

Your most precious moments are never in affairs of mere earthly origin. The physical matters of wealth, the shelter, elegant or humble; the possession of few or many luxuries; food . . . ah, anything that is out of the heart and spirit is, in life's final appraisal, worth but little. Precious moments are above earthliness.

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Gift Shoppers Guide-to Better Buys

You'll Find Everything For Everyone On Your List In BIRMINGHAM'S Well Stocked STORES



NOTE THESE *Christmas* BARGAINS

Be sure to read the ads on this page carefully. You'll find gifts for everyone on your list and at the prices that you want to pay for them. Stocks are good in local stores and clerks will give you the considerate kind of help you want, to do a good job of Christmas gift buying. Your best bet is to try Birmingham Stores before you say it's impossible to buy suitable gifts this Christmas. . . You'll be pleasantly surprised.

YOU CAN STILL AID THE VICTORY LOAN . GIVE BONDS FOR CHRISTMAS

MULHOLLAND'S
Men's and Boys' Departments

MEN'S SCARFS
ALL WOOLS AND RAYONS
Plain Colors and Smart Patterns
by Regal and Botany
\$1.75 to \$3.95

SFIRE BROTHERS MARKET
180 W. Maple Phone 3810

FOR FRUIT CAKES AND OTHER CHRISTMAS BAKING
Figs - Dates - Raisins
Currants - Nuts
Diced Fruit Peel

WILSON'S
Woodward at Maple

TWEED GIFT SET
by Lenthic
BATH POWDER, BATH OIL and COLOGNE
\$5.25
plus tax

THE CHEER SHOP
191 S. Woodward Phone 2848

Visit our New and Complete TOY DEPARTMENT
We have a myriad of wonderful toys to delight the little ones and make gift buying for them easy and pleasant.

MORTIMER'S MEN'S STORE
136 N. Woodward Phone 9012

100% WHITE WOOL CREWSOX
ABSOLUTELY NON SHRINKABLE
Made by Adler
They're Called "Jumps"
Sizes 9 thru 12
Pr. 85c

THE BIRMINGHAM PAINT, GLASS & MIRROR CO.
280 E. Maple Phone 3141

Shop Here for Gifts for Everyone . . .
For Children: Games and model airplane, tank and truck sets. Exacto knife sets for model builders. Wood burning sets. Table and chair sets. Picnic tables for the back yard or recreation room.
For Adults: Wall mirrors and dressing table mirrors.
Be Sure to See Our New Line of Beautiful Lucite Gifts!

Williams CHILDREN'S APPAREL
176 W. Maple

GIFT JEWELRY FOR GIRLS
Contra-Band - Necklace and Bracelet
Male-Bait - Bracelet with name and address
Lapel Pins—
Jennie Jabberwalkie and Johnnie Jive

The Jay Shop
Next to Wilson's on Woodward

Something New **BLOUSETTES**
BETTER THAN A DICKIE TO WEAR WITH SUITS OR SKIRTS
\$2.25 and \$3.50

MULHOLLAND'S
233 N. Woodward Phone 425

LADIES' SCARFS
Chiffons, Nylons, Woolsens and Rayons.
Hand Painted and Sequin Trims.
59c to \$9.00

HUSTON HARDWARE CO.
205 N. Woodward Phone 1110

POKER TABLES and POKER CHIPS
DAISY AIR RIFLES and BB SHOT

McBRIDE HARDWARE
128 S. Woodward Phone 255 and 256

Gifts for Men and Women
100% PURE VIRGIN WOOL MERRILL SHIRTS and JACKETS
\$12.59 to \$16.79
MERRILL HUNTING JACKETS \$26.00
WINTER SPORTS CAPS \$1.39 to \$1.69

DICKINSON'S MEN'S WEAR
In the Wabeek Building

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF Hickok Men's Jewelry AND GIFTS BY HICKOK HAVE BEEN PLEASING MEN FOR YEARS . . .

VAN'S PHARMACY
141 E. Maple Phone 1406

BOX CANDY 69c to \$5.00
BOXES OF STATIONERY (very fine selection) Come in and look over our fine Holiday Assortments 69c to \$1.50
by Schrafft, Bunte and Cecil

BIRMINGHAM HARDWARE
152 W. Maple Phone 200

Choose Your Gift FROM THIS LIST
CANISTER SETS - BREAD BOXES KITCHEN STOOLS (Steel or Aluminum)
SHOPPING BASKETS - WASTE BASKETS

BODINE NEWS
"The Greeting Card Shop"

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY BY WHITING
A BEAUTIFUL SELECTION
Also Christmas Notes

RB SHOPS
Smart, feminine apparel
142 W. Maple

NECKLACES
SINGLE STRAND, GRADUATED PEARLS
by Coro
\$3.98

PHOTOGRAPHIC SHOP
168 S. Woodward Phone 2292

PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES
Make Excellent Christmas Gifts for the Camera Fan

PECK'S MEN'S STORE
105 S. Woodward Phone 230

APOLLO Custom Styled
Knit Braces and Neckties IN MATCHING SETS
In Tan, Brown, Red, Green and Color Combinations
Set - \$1.50 and \$2.50

D. J. HEALY SHOPS
WABEEK BUILDING

LADIES' BAGS
DOESKIN, CORDE, FORSTMANN WOODS
Bags for Parties or Casual Use