Good Jewelry. Silver or fine

plated ware is always acceptable and in good taste. We shall be glad to show you a collection of articles that any bride would be proud to receive and display.

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spend a great deal unless you want to.



GLADSTONE NEWSLETS Susie Dassinger spent Christmas

vacation at home Mrs. Katy Metzger has been quite

Supt. Galyen and family spent Christmas at Belfield. Miss Clara Ableman.spent the week

at her home near Taylor. Geo. Albrecht of Dickinson visited friends between trains Monday.

Matt Bayer and family of Dickin-son spent Christmas in the city.

Alex Beaudoin went to Belfield to be with the family on Christmas day. Gabriel Graff and wife of Regent were Dickinson passengers Monday. Ole Jensen went to Taylor Saturday to hear Governor Frazier speak

Christmas with their son in Glen

Peter Staat and Anton Pected were the guests of Frank Bayer, Sr.,

Nick Bader of Lehigh came down Sungay to spend a few days with the

Miss Rosa Hornstra is spending her vacation at the farm southeast of Gladstone.

Joseph Henneberger of Hebron visited Dominick Hillys the first part of

Ferdinand Massarek of Dickinson spent Christmas as the guest of Carl Duckhorn.

Miss Margaret Reilly of the Medora schools came home Saturday to spend the holidays.

John Reiner spent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week at the farm near Lefor.

Miss Hattie Kavatz of Medora at rived Thursday for an extended visit with her brother, Joe Kavatz.

Andrew Herf and family of Lefor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Duckhorn on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ericson of Dic's inson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs Ole J. Olson Monday and Tuesday. Mike Becker, who has been attending the Bismarck business college, came home Friday for the holidays.

Mrs. Enger visited friends at St. Joseph's hospital in Dickinson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson spent Christman and Mrs. Land M Rep. C. C. Turner went to Belfield I'riday to assist in organizing and perfecting a Loyalty League and

Mat Remsing and family spent Attorney T. F. Murtha and Fr. Dig-Christmas with friends at South nam of Dickinson canvassed the Gladstone district in the interest of the Red Cross last week.

Mathias Wehner, manager of the Gladstone mill, was a business visitor at all points between Gladstone and Terry, Mont., last week.

John Jaeger of Dickinson arrived Saturday for a visit with friends south Christmas with their parents.

Misses Eva Kauffman, Lizzie Joseph's hospital.

Becker and Katy Oxener came down from Dickinson Monday to spend Christmas with their parents.

Emmett Callahan, who teaches ia the the Garner district, and J. S. Duckhorn, clerk of the same district, were Gladstone shoppers Saturday.

Miss Mildred Connors, who is teaching near Regent, came home for Christmas.

E. D. Culver and wife, Mrs. Mary Candee and daughters, Misses Ruth and Gladys, Peter Dassinger, Stephen Dassinger and wife, J. S. Birdsall, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Johnson.

Miss Daisy Dean, who has been at tending school at Bismarck, arrived past year, is spending his vacation at home.

THE MARKET PLACE

AND WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU

We Can and Do Positively Pay the Highest Possible Market Price for

HIDES AND FURS

Too often you pay too little attention to the marketing of your Hides, Furs,

etc. You have always been very careful to get the top market price for your grain. How about your Hides and Furs?

Mrs. Carl Stein of Lefor died on Friday, the 21st. Funeral services were held from St. Elizabeth's church and interment took place on Sunday.

The Misses Hemenway and Kemper left Friday to spend Christmas vaca-tion at their respective homes, New Richmond, Wis., and Howard Lake,

Mrs. Mary Zebley of Richardton visited her daughter, Libea, on Fri-day. Mrs. Libea accompanied her mother home on Saturday for a short

Joe Helbling, manager of the Mandan Mercantile Co. of Killdeer, came via Mandan to spend Christmas with friends. It's a long way, Joe, but come again.

Mrs. Mary S. Candec and daugh-ters, Miss Gladys, who teaches near Fryburg, and Misses Ruth and Esther, came down from Dickinson Saturday for a visit at the farm.

The Christmas program and tree were certainly fine and were highly appreciated. Fr. Felix believes in giving all a good time in the proper

At 3 a. m.—"Out of bed in five min-utes!" Alex dreamed it was a joke— but—"time's up!" Crash! Bed and

Tolzman on Thursday; Chris Grasl on Monday; John Reiner and John Schneider, Jr., on Wednesday; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shank and Miss Mc-Cann, who teaches in the Garner district, on Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Tolzman, Julius Riga and John Loh on Saturday.

TAYLOR NEWS

Dr. W. E. Burke made a trip to Richardton Monday. Dr. Kammann's brother, Alvin, left Monday after spending a few days

Hans Simenson, who has been staying with the Schmidt family and at-tending school here, left for his home

Henry Brademeyer purchased a new piano from Mr. Fleckenstein this week. Mr. Strom bought their former piane. Fred Schroeder went up to Dickinson Monday evening to spend Christ-mas with his wife, who is at St.

The Steve Brittner family moved The A. B. Doran auction sale

HIDE & FUR CO.

Andrew Haidu has purchased the Schumer property and will move to town in the near future. Mr. Schumer will make his home in Dickinson.

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Frank Peterson of Hebron came here Monday evening to spend Christ-mas with his son, Henry, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brandt made a trip to Richardton Friday to attend to some business-interests.

The high school basketball team went to New Salem Friday and that evening played the team there. The score was 23 to 5 in favor of Taylor. They played at Glen Ullin Saturday evening and again the game was in their favor, the score being 33 to 7. Three cheers for our girls, we are proud of you.

DISTRICT COURT OPENS NEXT WEEK AT MEDORA JURY LIST DRAWN

A special term of district court will be held at Medora, beginning at 10 o'clock, Wednesday, January 2, Judge W. C. Crawford presiding. A large number of criminal and civil cases are on the calendar. A special venire of thirty-six jurymen has been drawn.

way.

Misses Regina Duckhorn and Tina
Brown secured 60 new members in the
Red Cross drive last week; Rep. C. C.
Turner 57 on Saturday, Atty. Murtha
and Fr. Dignam many more, so Gladstone should now have a membership
of at least 150.

At 3 a. m.—"Out of bed in five minutes!" Alex dreamed it was a joke—but—"time's up!" Crash! Bed and but—"time's up!" Crash! Bed and occupant turn a complete somersault. Half awake he hurriedly dresses and accompanies his captors to the garage, expecting—well, only to listen to some new records!

The following persons were Dickinson passengers the past week: bright Prinz, Peter Schiff, Mike Herold, Mrs. Randall of Lefor and Mrs. Tolzman on Thursday; Chris Grasl on Monday; John Reiner and John Schneider, Jr., on Wednesday: Mr.

Roy J. Dietz, Quinion; H. G. Davis, Gaylord; Ed. Jossucks, Belfield; Magnus Dahl, Medora; E. J. Hill, Gorham; Abe Joubert, Fryburg; Oscar Bergquist, Snow; W. W. Askley, Gaylord; C. J. Corkery, Medora; Tom Manion, Gorham; H. F. Meisner, Fryburg; Joseph Joubert, Fryburg; B. O. Engebriscon, Killdeer; Henry Johnson, Gorham; Frank Maul, Snow; Dave McLeod, Jr., Belfield; Richard Anderson, Fairfield; Frank Childs, Fayette; Gottlieb Hauser, Snow; Charles Duval, tlieb Hauser, Snow; Charles Duval, Fryburg.

NINETEEN NATIONS WAR ON GERMANY

Brazil's declaration of war against Germany made the total of active ene-mies of the central powers 19, as follows:

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The area controlled by the Germanic allies is 5,000,000 square miles.

THE RIALTO MANAGER

F. M. Nicodemus, manager of the Rialto theatre, is in town arranging for the opening of the new show house right after the first of the year. Mr. Nicodemus is a likeable fellow, with an appreciation of the public's wants in the amusement line. Formerly a "When we were at Broadstairs, we teacher in the Glendive high school saw a boat that was washed up from and later manager of a mercantile es- the wreck of the Lusitania with sevtablishment, the young man appears eral bodies in it. It was purchased fully competent to anticipate the by a resident of Broadstairs, who pre-Married with one little girl, we believe they will prove welcome additions to the social life of the city.

Mr. Nicodemus has rented the J. C. Auer house.

Auer house.

The new manager says that he is here to please the people of Dickinson and believes that he has the material. A full booking of the Paramount, Metro, Fox and Selznick offerings has been made. In addition, he intends to produce vaudeville one night each week. For the present, he said the music will be furnished by a pianist but as soon as possible, a first-class orchestra will be featured. Mr. Lange, experienced operator from Mr. Lange, experienced operator from Minneapolis, will do the filming.

THE GREAT SECRET

"What is the secret of success?" asked the Sphinx.

"Push" said the Button.

"Be up-to-date," said the Calendar.

"Never be led," said the Pencil.

"Always keep cool," said the Ice.

"Never lose your head," said the Bar-

Make light of everything," said the

Black Silk Stove Polish Liquid Paste Not Rub ACK-SIIK Off, Lasts 4 Times as Long as Others, Saves Work. Get a Can Today ENGLISH WOMAN IS PROUD OF WILSON-LOSES SON IN FRANCE

A letter has just been received by strain under which all of the people in that vicinity are under. They live directly in the path of airplanes that directly in the path of airplanes that occasionally are sent over the country fror. Germany to raid Eugland Her letter, dated November 27, says that they have had no raids in that vicinity for more than a month but they are greatly unnerved just the same. Her family has contributed a son, Fred, to the cause of war. He fell in an engagement northeast of Vermelles and the war department is trial as a matter of strict leggl right.

as well as for

The nations now at war with Ger- Vermelles and the war department is trial as a matter of strict legal right. many have populations of about now trying to locate his burial place for the mother's sake. Two others of Artnur Johnson of Almont, Mont., arrived here Saturday morning to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Johnson allies is 177,000,000.

Of the world's total area of 57,000, 000 square miles, more than 30,000,000 square miles of territory is controlled by arti-German powers.

Selves in the service. One son, George, has won the military cross for bravery in France and the other, a husband of her step-daughter, has been decorated with the Distinguished for appellant. L. A. Simpson, Dickinson, attorncy for appendicnt.

Conduct medal. "America's coming into the war has made it better for us," she writes. "I admire President Wilson because he eems to be a man who thinks twice before he acts and I always picture

him as an upright, honest man, and God knows we want clearheaded men as leaders in this terrible war." An echo of the Lusitania disaster is popular taste. He is a product of the sented it to the council, and under-

GOVERNMENT LESSENS PENSION BURDEN BY

SOLDIER INSURANCE

The act which provides for Govern-ment life insurance for soldiers and sailors has now been in operation a little more than a month. The Secretary of the Treasury announced on November 17th, that up to that date 64,168 applications under the new law had been received, representing insur-ance in the sum of \$552,093,000. From four to six thousand applications are received each day at the Treasury Department, the amount of reasury Department, the amount of insurance applied for some times reaching a total of fifty million dollars in a single day.

The law provides that soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses in active services.

vice may obtain from the government life insurance in amounts not exceed Hammer.

Aspire to greater things," said the Nutmeg.

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Fire.

One of the primary objects of this law is to lessen the tremendous burden of pensions which has followed as a consequence of all American wars. It is evident that the administration of this new branch of Government work is big business in itself. But this is only one of many governments. Clock.

Spend much time in reflection," said the Mirror.

Find a good thing and stick to it," said the Glue.

Do the work you are sooted for," said the Flue.

Work is big business in itself. But this is only one of many governmental activities incident to the war which are adding great numbers of clerks, stemographers, and other servants to Uncle Sam's payroll. Literally thousands of stemographers and type writers have been appointed in Washington during the past few months and thousands more are to be appointed. thousands more are to be appointed as soon as they are available. The United States Civil Service commission is holding examinations for these positions weekly throughout the country. Secretaries of local boards of civil service examiners at the post offices in all cities are furnishing detailed information.

Dunn Center's checker circle is nourning the absence of Alf Rasmus-sen, who is visiting friends in Minne-

While working over a stove, Mrs. Ludwig Kitzman of Hanover, badly burned her arm when her sleeve be came ignited from the fire.

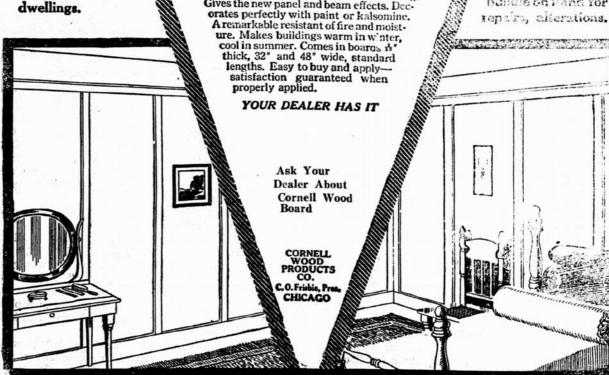
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SUPREME COURT REVERSES GOVERNOR WAS HERE Henry Lehman, plaintiff and re-Governor Frazier was in the city

spondent, vs. L. T. Coulter, defendant Saturday, stopping off on his way and appellant. and appellant.
Syllabus: Where one brings an ac-Progressive club at Taylor, where he A letter has just been received by Mayor White from his sister in England. In it she tells of the legations of the complaint; all of the You Have Been Good To

> Appeal from the judgment of the district court of Stark county, Hon. W. C. Crawford, judge.

son, attorney for respondent.

The three children of Henry Henke of Center narrowly escaped serious damage last week when they threw a loaded shot gun shell on a stove. Flying particles of the exploded shell struck the children but no bad hurts

Appreciate It. Us--We It has been a very unusual

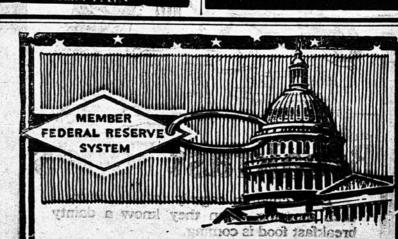
year. But business has been good and we want to thank you for

For those who have had troubles during the year we are

Many have sent their loved ones to war. All honor to them.

If you have enjoyed happiness and prosperity; we are very glad. Here's hoping that all of us may have a happier and a more prosperous year in 1918.

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