

Dr. P. E. Triem spent last week in the city of Chicago.

Miss Dora LeRoy spent Friday last with friends in Dubuque.

S. K. Myers spent a few days the first part of last week in Chicago.

G. W. Fairchild was a Cedar Rapids business visitor last week Thursday.

E. H. Hoy attended to his various business interests in Lamont last week.

M. Shelton attended the M. V. Dunning sale in Masonville last Thursday.

David Christy, of Ryan, was a business visitor in our city Thursday last.

Michael Mulligan jr., of Adams township, has been very sick with pneumonia.

Miss Jennie Fishel spent the greater part of last week visiting friends in Waterloo.

The Duplicate Whist Club members met with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Anderson last Thursday evening.

S. W. Trenchard returned the first of the week from a business trip of several days duration in the city of Chicago.

Geo. Hunt and A. Hollister, of the Hollister Lumber Company, were Dubuque business visitors Thursday last.

Miss Olive Tucker departed Saturday for Dubuque where she will enter Mt. St. Joseph's College for the winter term.

Wells & Eldridge are advertising the gift of two towels with each sack of Quaker flour. Their ad tells you the story.

Howard Clemens, of the Cedar Rapids Business college, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends here.

The Six-handed Euchre club members are anticipating an afternoon of pleasure this afternoon (Wednesday) with Mrs. J. W. Ford.

Miss Anna Magril has been employed by the school board to fill the position in the Ryan schools made vacant by the resignation of Miss O'Donnell.

Miss Clara Commerford is visiting relatives in Delaware and Hopkinton. She went Friday morning last to the former place from where she goes to Hopkinton.

Fred Hruby, who works for the Illinois Central as a telegraph operator in Dubuque, came out Friday morning for a few days visit with relatives and friends here.

Blanch Bishop departed Friday morning of last week for Epworth where she will visit her brother, Bert, and sister, Elsie, who are in the Seminary at that place.

A. A. Decker, of Harger & Blah, the Dubuque music dealers, was attending to the Manchester branch of that firm's business last week, returning to Dubuque Saturday.

A number from Manchester attended the club dance at Ryan last Friday evening. The Dubuque Italian band furnished the inspiration and there were 118 tickets sold.

R. L. Kortright had business in Cedar Rapids Thursday last and enroute home that evening he stopped in Coggon where he spent the remainder of the week with his mother.

Gentlemen, there is no use of sending away your orders for shirts now, Scharies, the tailor has added that industry to his business and is now prepared to make shirts to order.

Hon. R. W. Thrill returned the latter part of last week from Clinton, where he was in attendance in company with other prominent Masons of our city at the meeting of De Molay Consistory.

The Spring Branch creamery received during the month of December 197,700 pounds of milk, average test 4 1/2, average yield 4.95 made 9,823 pounds of butter, and paid an average of \$1.07 per hundred for milk.

Strange as it may seem, but true it is, as appears from the Reporter, there is one person at least residing in Ryan who is opposed to incorporating. It is high time that that thriving village discarded its swaddling clothes, and became a full grown town.

Judge A. S. Blair, of Manchester was here Tuesday to give a hearing to a case from Stanley, in which the parents asked for the sending of their son to the reform school. There seemed to be hope for the boy, however, and he was given another opportunity to voluntarily reform.—Independence Bulletin-Journal.

A party was given by the Misses Onah and Emma Koehler last Saturday evening at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Koehler, near Manchester. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McFarn, the Misses Onah and Emma Koehler, Mary Magril, Florence, Elizabeth and Clara Marshall and Messrs. Tom Houlahan and George Parker. An enjoyable time is reported.—Ryan Reporter.

Geo. Eichacker has sold his large farm in Coffin's Grove and will dispose of cattle, horses, hogs, grain, etc., as stated in his auction sale notice in another column. He has been engaged in raising Holstein cattle for the past eighteen years, and says it is his opinion that his cows of that breed are the best general purpose cows extant, are the most profitable milk producers, and suggests to doubters of his statement that they attend his sale and buy one or more cows and test them with their own.

Freight engine No. 55 had an accident before her as she was taking coal at the Manchester yards Monday morning early. The engine and drop chute failed to reach an understanding and when the coal box was filled and the latter should have been lifted, the engine pulled out when to the demolition of the same, the chute dropped. The cab, together with whistle and all, was badly wrecked and the steam escaped after the smashing of the whistle box so that No. 55 had to be hauled, minus her cab and various other properties, to the Waterloo car shops. No one was injured in the accident, both the fireman and engineer luckily escaping.

Roy Morse spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

Glen Hixon returned Monday from a visit with friends in Monticello.

A. B. Wheeler, Esq., of Hopkins, was in town Monday on legal business.

A. Coalby and E. Hubbeck, both of Drevsville, called on friends in the city Monday.

Henry Vorwald, of Colony township, transacted business in the county seat last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strickland and family spent the first day of the week with friends in Earlville.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Storey entertained the Neighborhood Duplicate Whist Club last night, Monday.

The Congregational ladies made something like \$22.00 at their goose supper last Wednesday evening.

The Edgewood Journal says: N. Hatfield who suffered a stroke of paralysis a month ago is gradually improving.

A. M. Cloud, of Earlville, who has just returned from a trip to West Virginia, visited friends in this city Monday.

The Waterloo basket ball team defeated before the Dubuque team at the latter's home last Friday night, the score being 32 to 16.

Mrs. E. E. Andrews, nee Nellie Hogan, of Tama, is the guest of relatives and friends in and about our city. She is making but a few days visit.

Miss Emily Otis, of the Lamont schools and Miss Anna Gliesendorf of the Ryan public school, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in this city.

C. H. Cruise of Oneida was in town Monday on business connected with the settlement of the estate of John Kahl, decd., of which he is administrator.

Slocum called on us Saturday and though he had no communication from Slocumville for this issue, he wished us to say that the Sand Creek people were very thankful to Mr. and Mrs. John Hillier for opening their home last Friday evening for the church sociable.

The late P. J. Roche was a member of the Modern Woodmen lodge of this city and had an insurance therein on his life for \$2,000, payable to his wife, Mr. Roche died on December 17, and on last Monday, August Miller on behalf of the Woodmen presented Mrs. Roche with a draft for the full amount called for by the policy.

The young ladies of the Congregational church are planning a turkey dinner to be given in the church dining room next week Wednesday, February 6. A menu consisting of roast turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, macaroni and cheese, coffee, ice cream and cake will be served from 5:30 until the supper is exhausted. Twenty-five cents is the charge.

I. W. Lampman was called the first of last week to Dell Rapids, South Dakota, where his sister, Mrs. T. Daker, was lying very low with an illness brought on by a severe hemorrhage of the stomach. He returned the latter part of the week with the cheering news that Mrs. Daker was much better and there was every hope of her recovery when he left her bedside.

About fifteen years ago a number of farmers near Nashua, Iowa, formed a stock company and invested about \$50,000 in buildings and machinery in the plant known as the Nashua Woolen Mills. The Mills have not been operated for several years, but will soon be, as our townsman W. J. Bowen has secured and will take possession of them about the first of March when he and his family will remove to Nashua. The business in which Mr. Bowen is about to engage is not new to him, he having been for nearly thirty years in the employ of the Jones Woolen Mill Co. at this place. The good wishes of his many friends here will go with Mr. and Mrs. Bowen and his family to their new home.

The Manchester Democrat comes as near being a newspaper pirate as any sheet we ever run against. In this week's issue they use about one fourth of a column which had been taken from last week's issue of the Home Press, and no credit was given. This is a mighty easy and cheap way of getting outside county news.—Home Press.

The Democrat has not for several months had a correspondent at Greeley, and during that time has, every week when we could find any item or items in the Home Press worth reprinting, copied them, and with the single exception of last week the Home Press has been given the credit. The omission to do so in last week's issue was unintentional, an oversight on the part of the type who set the items. If that makes the Democrat a pirate sheet, then the strictures of the Home Press are justified, otherwise not. In this connection we are pleased to say that we have arranged for a correspondent near Greeley, who will furnish the Democrat every week with items of interest to its patrons living at and in the vicinity of Greeley.

Word came to us Saturday of an accident occurring to a Mr. Stephen Popham who lives south of town, while he was attending the Sand Creek church sociable held Friday evening at the pleasant home of Jno. Hilliers. Mr. Popham, his wife, three sons and mother-in-law attended with a large number of friends and after partaking of the supper, Mr. Popham, as is the custom, was asked for the pay for same. He handed the collector a smaller sum than he should have paid at the same time remarking that that was all he could or would pay or something of the sort. The lady knowing Mr. Popham meant fun, announced her intention of going through his pockets for the necessary coin. Mr. P.—Immediately started on the run and in the merriment which followed he opened a door, supposedly into the bed room but instead into the cellar way, which mistake cost him dear. Some of the men carried him up from the bottom of the stairs where he had fallen, and Dr. Lindsey was summoned from town. The fear that death would result was soon dispelled after the doctor's arrival. The wounded man was brought to consciousness, and his head, which had been badly cut open, was properly stitched. Mr. Popham was removed to his home where he is doing nicely. The family is one of most esteemed in the neighborhood and Mr. Popham's many friends are glad to know he is on the high road to complete recovery.

F. B. Blair had business in Dubuque Tuesday.

E. W. Dunham had business in Dreverville Monday.

John Ward, of Carbondale, Illinois, is visiting relatives at other friends in this city.

J. S. Jones had business in the neighboring city of Waterloo last Thursday.

Miss Mary Kenyon gives the Doves a Kensington this week Thursday afternoon.

Capt. J. F. Merry called pleasantly on a few of his many friends in this city Friday last.

W. J. Bowen, by notice in another column, offers for sale his house and land in North Manchester.

Robert Denton came down from McIntyre Saturday evening and remained until this morning with his family here.

Miss Pearl Pierce visited parents and friends in this city over Sunday, returning to Cedar Falls and her professional duties.

Wm Sebeck, formerly a member of the firm of Scharies & Sebeck, merchant tailors, has been visiting friends in Manchester the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Hamblin of Milo, returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks with Uriah Morey and other friends at Earlville, N. Y.

J. H. Allen is in Lamont this week closing out the branch clothing store of Allen & Storey at that place. It is expected that Wednesday will complete the closing out process.

The Carter de Haven Comedy and Vaudeville have a three nights stand here next week. The company is well known hereabout and will undoubtedly draw a crowded house. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next.

Wm. Sawyer of Elk township and formerly one of our efficient county supervisors, made the purchase last week of the late J. B. Toogood residence on Union street. This will make a pleasant home for Mr. Sawyer and his family and Manchester will welcome them to our city.

Miles E. Blair last week purchased of T. O. Eaton the residence property now occupied by the latter in this city, possession to be given March 1st. This is acceptable news to the friends of Mr. Blair and his estimable family, who will be warmly welcomed as fellow townsman. It is to be hoped also that Manchester is not to lose the Eaton family. They have many friends in our city and their loss would be keenly felt by this circle.

A number from here, members of Dubuque lodge of Elks, go today (Wednesday) to that city to hear Field's minstrel. The lodge go in a body to the show, after which they have as their guests in their lodge parlors the entire company of Field's minstrel party. Among those going from here are: Messrs. J. B. Hoag, Edw. Hruby, L. L. and E. H. Hoyt, F. B. Blair, C. C. Barry, A. A. Anderson, B. F. Miles, J. D. Hogan, A. Hollister, H. C. Haderick, B. Clark, and W. Work.

A Golden Wedding. It is so seldom that two people live to celebrate their fiftieth anniversary that it is worthy of note, and so on last Saturday, the 29th of January, over sixty of the friends and neighbors of J. J. Cleveland and wife gathered at their home to pleasantly remind them that time was passing, and to in some way prove to them that they were esteemed and remembered. Edibles were carried in abundance and the tables fairly groaned with good things.

G. W. Snyder, an old acquaintance of fifty-five years standing, was chosen spokesman for this occasion. He spoke of the present and of "Ye olden time," and in behalf of those assembled, presented the bride and groom each a pair of gold bowed glasses, they also received a purse of money. Uncle John was too full for utterance but his wife thanked them beautifully with tears of joy in her eyes. The day passed off swiftly with music, singing and pleasant conversation, interspersed with reminiscences of the past. A Guest.

Manchester vs Cedar Falls. A very fair crowd was present Friday evening at the game of basket ball played at Central opera house between our Y. M. C. A. team and the Cedar Falls boys. The game was very interesting and many times the enthusiasm of the audience taxed to the utmost the lung power of those lovers of the game.

The first half was possibly the more snappy part of the game, nine fouls being called on Manchester, and Cedar Falls getting five baskets thereon. On the other hand, Williams, Manchester's left forward, threw four out of five on Cedar Falls, fouls, and also threw a basket from field making the score at the end of half 1, 5 to 7 in favor of the locals.

During the ten minute intermission the Junior team played a pretty game that was hugely enjoyed by the onlookers. The team composed of Allen Love, Ross Young, Floyd Arnold, Lewis Sabbin, and Harry Seede, captured by first named, defeated "Micky" Thorpe's team, the last named captain's men being Ray Atkinson, Earl Davis, Jay Matthews and Earl Newcomb. The scorer gave Love and his line-up five points to their opponents' goose egg.

The second half of the big game started with a basket from field thrown by W. Matthews. The game from this on for Manchester ran in a pretty series of baskets from field and baskets on foul. "Deak" Williams getting in all eight of the eleven fouls called on Cedar Falls and L. Matthews, Seedy and Houser throwing pretty baskets from field. In the second half Seedy, L. F. for Cedar Falls, threw a basket from field and Adams got a basket on Manchester's foul.

Referee B. Hoag and Umpires Jesse Lewis, for the home team, and Christie, for the visitors, all came in for the usual amount of congratulatory and also hostile demonstrations of the audience. The life of the referee and umpire is very a pathway of much uncertainty among many thorns.

Time was called with the score standing 18 to 8, the honors falling to Manchester.

Cedar Falls has as gentlemanly a set of players as has been seen on the home field for some time. Adams and Seedy of the visitors played pretty basket ball and were favorites with the audience throughout the game.

Two Very Happy Gatherings. Messrs. and Madames S. A. Steadman, W. H. Norris and E. B. Stiles may well be content that the two very happy gatherings given by them for the entertainment of their friends were of the most successful of the winter parties.

Friday evening over one hundred guests were present, the three long tables being nearly filled at the dinner at half past six. The bare publication of the menu would in no wise do credit to the sumptuous course-dinner, which was served in an exquisite manner; the dinner, however, complimented their hostesses' skill in the art of cooking by doing full justice to the generous plates of the more substantial viands and the dainty dishes of delicious desserts. The service of the dinner was made more enjoyable by the strains of sweet music furnished by Ashmore Kennedy, clarinetist, Frank Rejger, violinist, and Mrs. Retchhardt, piano accompanist.

A program, none the less enjoyable because of its being imprudent and consequently informal, occupied a part of the social evening which followed. Mrs. M. J. Moran and Miss Lois Kennedy, both favorites with Manchester audiences, sang and Harry Toogood rendered piano solos, as usual delightful to his hearers.

Good nights were said at a late hour, the guests in toto proclaiming that such an evening in so congenial an atmosphere and with such charming hosts and hostesses was well spent and an unfolding from the chrysalis of selfishness indeed.

The receiving party on Saturday evening stood in the first lobby and there the guests were warmly welcomed and passed on into the larger parlors from where through the arched doors one had a view of the great dining tables in their beautiful dresses of snowy linen, silver and china, with their elegant decorations of vases, ferns, garlands of waxen smilax, and golden candle sticks with brightly burning candles. The walls were gay with warm colored bands of cloth prettily festooned, and the light and warmth of pleasant and congenial hospitality pervaded all.

Over one hundred and twenty covers were laid for dinner, which was served in well ordered courses and to the entrancing strains of orchestral music. After the feasting over all manner of good things, the tables were quietly carried into another room and the dancers formed on for the Grand March, led by W. H. Norris and Mrs. S. A. Steadman, one of the pretty features of which was the formation of the letters, S. N. S., the initials of the entertaining hosts and hostesses. Until nearly twelve, dancing was continued by the younger guests, the older ones enjoying the various games at the card table.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Lawrence and Harry Toogood assisted in the entertaining on both evenings. And the Misses Florence Atwater, Helen Granger, Hilma Seifstrom, Blanche Lawrence, May Seifstrom, Edith Pemble, Gertrude Lawman and Mildred Johnston and Messrs. Willard Colman, Harry Austin and Henry Frowse assisted in serving.

It lacked but a few minutes of twelve, the midnight hour when the last guest bade his entertainers a reluctant good night, and the Messrs. and Madames Steadman, Norris and Stiles were left with the memory and (this is an aside) the evidence of two most successful and pleasurable evenings.

The Manchester Free Public Library. A very creditable showing was made by the librarian of our free public library in her report to the board last week. Her statements of the condition of the library can best be repeated by copying the report in full. It is as follows.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF MANCHESTER, IOWA.

Ladies and Gentlemen—I herewith submit to you the annual report for the year ending December 31st, 1900.

The past year has been a prosperous year for the library. While the circulation has not increased as in some former years there has never been a year in the history of the library in which our reference books, histories, newspapers and all other books, and other generally called for and used to such purpose as the year 1900.

Our reference department and reading room have been the favorite of our public school children, and the year 1900 has been a very successful one for the library.

The number of books circulated during the year was 11,609. The largest circulation was in the month of March, and the smallest in the month of September. In March the circulation reached 1,200, and in September it was 1,100.

There are now in the library 4,000 bound books, besides a large number of pamphlets. Its volume and many times the enthusiasm of the audience taxed to the utmost the lung power of those lovers of the game.

The amount of money collected for dues, fines and sales for the year was \$2,243. The same has been expended for freight and cartage, traveling expenses, rent of office, rent, and other running expenses. No books have been lost since last report.

Respectfully submitted,
JANUARY 1, 1901.
JENNIE JONES, Librarian.

The books recently placed on the library shelves are well chosen. The fiction is of the best and the heavier works have been purchased only after a thoughtful weighing of their importance. This is the latest list of purchases:

Jed, the Poor House Boy—Alog.—Elizabeth and Her German Garden—Anon.—Solitary Summer—Anon.—Larry's Luck (Little Men Series)—Anon.—American Statesmen: Thos. Jefferson, two volumes.—American Statesmen: Henry Clay, two volumes.—American Statesmen: Patrick Henry, two volumes.—Brook's Century Book of American Colonies.—The Booming Acre—Bangs.—The Knot that came—Bangs.—Granny's Wonderful Chair, two volumes—Francis Brown.—In Connection with De Willoughby Claim—J. H. Jones.—Black Rock—Ralph Connor.—In the Palace of the King—Crawford.—The Rulers of the South—Crawford.—Mr. Dooley's Philosophy—Dunn.—Juliana H. Ewing's set of six books.—Wanted: A Matchmaker—Ford.—The Practical—Mary E. Foote.—The Eagle's Heart—Hamlin Garland.—Boy Life on the Prairie—Hamlin Garland.—An Autobiography of a Tomboy—Gilder.—Jack Among the Indians—Grinnell.—Castilian Days—Hay.—Literary Friends and Acquaintances—Howell.—Reminiscences—Julia Ward Howe.—The Passing of Thomas and Other Stories—Janvier.—The Land of the Kangaroo—Knox.—Dorothy and Her Friends—Helen Kirk.—Dorothy Dean—Helen Kirk.—The Last Year of the Nineteenth Century.—Dr. North and His Friends—Mitchell.—Big Cypress—Munroe.—Shine Terrill—Munroe.

The Ready Ranger—Munroe.—A Lost Hero—Phelps.—The Seats of the Mighty—Park.—L'Aligou—Pope.—E. B. Adams—George Read.—Stories by the Paper Table—Shelby.—Winning Womanhood—Sawyer.—A Boy of Oathay—Stockton.—Life of Henry Drummond—Stuart.—Sunny Stories—Stuart.—Hester Stanley at St. Mark's—Spofford.—Hester Stanley's Friends—Spofford.—Alice of Old Vincennes—Thompson.—Eleanor—Mrs. Humphrey Ward.—The Youth of Wiggins.—The Tale of an Engineer—Cy Warner.—Every Inch a Soldier—Winter.—The Hur—Wallace.—Widow O'Callaghan's Boys—Zilling.—Set of Natural History books in six volumes—Lydekker.—Story of My Life—Henry B. Russell.—Darkness and Daylight—Helen Campbell.—A City Missionary of N. Y. City.—Two Years in Alaska—W. B. Haskell.—Eclipses from Pulaski and Platform—D. M. Moody.—Twenty Years Among our Savage Indians—J. Lee Humphreys, late Capt. U. S. Cavalry.

The library is receiving almost daily valuable government publications, reports on agriculture and the Indian question, fish commission and Smithsonian Institute reports, all the census returns etc., and many other important works, all of which are of inestimable value as reference works. These books and pamphlets are always accessible to the patrons, and add in no small degree to the interest and value of our free public library.

BUNKER HILL. You will want two proofreaders at last to fix up this letter, as you will see that I am a poor hand at the writing business, but I wanted to tell you what transpired last Wednesday at the Habesey home in our midst. I will commence very properly at the beginning and say that Mr. and Mrs. M. Habesey have recently rented their farm and will soon move to your city, which last year became known to the community in general through the offices of Mr. Pohlkamp and others, so last Wednesday morning over a hundred friends met at the pleasant Habesey home. About eleven o'clock the self invited guests began to arrive and if you ever saw a family surprised, it was Mr. Habesey's family. And further, when Mr. Pohlkamp drove up with a beautiful coach bought of Austin D. Brown, the furniture man, the surprise seemed more than ever complete. Mr. Pohlkamp said Brown threw off a dollar and a half on the price of the coach and upon the suggestion of Mr. Crosby, A. D. B. was given three hearty cheers. B. F. Stearns presented the beautiful piece of furniture to Mr. and Mrs. Habesey with a neat little impromptu speech, the heartiness and good will being expressed in it made us almost wish we were going to move away and have a surprise party, so we could have so many pretty things said about us. The next thing in order was the dinner, which was simply sumptuous. The ladies, who had charge of that part of the program, did themselves proud. We wondered if George Lister would be able to be in his store the next day. He was all right when he left, but we noticed it when it was leaving time. Some one said that Alf Wells was quite sociable with one of our widows but that is Alf's business and the widows. And it was a fine affair all around.

AUNT SAMANTHY. A Plattering Indorsement. Father, a gentleman who has recently entered the practice of law—Well, my boy, are you making any headway in your profession? Son—Am I? Well, I think I have a right to consider my self an adept now. Father—Indeed? What experience have you had to justify that confidence? Son—A man called me a liar today, and he was a pretty good judge too.—Boston Courier.

FOR SALE. My house and 14 acres of land, good buildings, Equipts of W. J. BOWEN, of Xoran, Artoles & Xoran, Manchester, Iowa. 50c

Three Nights at Central Opera House. Feb. 1, 2, and 3, at 8 o'clock, De Haven Comedy & Vaudeville Performance the greatest ever appeared in Manchester. Prices 15c, 25c, 35c. If you miss this attraction you see a good one.

Manchester Market. Hogs, per cwt. \$4.25 to \$4.40. Steers, per cwt. 3.00 to 3.20. Cows, per cwt. 2.75 to 2.90. Sheep, per cwt. 2.50 to 2.70. Turkeys, per lb. 10c to 12c. Ducks, per lb. 8c to 10c. Spring Chickens, per lb. 10c to 12c. Old Hens, per lb. 8c to 10c. Chickens, per lb. 8c to 10c. Eggs, per doz. 15c to 20c. Butter, per lb. 15c to 20c. Lard, per lb. 10c to 12c. Tallow, per lb. 8c to 10c. HAY, per ton. \$10.00 to \$12.00. Corn, per bushel. 50c to 60c. Potatoes, per bushel. 40c to 50c. Apples, per bushel. 20c to 30c. Peaches, per bushel. 10c to 15c. Strawberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Raspberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Blackberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Currants, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Gooseberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Elderberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Mulberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Huckleberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Raspberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Blackberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Currants, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Gooseberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Elderberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Mulberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c. Huckleberries, per bushel. 5c to 10c.

HONEST FOOTWEAR. To close out the line WE have concluded to SELL all of our Queen Quality shoes at the low price of \$2.38 while they last. Come now and get a big bargain.

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