

# "Santa Claus" will arrive December 2nd, at the Variety 5 and 10c. Store.

## Watch for announcement next week.

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**Kirschbaum Clothes**  
ALL WOOL  
HAND TAILORED



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Clothes satisfy; in style, in all-wool fabrics, in fine tailoring, fit, etc.

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Largest, Best and Safest  
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### While on the job

and you do not care to carry overalls, a pair of working pants is what you need. In fact you should have several pairs.

### These working pants

are well cut, generously proportioned and strong made. They fit well, look well and wear well. Cost is very little, their value unusually great.

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### Short Horn Bulls and Duroc Jersey and Poland China Boars. For Sale.

We have some young Registered and Grade Shorthorn Bulls for sale from stock which we have been breeding for the past 30 years. These bulls are bred by Ardie Gem of Maine Valley and he by Golden Fame. We also have for sale some pure bred Duroc Jersey boars. These animals are large and well bodied and of good color. We also have some Poland China boars for sale.

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### THE LOCAL NEWS OF DELAWARE COUNTY

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENTS

#### DELAWARE.

Mrs. I. A. Spear spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. George Hendrickson of Arlington.

Miss Lewis Spaulding of Waterloo is visiting friends in town.

Lev Maxwell is still very ill.

Edwin Malmgren spent Sunday with relatives in Davenport.

O. H. Briedenthal of Hopkinton transacted business in town Saturday.

Miss Minnie Nieman was a Manchester caller Saturday.

The ladies of the cemetery association will hold their dinner and apron sale at the hall on December 13th. Each member is requested to make some article.

Misses Millie and Alma Maxwell spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Davis spent Saturday with relatives in Earlville.

Mrs. C. S. Harvey is very ill at this writing, her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Floyd Peterson of Waterloo is visiting at the Lars Nelson home.

Little Ruth and Esther Glenn are visiting relatives in Dubuque.

Lee Fear of Earlville spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. Fear.

Mrs. Byron Holdridge of Delhi is visiting at the Lew Maxwell home.

Miss Ada Cramer of Manchester spent Wednesday with relatives in town.

Arthur Wheelock of Hopkinton spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. A. J. Rusha.

Miss Edna Crouse of Hopkinton who has been visiting at the L. H. Davis home is now attending school near Spring Branch.

Curtis Davis was a Manchester caller Monday.

E. P. Coates was a Delhi caller last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rusha and sons spent Sunday with relatives in Manchester.

Mrs. E. E. Mittelstadt and Pansy Griffin were shopping in Manchester last week.

### DR. A. H. WEBER

of Des Moines  
**The Eye and Ear Doctor**  
Who Cures



Will be at  
**CLARENCE HOTEL**  
after 1:30 p. m.  
**SAT., DEC., 2.**

Mr. Bert Steiner, the well known and popular druggist, cured of serious Optic Nerve disease by Dr. Weber.

Des Moines, Iowa, April 1, 1903.

I hereby wish to publicly express my appreciation and sincere thanks to Dr. Weber for his marvelous cure of my eyes. My eyes began to trouble me about six months ago. I did not pay much attention to them at first, not thinking anything serious was the matter. My sight gradually became more dim every day and almost before I realized it all was everything was cloudy and appeared blurred, and then I knew blindness was coming upon me. I could not recognize people only by their walk and voice. I could not see ordinary print at all and could no longer attend to business as pharmacist.

Something must be done. I was personally acquainted with Dr. Weber and had known of his reputation and skill for years. He made a thorough examination of the inside of my eye and found I had the much dreaded optic nerve disease. Under ordinary treatment this disease is usually considered incurable, but I started treatment by Dr. Weber's new method and my sight gradually returned so that in a few months time I was again enabled to resume my duties as pharmacist, and I am thankful to say that Dr. Weber restored my sight and I am able to see perfectly well I can recommend Dr. Weber to all having eye trouble.

Very truly yours,  
Bert Steiner.

Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Cured. Glasses Perfectly Fitted. Kindly inform your friends

#### COLEBURG.

There was a large wedding at the A. H. Kipp home last Wednesday. Henry Elkens and Miss Dora Kipp, being the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Paape at St. Boniface church, New Vienna at 8 o'clock in the morning. Nearly forty families were present at the home to offer congratulations and partake of the wedding feast. Dancing was indulged in in the evening and also on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Elkens will reside on a farm near the parental home. It is the wish of their many friends that their wedded life may be a long and happy one.

We are in receipt of the following communication which we gladly append.

A ladies Shakespeare Club was organized on the 15th inst. at the home of Mrs. Julia Bolsinger. Those constituting the charter members are as follows: Mrs. Mary J. Wilson, president; Miss Anna Riegall, vice president; Miss Anna Riegall, treasurer; members—Mrs. Virginia Ditzler, Mrs. Elizabeth Grimes, Misses Blanche Grimes, Mildred Bush, Gertrude Moreland, Fannie Moreland, and Hattie Krueple. The club will be called the Clonian Club. Club colors are white and green.

From this beginning we hope to grow and multiply as the sands of the sea in numbers and knowledge. We are looking forward to a pleasant and profitable year's study in the realm of Shakespearean lore, and as we are sure to secure much inspiration through our young pastor, Rev. G. H. Harvey, who is an accomplished Shakespearean scholar and a gentleman of erudite learning, having graduated with unusual honors some few years since at Bowdoin College classic hall, Maine. The gentleman is also a seasoned orator, having been upon the lecture platform for some time as well as a popular pulpiteer. The next meeting of the Clonian Club will be held at the home of Miss Mildred Bush Wednesday evening, November 29, 1911.

(Signed) Mrs. M. J. Wilson.

While Bert Nebel and his sister were enroute home from the Kipp-Elkens wedding Wednesday evening, their horse ran away. They were both thrown out when the buggy was upset in the ditch. Neither was seriously injured however, but the buggy was smashed to smithereens. The horse was caught after running a considerable distance.

Mrs. Jennie Moreland was over from Guttenberg the first of the week to spend a few days with friends.

Wm. Vail of Macomb, Illinois, is a guest here at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. W. Maxwell.

Wes Schwietert of Redfield, South Dakota, is here for a visit with his mother and numerous other relatives and friends.

Henry Littig and Wm. Adams drove to Guttenberg Sunday, where a meeting of the blacksmiths of this section was held.

Miss Carrie Munyon has returned to her home at Bayard, the millinery season having closed.

John H. Adams has secured the services of Mr. Lippert of Dyersville, who will assist him in the local barber shop.

C. F. Kneeb and family left last Monday for Great Bend, Kansas, where they expect to spend the winter.

Mrs. D. W. Smith and son Carl have returned from Cedar Rapids and will probably remain here for the winter.

Dr. M. E. Dittmer was a professional caller at Guttenberg on Monday.

### Public Sales

#### PUBLIC SALE.

Having sold my farm, I will sell on the premises, 4 1/2 miles north of Masonville and 4 1/2 miles south of Dundee, on

#### Thursday, December 7.

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property:

Cattle, 22 head—10 milch cows, all with calf; 2 heifers, with calf; 5 steer calves coming two years old; 5 spring calves.

Horses, 7 head—Dark bay mare 6 years old, weight 1,350; bay mare 7 years old, weight 1,375; bay mare 13 years old, weight 1,200; d. rk bay mare, 12 years old, weight 1,100—a good family mare; black gelding, coming two years old; sorrel gelding, one year old; a riding or driving pony.

Hogs, 52 head—42 spring shoats and 10 fall pigs.

Sheep, 39 head—A fine flock of standard bred sheep, 39 in number, 33 ewes and 1 buck.

Machinery, grain, etc.—500 bushels of corn, 200 bushels of oats, 45 bushels of rye, 10 bushels of last year's seed corn, a quantity of corn fodder; Deering corn binder, nearly new; McCormick hay binder, nearly new; Deering mowder, Dain hay binder, Dain side delivery rake, Emerson gang plow, three section drag, weeder, case pulverizer, Bradley walking cor plow, wagon with box and four-inch tires, Great Western manure spreader, Sharpless cream separator in good order, milk tester, shoveling board, set dump boards, feed cocker—50 gallons, grindstone, corn sheller, pair oscillating bobs, pair four-horse eveners, set of 1 1/4 inch work harness, set 1 1/2 inch Conklin harness, 2 pairs leather fly nets, single harness, 50-egg Buckeye incubator, 150-egg Iowa incubator, 150-egg Sure

Hatch incubator, home-made brooders coops and yards, 2 hay poles, hay fork and 150 feet of rope, guy ropes and pulleys, barley fork, wire tightener, woven wire tightener, wheelbarrow, Round Oak heater, 2 gasoline sows, lawn mower, church and butterworker, combined, hay rack, cross-cut saw, wedges, tling, etc.

Also 60 full-blood Plymouth rocks and a few full blood roosters, both Plymouth Rock and Leghorn.

#### Free Lunch at Noon.

Terms—On all sums of \$10 or under, cash; on all sum over \$10 one year's time on bankable notes at 8 per cent. All property must be set- tled for before removal.

Mrs. Olive Hazelrigg,  
E. J. Hopkins, Auctioneer.  
W. D. Hoyt, Clerk.

#### PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer at public auction on what is known as the Old Moore farm, 2 1/2 miles south- west of Dundee and 5 1/2 miles north- east of Masonville and 7 miles southeast of Lamont, on

#### Wednesday, November 29.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property:

4 head of horses—Black horse, coming 9 years old, weight about 1400; sorrel horse, coming 5 years old, weight about 1250; bay gelding, coming 2 years; sorrel mare, coming 2 years old.

26 head of cattle—9 choice milch cows; 2 heifers that will be cows in the spring; 3 black steers, coming 3 years old; 2 steers coming 2 years; 1 grade bull, two years old; 9 spring calves.

90 head of hogs—42 will be al- most ready to ship by day of sale; 2 sows with pigs about 5 weeks old; the rest are fall pigs that are wean- ed; 1 Poland China stock hog, 18 months old.

12 tons of tame hay in barn, 1 stack of straw; about 1500 bushels of corn in crib; about 500 bushels of oats; 10 bushels seed corn; 10 bush- els potatoes; some chickens and geese.

1 McCormick grain binder nearly new; 1 Emerson gang plow, nearly new; 1 corn plater with 95 rods of wire; 1 mowder; 1 lumber wagon; 1 buggy; 1 hay lotter; 1 hay rake; 1 corn cultivator; 1 U. S. cream separator in good running order; 6 acres of corn in field; 1 seeder.

#### Free Lunch at Noon.

Terms—Sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount, 1 year's time, will be given on bankable notes bearing 8 per cent. interest from date of sale. All property must be settled for before being removed from premises.

Timothy McNamara,  
E. J. Hopkins, Auctioneer.  
Thos. Vanek, Clerk.

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

Having sold my farm I will offer at public auction at my farm on the State Road or "Hawkeye Highway", 2 miles west of Masonville, 6 miles east of Winthrop, on

#### Thursday, November 23.

Sale commences at 10:00 a. m.

10 horses—2 black registered Percheron stallions. These stallions are 5 years old and weight about 1600. Brown gelding 8 years old, weight about 1600; Bay gelding 4 years old, weight 1200; Gray gelding 3 years old, weight 1500; Black gelding 2 years old, weight 1200; gray mare 3 years old, weight 1050; broke single or double; Bay gelding colt, 1 year old, sucking horse colt, Gray mare 12 years old, weight 1000, in foal.

46 Head of Cattle—Fifteen milch cows, coming in soon; 4 heifer, coming three years old, springing; 6 steers, coming 3 years old; 11 heifers coming 2 years old, 9 steers coming 2 years old. These cattle are Angus and Durham. Angus bull, com- ing 3 years old.

90 Head of Hogs—75 spring shoats 15 fall shoats, yearling Duroc Jersey boar.

Hay, grain, machinery, etc.—Fifteen tons tame hay, straw stack, 500 bushels of oats, some corn and shocked corn; Deering grain binder, nearly new; Dain hay loader, nearly new; Dain side delivery rake, nearly new; 12-foot steel hay rake, gang plow, 16-inch single sulky plow, breaking plow, 2 mowders, Tabor corn plow, nearly new; corn planter, with 80 rod of wire, 2 pulverizers, one nearly new 2 wagons, one cut down, other has steel wheels, 4-inch tires; 2 hay racks with portable sides, Marshall- town surrey, 2 sets of heavy work harness, set of light work harness, set light driving harness, fly nets, 100 good posts, heating stove, gasoline range, 2-horse gasoline stove, a quantity of household furniture, other articles too numerous to mention.

#### FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over that amount, 1 year's time will be given on approved security, bearing 8 per cent interest from date. All property to be settled for before removal.

GEO. B. LANE,  
Col. E. S. Johnson, of Mt. Vernon, Auctioneer.  
M. Lillis, Clerk.

#### AUCTION SALE.

Having sold my farm, I will offer for sale on the premises six miles northeast of Manchester and two miles southwest of Onelda, on

#### Friday, December 1, 1911,

at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property:

47 head high grade Durham cat- tle—22 cows coming in soon and during the winter, 15 heifers, com- ing two years old, 10 spring calves.

## Turkey's Wanted!

We are in the market for Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Dress- ed Geese and Ducks. Get our prices now. Sell the old ones now and the young ones for Xmas. We are also paying the highest prices in Delaware county for live poultry of all kinds.

Get the habit, sell to us.

## Lovett & Davis,

Telephone 463,

MANCHESTER, IOWA.

## SUIT SPECIALS

For the benefit of the late buyer we have arranged to have a

### 3 DAYS SALE

on our Suit Stock and will make a general reduction on all our suits by marking them down

15 to 25 per cent.

### 3 DAYS ONLY

Prices Quoted as follows:

Men's Wool mixed heavy suits, cut from \$10.50 to **\$7.48**

Men's Fancy Worsted suits in blue, brown, black and fancies worth \$15.00 cut to **\$12.48**

Men's Fancy Worsted and Cashmere suits, worth \$18.00 cut to **\$14.98**

We have a large range of Men's all Wool, hand tailored fancy and staple suits worth \$20.00. On this sale at **\$16.98**

We also have a select assortment of \$22.50 and \$25. fancy and staple suits that we will offer for 3 days only at **\$19.98**

Among our children's suits there is a number of them that we have selected to close out ranging in price from \$2.50 to \$4.00 that we have put on sale at **\$1.98.**



Another lot of \$4.00 and \$4.50 boys' suits at **\$2.98**

A lot of boy's guaranteed all wool suits made to sell at \$5.00 reduced to **\$3.98**

Among the lines of Men's Clothing offered for sale above are the well known lines of HIRSH-WICKWIRE & CO., B. KUPPENHEIMER, & CO., MICHAELS, STERN & CO., EDERHEIMER, STEIN & CO., BEBKER & MAYER & CO., and others, all well and favorably known here, same havin' been sold in this city for a number of years at the

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