

# GOLDBERG'S HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT.

## Christmas is Coming

And every one who sees our mammoth Display of Holiday Attractions is glad of it. Our Desirable Goods and Low Prices make Christmas shopping a pleasure. Such an array of Dainty, Dazzling, Desirable Gifts. Something for every age. Something for every taste. The sort of stock in which the buyer finds 'Just what I wanted.'

### Watch Departm't.

In this Line we Offer Great Bargains.

Deducting 25 per cent from regular prices, and carry only the best known makes in Gold and Silver cases, such as Waltham, Elgin, Howard, Springfield, Swiss, etc. We offer you a Solid Silver stem wind and stem set, 3-oz. case, Waltham movement, for \$10.00, regular price \$15.00, and all watches in proportion.

### Diamond Dept.

Diamonds loose or mounted. It is a well known fact that Diamonds have recently enhanced 33 per cent. in value. Our stock was purchased at bed-rock prices before the rise, and we now offer our entire line at the original prices, thereby guaranteeing to you a saving of one-third on any purchase. We carry a complete line of diamonds mounted in Rings, Scarf Pins, Brooches, Studs, Ear-Rings, in Solitaires and Clusters.

### Jewelry Dept.

A better assortment has never been shown in this city. All our stock is of new and latest designs, consisting of every known article made of gold and silver. Victoria and Queen Chains, Rings, Ear Drops, Brooches, Lace Pins, Hair Pins, Bracelets, Charms, Lockets, Thimbles, Gold Bead Neck Chains, Cuff Buttons, Gents' Vest Chains, etc.

### Clock Department.

We have recently closed out the entire stock of one of the leading manufacturers and importers at an average of one-half the price asked by them early in the season for the same goods, and we will sell them on the basis of the above purchase.

In addition to this stock we carry the Seth Thomas, Ansonia, Gilbert. Imported French Clocks in White Onyx, Marble, Polished Brass, Walnut, Novelties and Bronzes.

### Silverware Dept.

Do not miss inspecting this department.

It is to your interest to save money by not spending a dollar until you have examined our immense stock of Silverware, consisting of Solid Silver, and made by the Whiting and Gorham Manufacturing Companies, in Knives, Spoons and Ladles, and every article required for table use.

We also carry the Meriden, Britannia and Rogers & Bro. flat and hollow ware.

### Optical Goods Dept.

Gold Pens, Pencils and Musical Instrument Department.

In this department we carry a full line of Gold and Silver Spectacles and Eye Glasses in Pebbles. Lemaire's Opera Glasses, in Rubber, Pearl and Celluloid. Washburn Guitars, Dobson's Banjos, Imperial Accordeons. Mandolins, Zithers, Gold Headed Canes, Cornets, Violins, Match Boxes, Umbrellas, etc.

## WE HAVE CUT OUR PRICES FULLY 25 PER CENT.

Every purchase made at our establishment will convince you that we give full value for your money. Visitors incur no obligation to purchase unless so disposed. Don't forget the street and number.

12 MAIN STREET,

D. GOLDBERG,

BUTTE, MONTANA.

### BONDS AND STOCKS.

Up and Down in Market Values on the New York Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Stocks were more active and decidedly strong to-day, making a marked contrast with the trading of yesterday, and material advances were made all along the line under the lead of Missouri Pacific, which was a feature of the day, and the specialties. The attention of the bears was given almost exclusively to the coal stocks, but after the first hour's trading the course of these properties was upward with the remainder of the list. Their transactions were large, but except in Lackawanna fluctuations were small and unimportant. Sugar was again very prominent and it rose three points, most of which was retained. Governments were dull and strong. Petroleum opened steady at 103 1/2, but became weak and declined to 103 1/4. The market then closed steady at 103 1/2. Stock Exchange—Opening, 104 1/2; highest, 104 1/2; lowest, 103 1/4; closing, 103 1/2. Consolidated Exchange—Opening at 105; highest, 105; lowest, 103; closing, 103 1/2. Total sales 721,000 barrels. Money on call easy, 3 1/2%. Prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2 to 7%. Sterling Exchange—Quiet and steady; six-day bills, \$4.85; demand, \$4.84 1/2. Closing stocks:

U. S. 4's registered 126	Northern Pacific	32
U. S. 4's coupon 127	N. P. Preferred	76 1/2
U. S. 4 1/2's reg. 124 1/2	Son. Western	110 1/2
U. S. 4 1/2's coupon 124 1/2	N. Y. Central	107 1/2
American Express 113	Oregon Imp't	44 1/2
Can. Pacific 72 1/2	Transcontinental	34 1/2
Can. Southern 55 1/2	Rock Island	37 1/2
Central Pac. 55 1/2	St. Paul	70
Burlington 36 1/2	Texas Pacific	20
Lackawanna 37	Union Pacific	69 1/2
Denver & R. 16	W. Va. Coal	86
D. L. & W. 27 1/2	United States Ex.	83
Eric 27 1/2	Pargo Express	138
Kansas & Tex. 11 1/2	Western Union	86
Lake Shore 107 1/2	Am'n Cotton Oil	30 1/2
Louis & Nash 86 1/2		
Michigan Central 86		
Missouri Pacific 71 1/2		

**Mining quotations as follows:**  
 Alice 2 00  
 Aspen 2 50  
 Belcher 2 30  
 Best Belcher 2 30  
 Comstock 2 30  
 Constock, etc. 2 30  
 Caldonia, B. H. 1 15  
 Chollar 2 25  
 Crown Point 2 25  
 Cashier 2 25  
 Colorado 2 25  
 Con. Cal. Va. 4 50  
 Canada Pacific 2 25  
 Denver City 2 25  
 Belmonte 2 25  
 Commonwealth 2 25  
 Deadwood Ter. 3 00  
 Eureka Con. 1 50  
 El Cristo 1 50  
 Gould, Curry 4 30  
 Hale, Norcross 4 30  
 Copper, dull, firm; lake, Dec., \$13.90.  
 Lead, quiet, steady; domestic, \$3.50.  
 Tin, easy; Straits \$21.15.  
 Boston: Closing:  
 Ath. Tpk. 1st 7's 116 1/2  
 Ind. gen. 112  
 " railroad 104  
 Burlington 106

leaning toward the side of the prosecution and an utter want of decorum out of court. A. H. Wellman, for the visitors, said the charges of bias on the part of Dr. Eustis were not made until six months after the latter's death and not until a year and a half after the trial of the professors. This inexcusable delay called for severe criticism. Barrows, in behalf of Eustis, confined himself to the charge that Eustis had formed and repeatedly expressed to divers persons the opinion that the professors were guilty of the things charged. Commissioner Robinson reserved his decision.

**He Attended a Secret Session.**  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—There was great excitement in the executive session of the senate this afternoon when a senator upon looking up at the gentlemen's gallery discovered a man sitting there and apparently taking a good deal of interest in the proceedings. The utmost confusion prevailed for a while and the doorkeeper was dispatched to eject the intruder, who proved to be a young man of about 20 years of age. He evidently had been asleep when the senate went into executive session and was probably discovered before he secured any valuable information. He will always, however, carry with him the distinction of having been in the gallery while the senators supposed themselves enjoying the seclusion of a secret session.

**School Children Burned.**  
 DETROIT, Dec. 19.—At Tildin public school this evening, while some 40 girls were rehearsing a Christmas cantata which was to be performed to-morrow, one of the performers accidentally struck a candle with her wand, igniting the wand. The flames communicated to the children's clothing, and all were burned more or less. Five, when enveloped in flames, ran into the street, where some workmen rolled them in the mud and extinguished the flames. Jennie Lanchashire was burned to death, however, and the other four seriously, but not fatally injured. The flames, which in the meantime had communicated to the floor of the school house, were extinguished with difficulty.

**Parnell at Liverpool.**  
 LONDON, Dec. 19.—Parnell received a public demonstration at Liverpool. In an address he exhorted Lancashire to rally in the next election to the assistance of the grand leader of the liberal party. At a banquet, at which Parnell was entertained to-night, a check for \$17,500, the sum of the proceeds of the Liverpool tenants' defense fund, was presented to him. In thanking the donors he again declared the object of the home-rule party was to secure the industrial development of Ireland.

**Denying the Manifesto.**  
 LISBON, Dec. 19.—Dr. Kuy Barboza, Brazilian minister, makes a general denial of the allegations in the recently published manifesto of Viscount De Ouro Preto. He adds that the claims that certain European states may interfere in the concerns of Brazil are merely ridiculous. The continental policy of the western hemisphere on that subject will be seen in the history of Mexico. In virtue of that policy it is a fact that Brazil is in an offensive and defensive alliance with all America.

**Sherman and the Delegates.**  
 NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The All-American delegates to-day journeyed about the city in carriages. They visited Brooklyn, and afterwards visited the chamber of commerce where President Smith delivered an address. General Sherman also spoke. Referring to Brazil he said that at the centennial celebration of the declaration of independence in 1876, he had observed Dom Pedro reading a copy of that historic document. The emperor had said to him that his father had said: "Read and study it."  
 "Gentlemen," continued General Sherman, "study our manufactures and commercial affairs and accept such as you deem wise for your country. To you we give our whole hearts and feeling, and may God speed you."

**Arranging Congressional Tests.**  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The subcommittee of the house election committee charged with the arrangement of contested election cases, completed its work this morning. It was agreed that the republicans should select one case and democrats another in alteration until all are arranged. This was done and the hearing will begin after the holiday recess.

**Failure of a Big Cattle Company.**  
 LARAMIE, Wyo., Dec. 19.—The Laramie Plains Land and Cattle company made an assignment here to-day. The ranch consists of seventeen thousand acres, with cattle and improvements valued at \$125,000. The assignment was caused by recent heavy failures of stockholders residing in Waynesburg, Penn.

**Influenza at Kansas City.**  
 KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19.—A local paper says that a number of cases of influenza distinct enough in type to be readily recognized, have attracted the observation of physicians in this city.  
**Rushing Things in North Dakota.**  
 BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 19.—Governor Miller signed the prohibition law to-day. The school land bill has passed both houses and is ready for the governor's signature.  
**Report of the Parnell Commission.**  
 LONDON, Dec. 19.—Judges Hannon, Day and Smith, comprising the Parnell commission, have finished their reports, but they will not be published until parliamentary meets.  
**Explosion on a Steamer.**  
 LONDON, Dec. 19.—An explosion occurred on board the English tank steamer Ferguson at Rouen from Philadelphia, by which one man was killed and four others injured.  
**More Trouble in Rio Janeiro.**  
 LONDON, Dec. 19.—A private cable dispatch from Rio Janeiro states that fresh disorders have broken out in that city and further complications are feared.

### MONTANA NATIONAL BANK, HELENA, MONT.

United States Depository  
 Capital (paid in) - \$500,000  
 Surplus, - - - \$100,000  
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 H. F. Galen, Peter Larson  
 C. W. Cannon, R. C. Wallace  
 S. C. Ashby, D. A. Cory.

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**Carriage Builder, Blacksmith**  
 AND WAGON SHOP.  
 All classes of new carriage and wagon wood-work executed promptly and in the best manner. Biran pays special attention to horse-shoeing. All kinds of machinery repairing will receive his personal supervision.

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Is now Prepared to Deliver Coal from its MINES AT RED LODGE  
 To consumers in this city. For domestic and steam purposes Rocky Fork Coal has no superior in this market. It lights readily, makes hot fire and leaves little ash. Try it.  
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 Geo. T. Young, Livingston.  
 Berg Bros., Townsend.  
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### JOS. F. MURRAY.

Having purchased the business formerly conducted by James McNulty is now prepared to furnish his customers with the finest brands of  
**Domestic, Imported and Key West Cigars**  
 To be found in the city.  
**FRUITS AND CONFECTIONERY**  
 Fresh and choice. A well assorted stock of STATIONERY.  
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 Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Hay, Grain, Feed, and Hard and Soft Coal. Agents Continental Oil Company. We carry in Stock a Full Line of  
**BAIN & MITCHELL WAGONS.**  
 from QUARTZ GEARS to light SPRING WAGONS. Also CLARK, FERRY, STUDEBAKER and STANDARD BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES.  
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 Call and look through our stock. It is complete in all the different lines, and we defy competition.  
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