

A Few Holiday Facts.

The chances are that if everybody knew the exact facts about our holiday line, how carefully selected and how fair in price, we would not have half enough to go around.

We have been fortunate in being able to buy our holiday stock close. We want you to see our line before assortments are broken. In the start we will have a variety of goods not sold elsewhere; these are apt to be the goods you will want.

Make sure of them by buying early.
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Store, Canton.

M. F. Davis came down from Sioux Falls Tuesday.

The Chase-Lister Company has been engaged by Manager Noid for one week commencing, Dec. 10. This company has been playing in the large cities and is spoken very highly of by the press. Don't miss this show.

Strayed from my farm in Norway township, Sunday, Nov. 18, a New Foundland dog, color black, curly, weight about 100 pounds. Suitable reward will be paid upon the animals return to Tom Utrikson.

A Kansas editor thus philosophizes: "It is hard for a married man to arrive at any specific conclusion in reference to why a four months' old baby is heavier at 1 o'clock a. m. than its mother used to be at precisely the same hour."

Bro. Nash seems to be opposed to this "club" business. Why not deal with the liquor question in the same manner in which you would treat any ordinary business proposition. Under the conditions as it exists the only proper solution to the question is to vote high license so that the city can regulate the sale of intoxicants.

John Christopher has purchased the N. C. Stubbard property, corner Main and Sixth streets. It is expected that the old frame buildings now occupying this corner will be removed and instead there will be erected a modern business block. Mr. Christopher has not decided just when he will build, but we dare say it will not be far distant when this corner will be improved with one of the finest blocks in the city.

A Hudson correspondent to the Harwarden Independent contained the following:—Gilbert Dokken met with a painful accident at Fairview last week. He had loaded one car of hogs at the stock yards and was walking on the cars while they were pulling out from the yards when he stepped off the last car in the darkness breaking one arm and otherwise badly bruising himself. Dr. Wilson was called up to dress his wounds and under his skillful treatment Gilbert is doing as well as can be expected.

The coroner's jury which investigated the causes leading up to the death of Andrew Johnson adjourned last Friday, after discovering that he was dead and death was caused by a blow from the hands of an unseen person. Canton has four officers employed to make arrests, two justice of the peace and a states attorney, and yet no one is in jail even on suspicion. It is stated that before his death Johnson gave the name of the one who assaulted him, yet nothing has been done.

A. E. Linn is visiting his grandparents at St. Paul.

Gloves and mittens at cost at the Western Supply Co.

B. C. Jacobs of Lennox was in the city the first of the week.

The O. E. S. elected officers Monday night, followed by a banquet.

If you need a watch or want to trade for a new one, see Dr. Lewis.

FOR SALE—Two sewing machines in good order. Apply at this office.

Judge Gifford went to Pierre last Friday on important legal business.

A. P. Michie went to Milwaukee this week to spend Thanksgiving at home.

Ed. Carpenter, mail clerk on the S. C. & D., is home this week on a visit.

Miss Josie Ramberg went down to Fairview last Friday for a short visit.

Rev. A. C. Shepherd arrived home Saturday from Mt. Vernon, after a few days visit.

Miss Ida Schoen went down to Fairview Saturday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

W. S. Ingham came up from Elk Point Saturday for a few days visit with his family.

Miss Emma A. Lyons went out to Plankinton Monday to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

Miss Gertrude Beach returned to her home at Hull, Iowa, Monday, after a few days visit with friends.

Ann Forrest, Sr., went down to Hudson last Saturday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Piggott.

Mrs. F. R. Aikens of Sioux Falls was paying a visit to relatives in this city first of the week.

Mrs. Thos. Thorson went to Mantorville, Minnesota, Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

The K. P. lodge met last Monday night and nominated officers. A full attendance is desired Monday night.

The Chase-Lister Co. will play a week's engagement at the Opera House commencing Dec. 10, at popular prices.

Mrs. L. B. Farley of Garretson, arrived last Friday to pay a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Christensen.

Editor F. R. Hawn of Worthing passed through town last Friday on his way to Maxwell, Iowa, on a few days visit.

Floyd Cooper went to Yankton last Friday to visit over Sunday with his sister, Mammie, who is attending college in that city.

M. E. Case has bought Mr. King's interest in the bowling alley. Hull & Case will continue to run this popular pleasure resort.

Mrs. C. H. Fitch returned to her home at Hudson last Friday, after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dean.

Capt. C. P. Van Houten and wife, who have been making their home in Hot Springs for several months, arrived here last Saturday on a visit.

John Evanson of Eden township, was in the city last Friday. He called at this office and made the editor happy by leaving some cash on subscription.

Ed. Shufelt and O. A. Rudolph arrived home last Saturday from Yankton, at which place they were in attendance at a meeting of the Con-sistory.

F. J. Limback spent Sunday at home. Chas. Shaft was up from Hudson Monday between trains.

J. V. Conklin went out to Lennox Tuesday on legal business.

—Watch for the finest display of Holiday goods ever shown in the city at Noid's.

Mrs. James Pattee and little daughter went out to Lennox Monday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. F. J. Limback returned from Inwood, Iowa, Tuesday, after a short visit with relatives.

—Get your spectacles from Dr. Lewis and have them fitted by a regular physician without extra charge.

—The Western Supply Co. is the place to buy underwear. The finest line in the city and it goes at cost.

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Among the articles of incorporation filed at Pierre last week appears the Gate City Pleasure Club of this city, with the names of H. F. Lennon, Geo. Willard and L. Simmons.

A number of students arrived Monday to attend Augustana college. The winter term opened Monday and from present indications there will be larger attendance this winter than ever before.

Articles of incorporation of the Epworth League Association of this city was among those filed last week, with the following directors: Joseph O. Dobeon, Edgar Dean, Francis T. Nicholas, Ernest Wendt, Nathan Noble and others.

Silver Star Lodge No. 4 A. F. A. M. will hold its next regular meeting Wednesday Dec. 6. Election of officers for the ensuing year will take place. A full attendance is requested.

G. L. HUBBARD, W. M.

A. G. Noid is having a hot water heating plant put in his new dwelling. Doc believes in having everything the best and means to enjoy all the comforts of this life. His new house contains all the modern improvements. Fitts & Co. of Sioux City, have the contract for putting in the heating plant.

The ladies of the Lutheran church held a sale in the Kennedy building last Saturday night, which was largely attended. L. H. Larsen acted as auctioneer and it is needless to say that everything brought the top price. Some very beautiful articles were exhibited and the ladies were deserving of ready sales at high prices.

"Young Mrs. Winthrop" by the Chase-Lister Co., at Turner Hall last night was one of the best productions seen in this city during the last two seasons. The play, of course, needs no praise from us, but the company was equal to their play, which is saying a great deal. The crowded house present was the most fitting compliment that could have been given.—Yankton Daily Gazette.

The Red Wing Butter and Egg Co. is the name of the new firm to engage in business in Canton. They have rented the west room of the Kennedy block and the large basement which are being fitted up and will be ready by the first of the month. This large room and basement will allow of an enormous business in the wholesale of butter and eggs. This new enterprise will furnish a cash market for this class of produce.

E. Foot of Red Wing, Minn., and J. P. Ryan of Albert Lea, came here first of the week to prepare for the opening of business. Mr. Ryan will be the resident manager.

Lieut. Hawkins of Sioux Falls, was here Tuesday evening, and mustered in VanHouten Command No. 67, of Spanish War Veterans, with a membership of 17. Frank Fuller was elected captain of the command, Dion Pierce 2nd lieutenant and Luman Nimbar 2nd lieutenant. The boys will meet in the G. A. R. hall, at the court house, every two weeks, on Tuesday evenings. The remainder of the officers of the command will be elected at the next regular meeting. This is a part of a national organization, the headquarters of which are at Cleveland, and corresponds, in purposes, to the G. A. R. of the civil war veterans.—Madison Outlook.

It is not often that Cedar Rapids people get so much for their money as was the good fortune of those who attended the performance at Green's last evening. The Chase-Lister Company gave its initial performance, presenting "The Smugglers" to an audience that filled every foot of available room in the house. Of the Chase-Lister Company it is hardly necessary to say anything in praise. The ability of the company and the character of repertoire are well known here. If anything it is stronger than ever and in every way deserving of the patronage which is already assured during the entire week of their engagement.—Cedar Rapids Daily Gazette, November 7, 1900. Canton one week, beginning Dec. 10. Popular prices.

Do you ask me for my secret—Why my teeth are pearly white, Why my breath is ever fragrant And my gums are rosy bright? My secret's oft been told before—Use Noid's Antiseptic Tooth Wash and nothing more. 25c per bottle.

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