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Present a Complete Assortment
of Holiday Gifts for the Boys.

A New Suit or Overcoat for the Boy

He is going to feel mighty proud on Christmas morning to have one of these fine looking Suits or Overcoats. Very likely he would rather have it than a lot of knick-knacks under his Christmas tree.

BOYS' BATH ROBES

"Just like Father's," are very popular and we have such an attractive line to choose from.

BOYS' SLIP-ON SWEATERS

That are so much in demand just now—just the thing for all kinds of sport. You can bet he will be pleased with one of these—\$5 and \$6. We have all other styles in all colors.

KNITTED SUITS FOR THE "TINY TOTS"

Sweater, Leggings, Cap and Mittens to keep him warm. Brown, Buff, Copenhagen and Rose—\$6 and \$8.

BOYS' NECKWEAR

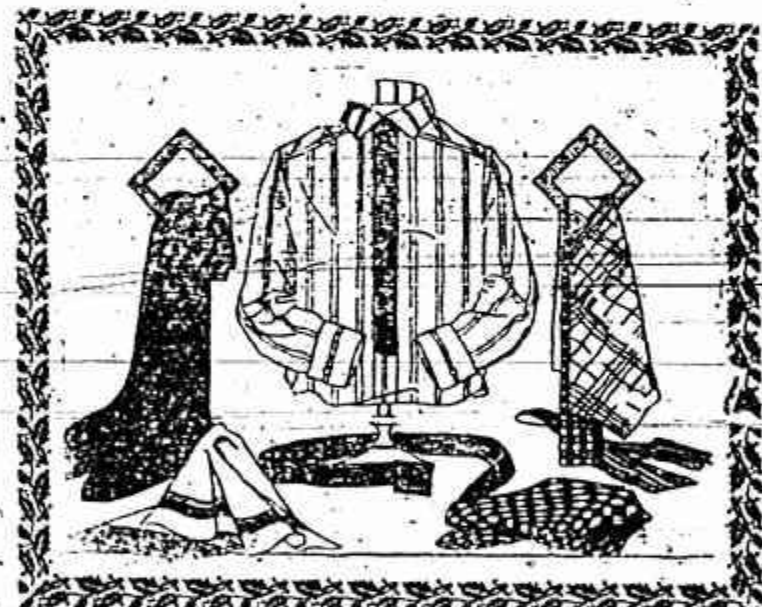
Our holiday display of Boys' Neckwear is the very smartest we have ever shown at the most attractive prices—50c, 65c, \$1.

BOYS' SHIRTS AND BLOUSES

Of particularly fine quality. Made with all the little niceties of finish that you find in high grade merchandise, made by the Kay-nee Co. All sizes and a wonderful assortment of patterns.

Everything for the boy—Hosiery, Gloves, Hats, Caps, Mackinaws of all kinds. Spend a few minutes in this department and you will find that we have taken good care of the "Boys'" wants.

—Get His Christmas Gift Here



AROUND THE CITY.

—A daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith of 183 Forbes street.

—The Ladies' Aid society of St. Ann's church will meet at the home of Mrs. Gilbert, 35 Division, tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

—The election of officers of the Sons of Veterans' auxiliary, scheduled for last evening, was postponed until December 20.

—Anna Hugabone has sold her two-family house at 9 Garden street to John P. O'Day and Nora O'Day through the agency of Monroe Gray.

—A son was born Monday evening at St. Mary's hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fahy, of 62 Mechanic street.

—A son, who has been named John Francis, was born at St. Mary's hospital Monday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ryan of 32 Mechanic street.

—The vacant lot at 24 Summit avenue, owned by Leonard Elfer, has been purchased by James McElrath through the agency of W. H. Bell & Son.

—There will be a dance in the Elks club tonight for members of the Rotary club and their guests. Dancing will continue from 8:30 o'clock until midnight, with Trautman & Wilson's orchestra.

—The monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Home for Elderly Women announced for tomorrow afternoon will be held Wednesday afternoon of next week instead.

—The annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Home for Elderly Women will be held this evening at the Elks club, to be followed by a dinner at which the Rev. Dr. Murdoch will give an address.

—The Liberty Bond Vocal club will meet in the Sunday school rooms of the First Methodist church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. This meeting is called to transact some important business before the evening's concert at 8:15.

—Frequent clogging of the sewer at the home of Van B. Wheaton on upper Guy Park avenue was found by plumbers Monday afternoon to be due to three large eels which presumably had gone up the pipe line from the river.

—Mrs. H. H. Murdoch's Bible class of the First Methodist Sunday school will be entertained at a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Edward Gordon, 2 Phillips street, tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

—Bernard F. Nutley, who for the past eight and a half years has conducted the Troy Shirt shop at 65 Guy Park avenue, is preparing to retire from business in January and will move to Delmar, Albany county, where he has purchased a residence.

—A pouch of mail thrown from west bound Central train No. 43 at the local station this morning was ground to pieces when it rebounded beneath the wheels. Such of the remnants as could be put together were sorted at the post office and portions of the matter distributed.

—Thomas McGibbon, well known building contractor, has purchased the two vacant lots at 20 and 22 Summit avenue from Charles M. Williams. Mr. McGibbon will immediately start the construction of two cottages on the sites. The sale was made through the agency of W. H. Bell & Son.

—A regular assembly of Johnstown chapter, No. 72, R. and S. M., will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Mason's temple, Johnstown. The royal and select masters' degrees will be conferred. The matter of conferring the super-excellent master's degree at the February assembly will also be considered.

—No trace is yet found of the body of B. C. Rathbun, who was drowned in the barge canal at lock 8 last Thursday. It was the intention to dynamite today, but several boats stalled in the lock prevented this. Conditions in general along this section of the canal are reported as good, with no accidents to any boats passing through.

—The Home Mission society of the Second Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the chapel. The program will deal with mission work in the West Indies, and will be in charge of Mrs. John G. DeGraff and Mrs. C. Albion Kenworthy. The refreshment committee is composed of Mrs. Charles A. Lutton, Mrs. George S. Banta and Miss Sarah Crane.

—Kennedy council, No. 134, Degree of Pochontas, met Monday evening and adopted a class of pale faces. A contribution of \$25 was voted toward the Good Will club's fund for a community house. Nominations of officers were also made. The usual dance will be held by the council Friday evening, for members and friends. The Frothingham-Wilson orchestra will play and Mr. Reed of Gloversville will call and instruct in the old dances.

TODAY IN WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 13.—Wall street, 10:30 a. m.—Aside from the further strength of metals and the heaviness of European oils, changes at the opening of today's stock market were insignificant. Trading was in moderate volume and only a few of the usual speculative favorites were quoted within the first half hour. Royal Dutch retained one point, while Mexican Petroleum gained that much. Profit taking in the leading foreign exchanges caused sharp recessions from yesterday's substantial advances. Sterling reacted another two cents and the French, Italian and German were lower by six to ten points.

Noon—Reports that the Mexican government had decided to abrogate the higher export tax on oils, made that group the center of interest before noon. Mexican Petroleum rose 3 points, and gains of 1 to 2 1/2 points were made by Pan-American, General Asphalt, Houston and Standard Oil of California. Copper and kindred shares improved their early position, Federal Mining and Smelting common and preferred scoring the greatest gains. Republic, Vanadium, Virginia Iron, American Car and Tobacco, and Chain Store specialties also improved. The only rails to show even moderate strength were Chicago and Northwestern, Illinois Central and New York, Chicago and St. Louis.

1:30 p. m.—Shorts rushed to cover at midday on the further rise of oils and metals, Mexican Petroleum extending its gain to over 5 points. Many dormant industrials

WEDNESDAY STAMP DAY

3 AT THE BOSTON STORE AT 1
10 Stamps Free With a Purchase of 50c or Over

Women's gowns of pink and blue striped flannellette, double yoke front and back, regular and extra sizes, special at \$1.00

La Regente corsets of heavy coutil, have a graduated clasp, which effectively supports the figure, sizes 19 to 36, special at \$1.50

Tea aprons made of fine batiste and dotted Swiss, special at 59c

Children's all wool English ribbed hose, in navy, brown or cordovan, sizes 6 to 14, very special at 98c

Women's good quality duck-ling fleeced kimono, in light or dark colors, neat floral patterns, satin ribbon-trimmed, all sizes, extra special at \$1.98

One lot women's very fine voile or batiste blouses, hand-trimmed of lace or embroidery, all sizes, assorted models, \$3.98 values, Stamp Day special \$2.79

Women's all wool hose, English ribbed, brown or green heather mixtures, sizes 8 1/2 to 19, for Stamp Day, only \$1.25

Children's 4-piece all wool brush suits, very special at \$6.98

Boys' heavy knitted gloves, gray fur back with leather facings, extra special values 98c

Boys' heavy fleeced union suits, in gray or jaker colors, sizes 22 to 34, special for \$1.39

Women's velvet fleeced vests and pants, silk trimmed, all styles, regular and extra sizes, especially priced at \$1.25 AND \$1.39

Men's negligee shirts, fine stripes and checks, assorted colors, all sizes, \$1.25 AND \$1.65 EACH

Men's outing flannel pajamas, assorted patterns, all sizes, at \$2.00 AND \$2.50

Embroidered pillow-cases, size 45x36, assorted patterns to select from, priced at 59c TO \$1.29

Crib blankets in assorted sizes, come in block plaids and floral designs, blue, pink and white combinations, from \$1.00 TO \$2.50

Itematched mercerized table cloths, all new patterns, assorted sizes, extra good quality, priced at \$1.69 TO \$2.69 EACH

1.50 Galvanized Garbage Pails 1.19

\$3.00 Gilbert's
Guaranteed
ALARM
CLOCKS
\$2.45

Nesco Perfect
OIL HEATERS
\$6.49
Cost less than one
cent an hour to use

BISSELL'S
Guaranteed
CARPET
SWEEPERS
\$4.98

English
Rockingham
TEA POTS
98c
Values up to \$1.50
4 and 6 cup sizes

EXTRA SPECIAL
\$5.00-27x54
AXMINSTER
RUGS
3.79
Rugs Make a Nice Xmas Gift

EXTRA SPECIAL
\$5.00 White Enamel
Medicine Cabinets
3.79
With French Plate Mirror Door
and Two Glass Shelves.

\$3.50 Atlantic
Metallic Bottom
WASH
BOILERS
\$2.79

\$11.00 Matting
Covered
SHIRT WAIST
BOXES
\$8.98
With tray and
brass castors

\$1.25 Safety
SELF-
STEERING
SLEDS
98c

\$8 Well Known
PARIS
COASTER
WAGONS
\$6.95

VISIT TOYLAND WEDNESDAY

Marine pfd. 65 1/2	66	creamery, flats, \$8 to 91 score, 35 1/2
Mexican Pet. 12 1/2	12 1/2	4 1/2; state, dairy finest, 4 1/2; 45;
Miami Copper 27 1/2	27 1/2	packing stock, current make, No. 2,
Midvale Steel 28 1/2	28 1/2	28.
Mo. Pac. 17 1/2	17 1/2	Eggs—Weak: receipts, 8,275.
National Lead com. 87	87 1/4	Fresh gathered extra firsts, 58 1/2; 62;
Nevada Con. Copper 15 1/2	15 1/2	do firsts, 54 1/2; New Jersey hen-
New York Central 73 1/2	73 1/2	ny whites, extra fancy, graded
N. Y. N. H. & H. 14	14 1/2	selections, 73; nearby and nearby
N. Y. Ont. & Western 21 1/2	21 1/2	western henney whites, firsts to
Norfolk & Western 26 1/2	26 1/2	average extras, 65 1/2; do henney
Norfolk Pacific 79 1/2	79 1/2	browns extras, 65 1/2; do henney
Pacific Oil 35 1/2	35 1/2	browns and mixed colors, firsts
Pennsylvania R. R. 33 1/2	33 1/2	to extras, 55 1/2; refrigerator firsts,
Pierce-Arrow com. 14 1/2	14 1/2	41 1/2.
Railway Steel Springs. 94	94	Cheese—Firm: receipts, 1,250.
Ray Con. Copper 15 1/2	15 1/2	State, whole milk flats, fresh spe-
Reading com. 71 1/2	71 1/2	cials, 21 1/2.
Republic Iron & Steel 52 1/2	52 1/2	
Royal Dutch 52 1/2	52 1/2	
Sinclair Oil 22 1/2	22 1/2	
Southern Pacific 79 1/2	79 1/2	
Southern Ry. com. 14 1/2	14 1/2	
Studebaker 50 1/2	50 1/2	
Tenn. Cop. & Chem. 10 1/2	10 1/2	
Texas Com. 47 1/2	47 1/2	
Tobacco Products 54 1/2	54 1/2	
Union Pacific 12 1/2	12 1/2	
United Drug Co. 61 1/2	61 1/2	
United Retail Stores 52 1/2	52 1/2	
U. S. Rubber com. 54 1/2	54 1/2	
U. S. Steel com. 8 1/2	8 1/2	
U. S. Steel pfd. 11 1/2	11 1/2	
Utah Copper 64 1/2	64 1/2	
Va. Car. chem. 29 1/2	29 1/2	
Westinghouse 51 1/2	51 1/2	
White Oil 11 1/2	11 1/2	
Wills-Overland 6	6	
Wilson & Co. 21	21	
*Ex-dividend.		

Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 13.—Cotton futures closed today as follows: January, 17.20; March, 17.20; May, 17.05; December, 17.20.

Liberty Bond Prices.

New York, Dec. 13.—Liberty Bonds at 2:55 p. m.: 4 1/2, 95 1/2; first 4 1/2, 97 1/2; second 4 1/2, 96 1/2; third 4 1/2, 97 1/2; fourth 4 1/2, 97 1/2; Victory 3 1/2, 93 1/2; Victory 4 1/2, 100.

New York Dairy Market.

New York, Dec. 13.—Butter—Unsalted: receipts, 8,671. Creamery: higher than extra, 46 1/2; 47; creamery, extras, 46 score, 45 1/2; 45 1/2.

OBITUARY.

John Baker.

John Baker, aged 32, a farmer living in the town of Perth, on the Haganman-West Gateway road, died at 10 o'clock this morning, of dropsy. Mr. Baker was a native of Poland, but had lived in this vicinity for fourteen years. He was a member of the Church of St. John the Baptist, of this city. He is survived by his wife, Victoria, two daughters, Josephine and Jennie, a son, James, and a brother, Jacob, of Haganman.

Charles E. Cook.

Charles E. Cook aged 23, died this morning at the City hospital, where he was taken Monday morning from his home 74 Academy street, after an illness of a complication of diseases.

He was born in Amsterdam July 14, 1888, and lived here all his life. Mr. Cook was a slater by trade and formerly a foreman in the employ of Contractor Samuel Brown. February 10, 1910, he married Mary Welke of Amsterdam, who survives him, together with his mother, Mrs. Sophia Cook, of 74 Academy street, and three sons, Harold, Fred-

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

John Costello of Jay street is a patient at St. Mary's hospital.

Attorney George E. Phillips of Fort Plain was in the city today.

Mrs. Millie Parr and Mrs. Alice Cone were guests Sunday at the home of A. P. Sherman, in Haganman.

F. J. Dunn left Sunday on a business trip to New York and in his absence the Amsterdam Public Market is in charge of Miss Sidney.

China has no navy to discard, but somebody remarks that she might show she is sincere in the desire for the peace of the world by scrapping millions of her paper umbrellas and tons of firecrackers.—New Orleans States.

STOR HAAS TO END LABORS HERE

From Zion Lutheran
Church After Service of Six-
teen Years.

Meeting of the congregation of German Evangelical church held Monday evening for the purpose of ascertaining the sentiment of the membership regarding the resignation of the Rev. Edward A. Schuchlager as pastor of the church to succeed the Rev. F. E. C. The Rev. Mr. Lautenschlager to Amsterdam in September assumes the duties of assistant pastor. Mr. Haas and his work has been so acceptable that the congregation expressed itself as favorable to his being made pastor of the church. The final vote on the resignation will be taken at the

next congregational meeting in January.

The Rev. Mr. Haas tendered his resignation as pastor of the church last September, to take effect February 1, 1922. Mr. Haas has held his present pastorate for more than sixteen years, having preached his first sermon as pastor of the church May 1, 1905. He came to Amsterdam from Newark, N. J., where he had assumed the leadership of a church with success. In the years of labor in the Amsterdam field, Mr. Haas has made it one of the substantial organizations of the city, with an ever widening field of influence. The flourishing condition of the church at present is indicative of the success of Mr. Haas as a pastor and spiritual leader. For several years Mr. Haas has been actively identified with the Forward movement, of which he is now secretary. His increasing responsibilities in connection with the movement has necessitated his relinquishing his pastorate. He will have his headquarters at St. Louis, Mo.

—Phoenix hosiery, in silk and lisle, for men and women, at Mary Hobbs' shop, 25 Market street.—Adv.

See the line of statuary for Christmas gifts at Gagen's, 409 Church street.—Adv.

Photographer Wheaton will finish all photographs ordered by December 21 for Christmas. No dark days here; we use electricity.—adv.

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