

STEER TRADE SLIPPERY

DEMAND A SLUGGISH ONE AND PRICES SUFFER FRESH BREAK OF 10@15c.

NOTHING CHOICE ON SALE

Cows Generally 10c Lower—Heifers Holding Up Well—Stockers and Feeders Fully 10@15c Lower and Trade Dull.

Conditions over which local dealers had no control rendered the steers dull here today. A fair Tuesday run got in 1 1/2 days retaining the country yesterday's "mean outlook for the balance of the week."

The general market has been paralyzed by the heavy rain of the night which hit Chicago yesterday and there is imperative need of conservative marketing until the first of the year to prevent worse demoralization.

Increased supplies of young thin steers and a more liberal showing of medium to strong weight feeders included in today's cattle run, connected with a restricted country demand were two factors that militated against the maintenance of last week's price schedule.

The general run of feeders and ordinary stockers were subject to a 10c drop as a result of these classes selling 10@15c lower generally, the decline putting the feeder grades 15@25c lower compared with last week's close.

Female killing stock is holding up well as compared with the slump in weight heifers came in for a fairly good demand today and prices on the general run of such offerings were well maintained at yesterday's level.

Bulls were slow in sympathy with other butcher stuff. Prices were quoted moderate and held steady with the previous day, best vealers realizing \$9.50.

Heifers. No. Ave. Price No. Ave. Price. 1...1220...5.25 1...1103...4.85 2...1120...5.25 1...1060...4.35

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THE NINE IN THE CALENDAR. The figure 9, which came into the calendar on Jan. 1, 1889, will stay with us 111 years from that date, or until Dec. 31, 1999.

FRESH BREAK IN HOGS

TRADE HAD PLEASING ACTIVITY, DEMAND RULING GOOD AT 5@10c LOWER PRICES.

EARLY CLEARANCE IS MADE

Best of Offerings Absorbed at \$7.15, With Bulk of Sales Listed at \$6.90 to 7.07 1/2—Pigs Hold Former Levels.

Six thousand head, or less than half as many hogs arrived today as on the second market day last week and the five markets with 65,000 head showed a falling off of 25,000 head. Despite the decline in numbers, buyers were out to lower prices at all points and met with general success.

Prices for hogs averaging 140 lbs. and up ranged from \$6.79@7.15, with the bulk selling at \$6.90@7.07 1/2. The bulk yesterday sold at \$7.00@7.15, a week ago at \$7.55@7.75, a month ago at \$7.45@7.50, a year ago at \$7.55@7.80.

Representative Hog Sales. No. Av. Bk. Price No. Av. Bk. Price. 80...229...7.15 78...234...7.00 81...222...7.10 85...227...7.00

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET. Today's cash values: Receipts: wheat, 2 cars; corn, 18 cars; oats, 1 car.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1095-1098 New Corby-Forsce Building, St. Joseph, Mo.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS. CHICAGO. CHICAGO, Union Stock Yards, Ill., Dec. 17.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 6000. Market dull with Monday's decline.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 17.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 12,000. Market steady; top 19; cows and heifers steady to firm; stockers steady; calves unchanged.

SOUTH OMAHA. SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 17.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal-Stockman reports: Cattle—Receipts, 4300. Market steady at Monday's decline.

EAST ST. LOUIS. EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., Dec. 17.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 5500, half southern. Market steady.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

Today's Receipts. Cattle...93 2,557 Hogs...89 4,237 Sheep...16 1,396

RECEIPTS FROM JAN. 1 TO DATE

The following table shows the local receipts from January 1, 1912, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1911:

Live Stock in Sight. The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the principal western markets today and comparisons:

RECEIPTS BY CARS. The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by railroads centering at the local yards today:

PORT WORTH. PT. WORTH, Tex., Dec. 17.—Special to The Journal: The Daily Live Stock Reports report: Cattle—Receipts, 6400. Market opening steady on beef stuff; feeders 15@25c lower.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Dec. 17.—Special to The Journal: The Live Stock Record reports: Cattle—Receipts, 1800. Fat steers slow; stockers steady.

Wheat. No. 2 red...1.00 @ 61 63 No. 2 hard...83 @ 61 61 No. 3 hard...81 @ 61 64

CORN. No. 2 white, new...46 @ 46 1/2 No. 2 mixed, new...46 @ 46 1/2 No. 3 mixed, new...45 1/2 @ 45 1/2

COAL. No. 1...18.00 18.00 17.00 17.00 18.00 No. 2...18.00 18.00 17.00 17.00 18.00

CONCENTRATED STOCK FOODS. Quotations on Cottonseed, Linseed and Alfalfa Products.

WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES. Following are today's wholesale prices for beef cuts as given out by Swift & Company.

SHEEP PRICES SHRINK

PACKERS CONTINUE BEARISH RAID AND FORCE ANOTHER DECLINE.

LAMBS 10 TO 15c LOWER

Trade Active After Slow Start and Small Supply Cleared Up Before Noon—Sheep 10c Lower.

Moderate marketing of sheep and lambs was the rule today, both at this point and at the principal middle western market centers.

Among the shippers of Nodaway county, Missouri, represented here today was W. S. Swinford, who brought in two cars of sheep.

Champion Molasses Feed, cattle like it, cattle feeders like it, because it makes them money. Try few cars, Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Mo.—Adv.

FEEDING VALUE OF ALFALFA. For Production of Beef, Pork and Mutton It Has No Equal.

Colors in Flames. And Why Candle or Lamp Light Appears White to the Eye.

SPENCE HOGS AT TOP. Nodaway County Feeder Realizes \$7.15 for Load of Butchers.

WEATHER FORECAST. For Missouri and Kansas: Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder tonight.

RECORD FOR SUBMERGENCE. The record for submergence is claimed by the Italian navy as one of its submarine boats recently returned under water with twenty men on board for twenty-four hours.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

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OUTPUT FOR 1911 \$73,000,000. Meat Packing and Curing Industry Led All Others With Total Value of \$55,073,810—298 Separate Industries Listed.

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There are a good many so-called dairy herds in Missouri (and more of them in some other states) in which the entire herd does not return as much clear profit for feed consumed in a year as has this one cow owned by Missouri agricultural college—Pontiac.

MOORE NATIONAL PARKS.

James Bryce has the right to play the elder brother to the people of the United States as he has studied them and knows them better than they know themselves. A bit of recent advice given by him in an address before the American Civic Association in Baltimore should strike home and bring results.

After pointing out the fact that we have done well to date in reserving such parks as Yellowstone and Yosemite, he suggests the need of similar reserves in the eastern states. He tells us that there is a splendid region of beautiful forests in the Alleghenies where the tulip trees grow to 150,200 feet, or more, a mountain land on the borders of North Carolina and East Tennessee, where there are romantic river valleys and hills clothed with luxuriant woods, primitive forests standing as they stood before the white man drove the Indian away, filled with flowers and traversed by sparkling streams, containing everything to delight the heart of the lover of nature.

\$100,000 TO FIGHT CHOLERA

Richardson County Representative to Work for Big State Appropriation. Falls City, Neb., Dec. 16.—Representative Elmer Oliver Ayres, who is to represent Richardson county in the next legislature, is going to specialize on a certain line of legislation when the next general assembly meets at Lincoln. He is going to try to get a bill through the Nebraska legislature appropriating \$100,000 with which to eradicate and prevent hog cholera.

ALL CLEAN.

"Madam, can I sell you a vacuum cleaner?" "No, sir; we haven't got any vacuums in this house that needs cleaning."

Daddy's Bedtime Story

The White Cat and Little Princess Peacock

VELYN was prinking in front of the mirror. If Jack had seen it he very likely would have had something to say, but just then Jack was very busy with something else, so it was only daddy who noticed. "I'm going to tell you a story tonight of the little pink princess," daddy said.

"She was a very commonplace little girl, but because she was a princess people made a great deal of fuss over her. 'Whenever she had anything to say the folks would exclaim, 'Now, isn't that clever?' or 'How bright she is!' until the little princess thought she knew more than her father's prime minister, who was a very nice man. 'Now, though the little princess did not know it, a great many people laughed at her, and the lords and ladies of the court called her Little Princess Peacock.'

PARCELS POST JANUARY 1

Hitchcock Gives Out Regulations for Service. Washington, Dec. 16.—Regulations to cover the workings of the new parcel-post which is to go into operation on January 1, next, have been made public by Postmaster General Hitchcock. The new system will be effective throughout the entire country, and will affect every postoffice, city, rural and railway mail transportation route in the country.

GOING TO SOUTH AMERICA

Colorado Stockmen to Look Over Conditions in Argentine and Brazil. Denver, Colorado, Dec. 16.—Lige Bossman, of Denver, Robert Ewing of Pueblo, and John McCarthy of Ft. Collins, expect to leave Denver soon for Pueblo and other points in the south, where they will look over business matters after which they will go to New York City and on December 26th will sail for South America, where they will look over the stock conditions and see the country.

USES ALARM CLOCK SCHEME

Kansas Invents Device to Regulate Irrigation Waters. Morrill, Kan., Dec. 15.—When the McNamara brothers devised the alarm clock bomb they gave Peter Baker of Morrill an idea. Baker believes in irrigation for farm lands in dry weather and he has built a dam across a stream that traverses his farm. At this dam he has an alarm clock regulator which governs the flow of water to the various laterals. Baker sets the clock to turn on much water and goes to sleep with the clock working on the job during the hours of darkness.

CONGRESSMAN HUNTS BIG GAME.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 16.—Frank A. Harrison, congressman-elect, has started on a hunting trip to Central and South America. He announced before departing that any bird, animal or botanical specimens obtained on the trip would be distributed among the schools of Nebraska, free of charge. Applications have been made by 89 schools.

\$115 AN ACRE TOO LOW.

Aurora, Neb., Dec. 16.—Judge Jeffers has postponed the sale of 249 acres of land in this country, ordered to be disposed of to close an estate, until Jan. 4. In the first advertised sale \$115 an acre was the highest bid and this was considered below

OUR LOCAL INDUSTRIES

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Table listing various industries and their values: Canning, preserves, 3 590,803; Carbonated beverages, 3 56,779; Crockery, 18 139,158; Car shops, 2 748,203; etc.

Total output of \$73,968,711 there was consumed in St. Joseph \$7,638,329 worth, while goods to the value of \$18,327,000 were shipped.

ONE-BORED AMERICAN.

A native-born American, member of a party of our business men who often lunched together, took great delight in joking the others on their foreign birth.

WHERE THE LADY SCORED

Lady Randolph Churchill, on one occasion, asked Bernard Shaw, the author, to lunch with her. To her invitation she received the following telegram from the author: 'Certainly not. What have I done to provoke such an attack on my well known name?'

DANGEROUS OPERATIONS OFTEN UNSATISFACTORY

Case of Nebraska Farmer Upholds Views Advanced by the United Doctors.

He Survived the Operation but Failed to Get Relief Until Treated by Medicine.

Ed. Wahaven, a prominent farmer living on Rural Route 3, North Bend, Neb., is another convert to the theory advanced by the United Doctors, who have their St. Joseph Institute located on the second floor of 729 Felix street.

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SAM KAHN THE STETSON HAT STORE

ROASTING HIM. As William Favorsham was having luncheon in a hotel he was much annoyed by another visitor, who, during the whole of the meal, stood with his

EXCHANGE DIRECTORY.

Following is a list of the commission firms and stock cattle dealers on hand in business at the St. Joseph stock yards. Commission Firms: Butler, James H., rooms 337-38; Byers Bros. & Co., rooms 202-204; Clay, Robinson & Co., rooms 229-232; etc.

Notice!

Change in Time on MISSOURI PACIFIC

Effective Sunday, Dec. 15, 1912. No. 632, to Kansas City and St. Louis, leaves St. Joseph 6:35 a. m.; No. 605, from Central Branch and Omaha, arrives St. Joseph 8:30 a. m.; etc.

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PROUD OF HIS NEW CLOTHES

Rhodesian Native, Returning From Mines, Was Scandalized By Unclothed Relatives and Friends.

A town in Rhodesia is not generally a town, declares Mrs. M. L. Woods in "Fastein under the Southern Cross."

They are collected from all parts of Rhodesia, from Portuguese territory, even from Nyasaland. Dressed in anything and everything, they come pell-mell, grinning and chattering.

This is the native as he appears entering on his term of service at the mines. I once saw a group of black men who had completed their term of service and were on their way home.

We were once appreciative witnesses of the home-coming of such a miner at a wayside station. A party of relatives and friends had come from the kraal to meet the returning one.

EGGS COOKED TO SUIT HIM How John Randolph Had Them Boiled With Assistance of String of Servants.

Most persons who eat eggs at all are particular about them. The boiling of an egg seems a simple matter, but many a breakfast has been spoiled and many a temper rased by the cook's failing to observe the precise number of minutes and seconds that the process should occupy.

That very original man, John Randolph, is said to have invented a method of getting his eggs cooked exactly to his taste that worked perfectly. As in the case in many country homes in the south, the kitchen was in a separate building at some distance from the house, and servants were plenty.

When the "rage of Roanoke" took his seat at the breakfast table there was a line of servants from the dining room to the kitchen. Mrs. Randolph, the mother of the statesman, "old an open watch in her hand.

His Position Explained. One of the curiosities of the British house of commons, very rarely seen, was Erle Drax, for many years member for Dorsetshire borough.

Tolerably Well. The last pig-tail has disappeared from the Chinese embassy in London. It belonged to the majordomo of the Chinese ambassador, and it is now on its way to China as a present to that functionary's wife.

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- Brooches,
- Lace Pins,
- Manicure Sets,
- Toilet Sets,
- Leather or Beaded Bags,
- Combs and Barrettes,
- Coat Chains,
- Vanity Purses,
- Perfumes,
- Toilet Waters,
- Hair Brushes,
- Hand Mirrors,
- Necklaces,
- Lavallieres,
- Collar and Cuff Pins,
- Kid Gloves,
- Long Gloves,
- Silk Gloves,
- Warm Gloves,
- Breakfast Caps,
- Princess Slips,
- Lace Petticoats,
- Pajama Suits,
- Raincoats,
- Boudoir Slippers,
- Sewing Sets,
- Aprons—hand embroidered,
- Glove Boxes,
- Handkerchief Boxes,
- Bath Robes,
- Auto Hoods,
- Work Boxes,
- Laundry Lists,
- Shopping Lists,
- Waist Fronts, hand embroidered,
- Lace Robes,
- Neckwear,
- Bath Robes,

We have spared neither pains nor expense to make our showing of Gift things more varied than ever before, and we have succeeded far beyond our expectations. There are literally thousands of gift things for man, woman and child, and for the home here now; so varied is our stock, in fact, and so appropriate our selections that any woman doing Christmas shopping can select most quickly and easily here. Stocks are conveniently arranged, plenty of extra salesfolks to see that you're waited on promptly; better service than ever.

Another thing: it costs no more to shop at Hirsch's in December than it does any other month in the year, and that's a fact well worth remembering. **Store Open Evenings Until Christmas.**

- Indian Chief Suit, 98c**
Khaki colored cloth, cap with chief's head dress, pants and jacket trimmed in red; sizes boys of 6 to 10 years; only 98c
Cowboy Outfit, \$1.49 Scout Outfit, \$1.98
- Miniature Baseball Game for 98c**
Played at home, but contains all the features of the professional game with the fun and excitement thrown in. The more you know about the real game, the more interesting this is. A bargain at 98c
- Little Dishes for Little Girls**
Teapots, Cups and Saucers or full Dinner Set; made and decorated just like the real Haviland or Dresden china; scores of pretty styles to choose from at, from 25c
- Easel Blackboards, 25c, 49c, 98c**
Well made, good and strong, with good, big roomy boards; an instructive toy for either girls or boys. The 98c one with map of world, and many animal and other designs for children to draw. See these.
- Wheelbarrows for Energetic Kiddies**
Just get the boy one and let him use it all day long. Ours are strong, metal wheels and beds, made right and will last, priced according to size.
at, each 98c, 49c and 25c
- Good Games for 25c Each**
Ring the Pin, Dodging Donkey, Whirl It, Toy Soldiers and Battle, Face Making, Old Maid, Magic Dots for Little Tots, Trolley Game, Spinning Egg Game, Topsy Turvey, Panama Canal, Train for Boston.



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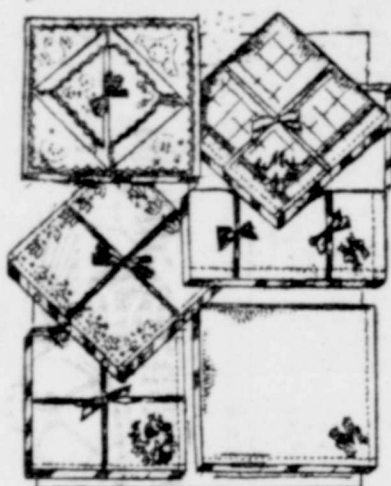
Coaster Wagons for Boys
Want to see your boy red-cheeked and happy? Get him one of these. It will not only please him but you can put him and it to fifty uses. Our wagons are strong and well made, built to stand the rough usage we know they'll get when the boy gets hold of them. Prices, however, are moderate, ranging from \$1.49 down to only \$1.98

Dolls for Little Mothers
If there's one thing more than another we're proud of, it's our stock of Dolls—big dolls, little dolls, boy doll, girl dolls, character dolls, kid body dolls, bisque dolls—dolls of every size, kind and quality—nobody can help but be pleased with the wonderfully wide choice we offer. But prices are moderate—we have but one month in the year to sell our dolls and they must go before Christmas, 10c to \$10.00 is the range of prices. See our dolls by all means.

Dolls and Toy Furniture
A splendid line in all the popular finishes and styles—much of it just like real furniture in style. If you want the little girl to housekeep in the right way, get her a doll, a little doll buggy, dishes and some of this furniture. The whole thing will cost little, but will develop her domestic tastes as nothing else, perhaps. All prices, by the set or single piece.

Miniature Train Set Complete, \$3.98
One electric locomotive and tender, one baggage car, one passenger car, seven pieces track, all complete, ready to run as soon as power is attached, for \$3.98
More like a real train, works as accurately as a real steam train.

Name Handkerchiefs



A Very Pretty Gift to Choose

in fine all linen with full first names beautifully embroidered by hand across corners.

25c

We have them in the following names:

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| Anna | Daisy | Florence | Louise | Mildred |
| Ada | Ella | Gladys | Mary | Nell |
| Alice | Evelyn | Gertrude | Marjorie | Nan |
| Bernice | Eva | Hazel | Lillian | Nettie |
| Dessie | Emily | Helien | Margaret | Pearl |
| Bianche | Ethel | Hattie | Marguerite | Rachel |
| Belle | Elsie | Harriet | May | Ruby |
| Bertha | Effie | Ida | Mabel | Ruth |
| Caroline | Edna | Irene | Myrtle | Rose |
| Carry | Emma | Josephine | Minnie | Sarah |
| Clara | Eleanor | Jennie | Mollie | Stella |
| Cora | Edith | Julia | Mother | Sophie |
| Celia | Flora | Jane | Marie | Susie |
| Catherine | Frances | Jessie | Maud | Virginia |
| Dorothy | Fanny | Kate | Martha | Vera |

1,000 Other Styles in Handkerchiefs to Select From

Gift Slippers for the Family

Select your slippers here and the recipient of your gift is assured of lasting foot comfort at least. We have the most varied assortments we have ever shown. Slippers for boys, slippers for girls, slippers for father and for mother. In all styles, and priced at all prices from 49c for the warm knitted slippers for the bedroom, up to \$1.50 and \$2.00 for the fine leather ones. Let us show them to you.

Umbrellas Always Acceptable

Just how many times the past year have you needed an Umbrella without being able to find it? Well, others are like you, so an Umbrella is always acceptable. We are showing the best makes and also have all the late style handles. Choosing is easy here. Styles for men, women and children. Prices to please \$1.00 to \$9.98

Two Special Numbers in Fancy Linens

That Reminds One of the Extreme Appropriateness of Linens of All Kinds for Gifts.

- 45-Inch Japanese Draw-Work and Embroidered Linen Cloths, special \$2.49
- Special purchase of a large assortment of Battenberg Scarfs and Squares, plain and draw-work centers; splendid values, at 98c and 75c

Men's Combination Sets, 69c to \$1.50

Silk Hose and Silk Tie in fancy Christmas box, for 69c
Silk Hose, Silk Tie and Handkerchief, in fancy Christmas box, shades to match \$1.00 and \$1.50
A nice gift for any man.

Furs of Unimpeachable Quality

Some months ago, when prices were lower than they are now, we purchased skins very liberally.

Our present prices on Furs, therefore, represent savings of fully 15 per cent.

Dealers who purchased skins later than we cannot possibly offer the same price advantages.

And do not for a single instant forget that every piece of Fur we have was selected by an expert, assuring authenticity. We stand ready to back up our guarantee any time Furs bought here are not satisfactory.



We have the largest stocks of Furs to be seen in St. Joseph, and those on the lookout for Christmas gifts will do well to look it over.

- Single Pieces—Muff or Neck Piece, \$1.98 to \$200.00.
- Fur Sets—Muff and Neck Piece, \$3.98 to \$400.00.
- Choice Fur Coats—\$27.50 to \$250.00.
- Fur Sets for the children and infants, 98c a set up.

Give Gloves—The Best Makes Here

We sell all the best makes of Gloves, such as Fovines, Trefousse, Centemeri, Dent's, Oliver Capses, and so on. Maybe that's the reason this is called the gift glove store. Folks wanting gloves for gifts or for themselves are always assured of the size and shade desired, while of course, the quality can be relied on.

Neckwear—All the Late Novel Effects

We give this department little printed advertising, but always offer something special in it, so that folks coming here any day are well repaid for the trip. The newest, correct winter Neckwear is now here, every desirable style and every variation of it. We are pleasing hundreds of women daily, and our prices you. Prices 25c up

Bath Robe Blankets at \$2.75—Fine Values

Every taste the luxury of one? If so, you know how well pleased you'd be if given one. We have a very choice assortment at this price. All with cord, tassel and frog to match; choice \$2.75

Corduroy, Velvet or Silk Waist and Dress Patterns

Here are useful gifts for women—young and old—and after you've looked over the wonderful variety of weaves, and patterns, and shades in our Great Silk and Dress Goods Department, you'll agree that you've come to the right place to buy. The recipient of your gift, too, will commend your judgment when she knows the gift came from Hirsch. Prices in this department are moderate.

Gifts for Men and Boys

- Bedroom Slippers,
- Silk Neckties,
- Bath Robes,
- Handkerchiefs, Silk, Linen,
- Suspenders, in holiday boxes,
- Suit Cases,
- Trunks,
- Dress Shirts,
- Kid or Cape Gloves,
- Silk Mufflers,
- Bath Robe Blankets,
- Pajamas,
- Shaving Pads,
- Shirt Bags,
- Necktie Racks,
- Collar Racks,
- Laundry Bags,
- Leather Slippers,
- Combination Sets, hose and tie, hose, handkerchief and tie,
- Bath Slippers,
- High-Top Boots,
- School Hosiers,
- Silk Hose,
- Pennants,
- Sweaters,
- Shirts,
- Wool Toques,
- Jersey Leggings,
- Night Drawers,
- Boxing Gloves,
- Footballs,
- Mechanical Trains,
- Drays, Autos,
- Delivery Wagons,
- Sleds,
- Coaster Wagons,
- Sulkies,
- Express Wagons,
- American Builders,
- Radioptican, and thousands of others.

Gifts for the Baby

- White Furs,
- Knitted Leggings,
- Infants' Bibs,
- Infants' Booties,
- Sweater Sets,
- Baby Bath Robes,
- Baby Shoes,
- Handmade Dresses,
- Quilted Carriage Robes,
- Infants' Hoods,
- Infants' Cashmere Sacques,
- Infants' Blankets
- Folding Bath Tub,
- Coats, long or short,
- Rompers, Dolls,
- Muff Dolls, Mittens,
- Baby Baskets,
- Baby Stands,
- Baby Bassinettes,
- Wool Toques.

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