The Democrat.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF DELAWARE COUNTY AND CITY OF MANCHESTER.

WEDNESDAY, OCT 28, 1908.

—J. W. Malvin and J. B. Litt of Dyersville were in town Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Seeds were in Chicago last week returning home Saturday.

—Mrs. Minnie Dudley is visiting with relatives in the city. Mrs. Dudley's home is in aKnsas.

—Rae Dunham went to Cedar Rapids last week to enter the business college located in that city.

—A. B. Terril and daughter, Miss Blanche, were in Waterloo Friday, as guests of Dr. O. J. Fullerton.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Rizer are the parents of a daughter, which was born Wednesday evening, October 21.

—Mrs. George Hawley arrived in the city Wednesday evening for a short visit with Manchester friends.

—Dr. J. B. Joyce of Masonville, democratic candidate for coroner of Delaware county, was in town Thursday.

—H. J. Wilson arrived in town Wednesday evening from Portland, Oregon, and will be in the city several days.

—R. A. Maynard will speak on the subject of socialism at the City Hall Saturday afternoon, Oct. 31, at 2:30 o'clock.

—Claude Addison has sold his barber business to Harry Confare and B. F. Southall, the change made effective the first of the week.

—E. E. Gildner went to Mason City Saturday. Mrs. Gildner, who has been spending several weeks at Mason City will return home with Mr. Gildner today.

—Mrs. A. J. Lemper and son returned to their home at Waterloo Thursday evening, after a several weeks' visit with Mrs. Lemper's parents, Mr. and rs. G. S. Lister.

—Mrs. George Acers was called to Lincoln, Nebraska, last week, on account of the death of her father, the Rev. J. Zimmerman, formerly a clergyman of the Lutheran church.

—County clerk James Bishop suffered a painful but not serious injury to his arm while building fence on his farm in Milo township, last week. We never surmised that a candidate for office would fix any but political fences at this stage of the campaign.

—Friday evening a west bound freight collided with the rear end of another freight which was standing near the Tama street crossing. The caboose was badly broken up and damage done to other parts of the trains. Fortunately no one was injured.

—The Young People's Union of the Baptist church will give their October literary social Friday evening at the home of Lewis Cocking, a few miles south west of town. A Halloween program will be rendered. All members of the society and their friends are cordially invited.

—Wednesday morning, the small ware house belonging to Hutchinson & Atwater, and located across the alley at the rear of the hardware shop, was slightly damaged by fire. The flames were discovered at about 7:30 o'clock, and a handy patent extinguisher was used effectively before the fire department arrived.

—Mrs. F. W. Britnall of Fort Morgan, Colorado, is being entertained at the home of her brother, F. D. Joseph Mrs. Britnall arrived in the city Saturday and will remain for some time.

—The Ladies Aid society of the Golden church will serve dinner next Tuesday, election day, near the Milo township voting place. The voters are cordially invited to bring their families and take dinner at the Belcher home that day.

—C. H. Parker, the feed man, occupies a half page ad in this issue announcing his removal to his new location opposite the court house. Mr. Parker has remodeled the building and put in a weighing scales adjoining the premises on the east. During his residence here Mr. Parker has, by honest business methods, established a good trade, which will doubtless increase in his new location.

—Mrs. C. D. Elder of Columbia Falls, Montana, and formerly of Manchester is visiting in the city. Mrs. Elder was in Chicago, where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Harry Dawson, who was suddenly killed on his train some weeks ago. Mrs. Elder will be in town until the latter part of the week, when she will leave for the west.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Pierce were in Chicago Thursday and Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Acers leave the first of November for Hammond, Louisiana, where they will spend several weeks, before going to St. Petersburg, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Acers have wintered at Hammond and St. Petersburg for the past eleven years, and at the latter resort, have a cottage, furnished complete, beside a launch, fishing tackle, and all the paraphonalia requisite to having a good time. There will be the usual delegation of Manchester people who will spend the winter in the southland and as soon as the tourist six-month tickets are placed on sale by the railroads, they will take advantage of the special rates.

—The Milwaukee railway advertise: an exhibit car which is to be in Manchester on Tuesday, Novvember 19. This coach will contain agricultural products collected from western Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington along the Pacific coast extension of the Milwaukee. This method of advertising the possibilities and resources of a farming country is gaining in favor with the majority of railroads, both in the southern and western portions of the country. It will be remembered that the Illinois Central conducted a series of lectures thru Illinois last month, in charge of Capt. J. F. Merry of this city, and the Milwaukee railway officials are preaching the doctrines of farming in the west, in order to settle up the country along the Pacific extension.

—Mrs. F. S. Griffin of Masonville was in town Saturday.

—Mrs. J. D. Kennedy visited with friends at Nashua last week.

—Mrs. O. C. Clark was in Strawberry Point Friday, visiting friends.

—Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson and Mrs. S. H. Bradley were at Independence Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Grems are at Fredericksburg this week, visiting with relatives.

—The Outing club was entertained Saturday at the home of Mrs. William Ball at Delaware.

—Mrs. L. Matthews, Mrs. A. B. Hetherington and Mrs. I. A. Moreland were in Dubuque today.

—R. S. Johnston returned to this city Saturday from a trip through Wisconsin and Illinois.

—Mrs. Andrew Brackett and daughter, Miss Mable Dubois, went to Des Moines last week, where they will reside.

—Mrs. George W. Dunham is at home from Vermillion, South Dakota, where she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett for several weeks.

—E. S. Cowles of Lamont, who was in town a part of last week, visiting at the homes of his sons, returned to Lamont Saturday.

—Mrs. Mary Ballard went to Charles Citty this morning to enter an old ladies' home, in which institution she expects to remain indefinitely.

—At the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning the minister will speak on "The Voice of the Past." In the evening the usual services will be held.

—E. W. Hoag left this morning for Quasqueton in his Ford car, to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. T. Cooper, who, for the past twenty-five years, has been landlady of the well known hotel at Quasqueton.

—The Andrew Swanson residence, Fayette street has been remodeled throughout, being fitted with modern heating and lighting systems and plumbing. The exterior has also been improved.

—Mrs. C. H. Taylor and Mrs. Alton Dunham went to Independence this morning to spend several days at the home of the Rev. T. E. Taylor, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in that city.

—Wm. B. Smith of this city and Mrs. J. D. Welch of Volga left this morning for Boise City, Idaho. They will spend several weeks at that place as guests of Mr. Smith's daughter, Mrs. L. A. Bush, Mrs. Welch intending to return to her home in Volga in November, while Mr. Smith will go to California, where he will spend the winter.

—Messrs. A. S. Lawrence, William Auchey and F. S. Badger of Marion were in the city Monday. These gentlemen are representatives of the Milwaukee, and were inspecting the Manchester & Oneida railway engine, which was sent to Marion last week for repairs. The Milwaukee failed to make the necessary improvements in the locomotive, and it will be sent back this week to have the final touches put on it.

—The Butler street concrete culvert is nearing completion. Other improvements have been made near and adjacent to this bridge. H. F. Arnold has reinforced his stone wall embankment on the east side of his property with cement, and curbing has been laid in front of his residences, and the M. K. Brown property has been likewise improved. Cement walks will be constructed on both sides of the street.

changes made.

—The three car loads of Ben Davis apples, which were received by the grocerymen in town, have been good sellers, the shipments arriving from Savannah, Missouri, via the Manchester & Oneida and Illinois Central. The constant and increasing demand for this fruit compelled the dealers to make large purchases, several hundred bushels being handled by each merchant.

—Mrs. John Malvin left Monday night for St. Paul, Minnesota, to attend the funeral of her brother, W. H. McCray, who died October 26th, 1908. Mr. McCray lived at Greeley for many years, and was well known throughout the county. He moved to St. Paul about six years ago. Mr. McCray was 68 years of age at the time of his death. He is survived by six children, three brothers and two sisters.

—P. F. Madden was at Alma, Iowa, last week, called to that place on account of the death of his brother, J. F. Madden. The funeral was held Friday afternoon.

—Company D. was well represented by the crack rifle team which attended the state shoot at Des Moines last week. Capt. H. G. Utley, Privates Oscar Smith and D. A. Praussner stood high and will participate in the regimental contest to be held later.

—J. V. Dittemore of New York City and Jas. A. Neal of Boston were in the city Saturday and Sunday, for the purpose of looking over the territory adjacent to Manchester, with the view of establishing a milk condensing plant here. These gentlemen claim to have several large milk condensing factories through the country, one being located at Perry, Iowa, and with Mayor L. Matthews, L. L. Hoyt and H. L. Rann inspected the town and were advised of the conditions existing in this vicinity.

Sons of Veterans Organize.

About fifteen charter members met Wednesday evening to organize a local camp of Sons of Veterans. The meeting was held in the post rooms of the G. A. R., and was attended by the members of that body as well as by those of the W. R. C.

T. H. Carrothers called the meeting to order, and announced that the first business of the evening would be to elect officers. Mr. Carrothers was electted by acclamatiton to the office of commander, and C. J. Boardway was chosen senior vice commander, Walter E. Sedgwick junior vice commander, Howard Commerford as camp commander, Harry Logan as second member, Guy Bishop as third member. L. E. Pride was appointed by the commander as secretary and G. F. Bloodsworth as treasurer. The offices of chaplain, patriotic instructor, sergeant and corporal of the guard, inside and outside guard, musician, and color bearer are yet to be appointed. The charter fee of $25 was subscribed, a small deficit being made up by R. W. Tirrill, Abner Dunham and Mrs. A. J. C. Carter.

It is expected that a representative of the state order will be in the city within a few weeks, at which time another meeting will be held. In the meantime, all applicants for membership will be received into the order for the chartership fee, one dollar.

The ladies of the Relief corps served refreshments at the close of the business meeting.

MRS. E. O. CLEMANS.

Mrs. E. O. Clemans died Monday evening, October 26, 1908 at her home on Franklin street. In her death one of Delaware county's oldest residents passes to her reward. She was the widow of the late E. O. Clemans and her many old friends deeply regret her death. She had been in failing health for some time and all of her children had been by her side for several weeks to give her comfort in her last illness. She was a true christian woman whose noble character and gentle manner endeared her to all who knew her. Of Mrs. Clemans it can be truly said, that she was a good mother and devoted to the welfare of her family, the greatest tribute that can be paid to woman.

Maria Calhoun was born October 18, 1836 at Alton, Illinois. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Calhoun who removed to Georgetown, Wisconsin, in 1846. She was united in marriage with E. O. Clemans, on April 21, 1859, and they immediately came to Iowa, settling on a farm north of Manchester. They resided there until about twenty-five years ago, when they removed to this city. To them were born eight children, six of whom are living, Hugh, George and Howard of this city, W. O. Clemans of Cedar Rapids, C. L. Clemans of Snohomish, Washington, and Mrs. Gertrude Flanagan of Mankato, Minnesota. Eva and Matthew died in infancy. Her husband preceded her in death, October 3, 1888. Mrs. Clemans was a member of the First Presbyterian church of this city, and was always an active and consistent worker of that congregation. The funeral service will be held at the family residence on Franklin street this, Wednesday, afternoon, Rev. W. H. Ensign officiating.

MRS. R. H. COTTON.

Mrs. R. H. Cotton died at her home on Butler street Monday morning, October 26, 1908, at the age of 79 years and 21 days. She was born at Norwich, Hampshire county, Massachusetts, and was married to George Cotton December 30, 1860. Two children were born, both of whom are living: Mrs. F. E. Richardson of Manchester, and George Cotton of New Orleans, who is now in the city. Mrs. Cotton was a sister of Mrs. R. W. Tirrill.

Her death is the result of a hip disease, contracted when a child of eleven years of age. Mrs. Cotton was a member of the Congregational church until 1859, when she joined the Presbyterian society by letter. The funeral was held this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home, Rev. W. H. Ensign, officiating. Her many friends deeply regret the death of this estimable woman.

GILDNER BROS. ADD ONE.

Another large clothing house has been purchased by Gildner Brothers. W. E. Gildner, who managed the Manchester store several years ago, and now located at Mason City, last week traded his Delaware county farm for the Stevens Clothing house at Charles City. An invoice was made of the stock a few days ago, and the manager appointed to conduct the fifth store was C. B. Brown of Mason City.

Gildner Brothers have been located in Manchester for the past six years, and during that time have built up and enjoyed a profitable business. Their liberality and progressiveness, together with proper conservative management, have given them a place in the state as a firm of foremost business men, and with their five stores, stand in a position to obtain good bargain prices from the wholesale houses which is a direct benefit to their customers. This firm is now considered one of the largest retail clothing concerns in the state.

District Court Happenings.

The district court of Delaware county again convened on Monday morning, with Judge F. C. Platt on the bench. The following matters were acted upon:

Law.

William A. Kenny vs. Illinois Central R. R. Jury called, sworn and impanelled. Statements of case made to jury.

Melvin Reeder vs. Jos. Garrett. Petition to establish boundary line. Case set for trial, J. B. and A. M. Utt withdrawing appearance.

Chancery.

John P. Kremer vs. Hugh Reed et al. To quiet title. Judgment as prayed.

Probate.

Estate of Andrew Engler. Petition for widow's dower or distributive share. Second day of next term of court fixed for hearing applicaiton of widow to have her dower admeasured.

Guardianship Stephen Hebron. Petition to sell real estate. Calvin Yoran appointed guardian ad litem for defendant.

Estate L. M. Davis. Probate of will. Julia A. Davis appointed administratrix, without bond.

Estate Richard Butterfield. Petition of authority to assign mortgage. Administrator authorized to assign mortgage as prayed in making distribution of estate as prayed.

Estate Geo. J. Colyer. Demurrer to claimants of Western Cottage Organ Co. Demurrer to claimants sustained.

Criminal.

State of Iowa vs. W. F. Copeland. Defendant having appeared and given bond as provided by law for support of child in the sum of $750, the defendant is discharged and appearance bond released.

State of Iowa vs. W. F. Copeland. Defendant having appeared and given bond for support of wife in the sum of $750, defendant is discharged and appearance bond is released.

The grand jury reported on Monday and was dismissed. The report has not been made public as yet.

Works of Art.

Lovers of art will be pleased to know that we have some very fine copies of pictures of great masters to be seen at the Louvre, Paris. If you cannot go to Paris, come to the library and see these very fine copies.

LIBRARIAN.

SOCIETY.

The Friday afternoon club will meet this week with Mrs. E. Hoag at her residence on Union street.

At the personage of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, October 20, 1908, at 6:30 o'clock, was celebrated the wedding of Mr. B. S. Mullen and Miss Ethel Lawrence, both of this city. The service was read by Rev. W. H. Ensign. Mr. an Mrs. Mullen left that evening for Chicago, where they will spend several weeks, and after November 15, will be at home on Fayette street. Mr. Mullen is chief electrician of the Delaware County Telephone company.

Captain Merry to be at Natchez.

Capt. J. F. Merry goes to Natchhez, Mississippi, next month at the invitation of the Natchez Chamber of Commerce to speak at the Two States Farmers Institute. In an interview given to a representative of this paper, the Captain is quoted as follows:

The boweevilwhich made such ravages in Texas for the past two years, has reached Mississippi and Louisiana and its invasion has alarmed planters and farmers in those states. In order that some means be suggested and ways devised to arrest the coming of this pest or reduce his coming or reduce the losses that the farmers in these states will sustain by his coming, the Natchez Chamber of Commerce has called this Two-States Farmers' Institute, to which the Governors of the Southern States and prominent speakers have been invited The subject appointed to me is "Diversified Farming," which will be read at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, November 26.

"I will introduce quotations from letters which I have received from northern farmers located in those two states, who write what they have done in the way of growing certain crops during the past season, and the variety is really astonishing. The bow evil is simply an enemy of the cotton boll and does not thrive on any other product. For this reason, the sure way to thwart his design, is to grow other crops, which can be done successfully and profitably in both these states, as I shall make it appear in my address."

Mrs. Merry will accompany the Captain, and while in the South will visit at Vicksburg with Capt. and Mrs W. E. Rigby, and at other cities.

STRAUS GIVES REASONS

The New York Merchant and Philanthropist Declares Election of Bryan Means Business Prosperity.

Nathan Straus, the great New York merchant and philanthropist, in announcing his reasons for supporting Mr. Bryan, said:

"I feel sure that he will be elected, and I say, as a business man, one who is as much interested perhaps as any, in the general prosperity of the country, as one who is bound to feel personally any lack of prosperity among the masses, that I believe his election will be a benefit to all the country, and to all of the people. Those that talk otherwise, those that predict panic and disaster, as the result of the election of an honest man, chosen by an honest majority of the people, are narrow minded and short-sighted, or pretend to believe that which they know is not true, or they are seeking to obscure the real and vital issues of the campaign. Mr. Bryan will make a safe, reliable, conscientious president, a president for all of the people, the rich and the poor, the big man and the little. He will represent the American people, not any class, and for that reason I shall work for him until election and vote for him on election day."

Snappy Fall Overcoats.

The kind all tasty and stylish; the kind that fit perfectly and are tailored by hand by the best skilled workmen. We have added one more store to our claim, making five stores in all. We now buy in larger quantities than before, and our buying power has increased wonderfully.

For this season our $15.00 coats are $18.00 values, $18 00 coats are $20.00 and $22.50 values. All through our line you will notice this feature.

$18 $20

NOTICE No. 6, NOT 3.

We have decided to add three more prizes to our Corn Contest in order to give you a better chance to win a prize, which is an advertisement for you even the prize is small.

12 Ears—1st prize—$15 Suit, Overcoat or Fur Coat
12 Ears—2d prize—$10 Suit or Overcoat
12 Ears—3d prize—$4 pair of Men's Shoes
12 Ears—4th prize—$3 Fur Driving Mittens
12 Ears—5th prize—$2 Hat or Cap
12 Ears—6th prize—$1 pair Mittens

Bring in some corn; it costs you nothing to enter and will be worth many dollars if you get either prize or an advertisement.

Gildner Bros

STAR BRAND SHOES ARE BETTER

MACK SEES VICTORY

Democratic National Chairman Declares That Bryan Will Carry East and West.

REPORTS SHOW RISING TIDE

Ohio, Indiana and New York in the Democratic Column.

Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, is confident of the election of Mr. Bryan as president. In a statement summing up the situation he said:

"Three weeks ago it was apparent that the tide had turned toward Democracy, and that every outward evidence pointed to a Democratic victory in November. The situation is far better now than then, and I am confident in the belief that Mr. Bryan will be elected president. In fact, the campaign, from the Democratic viewpoint, has steadily improved with each succeeding week. As Mr. Bryan has presented the issues in various sections of the country, the people have become more and more convinced that his election is for the permanent prosperity and best interests of the nation.

"Of the many reports I have received from the various states there has not been one discouraging to our cause. On the other hand, all of our information has indicated that there will be a remarkable decrease in the Republican vote, and this statement applies alike to the banner Republican state of Pennsylvania as well as to states like New York, Ohio, and Indiana. Mr. Bryan will not only receive the majority of the electoral vote, but one of the greatest popular votes ever given a candidate.

Says Fight Is Won.

"The fight is won, but we must keep everlastingly at it for the remaining two weeks of the campaign. Our reports have been of such an encouraging nature that I have at times had fears least some of those on duty would, in their enthusiasm, let up in the fight, and my parting word to those at headquarters is that they continue their efforts just as aggressively as if the contest had to be won in the declining days of the campaign.

"The Democratic party has a greater membership than the Republican party. The only question with us in recent years has been to get our folks together in harmonious and united phalanx. I do not believe there is a Democrat in the entire country who is outside of the breastworks in this campaign, and that is the greatest reason to my mind why Mr. Bryan will be inaugurated president on March 4 next. I will not attempt to give figures, but I will say now that New York, Ohio, and Indiana are Democratic this year, and my prediction does not take into consideration a number of other states that will swing from the Republican to the Democratic column on election day."

Republicans Pass the Lie.

Republican campaign managers have been endeavoring to create the impression that James Duncan, first vice president of the American Federation of Labor, is not in sympathy with the labor movement advocated by Mr. Gompers, urging union labor to support its friends and defeat its enemies in the present campaign. Mr. Duncan was advised of this fact and asked to state his attitude in the matter. His reply is explicit and gives the lie to the Republican managers who have been seeking to place him in a false light.

List of Trust Allies.

The Republican national committee is sending out a letter asking for "cash contributions," in which the declaration is made that "the election of Judge Taft and James S. Sherman is essential to the welfare of the country."

The letter is of interest by reason of the character of the men whose names appear on the letterhead, and who make this appeal. Here are the men who sign the letter informing the people of the country that Bryan's election will be dangerous:

Charles F. Brooker, head of the brass trust and vice president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, against which a government suit is now pending in the Federal courts.

Charles Nagel, of Missouri, one of the general attorneys of the Standard Oil company. This Standard Oil representative is in charge of Republican national campaign headquarters in Chicago.

Frank O. Lowden, multi-millionaire son-in-law of the late George M. Pullman, and now head of the great Pullman Palace Car trust, to which the traveling public pays tribute.

T. Coleman Du Pont, the head of the powder trust, which is fighting a suit against dissolution.

Boise Penrose, the political "boss" of the corrupt political machine in Pennsylvania.

George R. Sheldon, the personal representative of J. Pierpont Morgan, in the capacity of director in all his trust companies, and who collected trust money for the election of Governor Hughes of New York.

William Nelson Cromwell, the legal representative of Edward H. Harriman and probably the greatest trust lawyer in the United States.

Fred W. Upham, the "fat fryer" for the Republican party in the west, and the man who wrote letters to corporations whose property he assessed by virtue of his position as a member of the board of review in Chicago.

Farmers and Business Men Know.

This is a fine outfit to advise the farmers and business men in the west how to vote. Two of the signers are heads of corporations which are fighting for their existence in the courts. Of course these men think Bryan's election dangerous; that is natural when one becomes acquainted with their connections. But there is not a legitimate business man in the nation, small or large, who has any reason to fear a Democratic victory.

A Hoodoo Apartment.

Countless fires have been set by the careless throwing away of lighted cigar and cigarette ends; but the most curious occurred in a London apartment, which chanced to be so situated that twice the haphazard toss of cigarette stubs from a passing omnibus top carried them through an open window, and the place was set on fire. —Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Farm for Rent.

A 200 acre farm for rent on shares. Inquireh at this office. 1 wk.

SACRIFICE SALE

A modern cottage. 6 per cent. investment annually. Enquire of this office. Another cottage for rent situated on Union street.

FOR SALE.

Chester white stock hogs, enquire of the undersigned on the Bronson & Carr farm.

Straub Bros.,
Manchester, Iowa.

Kansas Land.

HOMESTEAD of 160 acres, level, smooth and best of soil, adjoining other land that exchange for $12.50 to $15 per acre. Will locate you for $200. Particulars obtained, Lock Box 148, Tribune, Kas. 5 wks

The first Winter term of the new Waterloo College of Commerce, and the Oelwein Business University Mr. Eklund's Great Business Training Schools, begins Nov. 2d. Fourteen students accepted positions within the last two weeks. Catalog free.

Oct 21 and 28.

WANTED—Success Magazine requires the services of a man in Manchester to look after expiring subscriptions and to escure new business by means of special methods manent; prefer one with experience but would consider any applicant wit $1.50 per day, with commission option. Address, with references, R. C. Peacock, Room 102, Success Magazine Bldg., New York.

41—w2

LAND FOR SALE.

In Iowa, North and South Dakota and Minnesota. Parties contemplating investing in Iowa, North and South Dakota or Minnesota will make no mistake in seeing me before going to look for land, as I have gone to considerable expense to inform myself in regard to land as above mentioned. I am here to give this information to parties interested and guarantee the advice to be correct. I will accompany parties to look these lands over and should they invest will refund all traveling expenses. Will also take in mill property or stores, or any other trade that you have. I have in Allamakee county the best bargains that ever were given in land, ranging from $20.00 to $60.00 per acre. Write or call and see these lands.

C. J. WAGNER,
40 wks12 Lansing, Iowa.

House for Sale.

A well improved residence property with two acres of land for sale at a bargain. Two blocks from Fair Grounds. Inquire of Bronson, Carr & sons, Manchester, Iowa.

For Sale.

A good light wagon. Inquire at the home of Vern Burrington.

80-Acre Farm for Sale.

If you want to buy a good 80-acre improved farm in this county, located within two miles of a railroad station, we have such a farm for sale. The farm is all under cultivation, has good dwelling, is well fenced, partly with woven wire, two wells, new buggy shed, hen house and garnery. For a person who wants to purchase a small farm, this is a splendid opportunity.

For terms and further information, apply to BRONSON, CARR & SONS,
24tf Agents for owners.

Bulbous Plants for Sale.

All kinds of bulbs for winter plants for sale at the C. L. Adams green house: Hyacinthhs, lilies, narcisses, etc.

C. L. Adams, Manchester.

Chrysanthemums

In large and gorgeous variety. All sizes and prices for the next six weeks. Phone 431.

C. L. ADAMS.

CLOAKS

Hundreds of beautiful garments, each a specimen of perfect finish, representing the very best of this season's styles, and our prices are unquestionably lower than those of former years.

Ladies' Empire Coats

An immense assortment of blacks and colored Kerseys and Broadcloths, in this very popular style, curved short waist effects, full ripple backs, trimmed with braid and satins. garments that are well worth $18.00 and $20 00

Special Price

$12.50, $16.50

NEWEST

Dress Goods and Silks

An endless exhibit—the greatest bargain offering of the season in desiable Dress Fabrics.

50-inch diagonal Serges, cheveron weaves, all wool Panama cloth, Broadcloths, good heavy weights for suits in a full variety of colors. Regular $1.25 and $1.50 values,

Special Price $1.00

20 wieces 45, 50 and 54-in. suitings, in a good assortment of colors, herringbone serges, fancy check, all wool Panama, fancy stripe serges—a special purchase, enabling us to make a price of 85c per yard, values up to $1.35 per yard.

B. CLARK

CLOAKS

We are now ready with a new and well selected stock of

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDRENS' CLOAKS.

They consist of the latest styles, correct in fit, and will please you in price.

Your are invited to call and see what we have before purchasing a garment of any kind. We think we have got the one you are looking for.

W. L. DREW

The Hockaday Lumber Company

DEALERS IN

Pine and Hardwood Lumber

POSTS, WOOD, ETC.

GAY STREET, MANCHESTER, IOWA.

A Wise Man

Will build now when lumber is low in price, a point which it may never reach again—in fact it has already advanced but we have not changed our price, having bought a very large stock, the largest in this section of the country, when the price was at the owest point. No delay, as we have the goods in stock. Come and see us and we will do you good.

COAL, LIME, PLASER AND CEM E N at lowest prices.

Manchester Lumber Co.

J. W. RABENAU, Mg'r. Phone 156