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A Complete Holiday Line at...

## Jones' Christmas Store.



From a penny doll to an

Elegant PIANO or ORGAN.

The place to find the present you want

A beautiful line of Medallions and China. A large and beautiful line of Books for old and young. Gold and fountain pens and silver novelties. Indian baskets, Mexican hand-carved pocket books. Christmas Kodaks and Music. Toys, Dolls, Sleds, Wagons, Doll Cabs.

AND MORE, and MUCH MORE.

We must ask you to call and see for yourself.

## Holiday Gifts.

Yes, we are HOLIDAY HEADQUARTERS this year again.

Our assortment of HANDKERCHIEFS was never so complete, comprising everything from 5c to 75c—better values than ever before. We have DOLLS for the girls; MAGIC LANTERNS and STEAM ENGINES for the boys; TOYS of all kinds and prices for the children; CHINA DISHES direct from the old country, elegant new styles. What could be NICER for a present than a NEW SILK WAIST pattern or elegant DRESS pattern. We can't enumerate the many useful things to be found here at the RIGHT PRICE.

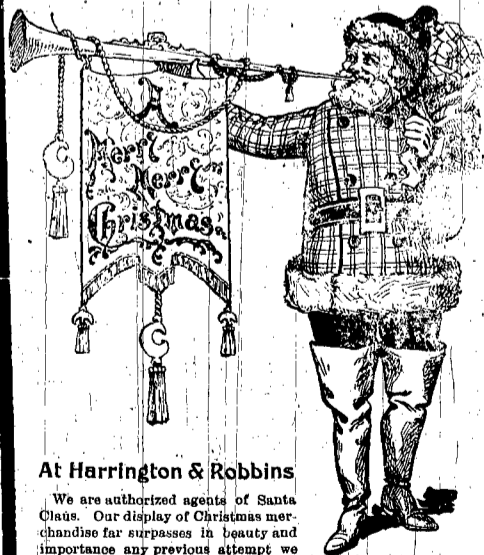
Remember we are still selling

Mens' and Boys' Clothing at Cost!

They are going fast but can still give good selections. This applies to Overcoats. Call on us for all kinds of useful presents.

The Racket.

### LOOKING CHRISTMASWARD.



At Harrington & Robbins

We are authorized agents of Santa Claus. Our display of Christmas merchandise far surpasses in beauty and importance any previous attempt we have made. Greater, grander, more beautiful than any other which Wayne has ever known. Christmas gifts that are valuable, useful, sensible—the exposition is ready for inspection. There is a distinct flavor of Christmas utility in our Furnishing Department just now. Gifts useful as well as ornamental are quite the proper thing. Men like them, too—silk mufflers, fancy umbrellas, gloves, suspenders, neckwear, etc., etc. You can spend 50 cents to \$10 here on appropriate things—and get your money back if you are not satisfied. We like to encourage the habit of giving as Christmas presents our fine OVERCOATS and SUITS—\$7.50 to \$12.00. There are many months of Christmas satisfaction in such presents as these. No Christmas buyer in Wayne will be more welcome to our store than will you.

Harrington & Robbins,  
The Leading Clothiers and Furnishers.

Dr. J. C. Clark, Eye Specialist, will be in Wayne January 28 and 29, at Leve Hotel.

All kinds of nuts at W. L. Jones' Postmaster Tracy of Winside, was in Wayne this morning.

For high art tailoring both ladies and gents, Tweed & Ferree.

Earl Wright is home from Duluth to spend the holidays with his parents.

Ladies Wool Waists in French Flannel, plain and embroidered at AHERN'S.

The post office will be closed Christmas and New Years from 10 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.

W. L. Jones' has the finest line of candies and nuts for holiday trade that can be found in the city.

The finest rockers ever shown anywhere for the holiday trade can be found at J. P. Gaertner's.

Miss Dolly Holtz came home from Sioux City Tuesday evening and will remain until after Christmas.

The Skyline Fraternity has added a punching bag, Indian clubs and boxing gloves to the equipment of their club room.

D. S. McVicker has about as nice a line of candies and nuts for the holiday trade as one could wish, besides an excellent line of fruits.

STILL CUTTING AWAY on Suits and Cloaks. Prices slashed in half. Stock must be closed out. AHERN'S.

The South Omaha Drivers Journal says that Wayne county carried off first money at the Omaha fat stock show, and yet it isn't strange.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Baptist church on Sunday, and on Monday evening the Sunday school will render a Christmas cantata.

Special Holiday rate one and one third fare tickets on sale Dec. 22-23-24-25-31, 1900 and Jan. 1, 1901 good returning until and including Jan. 2. Children half fare.

Go to J. P. Gaertner's for the finest line of useful holiday goods, rockers, pictures and an endless line of furniture of every description. Many pieces are especially adapted for Christmas presents. You can get nothing better anywhere.

Republican: H. J. Graves returned Monday from his Holt county ranch and is very well pleased with the condition of his cattle out there. He says the boys have built several miles of fence out there this fall and made considerable other improvements about the premises and that they are very well pleased with the ranch life.

The Herald is heartily in accord with the Republican in that the country north of the Elkhorn does not receive, or has not, the recognition it merits at the hands of those who have the appointing power in their hands, and especially when the magnificent gains made by the republicans in this section of the state is considered. The Herald is in favor of any Wayne county republican, no matter who it is that seeks recognition.

The funeral of Wm. Mellor was held at the home of his son Robert last Friday afternoon and was largely attended. The funeral sermon was delivered by Rev. Welden of the Baptist church and the services at the grave were conducted by the Grand Army of the Republic, of which deceased was a most honored and respected member. Those attending the funeral from abroad were, Geo. Mellor and family, Malvern, Iowa; Mrs. L. McCabe and sons, Bushnell, Ill.; G. F. McNight, Miss Houlihan, Chicago; and Mrs. Brent Yates, Hiawatha, Kans.

The Herald this week contains an article from the pen of R. H. Gibson, which will be of much interest to the stock raisers in the county. The article is a reply to an article by the editor of the Iowa Homestead as to whether a full Short-horn cow, bred to a half and half Short-horn and Hereford bull would produce a three-fourths Short-horn calf. Mr. Gibson assumes that it does, following up his assumption with a demonstration to that effect. He is a very interesting writer, and undoubtedly knows what he is talking about as he has had considerable experience in that field.

#### POPULATION 2,119.

The above is the total population of Wayne according to the recent census and she stands among the 21 cities of the state having a population of 2,000 and less than 25,000. In 1850 the writer took the census of the city which was at that time 1178. During the decade just past Wayne has increased 841, or about 80 per cent. It is an excellent showing. The following is the entire list:

Alliance	2335	Kearney	5634
Auburn	2664	McCook	2445
Beatrice	7875	Nebraska City	7380
Blair	2970	Norfolk	8886
Columbus	3522	North Platte	3640
Cretz	2109	Plattsmouth	4864
Fairbury	2140	Schuyler	2157
Falls City	3022	Tecumseh	2035
Fremont	7241	Wahoo	2100
Grand Island	7664	Wayne	2119
Hastings	7188	York	2023
Holdrege	3007	York	5124

## THE 2 JOHNS ARE HAPPY.

We always wish at this season of the year that our financial conditions were such that we could give every one we know a Christmas present. We hope there will not be a person in Wayne county that will fail to receive a gift. We have done all in our power to make it possible for everyone to buy a present. We never ask fancy prices for Christmas goods. Making and receiving Christmas presents is the most pleasant thought that enters the human soul. We remember giving an old lady a pocket handkerchief for a Christmas present, and nearly twenty years afterwards, at the age of ninety-eight, she made her will and remembered us for giving her a Christmas present. Other thoughts may leave the human mind, but the pleasure of making or receiving of Christmas presents remains always. Make a present to every one of your friends. No matter what the cost of a present is, it will make them happy and you will enjoy life better for having made the gift. It is customary now to buy useful presents, and things to wear are considered proper articles to buy for presents. We have made a special effort this year to please our customers in purchasing all the latest novelties in the market. Our room is small and we cannot put on display all the goods we have, but if you will ask for Christmas presents we will show you many things that will please you. You will be surprised to see how many pretty things we have. We have so many things this year suitable for presents that to make a complete list would require more space than we have in an advertisement. We hope by next Christmas to have a room large enough to accommodate our many customers and have sufficient room to display the many pretty things we always have for Christmas presents. Remember if you buy anything of us, the person receiving the gift can exchange if the fit or color is not satisfactory. It is now pretty well known that The 2 Johns have the largest stock and lowest prices in Wayne county. Every article we sell has the price marked in plain figures and is sold at one price only. Make your money reach as many friends as you can, and you will reach more friends by buying your presents here than at any other place in Wayne county. Wishing you all a Merry Christmas, we remain yours anxious to please.

The Only Exclusive Clothing House in Wayne.

The 2 Johns Speak German And Swede

### CLOSING OUT SALE

Closing out my stock of Goods at COST, and SOME GOODS at LESS THAN COST; in HATS, etc. I have a new line of Ladies Corsets, the latest French styles; also Ribbons, Laces and Kid Gloves, Velvets and Notions. I have a large line of Trimmings. Now is the time to get a Dress Hat cheap, ladies and children. Everything in stock closed out at your own price.

MISS H. WILKINSON, Opposite Post Office.

## It's going to be a great Christmas!

and we have made big preparations to handle the wants of the people. Our storeroom has been enlarged, and still we are crowded.

A Beautiful Line of all that is New and Appropriate for Holiday Gifts.

Come early and make your selection before the assortment is broken. Everything that is new in

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Novelties, Cut Glass, Table Cutlery, Gold Pens, Souvenir Spoons, Etc.

Mines, LEADING Jeweler.

ALWAYS COME TO

Raymond's = Drug = Store,

You won't be disappointed if you come here, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. A select line of Useful Ornaments that make home more attractive, and last a life time.

PLEASE CALL.

Perfumes-You know we have the latest.

Raymond's Drug Store,  
Wayne, Nebraska.

Anything you wish to select will be cared for till Xmas.



SEEMS TO BE DOOMED.

SENATE IS AGAINST THE HAY-PAUNCEFOTE PACT.

Passing of Davis Amendment Forecasts Defeat-Intent is that Canal Shall Be American-Managed.

By a vote of 65 to 17 the Senate Thursday adopted the Davis amendment to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty...

The Hay-Pauncefote treaty was completed last winter and has been held in the Senate ever since.

SOCIETY LEADER A MURDERER.

Woman's Wife Sentenced to Prison for a Terrible Crime.

The great public interest aroused by the mysterious assault in Van Wert, O., Sept. 22, upon Miss Alice Hammett...

Miss Hammett's assailant was for long unsuspected, but finally suspicion pointed towards Mrs. Emma Van Liew...

BOERS WIN A BATTLE.

British Have Four Officers Killed in a Fight with Boers near Orange River.

PULPIT AND PREACHER.

Sankey proposes to establish a pulpit for gospel singers.

MORRISON JURY, DISCHARGED.

Fail to Reach a Verdict in the Morrison Case, Murder Case.

After deliberating nearly four days, the jury in the famous Morrison case at Eldorado, Kan., was discharged without giving a verdict.



MISS JESSIE MORRISON AND HER FATHER.

Miss Jessie Morrison, daughter of the late Jesse Morrison, was the victim of a murder in Eldorado, Kan., in 1900.

GROWTH OF THE OLEO BUSINESS.

During the Year 104,000,000 Pounds Were Sold in the United States.

More than 104,000,000 pounds of oleomargarine were sold in the United States during the year 1900.



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On its own merits and without any attempt to deceive people into thinking they are buying butter.

British News Items.

President McKinley has warned the British government that he will call an extra session of March 1.



SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

Explanation of the Chief Provisions of This Measure.

Generally speaking, the ship subsidy bill, about which so much has been said lately, provides for a tonnage bounty on all steam vessels.

The official returns of the late presidential election are beginning to come in.

It is a singular fact that the only blood-thirsty communications received at the White House and the Department of State on the Chinese question...

OLD TUAN'S HEAD TO FALL.

Prince Must Be Decapitated if China Accepts Powers' Demands.

A Pekin dispatch says the foreign envoys have agreed to the joint Chinese note as outlined by Count von Buelow.

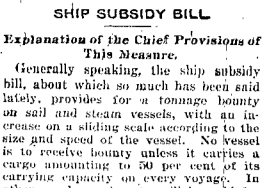
Robert Wilcox, the new delegate from the territory of Hawaii, will receive the largest mileage pay that has ever been drawn by any delegate or Representative.

The census bureau issued a bulletin giving the results of the enumeration of the domestic animals in Indiana, but not on farms or ranges.

The report of the third assistant Postmaster General shows that the total receipts from all sources of postal revenue during the year amounted to \$102,454,579.

Makes of Current Events.

The population of Texas was officially announced as 3,048,710.



REV. F. W. DICKENS.

Although the re-election of Charles A. Bouteille of Maine to a seat in Congress will probably never reach him, it is a source of great satisfaction to his daughter, Miss Grace, who is devoting her life to his comfort.

The report that he was recently seen in Chicago has awakened interest in the case of Rev. Francis Hermans, the Salt Lake City preacher who is alleged to be the murderer of four women and an embezzler.

Mrs. Pierre Lorillard-Ronalds, the American widow to whom Sir Arthur Sullivan bequeathed a legacy of \$250,000, has been a resident of London for thirty years and was one of the great composer's dearest friends.

The two geniuses had quarreled and the whole world was in grief.

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NEW RECORDS MADE.

Wherein 1900 Surpasses in Prosperity All Previous Years.

It is fitting that the best year of the century should be in every way the best. From an industrial and commercial standpoint the year 1900 in the United States surpasses any previous year in our history.

The question arises, why? It is but a few years since we were in the throes of bankruptcy and ruin.

And the question arises, why? The answer can be given in two words: Protection and confidence.

Because a protective tariff secures a home market, a home market means demand far greater than all the world's markets combined.

Our woolen goods have fallen off two-thirds, with the result that our own sheep raisers have increased their flocks and find a ready market at good prices for their wool.

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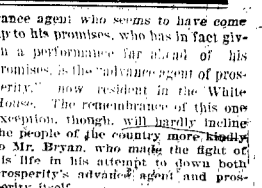
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