

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS MARCH 1.

Orkin Bros.' Department Store Will go Out of Business on March the 1st, 1900.

This simple statement is the most important mercantile announcement ever made in Crawford County. It means the lowest prices ever seen in the county. It means that ALL the profits are to be taken off prices and the goods sold for just what it costs to lay them down in Denison

If this advertisement has not convinced you that this is the greatest chance for bargains you ever had, the prices will. The Great Sale lasts but forty-five days. March 1, the doors close. As we shall buy no more goods it is important that you come while the assortment is full and complete. Many of our goods are winter goods, but at the price we quote

...Less all the Freight Charges!...

You will Save 50 per Cent

Having purchased a large general merchandise business in another city, to take possession March 1st, it is absolutely necessary that we dispose of the Denison store at once at whatever sacrifice in price. Our stock is new and large and well assorted. We expected until a week ago, to continue in business here and the goods on hand are fresh, seasonable and up-to-date. We already had our orders placed for spring goods. These orders have been countermanded and we are going to sell out.

by buying now, even if you keep the goods until next winter. This is true not only because we throw off all profits, but because prices are constantly advancing. Get this fact thoroughly in mind. Orkin Bros. are going out of business in Denison on March 1. They will to sell their entire stock before that time. To do it they are going to sell their stock of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Cloaks and Shoes at Absolutely Cost, LESS THE FREIGHT.

Doesn't this Sound Good to the Careful Buyer. Read the Prices.

Men's \$2.50 shoes, now.... 1.95	Red Table Linen, formerly sold at 20c, now..... 14	All our girls 25c fancy caps. 19	go out of style. It will pay you to buy for next year.	All of our men's 50c caps... 39	Children's Coats, formerly 2.00, now..... 1.25
Men's \$2.00 shoes, now.... 1.45	Toweling..... 35	Ladies Wool Skirt patterns. 39	One lot of comforts, formerly sold at 1.00, now..... 79	In Cloaks and Capes. We will sell at half price. Price will cut no figure if we can fit you and find what you want, we will make the prices so low that you will nearly be compelled to buy. Can only mention a few prices.	Children's long coats 25 to 30 per cent discount. The prices we are quoting above are all on this year's goods. We have a large stock of plush capes which never go out of style. It would pay you to buy even for next year.
Ladies' 2.50 and 3.00 shoes. 1.95	Amoskeag Gingham at..... 05	Fleece Lined Wrappers, sold at 1.25, now..... 08	One lot of comforts, formerly sold at 1.25, now..... 98	\$14.00 Jackets, lined through out with silk and satin,.... 7.50	As we have said above we can not give many prices as we are busy remarking our goods. Everything is reduced in price.
All the best qualities men's artics, formerly at 1.50, now 1.19	Ice Wool, per box..... 09	Ladies' ready made flannel waists, formerly 1.25, now 79	50 pairs cotton blankets sold for 75c, now..... 49	Jackets formerly sold at 7.50 3.95	
One lot baby shoes, formerly sold at 40c to 50c, now... 29	All 8c & 10c skeins Saxony yarns at..... 05	All wool dress goods, a yard Crepon, formerly 1.95, now 1.65	One lot strictly all wool blankets, formerly sold for 2.25, now..... 1.95	One lot jackets, formerly sold for 4.00, now..... 1.98	
Ladies' Felt Shoes, formerly sold at 1.25, now..... 79	Your choice of any pair kid gloves in the house, formerly sold from 1.00 to 1.15, 79	One lot of plaid dress goods, formerly 25c, now..... 15	One lot blankets, formerly sold for 4.00, now..... 2.95	Short Plush Capes, formerly 2.50, now..... 1.39	
All of our 1.00 and 1.25 Duck Coats..... 89	Ladies' 50c underwear..... 39	All our dress goods will be reduced in price.	One lot Men's Fleece Lined shirts and drawers, formerly 45c, now..... 29		
All our 50c overalls at..... 39	Ladies' Fleece Lined hose in black and gray, to be closed 07	In blankets and comforts we're very heavily stocked and are compelled to make big reductions, and this is something which will never			
Mens, 10c celluloid collars... 03	Your choice of Fam O'Shan- ters, formerly sold at 79c. 48				
All our 10c Tennis Flannels and Fleece Lined Calicos 7 1/2					
Our 5c Calicoes go at..... 3 1/2					

P. S. Any person wishing to purchase our entire stock in any of our departments should address us at once. We will sell the stock as a whole or by departments to suit buyer. Fixtures for sale cheap To the people of the surrounding towns who wish to buy a bill of goods turning over and above \$10, we will pay your carfare and guarantee a saving of 25 to 50 per cent. We also ask people who possibly can to come in in the forenoon, as we expect to be very busy in the afternoon with country trade.

ORKIN BROS. - - - - - Denison, Iowa.

CHARTER OAK CHATS

Jas Healy of Kenwood, was an Oak caller Wednesday.

O. E. Griffiths was a business visitor at Sioux City Thursday.

Sheriff Bell of Denison, had business in our town Thursday.

Mrs. Seaman of Denison, called on friends here this week.

C. A. Cooper is at Chamberlain S. D., on business this week.

Charlie Hielt was a passenger for Coon Rapids Thursday noon.

Mrs. Dickman from near Schleswig, was shipping here Thursday.

Miss Josie Knist returned Tuesday from a visit with friends at Carroll.

Mrs. W. C. Johnson entertained a company of friends Thursday evening.

Frank Guild, formerly of this place, now of Maquoketa, was an Oak caller Thursday.

Rev. McEwen moved the last of the week to Omaha for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orf and P. A. Eggen returned from Manning Thursday morning.

Mrs. B. C. Boupe is visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Baber, at Uts.

E Goodfriend is on a business trip to Des Moines and may go to Chicago before returning.

Mrs. W. W. Cushman and Miss A. Shurzaker of Denison, called on friends here Tuesday.

Fred Evers died Wednesday evening at his home, two miles west of Charter Oak, of lung disease.

C. Hielt and the Misses Mila Andrews and Hattie Lighlin drove to Danbury the first of the week.

Among those who have been on the sick list this week are: Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Stough, Mrs. Abbott, Rev. Carson and E. P. Brown.

Sam Hielt came from Wall Lake Wednesday evening and took charge of the store here during his brothers absence.

A telephone message from Mr. Geé, who moved from the Shaw farm south of town, to Castana about two years ago, says their youngest daughter, Florence, was dead and would be buried at the Center cemetery at 2 p. m. Friday.

Grand Master Workman Will M. Narvis of Muscatine, spoke at J. Pithans hall Tuesday in the interest of the A. O. U. W. John Bratley, deputy organizer of Missouri Valley, remained here and will reorganize the lodge about next Thursday evening.

NEWS OF DOW CITY.

Mr. Gradert shipped a lot of fine cattle to Chicago last week.

A. H. Rudd and H. S. Green were transacting business in Denison this week.

Miss Emma Wiggins is in Omaha this week receiving treatment for her eyes.

Mrs. J. T. Shearman enjoyed a visit from a brother from Audubon last week.

Chas. Pratt, of Mo. Valley, made a business trip to our town Saturday afternoon.

Wm. McKim and daughter Ava, of Deloit, spent Saturday and Sunday in Dow City.

Mamie Bell, of Denison, after spending several days with relatives here, returned to her home last week.

Dave Houston returned from Utah last Saturday, where he has been in the interests of the Green Cattle Company.

Through the untiring efforts of Madam Rumor a small-pox epidemic has already gone its rounds. The "busy" people always find something else to do.

Ed Joworth shipped a car load of heavy cattle to Chicago Tuesday, but unfortunately the market was "off" that day; Amos Weatherbee and Ed Hoefler shipped to Chicago too.

The lyceum last Wednesday evening was well attended as usual. The "Women's Suffrage" question was decided for the negative. The following is the program for Jan. 24:
Mixed Quartet—Selected.
Vocal Solo—Rena Brake.
Recitation Medley.
Debate: "Resolved, that the benefits derived by the U. S. in the Spanish war are greater than the evils."—Affirmative, G. V. Whaley and Geo. Rule; negative, J. L. Butterworth and F. R. Schafer.
Duet—Selected.
A Hot Proposition, Mr. Rastus Rockefeller and Miss Orphelia McPolluck.

We are pleased to announce that a course of lectures has been provided for at this place beginning in February. They will be given at the M. E. church and will prove a benefit to all who are privileged to hear.

HAPPENINGS AT VAIL

L. L. Hulce was a Denison visitor on Tuesday.

Mrs. Glynn was a Denison caller on Monday.

John Cook was up from Denison on Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Champion, of Denison, visited Monday at the Doherty home.

Jas. Mang'n and Richard each shipped a load of hogs to Chicago Tuesday.

Bert McAndrews and Pat Driscoll returned from Omaha Thursday with a carload of feeders each.

John Cranny attended a banquet given the employees of the Green Bay Lumber Co. at Carroll Wednesday.

Pat Hussian and family left Wednesday for their home in Colorado after a month's visit with relatives and friends.

The Woodmen and Royal Neighbors are making great preparations for their ball and supper Wednesday night, Jan. 24th.

BUCK GROVE ITEMS.

Bert Frye of Woodbine was in town Monday.

Mrs. F. Gigax who has been quite sick is better at present.

Joe Kepford of near Arion was on our streets one day this week.

J. L. Williams was at the county capital on business last Monday.

D. C. Thew, Dow City's liveryman, was on our streets last Thursday.

S. M. Thew and wife were at Denison shopping one day this week.

Jas O'Meara spent last Sunday at the home of his parents south of town.

Drs. Carr and Evans of Dow City and Arion were professional visitors this week.

Mrs. J. Watje, who has been away attending her brother's funeral, has returned home.

I. L. Tripp of Omaha who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity has returned home.

P. E. C. Lally, W. J. McAhren, R. E. Grason and C. R. Smith of Denison were in town this week.

Wm. Edwards, S. H. Town and R. W. Brownlee, all prominent farmers, were in town this week.

Our students, who have been at home during the holidays, have returned to their studies at Denison.

Frank Wiley is taking the place of Peter Arendt at the K. C. elevator during the latter's absence.

KIRON CHRONICLES

John J. Sandberg advertises a sale of stock and farming implements on his place February 7, as he will retire from farming.

Your SCRIBE made a short visit at our neighboring town Schleswig between train time Tuesday afternoon and was surprised to see so much of a town that has been built in so short a period of time.

Quite a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larson Monday evening in response to invitations to spend the evening with them, the occasion being the 15th anniversary of their wedding.

In reporting in our last letter of G. A. Norelius trip to Chicago this week, we omitted to state that he was accompanied by his wife, who will visit numerous relatives in that city. They are expected home the first of the week.

Chas. Dahn and Anny Reinking went to Jefferson, Iowa on Tuesday to stand trial for charges against them on the grounds of conducting their saloon unlawfully, returning on Wednesday morning. The reports are that they won in the case.

The week of prayer was observed by both the churches with good attendance. The Mission church decided to continue meetings this week, every evening except Saturday evening. A few have found the Saviour during these meetings and prayers are sent up for the many who still linger outside of the fold.

Aron Sedarberg, Kiron's coming Jeweler and watchmaker, opened up for business on Tuesday last and is now ready for all water and clock work. He will have a stock of watches and jewelry on hand very soon. Mr. Sedarberg is a most deserving young man and thoroughly understands the business he has ventured into. His office is in Hunter's drug store.

GOODRICH GOSSIP.

Sidney Whiting of Clay county, was visiting friends in this vicinity last week.

August Pobanz marketed hogs at Deloit Tuesday, receiving \$4.27 per cwt. How's that?

E. M. Ainsworth has charge of the teacher's meeting, to be held in Deloit on Saturday afternoon.

After three weeks of revival meetings at the M. E. church, Rev. Maxwell closed them last Tuesday evening.

Scott Sterritt and family are now residents of Deloit suburbs, having moved into the Evan McKinn house near the old mill.

Chas. Cruzan and wife went to Denison Tuesday afternoon to be in attendance at the marriage of Mrs. Cruzan's sister.

Farmers, don't fail to take your wives along to the Farmers Institute in Denison on January 30-31st. Brush off the hay seeds, go prepared to take part in the discussions, or if you can't do that ask questions. Turn out.

HAPPENINGS AT BELL

C. P. Hanson and wife called on C. Bensen Sunday.

Carrie and Charlie Saxton were at the capitol Tuesday.

John Stevens visited friends at Harlan Sunday.

Fred Timm and wife were calling on Bell friends Tuesday.

Wm. Keaven was a business visitor at the Oak Tuesday.

Fred Nelson and wife were shopping at Denison Friday.

Arnold & Co. are shelling a large amount of corn this winter.

Wm. Jenkins moved on his place near Dow City last Monday.

Frank Burkhofer and Sol Miller were at the Oak last week.

Thos. Rule and family visited with John Coon and family Tuesday.

Clarence Davis has moved to Bell; he will occupy the house with J. N. Simmons.

John Burkhofer is building a new house on his place. C. O. Miller is doing the carpenter work.

Mrs. Thomas Welsh of Missouri Valley was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Simmons, at Bell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Saxton from Nebraska, who have been visiting relatives here, went to Pottawattamie county to visit a son who lives there.

DELOIT CHURCH NOTES.

Elder William McKim will reply to Rev. Maxwell's sermon on water baptism Sunday evening at the Saints church. A series of preaching meetings will follow. Ministers from abroad are expected to assist in the services. All are cordially invited to attend.

For Sale!
THE BEST BRED
BOAR PIGS
IN CRAWFORD COUNTY. INQUIRE OF
CHAS. TABOR, Denison, Ia.