

THEY HAVE FEW EQUALS

Christmas Displays Made by the Stores of Bemidji a Revelation.

NOTHING BETTER FOUND IN THE NORTHWEST.

Variety of Christmas Offerings Elicits Most Favorable Comment.

"In variety, completeness and excellence of their Christmas stocks, the stores of Bemidji are outdone by no town outside the big cities," declared a prominent commercial traveler to a representative of the Pioneer this morning. "There are few towns in the state of the size of Bemidji that display such a wealth of Christmas goods as I have found here; the displays found in some of the stores are simply amazing. The people of Bemidji and surrounding country are to be warmly congratulated upon having such a favorable place to trade."

A brief shopping tour in Bemidji will convince anyone that the commercial traveler did not speak too warmly. The displays of the leading stores of Bemidji in Christmas goods is positively lavish and represent an enormous investment of capital. Here are found all that could possibly be desired by people of many wants. In jewelry, dainty gifts in china and pottery, rich dress goods, fashionable haberdashery, modish millinery, house furnishings of every description, toys, curios and a thousand and one other things which the busy people want the Bemidji stores show offerings which rival those of the great stores of the twin cities.

There is no better place in the northwest to do Christmas shopping than right in Bemidji as the notable offerings of Bemidji stores found in this issue of the Pioneer eloquently attest.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Red Cross is coming.

PRINCESS Grocery Co.

We have a full line of Christmas Tree Decorations, Candy Toys, Candies, Etc.

We will make a special price to Churches, Societies and Schools on these goods.

Home Made Taffys
Peanut Candy Mixed Nuts
Bon Bons Chocolates
Smokers' Articles
Fancy Box Tobaccos
Case Pipes

Look at these before selecting your presents.

We will have for the Holidays a select line of Fruits and Vegetables.

Select Oysters always in stock.

Princess Grocery Co.
M. E. CARSON, Mgr
Phone 282

WE CLOSE MONDAY AT NOON.

Schneider Bros.
THE CLOTHIERS.

Money Cheerfully Returned on All Purchases Before or After Xmas.

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STORE SERVICE PAR EXCELLENCE!

Splendid Smoking Jacket Showing



New effect smoking Jacket and Breakfast Coats in nobby, soft, gray tones of extra weight golf clothes; solid or fancy effects; beautiful house garments that are most luxuriously comfortable; they should rightly bring \$8.50; we offer at choice for

\$5.00

All Proportions For Men and Young Men



Fifteen Dollars For Stein Bloch Suits and Overcoats Worth \$18 \$20 and \$22 . .

Cutting Prices on These Renowned Stein Bloch Clothes.

Materials from American style centers. Styles, fashions and art work that exceed the showing of all excepting the most costly special order tailors. Values which we emphasized at \$18.00 20.00 and 22.00 at

\$15.00

Supperb BATH ROBES AND SLEEPING GARMENTS

HOLIDAY NIGHT-WARE.
20 dozen Flannel Night Shirts worth \$1.00 for

45 Cts.

Full cut Terry Terry Cloth Bath Robes, in color tones, light shades extra lengths. Values of no less than \$7.00 at

\$5.00



Christmas Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention.

Yuletide Neckwear, white borthea and English Squares. Most proper for gifts.

Silk and Linen Night Robes with Embroidered front.

Boys' Moose Hide Moccasins Only \$1.50

Xmas In The Great Boy's Department.



Young Men's College Suits single and double breasted. Sizes to 36. \$12 and \$15 values

\$10.00

Flannel lined in-band Caps, Auto and Golf shapes 50c
Boys' Skating Togues all shades 25c



Stylish Chrstm as Footwear.

For Holiday and all occasions—Always the perfect Regent Shoe.

Every Pair Doubly Guaranteed Men's Fleece Lined Storm Alaska Overshoes \$3.50 \$1.15

Hat Reductions

All Broken size hats from from this seasons finest soft and stiff stock. Brown black, nutria and light shades

\$2.00



Boys' Store Bright With Christmas Spirit.

School Overcoats. Belts are detachable. Coats in Oxford, Black and the new Scotch effect. You will see at once that these are worth double. Sixes 8 to 16

\$6.50

Boys Sweaters 50c
Boys Colored Dress Shirts 50c
Boys' Gloves and Mittens 25c and 50c



A TURKEY FREE

With Each Purchase Amounting To \$15.00 or More.

Going Fast.

I have left six good homestead claims seven to nine miles from Kelliher in good settlement. Claims will cut from 200,000 to 500,000 feet of logs besides pulp wood, cordwood and posts. Locating fee \$50 to \$75 or will take pulp wood or posts for same. J. J. Opsahl, 518 Beltrami ave., Bemidji, Minn.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expressive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. Kings New Life Pills for dyspepsia, dizziness, headache, liver or bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c. at all drug stores.

Go to Hakkerup for photos.

Kennedy at New Paynesville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cornwall returned last night from New Paynesville, where the latter has been enjoying a visit with relatives. While there they met Frank Kennedy, formerly assistant cashier of the First National bank in this city, who is now cashier of the First State bank at New Paynesville.

Notice.

Olaf Olson and Andrew G. Newstrom have this day dissolved partnership. Olaf Olson buying all interests in the business and assuming all debts and liabilities.

—A. G. Newstrom,
—Olaf Olson.
Fancy fruit for the table. Peterson's.

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Bakers Drug Store.

Toys and sleds at Lehr's.

Hotel Changes Hands.

Mrs. John Bahr, who has conducted the Bemidji hotel for some time past, has released her interests in the house and Anton Aller, the former proprietor, will again take charge of the hotel.

Candies, nuts and fruit for Christmas festivities at I. B. Olson's.