enlistments. The age limit is now between 19 and 30 years; the applicant must not be less than 64 1/2 nor more than 74 inches tall, and married men will be accepted. Men enlisted in Omaha are shipped to Paris Island, near Port Royal, Va.

Peters Elected Mayor of Boston by 9,000 Plurality

Boston, Dec. 19.—Andrew J. Peters, formerly assistant secretary of the treasury, today was elected mayor of Boston, defeating Mayor James M. Curley, his nearest opponent, by approximately 9,000 votes, based on official police figures.

Congressman James A. Gallivan ran third and Congressman Peter Tague, fourth. The tickets were non-partisan.

Mme. Helen Stanley Will Sing at Boyd Thursday

Mme. Helen Stanley will appear at the Boyd theater Thursday night under the auspices of the Tuesday Musical club. The recital will begin at 8:15 o'clock. Mme Stanley comes under the management of London Charlton.

Two Dental "Don'ts"

"Don't" Crown a tooth that can be filled

"Don't" Extract a tooth that can be saved

That is my message to the public—and my instructions to my entire staff of Dental Specialists.

It is my positive conviction after many years of experience as a Dental Surgeon, that a large percentage of the "grief" that causes dissatisfaction with the work of Dentists as a whole comes from CARELESS OR IGNORANT disregard of these two "don'ts."

I have saved thousands of teeth for my patients by taking the time to TREAT diseased or decayed teeth and to clean them—and thus eliminate diseases common to the teeth and gums, before attempting either fillings or crowning.

It requires more time, more work and more skill for the same fee, but I have proven that it pays dividends in satisfaction—

I admit the selfish element: It pays me well to give my patients better service for less money.

I believe strongly in honest advertising—and I know of no other method so productive of results as word of mouth advertising of my satisfied and grateful patients.

Painless Withers, Dentist

423-428 Securities Bldg.—16th and Farnam Sts. OMAHA, NEB.

Office Hours: 8:30 A. M. to 8 P. M. Sunday, 9 to 1.

The Cheney Phonograph

A Real Instrument For Real People

THE Cheney phonograph is built for those people whose musical understanding causes them to demand more than the usual.

We strongly urge those who appreciate that beautiful soft, mellow quality of tone of the living artist to hear the remarkable tone of the Cheney phonograph.

It plays all records beautifully.

Prices are \$50, \$75, \$100, \$150 and \$200.

Fourth Floor.



BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. "EVERYBODY'S STORE"

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. The Christmas Store for Everybody

Wednesday, December 19, 1917. STORE NEWS FOR THURSDAY. Telephone Douglas 137.

Store Open Evenings 'Till 9 O'clock

Men Like Gifts to Wear and of a Practical Nature---Let Us Suggest Furnishing Goods

THEY'RE practical and sensible and we feel certain you can not find a better selection from which to choose than here in the men's section at Burgess-Nash—Main Floor, just inside the Harney street entrance.

**Holiday Neckwear**  
Men's, 25c to \$5.00  
Christmas neckties, meaning by that the best kind of neckties, such as men will wear the year 'round. There is individuality as well as variety. Spid-felds silks, French silks, Swiss silks, English silks, Oriental silks, and last and biggest the best American silks.

**Men's Bath Robes,**  
\$2.98 to \$37.50  
Always acceptable as a gift, made in a wide variety of styles, with large shawl collars, pockets, cuffs and edges finished with cord. The range of selections is very extensive, \$2.98 to \$37.50.

**Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, 50c**  
Plain white hemstitched, with initial, all letters, a very special value, at 50c.

**Linen Handkerchiefs, at 25c**  
Plain hemstitched or with initial, large size and a superior quality, at 25c.

**Men's Pajamas, \$6.50**  
Silk pajamas, all sizes, faultless make, excellent for presents. Price, \$6.50.

**Men's Knitted Mufflers, \$1.00 to \$12.00**  
Men's knitted reefer mufflers, splendid assortment of colorings and widths, striped and figured ends. Included in this lot are the celebrated "Welch Margretsons," all silk mufflers, also mufflers made in the U. S. A. of fiber and silk, and silk and all silk lisle. Prices are \$1.00 to \$12.00.

**Men's Silk Shirts, \$8.50 to \$10.00**  
A silk shirt will probably be appreciated as a present more than any other article of wearing apparel. We have a splendid line at most attractive prices, put up in a box. Prices, \$8.50 to \$10.00.

**Men's Silk Hosiery, 75c**  
Men's fancy plaid hose "JERICO" brand, which insures satisfaction, in holiday boxes, price 75c.

**Men's Belts, \$1.00**  
Men's initial belts with sterling silver and plated buckles, good leather belt complete, sterling, \$2.00; plated, \$1.00.

**Soldiers' Muffler Sets, \$2.00 to \$4.50**  
Soldiers' mufflers and muffler sets, "Army and Navy" khaki and navy blue wool and silk mufflers with handkerchiefs and regulation tie. Price, \$2.00 to \$4.50.

**Khaki Sweaters, \$4.95 to \$12.00**  
Khaki color sweater coats with and without sleeves, all pure wool jersey fitting, well made sweaters, such as "Jaegers," "Harvard," all sizes, jerseys included. Priced at \$4.95 to \$12.00.

**Men's Gloves, \$1.50 to \$27.50**  
Men's auto dress and warm gloves, always acceptable for presents, kids, mochas, calf skins, in fact all the good leathers used for the manufacture of gloves, in wrist and gauntlet lengths, some with sheepskin and wool lining, gauntlet mittens, gloves and mittens with one finger, Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor also a splendid line of fur gloves. Prices, \$1.50 to \$27.50.

**KODAKS for Christmas Gifts**

Anyone, young or old, will appreciate a gift like this. Our line is very complete and our amateur service is unexcelled.

No. 2 Cartridge Promo Camera, \$5.98.

No. 2 Autographic Brownie Camera, \$7.50.

No. 2A Autographic Brownie Camera, \$9.00.

No. 1A Kodak Jr., \$15.00.

No. 1A Autographic Kodak, New 1917 Model, \$18.00.

No. 3A Autographic Kodak, \$27.50.

No. 0 Brownie Camera, \$1.75.

No. 2 Brownie Camera, \$2.50.

No. 2A Brownie Camera, \$3.50.

No. 3 Brownie Camera, \$4.50.

Photo Albums, four groups at 75c, 98c, \$1.35 and \$3.00.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

**Gift Suggestions From the Fancy Goods and Art Embroidery Section---Third Floor**

EVERYTHING that a woman likes and for the men folks, too—really no end to the range of gift-selections. This idea:

Large assortment of knitting bags with a wide price range.

Hemming rifles, 50c.

Cork boxes, \$1.50.

Candle sticks, mahogany and Japanese finish, \$1.50.

Ash trays, 25c and 50c.

Blue Japanese and Chinese vases, \$1.00.

Men's incense burners, 35c.

Desk sets, \$4.50 to \$17.50.

Chinese tea, in fancy boxes, at 50c.

Waste paper baskets, 75c to \$2.50.

Glove and handkerchief boxes, at 25c.

Vanity bags, 25c to \$2.50.

Sachet Bags, 75c to \$2.00.

Decorated coat hangers, \$1.00.

Telephone screens, \$1.00.

Medicine glass tray, at \$1.50.

Picture frames, 75c to \$2.50.

Large assortment of artificial flowers.

Mahogany trays, oval and round, \$5.50 to \$7.50.

Sewing baskets, at \$1.25 to \$10.50.

Dolly rolls, 29c to \$1.75.

Fancy pillows, \$2.69 to \$10.00.

String holder, \$1.50.

Book ends, \$4.50.

Painted wood hat pin holders, at \$1.75.

Candy, cake and cookie boxes, 75c to \$5.00.

Mahogany smoker stands, at \$2.50.

Candles, all sizes and kinds.

Japanese smoking set, \$1.00.

Silver and glass polishers, in boxes, 50c and 75c.

Knitwear lamps, \$1.98.

Knitting needle protectors, at 50c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor

**GIVE Gloves at Christmas Time**

Always acceptable. Our stock at present embraces many of the scarce shades, such as taupe and moleskin, in all sizes; also black and white gloves, in a variety of pleasing styles. Fine French kid gloves, perfect in fit and workmanship; street gloves, lined and unlined.

Wash leather gloves.

Arabian mocha gloves.

Doeskin gloves.

Motor gloves.

Fur and fur lined gloves.

Fleece lined gloves.

Fur gauntlets, lamb lined.

Wool skating gloves.

Double silk gloves.

Chamoisette gloves.

Leatherette gloves.

**Gloves for Children**

Fleece lined cape gloves.

Fleece lined mocha gloves.

Fur gauntlets.

Wool gloves and double mittens.

Unlined and silk lined cape and mocha gloves.

Fleece lined kid and mocha mittens.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

**Toys Bring Joy to the Little Folks Christmas Morning**

MAKE it "Christmas as usual" for the little folks—even though some of us grownups are worrying about the war. Of course, some people are worrying, they just can't help it, for if it was not about the war it would be something else, so keep the children out of war at least—let them enjoy Christmas without a thought of the past or of the future.

Our Toy Section suggests many pleasures to the little ones, who find such pleasure in the world of make-believe.

Automobiles, bright colors, 25c.

Painting outfits, 10c.

Soap bubblers, at 5c.

Mecano sets, \$1.00 to \$15.00.

Structo sets, \$1.00 to \$10.00.

Erector sets, \$1.00 to \$12.50.

Wheel good of all kinds.

Velocipedes, \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Coaster Wagons, \$2.25 to \$4.50.

Kid B-Karts, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Doll Trunks, 85c to \$8.50.

Crying Dolls, 25c and 50c.

Dressed Dolls, 12-inch, 25c.

Dressed Dolls, assorted, 50c.

Schoenhit Wooden Dolls, \$2.50 to \$8.50.

Gilbert's Machine Gun for \$3.00.

Electric Trains, \$3.00 to \$15.00.

Trains and Track, \$1.00 to \$4.50.

Steam Engines, \$1.00 to \$8.00.

Winding Tops, 10c to 25c.

Register Banks, at \$1.00.

Toy Pianos, 35c to \$5.00.

Tool Chests, 35c to \$5.00.

Doll Cabs, 65c to \$12.50.

Sleds, at \$1.00 to \$7.50.

Games of all kinds, 5c to \$3.50.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor

**TOILET Articles As Gifts**

Melba toilet sets, exquisite gifts, \$3.00 to \$6.00.

Melba toilet waters, handsome packages, \$1.00.

Djer Kiss toilet sets, \$1.95 to \$7.50.

Racarma toilet water, \$1.25.

Perfume atomizers, 95c to \$10.00.

Perfumes in Christmas packages, 39c to \$9.00.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

**GIVE Him a Safety Razor**

We feature here the new Gillette U. S. Service set. It fits the kit or the pocket—it fulfills every shaving need of Uncle Sam's boys; price \$5.00.

Gillette safety razors, leather case, at \$5.00.

**ENGRAVING FREE**

We engrave the name and company free of charge.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

Practical Gifts In The Down Stairs Store

**Holiday Slippers Specially Priced for Thursday**

IN the Down Stairs Shoe Section, for Thursday, we are offering you two groups of holiday slippers at a fraction of the regular value.

**Children's Slippers 69c**

Infants', children's and misses' good quality red felt, fur trimmed Juliets, in all sizes, for Thursday only, 69c.

**Women's Slippers 89c**

Women's good quality comfy slippers, wine and gray felt, padded soles, the most comfortable room slipper made; Thursday, at 89c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

**Practical Gifts for the Home Any Woman Will Appreciate**

ARTICLES that are useful and labor-saving. Here's an idea:

Wear-Ever aluminum sauce pans, 2 1/2-quart size, 69c.

"Caloric" fireless cookers, pure aluminum lined and aluminum utensils; each, \$14.00.

Landers, Frary & Clark's bread makers, 4 to 6-loaf size, \$2.69.

Universal carving sets, stag handles, 3-piece, \$3.95.

Cast aluminum fry pans, wood handle, No. 8 size, \$2.39.

Nickel-plated crumb tray and scraper, wood handle, 95c.

The home nut cracker will not crush the kernel; easy to operate, 39c.

Nut sets, consists of nut cracker and 6 picks; set, 25c.

Nut crackers, 10c.

Nut picks, 6 for 15c.

Casserole, solid brass frame, nickel plated, 8-inch earthen inset, \$1.95.

Parson's mahogany nut bowls, made of mahogany, solid metal center and hammer, \$2.50.

Guaranteed "Universal" pocket knives, 75c.

Guaranteed "Universal" razor, blade made of best quality steel, \$2.50.

Universal lunch kits, with vacuum bottle, \$3.25.

Nickel-plated crumb tray and scraper; set, 75c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store