

CORN AND CHICKENS

The Great Poultry Show and Corn Exhibit at Denison

WEDNESDAY TO SATURDAY

Magnificent Display of Birds and Fine Corn from December 11 to 14

On next Wednesday will occur one of the big events of the year, in the holding of the third annual show of the Boyer Valley Poultry Association and a Corn Show at Denison. The chicken men of this part of Iowa are preparing to show their best birds and there is no doubt of that part of the affair being a great success. We urge the farmers to bring up their side of the show, by bringing in the corn. What a blessed thing it is you have corn to show. There are parts of Iowa where the corn is hardly worth gathering because of the wet weather in the growing season. Crawford is one of the best counties in the state and it can best be shown at this time by the magnificent display of corn grown in our fertile and productive hills and valleys.

If you are interested in the poultry and want information as to sending or bringing fine birds, write E. O. Thiem at Denison or E. R. Cadwell at Dunlap. Remember that one of the best poultry judges in the country Frank Heck will be here and his marking on birds are worth much. Scored birds will sell among poultry men at double the price of these not. Eggs from these bring a fancy price. Bring your chickens anyway whether you think they are up in score or not. After the markings are made you can see where you are weak or strong and plan for the future. The most important thing of all to the farmers relates to corn. There is such a thing as breeding up corn. There is such a thing as making more ears grow on a stalk. There is such a thing, as sowing corn that will practically produce no barren stalks. There is such a thing as increasing by one-third the yield on great fields of corn, because it is done in other counties.

There will be a talk on corn culture and an opportunity to ask questions and compare notes. The business men of Denison have put up a goodly number of prizes in the corn department many of them of good value, and these are worth trying for. But the great reason for bringing in corn is the information coming from an intelligent judging. Messrs Allard, Gebert and J. E. Balle have the premium lists and will be glad to give all the advance information possible.

REV. J. J. DE PREE PASTOR

An Official Call Extended by the Presbyterian Church last Sunday

Although the Presbyterian church had in congregational meeting asked Rev. DePree late of Alta, Iowa to become the pastor, the official call was not made and agreed to until last Sunday. On that day Rev. Lacey of the Manilla church gave the morning sermon here exchanging pulpits with the new pastor. Rev. Lacey according to official procedure was the moderator in charge of the Denison church during the time it had no pastor, and so authorized to preside over the meeting of the session and congregational meeting while the business of extending the call was transacted. Rev. Lacey gave a strong and thoughtful sermon on the power of the gospel, of Christ, bringing before the people deep research into history, ancient and modern.

The business at hand was quickly attended to as the people were unanimous in calling the new pastor. He is to receive \$1,000 a year, parsonage free, and by understanding, but not in the contract, he will have a vacation yearly with pay. There will be some improvements made on the parsonage, at the present time, but the church is looking forward in the not distant future to erecting a modern home for the pastor. Rev. DePree has the making of a most useful pastor for the Denison church. He is young, yet with experience, full of evangelistic zeal ready to do anything for the advancement of the gospel cause in the community. On Sunday evening he and his people were found helping in the revival meeting at the Methodist church an excellent beginning for the broadness of Christian spirit in his heart.

Miss King and her piano students gave a recital at the Presbyterian church on last Saturday evening. The children showed good practice, and the parents have reason to be proud. It means wearisome work and much self-denial to become proficient on the piano.

AUTO HAS ARRIVED

Oldsmobile Runabout for Review Contest Has Arrived

THE INTEREST IS INCREASING

Only 3 Weeks to Decide Who Shall Get the Diamond and Ruby Ring

The Oldsmobile Runabout for the Review contest has arrived. A. F. Boylan who is an expert in automobile matters pronounces it a little beauty. It is a well built and powerful machine. One just like it made the trip from New York to Portland, Oregon, and such a test shows that it ought to be good even among the hills of Crawford. It is a brand new machine. The list price is \$650 at the factory. The freight amounted to \$52. If the successful candidate did not want an auto she could dispose of it for a handsome price and the buyer would still have a bargain. As we predicted the preliminary stages of the contest are slow in getting under way. But the snowball at the top of the mountain has got a good start and things will be humming before the end is reached. The merchants as a rule take very kindly to a proposition which promises to increase their trade without expense to themselves. There are very few firms in Crawford county which could afford to put up the rich prizes which the Review has offered. If they did, their first expense would be to advertise the offer. In the Review contest, we put up the prizes and attend to the advertising. It is a snap for the merchants and in spite of the "anvil chorus" they are getting on to the fact.

The list of contestants remains the same as last week.

Miss Marie Heiden, Denison. Miss Lulu Girard, Schleswig. Miss Mable Pett, Dunlap. Miss Nettie Wiley, Dow City. Miss Mattie Buffington, Manilla.

Owing to the rush of Christmas advertising and the scarcity of help we have been delayed in printing coupons and providing blanks for the contestants so that they have not had a fair start as yet. Several of them have had votes cast for them but we have decided not to publish the vote this week so that all may start with an equal chance next week.

The contest for the Diamond ring will be decided in but little more than three weeks. It is a beauty and well worth winning even if no other prizes were offered.

Let us add right here, that in the almost impossible case of a tie on any prize, the cash value of the prize will be divided between the trying contestants.

Several other young ladies are planning to enter the contest and there are whole sections of the county unrepresented as yet. Read the rules carefully as given in the second section of this issue and bring forward your candidate at once. Remember that the prizes offered are the largest ever given by a weekly county seat paper. Watch the Review next week, for the formal opening of the contest.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

At considerable extra expense we offer our readers this week the complete text of the President's message. We do this because we feel that no mere synopsis will do it justice and because we believe it is a document of great importance to all of us. It marks a step in the progress of human liberty. It is a monumental document. It bespeaks in many ways a new era. It considers matters which are of vital importance and makes suggestions which if fearlessly carried out will add to the happiness and welfare of all good citizens.

If you have not time to read the Message today lay the paper aside. It will make good evening reading, good Sunday reading. The Review is the only paper in Crawford county that has the enterprise to give the Message in full.

Only a Dime for a good time. One can afford it at the Family Theatre.

Mrs. A. Pump entertained her brother, Emil Strathman Thanksgiving.

Miss Mary and Lucy Haley of Kenwood were callers at the county seat last Monday.

The Family Theatre is the correct place of amusement this winter. Some difficulty which was experienced with the electrical apparatus has been overcome and the theatre is now in shape to delight the people with as fine an exhibition of moving pictures as has ever been given in Denison. Miss Georgia Farrell as the soloist with the illustrated songs is proving very popular with the audiences.

MRS. CARRIE FEGTLEY

A Denison Resident of Many Years Ago Visits Here

Mrs. Carrie Fegtley, wife of Rev. E. T. Fegtley the well known Methodist minister was in Denison for some days recently the welcome guest of her brother, Dr. Plimpton. She is a lady well remembered by those who were young people thirty years ago, as she was born and grew to womanhood here and most prominent in the Baptist church and Sunday school. Rev. Fegtley has been the pastor at a number of charges in the Northwest being at Charter Oak, Ashton, Moville and recently Washita up near Cherokee. He has not accepted a change of conference and will take charge of three churches adjoining the city of Des

Moines. The family will live in the city where three of the older children are now in college. By this arrangement the family can be together, which is most pleasing to all of them. Mrs. Fegtley was given a cordial welcome by her friends while in Denison. They hope that with her family about her at Des Moines, she will be relieved of anxiety, and the help of the children, and be stronger than for the past few years.

You Auto get into the Review contest.

The revival services are attracting large audiences.

Boyce Heath of Ames was a Sunday visitor in Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kelly spent Sunday with Brother Joe in Carroll.

Buy your presents early. J. E. Balle was an Omaha visitor on Sunday. Denison is a dandy place for Christmas shopping.

Mrs. G. W. Nicholson spent Monday in Council Bluffs and Omaha. Miss Maggie Olson left on Monday for a visit with Chicago relatives.

Ask your merchant for Review coupons. He can get them if he advertises in the Review.

The Denison post office is rejoicing in a new cancelling machine. It is worked by hand power but it is swifter than greased lightning and it ought to save quite a bit of time in the morning distribution of mail. It may take a few days for the force to get the hang of the critter however.

J. D. Sievers is a business visitor in Chicago.

Among our new subscribers this week was Mr. M. Wagner. He said his wife liked the Review the best so he guessed he would have to take it. Mr. Wagner has three hundred votes in the Auto contest which are worth having.

Miss Wiley had the honor of having the first votes cast for her in the automobile contest. Other candidates are at work but have not turned in any votes. The two hundred vote credited to Miss Wiley come from a Deloit subscriber without any solicitation on her part. From now on we expect the contest to boom as there is but a month to decide who shall have that beautiful diamond and ruby ring.

Read this Ad from Top to Bottom.

BIG Holiday Sale!

All Prices

Quoted here are regular. Anything you buy from us is marked at the very lowest price. It pays to trade here.

In Our Grocery, Cloak, Skirt, Shoe, China and Hardware Departments

Never before in the history of our retail business have we been in a position to offer as many exceptional values in any of our lines as we are now. A comparison of our prices will convince you that we can sell you goods cheaper than you are buying them now. All we ask is a trial order to show you the quality and you will be one of our regular customers.

Holiday Sale Prices in Groceries.

- 21 lbs best granulated sugar \$1.06
- 10 bars Swift's Pride laundry soap, 12 oz. bar 25c
- Prunes, good size 3c per lb
- Tomatoes, solid pack 3 lb can 10c
- Corn, extra quality, 4 cans for 25c
- Peaches, 3 lb cans, put up in syrup 17c
- Buckwheat, Pennsylvania home made, 10 lb bag 45c
- Corn Meal, fresh ground and granulated, 10 lb bag 20c
- Wheat Graham, coarse or fine 30c bag
- Seeded Raisins, extra quality 45c pkg

We are showing the choicest line of Dried Fruits and fancy Canned Fruits ever offered at the lowest prices.

Boys and Girls

We are giving with each sack of Wizard Flour a Coupon that is worth 10c in trade. Ten of these coupons are worth \$1 in cash. Boys and girls be sure and get the coupons. Insist on getting Wizard Flour as these coupons go with no other flour. Every sack is guaranteed.

Winter Underwear

At Saving Prices. Men's heavy fleeced underwear, shirts are double breast and back, 49c per garment. Ladies ribbed underwear, 25c per garment. Ladies union suits, good quality wool, \$1.50 a suit. Children's underwear, grades from 15c per garment up. See our line.

Five Suggestions in Christmas Presents

For the Gents and Boys—Fancy Suspenders 50c the pair; Neckties in all of the newest styles; Gloves, all grades, 25c to \$2 a pair; Suspenders put up in individual boxes, 50c the pair; Cuff Buttons, pretty designs, gold, pearl and silver, guaranteed, 25c; worth 75c a pair. Rifles, single shot and repeating rifles of all kinds, \$3.50 up. Shot Guns, all of the best makes can be seen in our hardware department. Also a full line of sporting goods. For the Ladies and Misses—Handkerchiefs, all kinds from 10c per doz. up; Aprons made from imported and domestic fancy handkerchiefs, 65c each; Hand Bags and Purses—a big line of all the newest styles. See our prices on Cloaks. They make presents that will be appreciated. Fancy Collars, all kinds from 5c each up; Fancy Wool Scarfs and Fascinators, all sizes from 25c to \$2 each; Dress Patterns—we are showing a beautiful line of dress patterns in all of the newest goods, prices from 25c to \$1.50 per yard; Gloves and Mitts in wool and leather, all sizes, 15c to 2.00 a pair.

Boys and Girls

Read about the coupons that go with Wizard Flour. Be sure and get Wizard Flour as the coupons go with no other flour.

Cloaks! Cloaks!



In order to clean up our entire line of Cloaks by Jan. 1st, we have marked every garment in the line at 25 to 35 per cent reduction. If you are going to get a new cloak or even if you had thought that you possibly might get one if you could buy it reasonably enough, it will pay you to take a look at our line.

Regular \$12.50 to \$15.00 Cloaks Now \$9.89

Regular \$10.50 and \$11.50 Cloaks... \$7.89 Some of the greatest values we are showing are in our \$9.98 and \$4.50 line. Don't miss this opportunity of buying your winter Cloak at a price that means a big saving.

Fancy Silk Scarfs Mufflers and Shawls

The assortment is large and the styles are new. Fancy silk scarfs, 1 1/2 yards long... \$1.50 Silk scarfs, all plain colors... 1.00 Silk mufflers, pearl grey, cream, black, 1.00 Knit silk shawls, new pattern... 1.00 to 2.00 Ask to see these goods.

Blankets, Comforts, Quilts

Cotton Blankets... 60c a pair Heavy Cotton Blankets, 1 1/2 size... \$1.35 pr Extra heavy cotton blankets, 1 1/2... 2.00 pr Mixed wool blankets, good size, fine quality... 3.25 pr All wool blankets... 4.25 pr Best grade all wool, tan and white... 7.00 pr Comforts, good size, each... .98c Comforts, good quality, large size... \$1.50 Best quality comfort, filled with best grade of cotton... 2.00 Good grade spreads, honey comb... .98c Medium size spreads, new design... 1.50 Heavy spreads, good size, pretty pattern, fancy and plain edges... 2.25 Extra quality spreads, imported design the most beautiful spread we are showing, each... 5.00 See our big line of beddings. Our prices will save you money.

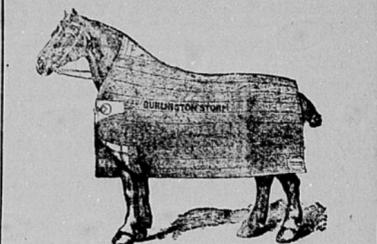
Holiday Sale of Silks

We are offering our full line of fancy and plain silks at prices that mean big saving to you.

Regular 1.25 fancy silks now... 89c per yd Regular 1.50 fancy silks now... 1.19 Regular 1.00 fancy silks now... 69c and 79c At the prices these goods cannot last long. Make your selection before the lines are picked over.

Black Pean de Soie Silk, extra heavy quality, 36 inches and others get 1.75 for this grade... 1.39 Messaline silks, good quality, pearl grey, cream and black... 1.00 This silk makes beautiful scarfs for Xmas present.

Horse Blankets, Saddles, Robes and Fur Coats



Our line of Horse Blankets is the largest we have ever shown.

Canvas lined blankets, each... 1.35 up Wool blankets, large size, per pair... 9.00 SADDLES—Heavy riding saddles and light riding saddles, all grades, \$3.75 up. Whips of all kinds. Anything you want in the whip line will be found in our stock. Robes, fur and plush, all sizes, dog skin, \$4.75; plush robes, good quality, \$3.00.

We are showing a full and complete line of Gordon & Ferguson Fur Coats and Sheep Skin Lined Coats all of the popular Furs such as imported dog skin, kangaroo, calf, buffalo calf, are made up in the line. Be sure and see our line before you buy.

Overshoes and Leggins

Men's extra heavy gum arties... \$1.21 Ladies good weight arties... 1.10 Ladies Jersey leggins... .75c Children's Jersey leggins... 35c and 65c Mens heavy lined canvas leggins... 45c Mens canvas leggins... 30c and 60c Everything you want in the overshoe and leggin line will be found in our stock.

Men's and Boys'

WINTER CAPS

In all the newest styles and colors. See our line before you buy.

WE PAY CASH FOR YOUR BUTTER AND EGGS.

Geo. Menagh & Co.

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