

Big Overcoat Sale

THE MANUFACTURERS' CO-OPERATION MAKES THESE LOW PRICES POSSIBLE. THEY KNOW WE HAVE THE OUTLET, AND ARE WILLING TO SELL GOODS AT SMALLER PROFITS THAN OTHER DEALERS. THESE GOODS MUST BE TURNED INTO MONEY IN 10 DAYS AND NOW IS THE CHANCE FOR GENUINE BARGAINS. DON'T DELAY THINKING YOU CAN DO AS WELL LATER. GOODS ARE GOING UP RAPIDLY AND BY THE TIME YOU WILL ODS ARE GOING UP RAPIDLY AND WILL BE ASTONISHED AT THE HIGHER PRICES YOU WILL THEN HAVE TO PAY.

Overcoats

- 20 Black Beaver Overcoats, worth \$6.60, well lined, good strong sleeve lining, full heavy weight, for 3.89
- 50 long gray Coats, sold in season for \$6.50, during this sale, while they last 3.98
- 100 good, heavy long Casimere Overcoats, warm and nice looking Coats, just the thing for a man who wants to dress well and comfortable on a very little money, for 4.98
- 120 long belted Overcoats in black, gray or fancy, full length and full sweep, skirts wide and full, worth from \$9.00 to \$10.00, for 5.89

Here is a Record Breaking Bargain

125 elegant long, full sweep Overcoats, fashion's latest decree, in snappy scotchies, Vicunas or Kerseys, worth \$5.00, for 7.89

When these are all gone and the overcoat season is on these coats will be considered reasonable at \$15.00.

Here is Another Snap

50 Overcoats, 52 inches long, with or without belt, full sweep, first class lining and best grade of workmanship throughout, will be on the market for less than three weeks at 9.89

75 Dress Overcoats in Kersey, fancy English and Scotch patterns, 52 inches long. Every modern device. Silk sleeve lining, heavy Venetian lined, good enough for anybody and will cost after this sale is over from \$20.00 to \$22.00, this sale 10.89

Fur Overcoats

During this sale we will, to help the sale out, give 10 per cent off on all our Fur Overcoats. This, in the face of a big advance in Fur and Leather Goods, will be a very liberal concession.

Men's Clothing

- 20 Suits in black, gray mixed Scotch effects, worth \$6.00 to \$7.50 2.98
- 10 Men's black all Wool Frock Coat, sizes, 34, 35, 36 and 37, worth \$7.50, for 2.48
- 40 Scotch Suitings, in all sizes, worth \$10.00, for 4.98
- 100 Suits in Plain or Fancy Colors, all sizes from 33 to 42, worth from \$10.00 to \$12.00, for 6.89
- 275 Men's Suits, bright new clothing for fall and winter, in new and catchy designs, made to sell this season for from \$12.50 to \$15.00, for 7.95

Here is a chance you cannot afford to miss. Men's new fall Suits fresh from the factory, faultlessly tailored by the best skilled workmen, in live effects. Sold everywhere this season for \$16.00, during this sale for only 8.75

125 Suits in French and English Worsteds, full of snap, finish and character, regular price, \$15.50, for 8.98

An army of thrifty buyers will attend this sale and it is advisable to call as early as possible to secure the first choice of this unusual bargain opportunity.

200 Men's Socks, worth from 5c to 8c, for 2c

500 Men's Handkerchiefs, worth from 5c to 8c, for 2c

100 Men's Handkerchiefs, worth 10c, for 4c

200 Men's 15c Socks, for 3c

500 Silk Neckties, worth 50c, 75c and \$1.00 18c

All 25c and 35c Neckties for 8c

100 pairs of Suspenders, worth 25c for 8c

50 Umbrellas, worth from \$1.25 up, for 75c

25 Oxford Shirts, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00, for 89c

125 Men's Dress Shirts, worth from 50c, 60c and 75c, for 42c

140 Men's Work Shirts, from 50c to 60c, for 39c

75 Men's Unlaundered Shirts, sizes 14 1/2 and 16 1/2, worth 50c and 75c, for 19c

Made of the finest Broadcloth, French Worsteds and Thibets. French Haircloth fronts, concave shoulders, center vent and all the new kinks known to the clothing scientist.

To sweeten up this sale we offer the following from our regular stock:

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THE HUB OTTUMWA, IOWA

WANTS \$2,500.

Centerville Young Woman Plaintiff in Breach of Promise Suit.

Centerville, Oct. 11.—A breach of promise suit for \$2,500 damages because William Catterin is alleged to have courted her some five years ago, promised to marry her, and then carried another, is brought by Minnie Arbutnot. She says the marriage for day was often set, excuses given for delaying it, and finally Oct. 5 he married Ethel Courtwright, though as late as Sept. 15 he had vowed he loved none but her and would never marry another. W. H. Sanders is Miss Arbutnot's attorney.

CARRIE NATION HOLDS A TRAIN.

Thompsonville, Ill., Oct. 11.—Carrie A. Nation, enroute to Duquoin, held the St. Louis fast mail train here yesterday afternoon while she had the operator trace her telescope and hatchets, which she lost on her tour in Saline county. She created much excitement while waiting here. While

in McLeansboro Mrs. Nation accosted a young man who was smoking a cigar and said: "Young man, there is lots of smoke in here."

Re Estate Transfers.

Furnished by Lowenberg & Co., 107 South Court street:
 Bash, Daniel and wife to Alice J. Sparks, lot 225, blk. 13, Central add. Ottumwa, \$75.
 Manning, Calvin and wife to East End Presbyterian church, und. one-third lots 24, 25 and 26, blk. 1, Manning 2nd add. Ottumwa, \$333.33.
 Manning, Calvin, guard, to East End Presbyterian church, same as above, \$333.33.
 Manning, Anna to East End Presbyterian church, same, \$333.33.
 Lewis, John and wife to Mary C. Meader, lot 6, Mowrey sub. pt. Williams add. Ottumwa, \$2,100.
 Rodwell, Thomas and wife to C. W. Shepherd, lot 59, A. E. Hammond 2nd add. Ottumwa, \$650.
 Bosworth, Chas. A. S. and wife to Charles and Anna Primer, lot 6, blk. 8, Highland Center, \$250.
 United States to John Cowger, W. 1/2, SE. 1/4, NE. 1/4, SW. 1/4, sec. 23, NW. 1/4, NE. 1/4, sec. 33-73-12.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Annette Straw Charges Husband With Cruel and Inhuman Treatment.

Annetta Straw, by her attorney, A. C. Steck, has filed a petition asking for a divorce from William Straw, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment as cause for action. She says in the petition that the defendant has struck her until her face was black and blue. She states that they were married in Chicago in March 1899, and that she is owner of a cottage in South Ottumwa to which the defendant has no claim. She also asks that the decree award her complete possession of the property.

Sues City.
 Alleging that a cot worth \$100 stepped through a hole in the vine street bridge and broke its leg May 30, 1905, John T. McCune has begun action to recover \$100 damages from the city. A. C. Steck is attorney for the plaintiff.

Nellie Harris vs. Mary Ball et al is the title of a petition filed with Clerk of the District Court Edwin Dungan today in which the plaintiff asks that she receive her share of the estate of her father, Joseph Ball, who died at Chillicothe, and is said, a homestead in that place and cash and notes to the value of \$1,350. A. C. Steck is attorney for the plaintiff.

Harriet E. Adams vs. Charles Carson et al is the title of a petition for the partition of certain real estate filed with the district court today. Sumner Siberell is the attorney for the plaintiff.

John S. Reno, by his attorney, C. G. Sparks, has filed a petition asking for judgment for \$248.63 against Mary E. Lemley and M. B. Lemley and the sale of certain mortgaged premises to satisfy judgment.

BLOOMFIELD.

Bloomfield, Oct. 11.—Ed Johnson, of Quince, Ill., formerly of this city, after spending a few days in the city on business, left Monday on a business trip to the east.

C. C. McCann has gone to Centerville to spend a week on business connected with the opening of a new marble shop which will be under the management of L. W. White of that city.

W. J. Willitt, of Moulton, made a business trip to this place Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor left Tuesday for Agency, to spend a few days with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Hughes, who were changed from Seymour to Agency at the last district conference.

Jacob Painter and Geo. Baird leave Thursday for West Liberty, to visit Mr. Painter's daughter, Mrs. Wallisford, whom he has not seen for 48 years.

W. F. Hassenpflug has returned from Dakota, where he has been spending two weeks on business connected with his farm lands.

The Dilliner came Tuesday to spend a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dilliner.

Mrs. Rosema Collier and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Young of West Grove, are spending a week with the former's daughter, Mrs. William Hill.

L. W. Wortham is very sick with typhoid fever.

Harley Gardner is seriously sick with typhoid fever and his recovery is doubtful.

Mrs. W. W. Power is visiting relatives in Pulaski.

Mrs. E. Rominger entertained friends Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Oscar Huliker, of Denison, Tex. Mrs. Will Wallace, of Moscow, Idaho, and Mrs. James Wray, of Los Angeles, Cal. A pleasant social afternoon was spent, at the close of which light refreshments were served.

The Ivanhoe club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Minnie Tombs and spent a pleasant hour or more reviewing the life and works of Washington Irving. A sketch from Rip Van Winkle was read by the hostess. A selection from Edgar Allan Poe, "The Raven," was read by Mrs. Merry. The quotations and current events with which the meeting opened were very enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sax returned Monday from the Portland exposition and other points along the western coast where they have been spending a month or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff Rayburn are the happy parents of a daughter born on Monday.

SHAVE AND ESCAPE FEVER.

Advice Will be Given Health Congress by Iowa Physician.

Des Moines, Oct. 11.—Dr. J. F. Kennedy, secretary of the Iowa State board of health, has gone to Washington to attend the general international sanitary conference as representative of the United States, having been appointed by Surgeon General Wyman of the United States public health and marine corps service.

At this assembly, which is called especially to consider the bubonic plague and yellow fever, Dr. Kennedy will champion the abolishment of beards in territories where there is infection. He became quite widely known recently by urging all Iowa doctors to shave their faces clean. The conference lasted three days.

WEST END ITEMS.

Mark Cox of Lockham is visiting his son in Gravestown.

Mrs. Celia Howells of Foster is visiting friends in Gravestown.

Albert Lumsden of Fairview spent Sunday with friends in Coalfield.

A Sure Want-Getter

is a Courier Want Ad. There is a reason for this. The Courier is read by nearly all the people in Ottumwa and the surrounding community, hence, you can't miss out. Half a cent a word will pay for a Courier want ad. Try once and see how good they are.

ESTRAYED.

ESTRAYED—TWO FOX HOUNDS; one is blue speckled with dark head and the other black and tan. Send information to H. V. Buffington, 1230 Railroad, and be rewarded.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—GOOD IMPROVED farms, Allen county, Kansas. Correspondence solicited. J. E. Doty, La-Harp, Kansas.

FOR SALE—LARGE ENGLISH Berkshire Swine of either sex for breeding purposes; all stock eligible for record and as good as the best. Call or address: A. H. Eller, Hedrick, Iowa, R. F. D. No. 2.

FOR SALE—PRIZE WINNING Duroc Jersey Red hogs, both sexes. T. P. Box, Quince Avenue, city.

FOR SALE—25 Duroc Pigs of April farrow and 6 boars, sired by Moravia Chief and Monroe King. They are all good ones; also 3 sows with young pigs. Write or come and see them. John Fulton & Son, Moravia, Iowa. Farm 2 miles northeast town.

FOR SALE—KANSAS LANDS Where corn, wheat, oats, tame grasses, all kinds of fruit; hogs, cattle, sheep, etc., are successfully raised; no long winters. Land can be bought for about 1/2 of what it can be in the eastern and northern states. For booklet giving prices, description, write Chambers & Chandler, Osawatimie, Kan.

FOR SALE—A BARCOCK MILK tester, good as new. T. W. Mast, Dahlonga, Iowa.

WANTED.

WANTED—FARM HAND. T. Sumner, Willard, Iowa.

WANTED—TELEPHONE OPERATOR with experience and good references. Address S. S. Gletofy, Eldon, Iowa.

WANTED—A SECOND HAND TENT in good condition, 9x12. T. W. Mast, Dahlonga, Iowa.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE—TO CONTRACTORS shinglers and lathers. I have at Everett fifty houses to build, shingle and lath. Will supply part on all. Address John McIne, Bussey, Iowa.

A Two Day Sale.

I will sell at my farm, four miles northwest of Fairfield, Iowa, October 17 and 18, 1905, fifty-one highly bred and registered Standard Bred Trotters sired by the Electioneer Stallion, "J. W. B." 32,333, and Norman Horses, sired by imported Percheron Sansonnet (44,364.) Persons wishing to buy at private sale call on me. No by-bidding. Also, two spans Matched Mules, two and three years old, registered Poland-China and Thin-Rind Belted Hogs and about 100 head Stock Hogs. A car load of registered Galloway Bulls, principally of King Hensel, 9,997, stock. Some fine registered Duke of Germantown 1,762 Heifers. All stock just off pasture and fair circuits. Cabs at both depots. I. T. Wisecarver, Auctioneer.

C. D. McPherson.

FOR SALE.

A splendid home of 30 acres—just outside of city limits, north. Buildings good as new. Abundance of fruit. An ideal little home. Do you want it? Owner leaving and must sell at once.

Also a fine home on North Court street. Best bargain in the city. Come at once.

10 acres near city. Just the place for a home. Make a splendid chicken ranch.

Good running stock of general merchandise in good little railroad town. Can be bought right.

LOWENBERG & CO.

EVIDENTLY CYBULSKI.

Another Eldon Man Remembers Man Answering Description of Dead.

Centerville, Oct. 11.—That the man found dead on the Rock Island right of way here last week was a member of the Rock Island steel gang which was working at Eldon, seems to be correct as yesterday the Citizen received another letter from the latter place, stating that a man answering the description of the unfortunate stranger, worked with the gang there and was seen about the town.

This second letter is from Thomas Mulvaney of the firm of Cline & Mulvaney who conducts a saloon at Eldon. He says the man he had in mind was called Kelly and that he got some corkscrews at the saloon. Two corkscrews were found in the stranger's pockets, both bearing the name of the saloon, in fact this was the one thing that indicated that the man had been at Eldon. The name "Kelly" may have been given as a nickname, because the man's real name, Boleslaus Cybulski was so hard to pronounce. So far no word has been received from the steel gang.

Another Query.
 C. E. Nelson writes from Kanarezi, Minn., asking for information regarding the dead man whom he thinks may be his brother, John E. Nelson, formerly of Davenport, whose whereabouts for two years have been unknown to the writer.

Cephalic Shampoo is not a dye. It is guaranteed to cure scalp diseases, prevent the hair from falling out or becoming thin, restores it and the beard to their natural color and gloss when faded and gray. It is applied as a shampoo. Write for \$1.00. Expts. prepaid. Write for information Cephalic Shampoo Co. (not inc.) Canton, Ill.

Poster Girl Causes Stir.
 May Lose Engagement to Pose for Marrying Divorced Man in Iowa.

Des Moines, Oct. 11.—Public sentiment is so strong here over the recent marriage of Miss Jessica Pen, the poster girl, to Ralph W. Evans, who divorced his wife for her, that it is possible the state executive council will have to cancel its engagement with Miss Pen to pose for one of the leading pictures in the new decorations of the capitol now in progress.

This is the last week of the big manufacturers' clothing sale at The Hub. Prices will be higher everywhere next week.

200 IOWA FARMS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

All Sizes. All Prices. Write Us Today.

Roth Bros. Real Estate Co.

Corner Second and Market Streets, Ground Floor. Telephone 999

No one "kicks" except our competitors. They know there is none better than

Perfection RED HAWK CHOCOLATES

J. F. BAUER & CO.

Manufacturing Confectioners.

90-ACRE FARM FOR SALE

In Lewis County, Missouri.

Five miles from LaBelle; two-story house, good barn and outbuildings; well fenced and watered. Soil is a rich second bottom; small stream runs through corner of farm. This is one of the richest and best producing little farms in Northeast Missouri. Soil is black loam. It is a better farm than many others selling at \$50 per acre and it is \$20 an acre cheaper than surrounding land of its class. We want \$35 per acre. \$400 down; remainder on easy terms.

43-ACRE FARM.
 I also own a little farm of 43 acres, Mississippi bottom protected by good levee. I will close out way down. This is an extra rich soil, not one foot of gumbo or swamp. It is opposite Canton, Missouri, and is one of the best farms in that celebrated district; 100 bushels of corn or 350 to 400 bushels of potatoes is no uncommon occurrence. A live man will pay for this nearly every year he farms it; small house; \$40 per acre, about one-half what others ask. \$300 down.

E. A. DOWELL, LaBelle, Missouri.

MONEY TO LOAN.

On Farm Lands at the Lowest Rates obtainable in Southern Iowa, Liberal Pre-Payment privileges.

J. F. Webber, Attorney.

Over Ottumwa National Bank.

Attention Stockmen!

We shall be pleased to buy your stockers and feeders when you come here. We have been here for 21 years. Correspondence solicited. Free market reports. Hopkins, Kieley & C., Kansas City stock yards, Kansas City, Mo.

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a special execution, to me directed by the clerk of the district court of Wapello county, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of G. W. Wiseman, L. A. Wiseman, S. A. Stroud, and J. T. Palmer plaintiffs, in favor of J. B. Williams, plaintiff, I will offer at public sale, at the highest and best bidder, for cash at the front door of the court house in the city of Ottumwa, Wapello county, Iowa, on the 14th day of October, 1905, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, all of said G. W. Wiseman's, L. A. Wiseman's, S. A. Stroud's and J. T. Palmer's right, title and interest in and to the following described property, situated in Wapello county, Iowa, to-wit: The north half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-six, township seventy-one, range fourteen, west.

Sale to commence at the hour of 1:30 o'clock p. m. of said day. Witness my hand this 11th day of September, 1905.

J. H. Cremer, Sheriff of Wapello County, Iowa.
 By John D. Stephens, Deputy.

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Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a special execution, to me directed by the clerk of the district court of Wapello county, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of S. A. Stroud, Mary C. Stroud and J. T. Palmer defendants, in favor of J. B. Williams, plaintiff, I will offer at public sale, at the highest and best bidder, for cash at the front door of the court house in the city of Ottumwa, Wapello county, Iowa, on the 14th day of October, 1905, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, all of said S. A. Stroud's, Mary C. Stroud's and J. T. Palmer's right, title and interest in and to the following described property, situated in Wapello county, Iowa, to-wit: East 1/2 of northeast 1/4 of sec. 34, and part of sec. 27, described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of sec. 27, thence west 20 chains to the southwest corner of east 1/2 of southeast 1/4 of sec. 27, thence north 25.70 chains, thence west 2.25 chains, thence north 8.14 chains, thence east 22.25 chains, thence south to place of beginning, all in township 71, range 14 west; also south 1/2 of northeast 1/4, and north 1/2 of southeast 1/4, sec. 26, township 71, range 14; also south 1/2 of north 1/2 of southwest 1/4, and north 1/2 of south 1/2 of southwest 1/4, and south 1/2 of southeast 1/4 of southwest 1/4, all in section 26, township 71, range 14 west.

Sale to commence at the hour of 1:30 o'clock p. m. of said day. Witness my hand this 11th day of Sept., 1905.

J. H. Cremer, Sheriff of Wapello County, Iowa.
 By John D. Stephens, Deputy.

Notice of Final Settlement.

To Thomas J. Evans, William Evans, Charles Evans, Mary Reese, Margaret Richards, Sarah Lewis and Annie Lewis, and to whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that the final report of the undersigned administrator of said estate, will be filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of Wapello county on or before the 30th day of October, 1905, and unless you appear and show cause to the contrary, if any there be, on or before the 11th day of November, 1905, said report will be approved and the administrator discharged from further duty and responsibility therein.

Richard Reese, Administrator.
 By Seneca Cornell, his attorney.

Excatrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that on the 7th day of October, A. D. 1905, the undersigned was appointed by the clerk of the district court of Wapello county, Iowa, executor of the estate of Charles Hammen, deceased, late of said county. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment to the undersigned, and those having claims against the same will present them, legally authenticated to said court for allowance.

Dated, October 7, 1905.
 Margaret Hammen, Executrix.

Excatrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that on the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1905, the undersigned was appointed by an order of the district court of Wapello county, Iowa, dated October 2, 1905, executrix of the estate of William E. Williams, deceased, late of said county. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment to the undersigned, and those having claims against the same will present them, legally authenticated to said court for allowance.

Dated, October 9, 1905.
 Margaret Ellen Evans, Executrix.

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