



AY, JULY 6

Everything contained in our two stores, embracing in millinery and floor coverings, ever offered by any herein quoted, and plan to secure your full measure

Millinery Bargain Specials

47—Pattern Hats—47

All new spring and summer models, worth 1.50 to 7.50, to close

1/2 Price

29 Childrens Hats

85c to 1.50, choice

1-2 Price

Middy Blouses

All sizes 85c to 1.25

Reduced 1-4

RECORD IN OUR

... to overflowing with a ... and to use—coupled with successful clearance sale ... meet you more than making our service better in this all goes toward a ...

IS SUPREME DEPARTMENT.

... stake our reputation for reductions as quoted. We ... now.

One Lot 26 Suits
... this seasons garment, ... selling \$18.50 to \$27.50, ... es obtainable.
\$10.00

11 Spring Coats
... son's garments, selling up ... 0, also two silk coats worth ... choice for clearance **\$5.00**

Childrens Coats Just Half Price

... any of them so we are using ... in a way that saves you ... original cost. Buy these ... low. They will be very ... next fall for school wear. ... \$1.50 to \$8.00. Now **ONE-HALF PRICE**

Special Dress Skirts

... black, gray, etc., serge, ... and novelty skirts, actually ... \$6.00 to \$18.00, regular ... to effect a positive clear- ... place them in this sale **\$2.48**

25 Raincoats
... 50 to 6.00. Choice, **One-price.**

Alma, Mich.

Wash Goods at Prices To Make You Buy

We find ourselves loaded with a big line of wash goods and for a complete clearance we have divided our stock as follows:

- Lot 1**—Comprising Lawns, Crepes, Tissue Gingham, etc. Values to 18c. Choice..... **9 1-2c**
- Lot 2**—Crepes, Ratines, Poplins, Novelties, etc., values to 25 cents. Choice of the lot..... **13 1-2c**
- Lot 3**—Voiles, Crepes, Ratines, Poplins, Crashes, Novelties, etc., worth to 35c yd. For quick sale at..... **19c**
- Lot 4**—All others at **25** per ct. off
- Lot 5**—White reduced **20** per cent during the sale.
- Lot 6**—10c dress gingham, new patterns at **8 1-2c**; 12 1-2c values at **10c**; 15c values **11c**; 12 1-2c Percals **10c**.

Table Linens		Curtain Materials	
50c quality	42c	10c Scrims	8c yd
60c "	51c	12 1-2c Scrims.....	10c yd
75c "	63c	15c Scrims	12c yd
1.00 "	85c	18c Scrims	14c yd
1.25 "	\$1.06	25c Scrims	16c yd
1.50 "	1.24	35c Scrims	26c yd
Napkins reduced 15 per cent.		All Draperies reduced 15 per cent.	

Clearance of Domestic

At the present price of raw cotton these figures should interest you. Best Print 5c yard, Apron gingham 6 1-2c yard.

BLEACHED AND BROWN SHEETING	
7c quality	5 1-2c
8c quality	6 1-2c
9c quality	7c
10c quality	8c
12 1-2c quality.....	10c
15c quality	12c
18c Linen Crashes	
15c	

Bed Blankets and Comforts	42 in Pillow Tubing	Portier Draperies
Reduced 20 per cent.	18c 45 in. 20c	Big Line, All Grades 1-4 OFF

New Lace Curtains For Your Home

A splendid line to choose from and our desire to unload at this time makes a combination of reasons why you should take quick advantage of these prices.

65c Curtains	48c	\$1.50 Curtains ..	1.13	\$3.00 Curtains ..	2.25
75c Curtains	57c	1.75 Curtains ..	1.32	3.50 Curtains ..	2.63
\$1.00 Curtains ..	75c	2.00 Curtains ..	1.50	4.00 Curtains ..	3.00
1.25 Curtains ..	94c	2.25 Curtains ..	1.62	5.00 Curtains ..	3.75
1.35 Curtains ..	1.00	2.50 Curtains ..	1.88	6.00 Curtains ..	4.50

Will You Buy Floor Coverings of Us?

SAVE A GOOD SHARE OF THE COST.

RUGS, INGRAINS, LINOLEUMS

We are closing out the entire line to make room for a greater ready-to-wear store and offer the entire contents of our carpet department at unequalled prices

See the way we cut the prices of rugs.	Biggest Cut Ever Made in Ingrains.
All 12.50 Rugs now.....	8.80
All 13.50 Rugs now.....	9.25
All 15.00 Rugs now.....	10.65
All 16.50 Rugs now.....	11.35
All 18.00 Rugs now.....	12.75
All 20.00 Rug now.....	14.25
All 22.50 Rugs now.....	15.75
All 25.00 Rugs.....	17.50
Small rugs reduced one-quarter.	

BUY LINOLEUMS NOW!

Six patterns, 4 yard wide linoleum, worth 65c yard. Sale.....	49c
2 yard wide inlaid linoleums, worth 90c yard. Sale.....	69c
2 yard wide printed linoleums, worth 55c. Sale.....	39c

Extra!

Ladies Black Hose with ribbed top. Best 15c quality

At Only **9c** pr

Extra!

2 1/2 to 5 inch shadow faces and insertions to match. Values to 15c yd

Your Choice **8c** yd

Extra!

Long Chamousette Gloves in white, tan and natural. Our best 50c quality

At **39c** pair

Extra!

10 doz. of the Famous Miller Corsets, Style No. 120 regular \$1.00 value

At **59c**

Extra!

Voile Flouncing in the 45 inch width. A very fine quality and well worth 75c

At **49c** yd

Extra!

Serpentine Crepe for kimono. Very neat patterns. Regular 19c value

During this sale **14c**

Extra!

1 Lot of 50c Window Shades. While they last

At only **33c**

25c values at **18c**

Extra!

The best quality **Apron Gingham** in neat checks. Regular 8c values

At only **6 1-2c** yd

Extra!

Lonsdale Bleached Muslin, 36 inches wide, regular 12 1/2c quality

At only **8 1-2c** yd

Not over 10 yds. to a customer.

Extra!

36 inch Percal in lengths of 2 to 10 yds. the very best 12 1/2c quality

At only **9c** yd

WILL ERECT BUILDING

For Wholesale Grocery 60x70—Work To Commence at Once.

James Redman, the wholesale grocer, having rented his present place of business to give possession in September will commence at once the erection of a building 60x70 on the lot facing Gratiot avenue immediately south of his East Superior street property. The building will be of heavy construction and built especially to accommodate his large and increasing stock of wholesale groceries. The erection of the building should add much to the improved appearance of Gratiot avenue.

The Misses Elizabeth and Emily Case returned yesterday from a month's visit in and near Atlantic City, New Jersey, where they enjoyed a splendid outing.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANCERY SALE.

In pursuance and by virtue of an order and decree of the circuit court for the county of Gratiot, in Chancery, in the State of Michigan, made and entered on the eighteenth day of June A. D., 1914, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Henry Deaner is complainant and Fred H. Rowland, administrator of the estate of Walter H. Wyeth, deceased, Frances E. Wyeth, Arthur Wyeth, Edith Wyeth, Lanora Worth, Frank J. Wyeth, Hugh Wyeth, Ruth Wyeth, and B. F. Markham are defendants.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the North Front Door of the Court House, in the Village of Ithaca, and County of Gratiot and State of Michigan said court house being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said county, on Monday, the Seventeenth Day of August A. D., 1914

at nine o'clock, standard time, in the forenoon of said day, all or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the amount due to the said complainant for principal, taxes, insurance premiums, interest and costs in this cause, of the following described parcel of land to wit:—

Commencing at the North East corner of land deeded to Mary Huron, thence North thirty-nine feet, West one hundred fifty feet, South thirty-nine feet, East one hundred fifty feet, to place of beginning, known as lot number eighteen on block one, Supervisor's plat of W. A. Bradley's addition of the Village of Riverdale, Michigan, except South seven and one-half feet of South side of said lot and undivided one-half interest of that part of South wall of building now being built, beginning at South East corner of said wall, including foundation, West thirty feet and fourteen feet high, deeded to Thos. S. Tallon, October 24th, 1907, and except the undivided one half of North wall of said building and that part of said lot North of a direct line parallel with center of said wall entire length of said lot deeded by first parties to Frank C. Hyde, October 24th, 1907.

Dated Alma, Michigan, July Second, A. D., 1914.

JOHN D. SPINNEY,

Circuit Court Commissioner in and for

Gratiot County, Michigan. Business Address, Rooms No. 7 and 8, Pollasky Block, Alma, Michigan.

Order for Publication—Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Ithaca, in said County, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1914.

Present: Hon. J. Lee Potts, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert F. Fleming, Deceased.

Vira P. Katenhus, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to William Adams or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 30th day of July, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true copy. BELLE JENNE, Clerk of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Gratiot. In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot: In Chancery.

Etta Chapin and Lucy A. Chapin, Complainants, vs. Otis Bartlett, or his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns; Elihu L. Button, or his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns; J. J. Bragg, or his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns, and the unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns of Elizabeth Chidister, deceased, Defendants.

At a regular session of said Court held in the Court House, in the village of Ithaca, in said county on the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1914.

Present: The Hon. Kelly S. Searl, Circuit Judge.

It satisfactorily appearing to the Court from said verified Bill of Complaint and from affidavits on file in said cause that diligent search and inquiry have been made to ascertain the present residence and whereabouts of the above-named defendants, Otis Bartlett, or his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns, Elihu L. Button, or his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns, J. J. Bragg, or his unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns of Elizabeth Chidister, deceased, and it is not known and cannot be ascertained whether they or any of them are living or dead, or where he, she or they may reside, if living, or whether the

apparent title, interest, claim or possible right in or to the said lands has been by him, her or them assigned to any person or persons, or, if dead, whether he, she or they have personal representatives or heirs living, or where they or some of them may reside, if living, or whether such apparent title, interest, claim or possible right has been disposed of by will, and, if by will, who were his, her or their heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns;

Therefore; On motion of O. G. Tuttle, solicitor for complainants, it is ordered that the above named defendants, Otis Bartlett, Elihu L. Button, J. J. Bragg, or their unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns and the unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns of Elizabeth Chidister, deceased, or any of them, cause his, her or their appearance to be entered in this cause on or before the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1914, and in case of his, her or their appearance that he, she or they cause his, her or their answer or answers to Complainants' Bill of Complaint to be filed in said cause and a copy or copies thereof to be served on Complainants' solicitor within twenty days after service on him, her or them of a copy or copies of said Bill of Complaint and notice of this order, and in default thereof said Bill of Complaint be taken as confessed by said defendants or so many thereof as shall be in default.

And it is further ordered that within twenty days after the date of this order the Complainants cause a copy thereof to be published in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once each week for six successive weeks, or that a copy of this order be personally served on each of the said defendants at least twenty days before the time prescribed herein for their appearance.

KELLY S. SEARL, Circuit Judge.

COUNTERSIGNED:

R. E. HUGHES, Register in Chancery.

This suit is brought to quiet and remove clouds from the title to the land described in said Bill of Complaint as follows:

The south half of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven in township twelve north of range three west, Michigan.

O. G. TUTTLE, Solicitor for Complainant, Business Address, Ithaca, Michigan.

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SPEND JULY 4 AT ST. LOUIS

THE BIG GRATIOT COUNTY CELEBRATION

Something Doing Every Minute!

FOR OLD AND YOUNG.

2 BASE BALL GAMES 2

Morning and Afternoon Between Ithaca and Shepherd.

BOAT RACES! BALLOON ASCENSION! POLITE VAUDEVILLE!

3 BIG BANDS OF MUSIC! 3

2 MAMMOTH PARADES 2

COXEY'S ARMY HEADED BY COXEY'S HOBO BAND

GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS

OVER THE BIG LAKE.

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