

Last Minute Suggestions on Solving the Gift Problem



What does he take most pleasure in—what has he liked especially on previous Christmases—what would he buy for himself if you gave him the money and insisted on his getting a present?

A man's choice is naturally something from a man's store something to wear. He takes pride in good appearance—and he takes particular pride in wearing those clothing accessories that are authentic in style, latest in design as is assured anything from Westernhaver & Gilbert's.

Here are a host of fine gifts for any man—warm and practical out-door togs, correct and dresy things for general wear. Only two more days for you to make your selections.

Newest Imported
and Domestic Ties

Smart Belts and
Belt Sets

Warm Gloves for
Dress or Out-Doors

Newest Shirts
By Manhattan

Good-looking New
Pajamas

Finest Wool or
Silk Sox

Comfy and Stylish
Bedroom Slippers

Tailored Shirts
Of Fine Wool

Beautiful New
Imported Scarfs

Handsome Leather
Traveling Bags

Plain and Novel
Handkerchiefs

Stylish New
Garter Sets

Many Other
Sensible Gifts

Westernhaver & Gilbert

W&G

The Store For Men

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
Notice is by this given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Theodore McKinnis has filed his final account in the County Court of Union County, Oregon, and said court has set December 27th, 1926, at 10 A. M., at the county courtroom in La Grande, Union County, Oregon, and in the time and place to hear objections to, and for the settlement thereof.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
To the Stockholders of Wallowa at the county courtroom in La Grande, Union County, Oregon, and in the time and place to hear objections to, and for the settlement thereof.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
To the Stockholders of Wallowa at the county courtroom in La Grande, Union County, Oregon, and in the time and place to hear objections to, and for the settlement thereof.

Attractive Gifts to Suit Every Member of the Family

At prices to suit the purse of everyone.

Look over our bargains in toys and dolls.

Newlin Book & Stationery Co.

SHERRY'S

TODAY AND TOMORROW

"PAINT and POWDER"

with Elaine Hammerstein

and an all star cast including THEODORE VON ELTZ, STUART HOLMES, CHARLES MURRAY, JOHN SAINPOLIS, DEREYLS PURDUE, RUSSELL SIMPSON

Personally directed by Hunt Stromberg

And Others

It's a startling drama of Midnight Madness

Comedy --- "BLUE BLACK"

10 Years Ago Today

Everlastingly by last minute shoppers.

Now.

Every year it is the same. Here are lists for the busy ones.

FOR MEN

PIPES
CIGARS
CIGARETTE HOLDERS
ASH TRAYS
WALLETS
BILL FOLDS
KEYCHAINS
SHAVING SETS
RAZORS
BRUSHES
MILITARY BRUSHES
FLASHLIGHTS
CAMERAS
SHAVE PENNS

Ask us to help you. We have many more quality articles for men.

FOR WOMEN

PEN SETS
TOILET SETS
PYRALIN TRAY SETS
OVERNIGHT BAGS
PERFUMES
PERFUMERS
PERFUME LIGHTS
ROUDDR SETS
ROUDDR LAMPS
DRESSER SETS
BATH SALTS
BATH POWDER
TEA SETS
STATIONERY
MANICURE SETS
LEATHER PURSES

For ALL

MYRTLEWOOD
SHAVE PEN
and PENCIL SETS
THESE LIGHTS
WREST MATCHES
CAMERAS
TRAVEL CASES
CANDY

Everybody expects CANDY at Christmas. LOWNEY'S, SOCIETY, CANTERBURY 75c to \$2.00
3 lbs. Special Chocolates \$1.98
5 lbs. Special Chocolates \$3.50
Add a Box to Every Gift.

L. & L. Drug Co.

10 Years Ago Today

Everlastingly by last minute shoppers.

Now.

Every year it is the same. Here are lists for the busy ones.

FOR MEN

PIPES
CIGARS
CIGARETTE HOLDERS
ASH TRAYS
WALLETS
BILL FOLDS
KEYCHAINS
SHAVING SETS
RAZORS
BRUSHES
MILITARY BRUSHES
FLASHLIGHTS
CAMERAS
SHAVE PENNS

Ask us to help you. We have many more quality articles for men.

FOR WOMEN

PEN SETS
TOILET SETS
PYRALIN TRAY SETS
OVERNIGHT BAGS
PERFUMES
PERFUMERS
PERFUME LIGHTS
ROUDDR SETS
ROUDDR LAMPS
DRESSER SETS
BATH SALTS
BATH POWDER
TEA SETS
STATIONERY
MANICURE SETS
LEATHER PURSES

For ALL

MYRTLEWOOD
SHAVE PEN
and PENCIL SETS
THESE LIGHTS
WREST MATCHES
CAMERAS
TRAVEL CASES
CANDY

Everybody expects CANDY at Christmas. LOWNEY'S, SOCIETY, CANTERBURY 75c to \$2.00
3 lbs. Special Chocolates \$1.98
5 lbs. Special Chocolates \$3.50
Add a Box to Every Gift.

L. & L. Drug Co.

POULTRY PRICES GO INTO SLUMP

Turkeys Selling at 44 and 45 Cents—Dealers Balk at Higher Level

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22 (AP).—With the shipping orders out of the way turkey arrivals began to accumulate along the street today and a weak undertone in prices was plainly discernible. Buyers balked outright at 46 and 47 cents, the levels at which commission houses were trying to hold values.

Few would do business at 45 cents and some lots went even at 44 cents. By noon 45 cents was the extreme price on fancy dressed birds in lots.

Retail butchers have already obtained most of their requirements, and if the receipts continue heavy today and Thursday there will be the usual break in prices.

Ducks, Geese Scarce
Dressed ducks and geese are scarce and holders can get their own price. Fancy ducks are quoted nominal at 35 cents, with dressed geese from 25 to 35 cents.

Cube butter continues firm and higher in the local market, with extras up a half to 48 1/2 cents. Firsts advanced a cent to 41 cents. Receipts Tuesday from country amounted to 14,213 pounds with the local make reported at 15,933 pounds.

The advance in fresh eggs failed to hold and today extras are down a cent to 41 cents on the local exchange. Pullets dropped 1 cent to the 35-cent level. At the same time current receipts advanced a cent to 37 cents.

FIND IT HERE

Copy for this column must be in by 9:00 a. m.

ANNOUNCEMENT
Dr. J. A. Wonderlick, physician and surgeon, will open offices above L. & L. Drug about Jan 2. Phone Main 678.

GIFT PROBLEM SOLVED
Have Richardson, "The Art Man," help you to select the right gift for every member of your family. Hundreds of beautiful and useful gifts for both ladies and gentlemen will be found in his shop. Take your problems to Richardson's Art and Gift Shop, "The Christmas Shop." 12-21-26

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL XMAS
DOLLS AND TOYS LOWER PRICED
NORTON'S KIDDY SHOP 12-21-26

School Funds now available for loan in Union County.
See H. E. Dixon, Wiley Building, La Grande, Ore. 12-21-26

Less than 1/8th of 1% of all building and loan assets formed in the U. S. have failed in 97 years. 12-20-26

HER GIFT
Remember, a set of Postcard Goldies, Sherberts, Cocktails, to match her patterns, or start a new set, from one of the many beautiful patterns of Postcard Goldies earned at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop. 12-21-26

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL XMAS
DOLLS AND TOYS LOWER PRICED
NORTON'S KIDDY SHOP 12-21-26

Remodeling, painting, button holes, etc.
Norton's Kiddy Shop. 10-14-26

On Jan. 1, 1926, there were 10,000,000 people saving their money in Building and Loan Associations in the U. S. 12-20-26

XMAS GIFTS
Articles that are most appropriate for Xmas. All priced just right. High class penmanship atomizers, new and showy handbags and under-the-arm bags, fountain pens and pencils, a few patterns in colored ivory in sets, stationery in pretty boxes for high class correspondence—late factory line, Silverthorn-Wright's Drug Store. 12-21-26

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS
The annual meeting of the shareholders of La Grande National Bank will be held at their banking house, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1927, at 10 o'clock A. M. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected to serve for the ensuing year and until their successors are elected and qualified. Such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

J. E. COOLIDGE, Cashier.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of The United States National Bank will be held in their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, Jan. 11th, at 2 P. M. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected for the year 1927, and any other business transacted that may properly come before the meeting.

L. H. BRAMWELL, Cashier.

Markets

CHICAGO GRAIN
Wheat—Open High Low Close
Dec. 112 1/2 113 110 1/2 111
May 111 1/2 111 1/2 110 1/2 110 1/2
July 113 1/2 113 1/2 112 1/2 112 1/2

LIVERPOOL WHEAT
LIVERPOOL, Dec. 22 (AP).—Wheat 11 1/2 higher, Dec. 11 1/2; March 10 1/2; May 10 1/2; 5 1/2.

PORTLAND WHEAT
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22 (AP).—Wheat—BBB hard white, hard white bluestem, hard, federation, soft white, western white, 11.34; hard winter, 11.33; northern spring, 11.32 1/2; western red, 11.31. Today's car receipts—Wheat, 53; flour, 12; corn, 2; oats, 1; hay, 6.

CHICAGO CASH
CHICAGO, Dec. 22 (AP).—Cash, wheat—No. 3 red, 11.36 1/2; No. 2 hard, 11.43 1/2; 1.45 1/2.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 77 1/2; No. 2 white, 75 1/2; 77 1/2.
Oats—No. 2 white, 51 1/2; No. 2 white, 46 1/2; 49 1/2.
Rye—No. 1, 11.00.
Barley—60 1/2; 75c.
Timothy seed—\$5.00; 5.75.
Clover seed—\$25.00; 22.50.
Lard—\$12.12.
Ribs—\$17.00.
Bellies—\$17.00.

Motors Strong In Wall Street Trading Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 (By the Associated Press).—Price movements again lacked uniformity in today's stock market with the heaviness of the rails and the strength of the motors and public utilities as the contrasting features.

The day's news developments were largely constructive, with reports of record-breaking holiday trade and a new series of "Christmas dividends" attracting the most attention.

Despite general reactionary trend in the rail group, St. Louis-San Francisco common and preferred were hurried up to new high levels for the year while Erie first preferred touched the highest price in a decade.

Buying of the motors centered largely in General Motors, Nash and Hudson.

Wheat Sags After Early Recovery

CHICAGO, Dec. 22 (By the Associated Press).—Starting at 1 1/2 to 3/4 off, wheat recovered in some cases to above yesterday's finish, but then sagged lower than before. Corn and oats were also easier, corn opening 3/4 to 1/2 down and displaying little power to react. Provisions held steady.

Wheat closed heavy, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 net lower; corn 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 down; oats 3/4 to 3/8 off and provisions varying from 10c decline to a rise of 5c.

PORTLAND PRODUCE
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22 (AP).—Eggs 1 to 2c lower; current receipts, 35c; fresh mediums, 34c; fresh standard firsts, 35c; fresh standard extras, 36c; undersized, 31c.

Butter—Top cubes, 45c up; Extra cubes, city, 45c; standard, 47c; prime firsts, 46c; firsts, 45c; prints, 32c; curdles, 52c.

Milk steady. Borden's evaporated cream, 48c; per pound, new shippers' track in zone 1. Cream delivered Portland, 52c; 54c per pound. Raw milk (4 per cent), \$2.00 cwt. f.o.b. Portland.

Poultry steady; heavy hens, 24c; light, 18 1/2 to 19c; springs, 21c; 22c; broilers, 24c; 25c; Fockin white ducks, 26c; colored, 20c; 21c; turkeys, live, 28c; dressed, 45c; 46c. Potatoes—leslie, 41.50; 41.00.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22 (AP).—Cattle—No. early trading; receipts 105.

Hogs steady; receipts, 1139 (all direct or contract). Sheep—nominally steady; receipts 200.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22 (AP).—Butterfat, f.o.b. San Francisco, 54 1/2 to 55c.

Stiles & Co.
Sells
Egg (King)
Coal
\$10.80
Delivered
\$1.00 less if you haul it.
Phone MAIN 714

Largest Chain Department Store Organization

J.C. Penney Co.

A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION—
DEPARTMENT STORES

108 Depot St., La Grande, Ore.

Last Minute Suggestions

IN OUR TOY-LAND—SHOP NOW

Our Scooters Are Best!

Built Well and Priced Low

Built for Speed

If it's a good scooter you're looking for, here you are! One which the youngster will be proud of, which will last, and which is inexpensive.

Rubber Tires!

And other modern improvements in scooters! At these two pleasing prices,

98c and \$1.98

Gift Stockings
Filled to the Very Top

Santa Claus has already filled these stockings with all sorts of surprises! Priced,

69c

The Penco Flyer
A Whiz of a Sled

The speediest sled on the snow! Of course, it's a Penco-Flyer, great to steer! And the price is so low!

\$2.98

Walk-a-Way
The Car for Kiddies

Baby can't do without a scooting car like this! Ours are well-made to withstand rough use!

98c

Baby Dolls
They Talk and Walk

And our Dolls are so cunningly dressed! A great Christmas array, priced,

\$3.98

OPEN WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY EVENINGS

READ THE OBSERVER CLASSIFIED ADS

Whose Gift Is Left To The Last?

Some one's gift is always left to the last. Perhaps the Christmas rush has been too strenuous—perhaps there has been difficulty making the selection that will be most appropriate.

For Mother: There is still time to have a new Monarch Range delivered for Christmas—a gift that will lighten her work and bring her home-making joy for many years to come. Or she may have her heart set on a New Hoover—the gift that takes the drudgery out of cleaning, that saves rugs and fabrics as it saves time and energy. Any gift for Mother can be had for a small payment down, balance monthly, if you wish.

For Father: If he enjoys shooting nothing can please him more than a new gun—or maybe he needs a flashlight, or a Coleman lantern, or a hunting knife. You are assured the finest quality in any gift that comes from Bohnenkamp's.

For The Youngsters: Don't lose the chance to bring lasting joy to the hearts of that boy or girl—a coaster wagon, a doll carriage, a new sled, scooter, or tricycle. There are many gifts here that they would choose for themselves.

W. H. BOHNENKAMP CO.
Four Floors of Superior Furniture