

You Must Select Gifts Soon

Christmas is almost here. If you are going to favor friends with tokens of love and esteem you must make your selections within a few days. Don't buy indifferently just because you are late. Come here and you'll find just the most suitable gifts for all your friends. We provide amply even for the latest buyers.

- Books
- Fancy China
- Cut Glass
- Toilet Sets
- Leather Goods
- Stationery
- Perfumes
- Shaving Sets
- Brushes
- Hat Brushes
- Hair Brushes
- Odor Sets
- Games
- Puff Boxes
- Cigars, etc.

Open Sundays from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

C. A. JACK
The Rexall Druggist

Items

Of interest from various sources.

George I. Staples is the only person who is authorized to collect money due this office. In every case the party paying money is entitled to and should insist upon receiving a printed receipt. R. C. DUNN, Publisher.

Merry Christmas.

Christmas books at Byers. 1to

Nelson's photos please the people.

Clifford Cotten is home from Anoka for a visit to his parents.

What to give is easily decided when you see Jack's big Christmas stock.

Mrs. J. J. Skahen was visiting in the twin cities from Saturday to Monday.

Chas. Elder arrived here on Monday from Beach, N. D., to spend Christmas.

W. T. Francis left on Tuesday for Little Falls to visit his daughter, Mrs. Rudeolph.

A 10-pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Olson on Monday morning, December 18.

The seniors will hold a candy sale at Herdlika's store on Friday afternoon and all day Saturday.

Do not miss the New Year dance at Long Siding on Monday evening, January 1. A good time assured. 51-2

Mrs. Rusness of Glendorado and daughter, Emma, left on Tuesday for Minneapolis to spend the holidays with relatives.

Foreston is to have another general merchandise store. E. B. Simons of Topi will commence business there on January 1, 1912.

J. H. Hoffman went to Baraboo, Wis., on Friday, to see Ringling Bros. regarding an order for 60 sets of harness. This is a big order.

A. G. Bemis, one of the progressive farmers of Greenbush, was in town on Saturday and the Union is indebted to him for a pleasant call.

Holt & Whitecomb's grist mill in north Princeton is completed and prepared to do all kinds of feed grinding every day at reasonable prices. 52-2

Fred Dugan came down from Duluth on Monday to spend the holidays. Fred is engaged in the commission business in Duluth and is doing well.

A dance will be given in the M. B. A. hall, Wyannett, on Monday evening, January 1, 1912—New Year's night. A general invitation is extended.

August H. Meyer, who dislocated his collarbone by falling on the ice while fishing at Green lake last week, is getting along as well as could be expected.

Dr. J. F. Kothman, optometrist, will be in town on Friday and Saturday, December 22 and 23. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Office at Commercial hotel. 38-tfc

W. L. Hatch attended the land show in St. Paul last week and says the display of products on exhibition is the finest he has ever seen. Minnesota's display, says Will, was among the very best.

Carl Cravens was here last week on a visit to his brother, Clifton, and other relatives. He left on Friday for Sioux City, Iowa. Carl is engaged in railroad construction work and is prospering.

Henry Mallette, we are sorry to state, has been compelled to take to his bed again in consequence of a return, in severe form, of the ailment from which he has for some time suffered. His many friends hope that he may recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Brands and child of Roseburg, Oregon, are here visiting relatives and expect to remain about two weeks. Mr. Brands is in charge of the Southern Pacific freight office at Roseburg, and says it is a good position. He left Princeton for the west five and a half years ago.

Cigars from 50 cents to \$4 per box at Jack's.

The Union wishes its readers a happy, joyous Christmastide.

The latest novelties in leather manicures. See them at Jack's.

Ten per cent discount on fur coats and ladies' bags at R. D. Byers'. 1to

C. H. Nelson extends to his patrons a Christmas greeting. Read it on page 2.

Dance at Long Siding hall Tuesday evening, December 26. The place for a good time. 51-2tc

A photo taken at the Pyro Studio speaks for itself. J. L. Payette, Photographer. 44-tfc

For this week only, a special sale of china and cut glass at 25 per cent discount at Jack's.

Don't forget that anyone likes a box of rich, pure and tasty chocolates. Get them at Jack's.

The Riverside hotel has an experienced cook. Eat there and save the trouble of cooking at home. 1tp

Attorney S. P. Skahen went to Minneapolis on legal business yesterday and will return this evening.

A big Christmas stock and delightful presents to please everybody. Surely you can find what you want at Jack's.

The Princeton State bank makes farm loans at the lowest rate. No delay, money ready soon as papers are signed. 43-tf

A social dance will be given tomorrow evening at Maccabee hall. Music will be furnished by Skahen's orchestra.

On Friday evening, December 29, a dance will be given in the M. W. A. hall, Spencer Brook, to which the public is invited.

Portrait enlargement at the Pyro Studio. The very latest finish. Work guaranteed. Prices right. J. L. Payette, Photographer. 44-tfc

An entertainment and basket social will be given in the Rust school house, district 57, on December 22, commencing at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Try R. I. Hawkins at Milaca when you have hides and furs to sell. Full market prices and fair treatment. A postal card will bring you tags and prices. 51-3tc

Jos. Oos returned on Monday to Minneapolis. His wife and children will remain here until after Christmas with Mrs. Oos' mother, Mrs. John Brennan.

The West Branch Young People's society will give a toe social at Jacob Ege's, Freer, on Thursday evening, December 28. Ladies are requested to bring lunch for two.

F. T. Kettelhodt enumerates, in a half-page advertisement this week, a number of things suitable for gifts and for the Christmas dinner. He has an immense stock on hand and asks the public to call and examine the goods.

Duren Jack arrived home on Saturday from Carlton college, Northfield, to spend the holidays. Duren recently made the highest record for underwater swimming at the college—he swam 168 feet and could have gone farther had he so desired.

John Dalchow returned on Saturday from a visit to his old home at Watertown, Carver county. He says that crops throughout that county were prolific this year and that the farmers are jubilant. The snow has almost disappeared from the ground in that part of the country.

The Pease Co-operative creamery paid its stockholders during the month of November 41 cents per pound for butterfat, while the average New York market price for specials during November was 34.88 cents. The patronage at this creamery is fast increasing. G. H. Stretting is the secretary and F. H. Bartel, buttermaker.

Special prices on candy for schools at Byers'. 1to

Potted plants for Christmas in great variety at Scheen's confectionery. 1to

500 copies of 50 cent popular copyright books to select from at Jack's.

Rev. Service will hold a series of evangelistic services after the holidays.

William Chalstrom of Wyannett went to St. Paul yesterday to attend the land show.

F. W. Manke & Co. have a carload of apples for sale at their office on Main street. 1to

Miss Mildred Rutherford has arrived home from Faribault to spend the holidays.

"Cy" Robideau arrived home from Collegeville on Friday to spend Christmas with his parents in Greenbush.

From the Foreston Independent we learn that our old friend, M. S. Cone, is very low at his home in Montrose, S. D.

Messrs. Schilling and Dreschel of Hennepin county arrived yesterday to spend Christmas with John Dalchow and family.

Kopp & Bartholomew are still offering clothing, etc., at special prices for the holidays. Peruse their advertisement.

If you desire your chimney cleaned, or any kind of odd job done promptly, please call up Dan C. Mirick, Tri-State phone 199. 51-2tc

Rev. Service's subject for Sunday evening at the Methodist church will be, "I Have Put Off My Coat; How Shall I Put It On?"

Mrs. Jos. Brands and daughter went to Elk River yesterday to visit relatives. Mrs. Brands formerly lived at Elk River.

Give a man something that he will appreciate. A tie rack, a fountain pen, a pocketbook or purse. Just the thing. Jack has them.

In consequence of the dance on Friday evening the Yeomen will not give their usual hop after lodge meeting next Wednesday evening.

Donald Rawn, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Rawn, is suffering from typhoid fever, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith's child from pneumonia.

A. E. Allen & Co. this week advertises a variety of articles for the holiday season—the store is stocked up with good things. Read ad on page 8.

Go to M. L. Carlson's at Long Siding for your horse, cattle, hog and chicken feed. He has a large quantity on hand and the prices are reasonable. 1to

Miss Ida Dalchow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dalchow, is home from Beach, N. D., to spend Christmas. She has been away about three years.

Lost, strayed or stolen, a black cocker spaniel with big brown eyes, answering to name of "Jack." Finder please notify Victor Ossell at Nelson's store for reward. 1tp

William Jaenicke is home from Tacoma, Washington, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Jaenicke. William left for the west four years ago and is prospering.

A shipment of fish from Wabkon to St. Paul was seized by a gamewarden last week, but the minion discovered that he had the law mixed and permitted the fish to be forwarded on a later train.

A petition is being gotten up at Wabkon for the purpose of calling a special meeting to vote upon the question of reorganizing the school district under the provisions of the Holmberg act.

Moving picture shows will be given at Brands' opera house tomorrow and Saturday evenings with new features. Up-to-date picture shows are invariably put on at the opera house. Don't miss them.

The Yeomen lodge will give a New Year dance at Brands' opera house on Friday evening, December 29. Skahen's orchestra will furnish the music and supper will be served at the Ideal restaurant.

Adolph Soderman, a Maple Ridge man, who was indicted at the last term of court in Isanti county for selling liquor without a license, was arrested in Minneapolis last week and now languishes in the Ramsey county bastille.

Before you start for Princeton to have your picture taken be sure it is the first or third Saturday of the month, as these are the only days you will find Nelson, the famous photographer from Anoka, at his studio. In Princeton. 2-tf

There is music in the sleigh bells and we have them in sweet, silvery tones. We also have robes of many kinds to keep you warm while riding. For the holiday season we have made special prices on these goods and we ask you to come in and look at them. J. H. Hoffman, the harnessman. 51-2c

USEFUL HOLIDAY GIFTS

For the Men, Young Men and Boys

There is Still Time if You Hurry

The Quick Service of the Telegraph and Telephone has Enabled Us to Replenish Our Holiday Stock with New, Useful and Attractive Gifts.

Just What the Men and Boys Will Appreciate SUGGESTIONS:

Gifts for 25c and 35c

- Belts
- Hose Supporters
- Arm Bands
- Initial Handkerchief
- Four-in-hand Ties
- Linen Handkerchief
- Bow Ties
- Pair Holeproof Hose
- Teck Ties
- Fancy Cashmere Hose
- Golf Gloves
- Two Linen Collars
- Way's Mufflers
- Suspenders

Gifts for \$1.00 and \$1.25

- Combination Sets
- Suit Case
- Box Neckwear
- Fancy Shirt
- Silk Mufflers
- Woolen Shirt
- Kid Gloves
- Coat Sweaters
- Mocha Gloves
- Fancy Vest
- Mocha Mittens
- Underwear
- Kid Mittens
- Felt Hat
- Sweater
- Umbrella

Gifts for \$2.00 and up to \$2.50

- Mocha Mittens
- Stiff Hats
- Automobile Mittens
- Fancy Vests
- Coat Sweaters
- Fancy Sress Shirts
- All Wool Shirts
- Fur Lined Gloves
- Boys' Suit
- Suit Case
- Men's Trousers
- Soft Hats
- Underwear
- Union Suits

Gifts for \$6.00 and up to \$10.00

- Boys' Suits
- Men's Suits
- Men's Overcoats
- Sheep Lined Coats
- Leather Suit Cases
- Leather Hand Bags

Gifts for 50c and 75c

- Combination Sets
- Linen Handkerchief
- Silk Ties
- Underwear
- Silk Lisle Hose
- Shirts
- Fine Cashmere Hose
- Fur Lined Caps
- Golf Gloves
- Way's Mufflers
- Suspenders
- Initial Handkerchief
- Yarn Mittens
- Belts
- Sweaters
- Cuff Buttons

Gifts for \$1.50

- Suit Case
- Mocha Mittens
- Dress Shirt
- Mocha Gloves
- Box Holeproof Hose
- Union Suit
- Silk Mufflers
- Fur Lined Caps
- Sweater Vests
- Hand Bag
- Fancy Vests
- Felt Hats
- Underwear
- Woolen Shirts

Gifts for \$3.75 and up to \$5.00

- Muskrat Collar
- Fur Lined Gloves
- McKibbin Hats
- Fance Vests
- Sweater Coats
- "Best Ever" Suits
- Men's Trousers
- Leather Suit Cases
- Boys' Overcoats
- Leather Hand Bag
- Collin's Underwear
- Sheep Lined Coats
- Wool Pants
- Mackinaw Coats

Gifts for \$10.00 and up

- Men's Suits
- Plush Lined Overcoats
- Men's Overcoats
- Fur Lined Overcoats
- Coon Coats
- Russian Calf Coats
- Black Dog Coats
- Brown Cabaretta Coats
- Russian Lamb Coats
- Coats with Fur Collars

Special Sale

A New Suit or New Overcoat is the Best Gift

All Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats Greatly Reduced Every Overcoat Reduced from 15 to 50 Percent

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

They are going some, but we still have a fine selection to choose from. The great convertible overcoats. Overcoats with detachable fur collars. Plush and fur-lined overcoats, or any kind of a fur overcoat you may want, all reduced from 15 to 50 percent. Now is the time to buy.

There is Still Time if You Hurry. See Us.

KOPP & BARTHOLOMEW

Our Store Will Be Closed all Day Christmas

Princeton's Clothiers

In a letter to the Journal-Press, written from Portland, Oregon, Mr. A. D. Doane, a former resident of St. Cloud and father of County Auditor Doane, tells of the rapid progress that city is making, but, he says, Portland is a rich man's town; it is no place for a poor man. Mr. Doane expressed a longing for Minnesota and intimates that he and his wife may return and end their days in this state.

MARKET REPORT

The quotations hereunder are those prevailing on Thursday morning at the time of going to press:

POTATOES.	
Triumphs.....	55
Burbanks.....	55@60
Ohio.....	70@75
Rose.....	55
GRAIN, HAY, ETC.	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern.....	.96
Wheat, No. 2 Northern.....	.94
Wheat, No. 3 Northern.....	.89
Wheat, No. 4 Northern.....	.83
Wheat, Rejected.....	.76
Oats.....	36@39
Barley.....	60@93
Flax.....	1.70@1.97
Rye.....	74@78
Wild hay.....	6.50
Tame hay.....	10.00
LIVE STOCK.	
Fat beefs, per lb.....	3c @ 4c
Calves, per lb.....	4c @ 5c
Hogs, per cwt.....	\$7.00 @ \$7.50
Sheep, per lb.....	3c@4c
Hens, old, per lb.....	8c
Springers, per lb.....	10c
MINNEAPOLIS.	
Minneapolis, Wednesday evening.—	
Wheat, No. 1 hard, \$1.06; No. 1 Northern, \$1.05; No. 2 Northern, \$1.01.	
White Oats, 45c; No. 3, 44c.	
Rye, 88c.	
Flax, No. 1, \$2.12.	
Corn, No. 3 Yellow, 58c.	
Barley, 70c@81.15.	

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