

Mrs. C. Ferris returned from Colorado Saturday.

Henry Goodhue was a Dubuque visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. E. Bronson is the guest of relatives in Chicago.

The Sunshine Club held a picnic at the Buckhorn Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Graham's entertaining her friend Miss Wood.

F. E. Patton and family, of Ehler, spent Saturday in this city.

J. W. Oaker, of Greeley, was a Manchester visitor Monday.

Will Malven and son, Charley, were visitors in Dubuque Monday.

Mrs. D. Davis, of Iowa City, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. K. Gregg.

County Attorney Blair was in Bremen township on legal business Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Ford departed for Lake Geneva Monday morning for a month's visit.

A large number from here attended I. N. G. encampment at Dubuque last week.

Miss Blanche Taylor is visiting relatives and friends at Osage and Shell Rock.

James Cross, of Minneapolis, Minn., is a guest at the home of his uncle, J. K. Pierce.

Miss Minnie Inglesbee Collins, of Armstrong, Iowa, was a Manchester visitor last week.

Mrs. J. D. Tucker departed Saturday for Mazomanie, Wis., for a visit with her parents.

Geo. S. Lister and W. M. Confare were business visitors in Troy Mills the first of the week.

Miss Clara Craig is making a month's visit with relatives and friends at Lime Springs.

Con. Murry, of Ackley, was an over Sunday visitor with relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. E. W. Kirkpatrick and son returned Thursday from a visit of three weeks at Eldora, Kansas.

The Misses McCrams, of Chicago, are visiting at the Harvey Webber home in North Manchester.

Fred Ellis departed Friday morning for Charles City, where he has accepted a position as foreman in a laundry.

Miss Faye Ford returned Saturday evening from Iowa City, where she has been attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen, of Independence, were over Sunday visitors with relatives and friends in this city.

Reese Jones, of Des Moines, and Lester Jones, of Philadelphia, Penn., are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

The ladies of St. Mary's congregation will give an ice cream social on the church lawn Wednesday evening of next week.

Lawrence & Green sent in an ad. to late for this issue, in which they give the merits of Talcum Powders. Watch their space next week.

Miss Beth Reeves, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Slack, returned to her home in Waterloo last Tuesday.

A watch was found on the street near the Clarence home Monday. The owner will find same at Boynton & McEwen's jewelry store.

The private creamery of Elias Tripp in Coffin's Grove township, was struck by lightning last Wednesday night and destroyed by fire.

There are a few who have not yet paid their railroad tax. Today is the last day on which payment can be made without penalty for delinquency.

Mrs. Frank McKenna departed for Waterloo Wednesday evening, where she will join her husband. Mr. and Mrs. McKenna will make Waterloo their future home.

Rev. C. H. Highfield and family will return Friday from their trip to Missouri and Kansas. The regular services will be resumed in the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

July 24th ex-Governor Larabee presented Upper Iowa University with \$1,000 in cash, five thousand to go for purchase of books for the new library, donated by Carnegie, and \$21,000 to the permanent endowment fund of the institution.

Carl Clemans, who is located at Shoboniah, Washington, was united in marriage July 29th, to Miss Harriet Smith, daughter of Rev. W. T. Smith, of Boone, Iowa. The marriage took place at Ellensburg, Washington. Carl's many friends in this city wish him and his bride a happy and prosperous life.

Carrie Ehler, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ehler, of this city, departed Monday morning for Kirksville, Mo., to care for her sister, Frances, who is quite ill, and her brother, Peter, both of whom have been there for the past two years, Peter being a patient at the Still College of Osteopathy, and Frances caring for him and taking a course of instruction at the college.

The home of S. E. Turner on Franklin street was burglarized last Thursday night, the burglar securing a pair of trousers containing about \$200 in money, besides papers and a bunch of keys. The thieves made their entrance through a screen, having first removed screens from two windows, leaving two avenues of escape should they be apprehended. It was undoubtedly the work of local talent who were aware of the amount of money Sherman had in his possession.

The Chicago Record-Herald has the following to say about Klaus our new pitcher. "The Lyon & Healy team of the Commercial League has been disastrously crippled by the loss of Klaus, the star twirler of the Commercial League, and Kolar, McFarland and Fremer, the stonewall infield. Early in the season Kolar signed with the Manchester, Iowa, semi-professional club, and recently came to the city and induced his three teammates to sign with the club from the Iowa town. Klaus will be missed the most, as the musicians expected to land the Commercial League bunting with him in the box."

Miss May Sheldon is a Chicago visitor.

Hon. and Mrs. R. W. Tirrill are in Des Moines.

Dr. C. C. Bradley is in the east on a business trip.

Norman Ackley was a Clinton visitor last week.

Miss Hilma Sefstrom is making an extended visit in Chicago.

Miss Ida Crozier is visiting friends and relatives in Tama, Iowa.

Mrs. Chas. Kellogg, of Mason, Mo., is a guest of friends and relatives here.

The Misses Madeline and Ollie Tucker were Dubuque visitors yesterday.

Joseph Hutchinson and E. M. Carr went to Chicago Sunday on M. & O. business.

Miss Emily Otis has returned from Independence where she was in attendance at the Teachers Institute.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson, of Harrisburg, Pa., was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Hubert Carr the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Geo. Peterson and Mrs. L. L. Treadwell, of Rockford, Ill., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carter.

Philip Pawley has returned from Cedar Rapids, and is now on the Illinois Central payroll at the station in this place.

Senator Cal. D. Clark, of Wyoming, has been in the city several days, called here by the demise of his brother-in-law Henry F. Hamlin.

Mrs. Peter Wagner and children left Monday with her household goods for Algona, Iowa, to join Mr. Wagner who has secured employment there.

E. M. O'Meara, of North Fork township, transacted business in town last Thursday, and before returning home made an agreeable call at this office.

H. O. Shinnick, route agent of the Wells Fargo & Co. was in town yesterday, making arrangements for the opening of an office here for his company.

Wallace Butler left last Monday night for Sioux Falls, S. Dakota, where he will spend some time assisting in harvesting the immense crop of grain in that country.

R. F. Stewart was a caller at this office Monday. He estimates that the present outlook for the corn crop in Prairie township is about one-third of an average crop.

Miss Gertrude Anderson gave a party last Saturday evening in honor of her friend Miss Martha Clemans, of Cedar Rapids. Those present report an enjoyable time.

Cal. Atkins brought in his ad too late for publication in this issue, in which he announces there has been a drop in the price of sugar and wishes you to call at his store and take advantage of the low price.

Letters addressed to Miss Millie Minkler, Miss Etta Minkler, Miss Martha Hackbart, Mrs. Sarah Young, Geo. Usher, Elmer Carber, Wm. Duncan and S. T. Pierce are unclaimed at the post office in this city.

Marriage licenses were issued to Geo. A. Newman and Mamie Parkhurst, Wm. Newman and Clara Simpson, Henry G. Gramer and Anna B. Doneyer, and Irvin C. Newcomb and Burnice B. McCormack were issued by Clerk George during the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Caul are visiting at various points in this state. They will be gone about a month. The services at the Baptist church next Sunday morning will consist of a report of the Young Peoples convention held at Chicago. Further announcements will be made later.

The new post office ruling just gone into effect imposes a fine of \$500 or one year's imprisonment on anyone who through carelessness or otherwise takes some one's mail and fails to return it immediately. This applies to papers as well as letters and other valuable mail. People when taking their mail from the office should examine it before going out of the building.—Ackley World.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. W. W. Ford Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Subject: Review of the Year. An interesting feature of the program will be papers read, prepared by absent members of the society, Mrs. Miller, of Cedar Falls, and Mrs. Paul, of Des Moines. Special music will be furnished. The ladies will please notice the change in time of meeting.

"Bliz" on the dry spell says: "It does no good to grumble, and we ought to bear in mind that the weather will be colder by and by; to the present hot conditions it is hard to be resigned, but the weather will be colder by and by. The corn is looking sickly as most everybody knows, and there isn't much real comfort when the noisy wind whistles and the hot sun cooks the corn leaves and the perspiration flows—but the weather will be colder by and by."

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. William Kraus, who lived about four miles south of Garnaville and a few miles north of Luxemburg, went out to carry lunch to the men who were working in the field. While the men were eating she went a little ways from where they were to spring after a jug of water, near which place she was bitten on the foot by a rattlesnake. Medical assistance was summoned, but in spite of all that could be done she died Tuesday morning at one o'clock. About 9 o'clock the undertaker went down to their home to make preparations for the funeral and on reaching the place found the husband, William Kraus, lying dead in the house. The coroner was notified and a jury called, and upon investigation a phial containing a small quantity of strychnine was found, and it was learned that he had bid good-bye to his three small children, who were the only persons there at that time, and sent them away from the house. Consequently, after a careful consideration of all the facts surrounding the case the jury returned a verdict of suicide. No particular motive for his rash deed is known, except grief for the loss of his wife. A large family of children are left, three of them being quite small. Mr. Kraus came to this country several years ago from Pförtzheim, Baden.—Dyersville News-Letter.

W. D. Goodwin was a Dubuque visitor Thursday.

Percy and Glen Strickland are visiting Earlville relatives.

E. W. Dunham was a Dyersville visitor part of last week.

Bert Matthews is playing ball with the Estherville ball team.

Bert Matthews has signed to play with the Estherville ball team.

M. F. Leroy and son, Allen, returned Saturday from Streator, Ill.

Joe Welman, of Colesburg, was an over Sunday visitor in Manchester.

William Bartlett, of Strawberry Point, was a Manchester visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaughn departed Thursday for their home in Chicago.

The hay and oat crops, as a rule, are better in this county than last year.

Miss Florence Atwater returned home from Dubuque Wednesday morning.

Oscar von Oven, of Miles, Iowa, is a guest of his brother Hugo, in this city.

Mrs. Stephen Kolar arrived in this city Saturday and will make her home here.

Miss Gertrude Smith has accepted a position in the Fair Store as sales lady.

Addison Williams, of Monticello, was a Manchester visitor part of last week.

The drought in this section has been broken by several generous rains the past week.

Fred Holbert visited his mother and friends in Greeley a few days the past week.

B. A. Stevens, of Hampton, was a guest of his schoolmate, Clarence Lister, last week.

James Fenoy, of Pipestone, Minn., was a Manchester visitor last week a guest of his cousin, Harry Sullivan.

Mr. LeRoy of Auburn, New York, has recently removed with his family to the city where he expects to reside in the future.

The Manchester second nine scored a victory over a like aggregation from Earlville last Tuesday afternoon by a score of 13 to 4.

Mrs. W. W. Hamilton and Mrs. Dr. Loomis, of Cascade, attended the McCormick-Newcomb nuptials here last Wednesday evening.

The Misses Pearl and Lillian Stuart are visiting relatives in Strling and Morris town, Ill. They will be gone about three weeks.

R. W. Chambers, the cash store man, announces that the tony men's shoes he is offering for \$3 is the best ever offered for that price.

The Jones Mill Grange meets at John Marshall's next Saturday. Everybody is expected to bring their baskets, and to have a picnic read or speak.

Mrs. J. K. Mitts and Miss Edith Hoover, of Carroll, Ia., who have been visiting in Manchester for several weeks, departed for their home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mattison, who have been visiting relatives and friends in the city for the past week, departed the latter part of last week for their home in Beloit, Wisconsin.

Time Table, M. & O. R. R.—Through Freight—any old time.—Hark! Fast Mail—1 1 1.—Hunt! Flying Express—2 2 2.—Buz! His and Car—carries children's excursions daily. Arrivals and dismissals 7 a. m. and 6 p. m.

P. M. Littlefield, of Hopkinton, was in town yesterday. He has disposed of all of his property in this county, and leaves today for Nebraska with the view of locating there if the country suits him. He has been a resident of this county ever since his birth, nearly fifty years, and we predict that after looking around Cap. will conclude that Dubuque county is good enough for him and return to spend his remaining years here.

Harvey Cox and Miss Millie Myhre were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Myhre, on July 17, at 9 p. m., Rev. Thompson, of the Lutheran church, performing the marriage ceremony, after which light refreshments were served. Only relatives of the contracting parties were present. The bride is an accomplished and refined lady and one of the most popular in the city. Mr. Cox is employed in the Klapp pharmacy and is one of the most accommodating and faithful clerks in Estherville. For the present they make their home with the bride's parents. The Democrat joins their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.—Estherville Democrat.

The groom is the son of Mrs. A. G. Cox of this city, and has many friends here who extend to him and his bride their hearty congratulations.

The Crop Bulletin says: "The period of unprecedented heat terminated on the 27th, and the drought was broken by copious and well distributed rains on the night of the 27th and during the day and night of the 28th. The high temperature registered on the 29th and 23rd broke all previous records over so large portions of the state. It seems marvelous that any kind of vegetation survived that protracted period of intense heat. The relief was brought by showers and much lower temperature, with but little violence of wind or storm. Following are some of the heavier amounts of rainfall for the week: Forest City, 3.54 inches; Osceola, 2.54 inches; Waterloo, 1.93; Charles City, 1.83; Cedar Rapids, 1.43; Maquoket, 1.30; Marshalltown, 1.21; Ogden, 1.30; Dubuque, 2.06; Ft. Dodge, 4.00, Britt, 3.43. The extent of damage to crops cannot be determined until the effects of moisture and moderate temperature are made apparent. The reports were generally mailed on the 27th, before the drought was broken, and the estimates as to the amount of damage are exceedingly variable, as viewed from different standpoints. Generally it may be said the conditions have been more favorable in the northern than in the southern districts. Early threshing returns show better yield and quality of small grain than had been anticipated. Conditions are now more favorable for saving a portion of the late potato crop and the pastures are likely to revive."

MANCHESTER. R. H. P. A. E. Moore, C. 0 1 1 3 0. Balknap, D. 0 1 1 3 0. Malver, S. 0 0 0 0 0. Lehan, H. 0 0 0 0 0. Brant, S. 2 2 1 3 1. Kolar, S. 2 2 1 3 1. Chas. H. 0 0 0 0 0. Klaus, P. 0 0 1 2 3. Totals. 7 9 27 13 6.

OSCEOLA. R. H. P. A. E. Fox, S. 0 1 0 0 0. Lilly, C. 0 1 0 0 0. Dyer, S. 0 0 0 0 0. McElhally, S. 0 0 1 1 0. Smith, P. 0 0 1 1 0. Lehan, D. 1 1 2 2 4. Bates, B. 0 0 0 0 0. McIntire, J. 0 0 0 0 0. Totals. 6 8 26 10 8.

Meliassey succeeded Bantz in the 4th inning.

Music and Oratory. A declamatory and musical contest for silver medals will be given in City Hall this Wednesday evening July 31, program to begin at 8 o'clock. As will be remembered several competitors in music entered the contest of April 10 and were compelled to give it up on account of the prevalence of the mumps.

But they have been looking forward when an opportunity should come again, and hence are very earnest and eager for the event, all working zealously and ardently to do their best.

There are six of these bright-eyed, happy-hearted vocal aspirants and it is hoped that all who can will turn out and encourage their effort.

There are seven young people to compete for medals and honors in oratory, and each is in the race to win. The W. C. T. U. which conducts these contests feels safe in saying that this contest will be one of the most interesting yet given.

Mrs. Gibson and Cal Martin will sing. Other music and recitations will be given to make a complete program, everybody is invited, everybody is welcome, and as usual everybody is expected to be there.

Ten cents only is asked as admission.

State Christian Endeavor Convention. The program of the State C. E. Convention to be held at Cherokee August 27 to 29 is practically completed. It is a marvel of interest and helpfulness from first to last. Some of the best women and men of this and other states will be present to present their views and experience on live and practical questions of the hour. Cherokees is making great preparation in the way of entertainment, and it is earnestly desired that every part of the state be adequately represented. Local C. E. Societies are urged to take the matter up promptly and see that delegates are appointed.

Henry F. Hamlin. Henry F. Hamlin died at his home on Main street Sunday morning at five o'clock, of paralysis, of which he had been a sufferer for about five years.

Mr. Hamlin was born in Smithport, Pennsylvania, March 18th, 1834. When eleven years old he moved with his parents to Boone county, Ill., where he remained until 1856, when he removed to this county, locating at Forestville, where under the firm name of Hamlin & Son he engaged in the mercantile business, his being the largest general store in that thriving village.

In 1862 he came to this city and has since made his home here, first entering the employ of Loomis & Conger, later with Loomis & Cornish and afterwards he was a partner with the late H. N. Cornish in the hardware business. Of late years he has been employed as clerk in the Riddell & Co's., and Thorpe Bros' stores.

Mr. Hamlin was married to Miss Hattie A. Clark, at Belvidere, Ill., September 1877. To this union three children were born—Frank H., who died about five years ago, Charles F., who is engaged in the farm implement business here, and Senator, Clarence F. Hamlin, of Colorado Springs, Colorado. Mr. Hamlin's wife died about a year ago.

Mr. Hamlin, socially and as a business man, was very popular. He was a good father, kind neighbor and a respected citizen.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at two o'clock under the auspices of the Masons, of which organization he was an honored and faithful member. Rev. H. W. Tuttle, of the Presbyterian church officiated. Interment was made in the Manchester cemetery.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Manchester, in the State of Iowa, at the Close of Business, July 15, 1901.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts \$285,300 10. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 3,322 02. U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 10,500 00. Cash on hand and in process of collection 9,400 00. Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 18,844 40. Due from approved reserve agents 11,814 82. Checks and other cash items outstanding 14,000 00. Notes of other National Banks 1,345 00. Fractional paper, currency, nickels and coins 67 50. Legal money reserve in bank, viz: Specie 1,114 15. Legal-tender notes 11,500 00. U. S. Certificates of Deposit for legal tenders 22,184 75. Demand deposits 10,461 30. Total \$387,538 03.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in \$50,000 00. Surplus fund 10,000 00. Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 4,174 50. Due to National Banks and Bankers 12,000 00. Due to State Banks and Bankers 140,481 30. Demand certificates of deposit 105,131 23. Total \$387,538 03.

State of Iowa, County of Delaware.—ss. H. A. Grainger, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. H. A. Grainger, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1901. Joseph Hutchinson, Notary Public. Correct—Attest: R. R. Robinson, H. A. von Oven, Directors, H. C. Heberlein.

GREAT DROUGHT IS BROKEN. Soaking Rain Falls 'readily in the Corn Belt, Savin' 'pp. Chicago, July 26.—The great drought in the corn belt is broken. Drenching rains, falling steadily for hours, redeemed the parched fields and in a large section the grain from the withering sun and winds of the last forty days. The clouds broke over the southern western states early in the day and the rain came down in torrents in places and in drizzling continuous showers in others. Weather officials and crop experts agree that the dry spell is gone.

Continued rain is predicted for a few days throughout the entire corn belt except in its extreme western portion and southern Indiana and southern Ohio. In the Ohio and middle Mississippi valleys especially showers are expected. The temperatures have been lowered generally in the corn region, as reports show them encouragingly reduced.

FREE TRADE WITH PORTO RICO. President Issues a Proclamation and the Law is in Effect. Washington, July 26.—Assistant Secretary Spaulding has given telegraphic notice to all collectors of customs that free trade exists on and after yesterday between the United States and Porto Rico. The telegrams read as follows: "Merchandise going into Porto Rico from the United States or coming into the United States from Porto Rico, withdrawn from warehouse, exempt from duty on and after July 25, 1901, under section 3, act of April 12, 1900, and resolution and proclamation pursuant thereto."

This is in accordance with the proclamation issued by the president yesterday, in which he states that the conditions having been complied with by Porto Rico, under the Foraker law no duties are chargeable against traffic between the United States and the island.

Eucaline. It is the most efficient liquid antiseptic on the market, being highly recommended and endorsed by thousands of the most prominent physicians and dentists in the country. It is especially a mouth and tooth wash, being thoroughly antiseptic and astringent. It strengthens the mucous membrane, destroys the germs, purifies the breath and leaves a refreshing sensation in the mouth. For sale by all druggists. 15c per bottle.

Residence Property for Sale. A good house, barn and large lot in Manchester for sale at a bargain. Long time given on half of purchase money if desired. Inquire of BRONSON & CARR.

Pat lady—Don't sleep too much, exercise; don't eat fats and sweets. To reduce flesh rapidly take Rocky Mountain Tea. Acts directly on the fatty tissue. 25 cents. F. K. Gregg.

North-Western Life and Saving Insurance Company. Special Agent, A. W. Wood, of the above named life insurance company, is in Manchester looking after the interests of his company. He is offering an endorsement policy which contains some admirable features. 204

If you want some "just as good" "I make it Mountain Tea, try an imitation of Rocky Mountain Tea. It will make you sick and keep you sick. F. K. Gregg.

Residence Properties for Sale. Several fine residences in desirable portions of the City of Manchester for sale cheap. Enquire at the office of Manchester Democrat.

If young ladies think roses, peonies and red roses look well with a bright veil and orange blossoms, it is all right. For Rocky Mountain Tea, you would drive them away. 25 cents. F. K. Gregg.

BARGAIN IN RESIDENCE PROPERTY. A house and lot in one of the best residential portions of city of Manchester for sale cheap and on easy terms. Good welling base, etc. Enquire at DEMOCRAT OFFICE.

Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, New York. The Chicago Great Western Railway will sell through excursion tickets at very low rates, with choice of all rail, or rail to Chicago, Detroit or Cleveland and lake journey thence to Buffalo. Equipment and service unsurpassed. A valuable follow-up to be had for the asking. For full information and folders address any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago. 30-11-w

Reduced Rates to the Following Meetings via O. R. & N. Y. Annual State Convention, Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias and Iowa Brigade, Uniform Rank Encampment at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, August 11-15. This rate will be in effect from all Iowa points.

Triennial Conclave, Knights Templar at Louisville, Ky., August 27-31. Rate in effect at all stations on this line.

National Encampment, G. A. R. at Cleveland, O. Sept. 10-14. Rates in effect from all points on this line.

Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y. Round trip rates in effect from all stations.

Home-Seekers excursion tickets on sale the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Call on nearest ticket agent for territory to which tickets may be sold, rates, time limit, etc., or address, JNO. G. FARMER, A. G. P. & T. A., B. & O. R. & N. Y., Cedar Rapids, Ia. 29w9

Let me say I have used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims. Very truly Rev. H. W. Hathway, Elizabeth, N. J. I tried Ely's Cream Balm, and to all appearances am cured of catarrh. The terrible headaches from which I suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol., and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y. The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cents, or mailed by Ely Brothers, 55 Warren street, New York. 31-2-w

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Shoes of All Kinds.

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Semi-Annual Clearance Sale!

These sales are recognized as the foremost bargain period of the year by our customers—a time when we reduce our surplus stock and close out all odds and ends, broken lines and remnants at greatly reduced prices.

Great Reduction in Suits and Coats.

Never have we made such an offering in assortment, styles or values. Every suit, costume or wrap reduced for this event. About 60 suits and coats in all to go at about 50 cents on the dollar.

Dimities and Lawns.

The usual reductions on many special lots go into effect now, right at the height of the season while stocks are still in good shape, this will be found one of the most advantageous times to buy.

Shoes.

We have marshaled all odd lots and broken lines together, also all surplus stocks which we will close out at big reductions before the arrival of new goods.

Burton Clark.

Great Reduction In all lines of Summer Goods.

Full and Complete Stock of Domestic.

Prices as Low as the Lowest.

Remember Us When Looking for Anything in the Line of Lace Curtains, Carpets, Men's Youths' and Boys' Clothing.

Shoes of All Kinds.

YOURS RESPECTFULLY, D. F. Riddell & Co.