

The Big 4 Special !!

We have divided our entire line of Men's and Young Men's Cloth Overcoats into 4 lots with one single price on each lot.

This special includes all of our finest and highest priced Coats, among them are coats from the well known firms of Hirsh-Wickwire & Co., "Finest in the land" and the well known cheap and medium priced lines of B. Kuppenheimer & Co., also the celebrated Everwight productions.

SEE OUTLINE AS FOLLOWS

LOT NO. 1 is a very fine assortment of Men's fancy grey, brown and plaid diagonals with convertible and presto collars. This lot also has a few long black O' coats among them. These coats are all guaranteed to give good service and are all well tailored and trimmed. Originally made to sell at \$12 to \$15.00 Our special sale **\$9.98**

LOT NO. 2 is a large lot of Men's and Young Men's fancy diagonals all wool textured in brown, greys, blues, and blacks, with the convertible collars and all wool lined, hand felled collars and fully guaranteed to hold color and shape. This line of O' coats are being sold all around us at \$13.50 to \$15.00. Our big 4 Special **\$12.48** Price for 3 days only



LOT NO. 3

Certainly is a star line composed of the cream of our immense stock of \$18 to \$20 Overcoats, all up to date, hand tailored throughout, fine serge linings, convertible collars, and patterns to suit the most fastidious. To see is to buy **\$14.94**



LOT NO. 4 This lot is where you get the choice of all the best O' coats in town. Made by the best coat makers in the country, all hand tailored hand felled collars, hand made button holes, guaranteed to fit and give satisfaction. Among them are the black dress coat, grey dress coats, Brown and Tan, some with velvet collars and some with convertible collars. Range in price from \$20.00 to \$30. 3 day special Price **\$19.98**

Choice of any Cloth Coat in Store for 3 Days Only at **\$19.98.**

These are the kind of Prices that make competition howl. This event will take place at the **CORNER CLOTHING STORE, MANCHESTER, IOWA.**

SNODGRESS CLOTHING CO., THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE CLOTHING STORE IN DELAWARE COUNTY.

THE LOCAL NEWS OF DELAWARE COUNTY

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENTS

MASONVILLE.

Miss Alice Mulvehill was a recent guest of relatives in Dubuque.

Miss Bridget Maroney of Manchester was visiting relatives here the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Mary Brophy and Mrs. R. Davis were visitors in Manchester on Thursday.

Miss Ida Maroney of Monti spent a few days last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. T. O. Ryan.

M. Lillis was a visitor with relatives at Independence Sunday between trains.

Bert Clark of Bernard, Iowa, spent Sunday in the parental home.

Mrs. Margaret McGrath left Thursday for a several weeks visit with relatives at Strawberry Point.

Miss Mayme Pendergast is spending the week with home relatives at Walker.

Louis Mulvehill has accepted a position in Ireland's music store at Independence.

Mrs. Thomas Keegan and two children of Washington are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

O. S. Duffy went to Fairbank last week to attend the wedding of his nephew, Mr. Duffy.

E. F. Mulvehill and wife spent part of last week with Dubuque relatives.

School opened in District No. 6, Monday with Miss Ella Cusack as instructor.

Mrs. Thomas Kinney of Stacyville, Iowa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Artburn.

Misses Mamie and Nellie Brophy are the possessors of a new piano which was recently placed in their home.

Mrs. P. H. Diggins and daughter, Mildred of New England, N. D., arrived here Sunday evening for a several weeks visit among relatives.

Don't forget the bazaar to be held in the old hall November 28, 29, and 30. Numerous fancy articles will be displayed during the occasion.

Russo's orchestra of Dubuque has been selected to furnish the inspiration for the event. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Last Saturday a large number of relatives and friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Gleason to assist them in celebrating their twentieth wedding anniversary.

The affair was one of much enjoyment. Mr. and Mrs. Gleason were the recipients of a handsome set of silver knives and forks which was presented to them by the guests as a token of remembrance.

Mrs. Margaret Flynn, formerly of this place but later a resident of Waterloo passed away Sunday, November 19, closing a several weeks illness of a complication of diseases.

The remains arrived here Wednesday and burial was made in St. Mary's cemetery. Left to mourn her untimely departure are six children as follows: Patrick of Manchester, Jno. Eddie, Francis, Anna and Bernadine, all of Waterloo. The sympathy of many friends is extended to the bereaved relatives.

THORPE. Chester and Harold Stone were recent visitors at Lamont.

J. Messmore and D. Sark were Manchester visitors last Tuesday.

A masquerade ball will be given at the Thorpe hall next Thursday evening, November 30. A cordial invitation to everybody.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lee, Mrs. McCutchen, Miss Stiley Sark and J. McDonough were Sunday visitors at the C. Daisy home.

Messrs. R. White, W. White, G. Stucci, C. Schmock, F. Wendel, U. S. Martin represented the Royal Neighbors at a meeting in Oelwein last Friday.

The farmers in this vicinity are busy shredding.

R. White was a Chicago visitor last week.

COLESBURG. Rev. G. H. Harvey will hold the Thanksgiving services at 10:30 on Thursday morning.

H. W. Putz was transacting business at Dubuque last Thursday.

A. L. Landis and wife are at home from a visit with relatives at Winthrop and Independence.

Mrs. Mollie Core and little son, Clifford joined her husband here last week. They have been with her people at New Caledonia, Minnesota, for some time.

Mrs. Rachel Morley has been dangerously ill during the past week. Her recovery is a matter of doubt on account of her age, 82 years.

J. W. Platte and George Shaw

NEXT MONDAY WILL BE RED LETTER DAY AT BROWN'S.

Next Monday, December 4th, will be the next regular enrollment day at Brown's Business College of Dubuque, Iowa. The school is making elaborate preparations for accommodating a large enrollment.

Many have already registered and the prospects are for the biggest enrollment the school has ever experienced. Any young man or young woman who wishes to spend the winter profitably should plan to enroll at this popular school next Monday.

SUCCESSFULLY TREATED. This is to certify that Dr. Shallenger, The Chicago Specialist, treated me for gonorrhea in 1902 and I am pleased to say that he treated me successfully, and did exactly as he said he would do. It is now 9 years since I was treated and I have had no return of the trouble.

Write me and I will tell you all about my trouble.

Mrs. Jacob Moser, Strawberry Point, Iowa.

were in Dubuque Thursday. The latter's father is in the hospital there, suffering from injuries received recently by falling from a street car. We understand his condition is quite serious.

Mrs. Henry Evers, Mrs. David Moreland and daughter Bertie and Mrs. L. H. Smith were passengers to Dubuque Thursday.

G. G. Armistead has something of interest to say on the glove question in his ad in this issue.

Misses Ruth and Ella Wiley and Lizzie Lucey of Edgewood were over Sunday visitors with relatives in this city.

AUCTION SALE.

Having sold my farm, I will offer for sale on the premises six miles northeast of Manchester and two miles southwest of Onida, on Friday, December 1, 1911, at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property:

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

7 head of horses—1 gray gelding, 14 years old, 1300 pounds, 1 sorrel gelding, 1300 pounds, 1 gray mare, 14 years old, 1300 pounds, 1 iron gray mare, 4 years old, 1100 pounds, 1 black mare 4 years old, 1100 pounds, 1 brown mare 5 years old, 1000 pounds, 1 bay gelding, 7 years old, 1100 pounds.

44 spring shoots.

Machinery, etc.—1 Deering grain binder, 1 Osborne corn binder, 1 Deering mower, five foot cut; 1 Deere hay loader, 1 side delivery hay rake, 1 Deere gang plow, 14 inch, 1 Hayes corn planter, 1 Gorham seeder, 2 riding corn plows, 1 pulverizer, 16 inch disc; 1 3-section harrow, 1 Prairie Queen breaker, 16 inch, 1 breaking plow, 14 inch, 1 stubble plow, 14 inch; 1 stubble plow 18 inch, 1 set bob sleds, 2 wagons, four inch tires, 1 narrow tire wagon, 2 hay racks, 1 hog rack, 1 surrey, 2 buggy poles, 1 set of heavy harness, 2 set of medium weight harness, 1 set of light harness, 1 single harness, 2 pairs fly nets, about 2,000 bushels of corn, 400 bushels oats, 1 200-egg incubator, 1 100-egg incubator, steel tank, milk cans, farm tools, tank heater, grain sacks, corn sheller, heating stove, gas stove, bedstead, couch, chairs and many other articles.

Free Lunch at Noon.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On all sums over \$10, one year's time on approved notes at eight per cent interest. All property must be settled for before removal.

J. W. Taber, Proprietor.

F. A. Doolittle, Auctioneer.

C. H. Bunker, Clerk.

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 almost 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

A Car Load of Toys and Christmas Gifts are Ready for your Inspection.

Bring the Children and Meet "Santa Claus" on Saturday December 2nd.



A GREAT EFFORT has been expended in the buying of our Holiday Stock to secure every article at the lowest possible price. No first class goods could be bought cheaper and as we believe in "quick sales and small profits," no first class goods will be sold cheaper anywhere. Come in, and our magnificent and fair prices will prove to you that it pays to trade with us.

THE WISE WAY to spend your dollar is to bring it to us. We can make it go farther, give you the best satisfaction, and give you the most real worth, and merit in appropriate, and desirable CHRISTMAS GIFTS of any of them. For popular gifts and low prices come to us, and you will readily understand the wisdom of spending your CHRISTMAS DOLLAR WITH US.

SEE OUR BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS DISPLAY, full of new ideas, coming surprises, Happy Hits, Novel and desirable features.

Come and see the largest line of Toys and Holiday Gifts ever displayed in Delaware County, only equalled in the largest department stores of the big cities.



You must see our elegant display of Dolls to appreciate them, no two alike. From 1c. to \$10.00.

Radioclan—The new Magic Lantern that will show any picture or post card in their natural colors. An amusement for the whole family.

FREE DEMONSTRATION EACH EVENING

YOU CANNOT FIND a BETTER PLACE to get JUST the RIGHT THING for EVERYONE.



The famous line of Campbell Kids and Baby Dolls are on display. These dolls are unbreakable, and will last a lifetime.



We are carrying a large variety of Rocking Horses and Shoo-Flies. A life time toy for the baby.

For the RIGHT PRESENT for the RIGHT PERSON at the RIGHT PRICE come RIGHT to us.

We have given our Candy Department our special attention, and you will be able to get the best and most Christmas Candy for your money.

OUR VERY REASONABLE PRICES WILL DELIGHT YOU. Select your gifts from our up-to-date stock, and you will get the best and most appropriate Presents at the Fairest Figures you have ever known

SPECIAL ATTENTION, and prices given to Churches for Christmas Candies and Nuts.

Bring your children Saturday at 2 p. m. and see a real live SANTA CLAUS at our Store. A GIFT FREE to each child under 6 years of age from Santa.

VARIETY 5 and 10c. STORE

Exclusive TOY SHOP in connection

D. J. MEGGENBURG, PROPRIETOR.

Poultry Wanted!

Chickens, Geese, Hens, Turkeys, Ducks, Roosters.

Dressed Poultry of all kinds sell to us the largest cash buyers in Delaware county.

Don't sell before you see us.

Lovett & Davis,
Telephone 463,
MANCHESTER, IOWA.

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 1,200; dark bay mare, 12 years old, weight 1,100—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, 28 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, noisy new McCormick hay binder, nearly new; Deering mower, Dain hay loader, Dain side delivery rake, Emerson gang plow, three section drag, weeder, Case pulverizer, Bradley walking corn plow, wagon with box and four-inch tires, Great Western manure spreader, Sharpless cream separator in good order, milk tester, shovelling board, set dump board, feed co-k—50 gallons, grinstone, corn shell r, pair oscillating bobs, pair four-horse eveners, set of 1 1-4 inch work harness, set 1 1-2 inch Conkin harness, 2 pairs leather fly nets, single harness, 50-egg Buckeye incubator, 120-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, wire barrow, Round Oak heater, 2 gasoline stoves, lawn mower, ch. r. h. and butterworker, combined, h. y. rock cross-cut saw, wedges, tiling tools. Also 60 full-blood Plymouth rock hens and a few full blood roosters. Both Plymouth Rock and Leghorn.

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Mrs. Ollie Hazelrigg, E. J. Hopkins, Auctioneer.

W. D. Hoyt, Clerk.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL ELECTION.

To the Voters of the Independent School District of Manchester, Delaware County, Iowa:

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the voters of the Independent School District of Manchester, Delaware county, Iowa, will be held in the council rooms in the city of Manchester, Iowa, on

Tuesday, December 12, 1911, at which the polls will be open at one o'clock p. m. and close at six o'clock p. m. of said day. At said meeting at said time and place the following question will be submitted to and determined by the voters of said district:

"Shall the Independent School District of Manchester, Delaware County, Iowa, issue bonds in the sum of Twenty-four Thousand Dollars (\$24,000.00) for the purpose of providing funds to erect additional to and otherwise improve the High school building, including closet facilities and ventilating system, and erect and equip a heating plant therefor; in full a ventilating system for the Central school building; re-equip and repair the West side school buildings; and otherwise equip and improve said buildings, all located in the Independent School District of Manchester, Iowa?"

Dated at Manchester, Iowa, this 25th day of November, A. D., 1911.

By order of the Board of Directors of said district.

M. J. YORAN, Secretary of the Board of Directors of said district.



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is easily solved by a visit to this store. We have such a splendidly complete selection of silk, kid, suede, etc., in every shade and every length.

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