

L. M. Cole, of Minneapolis, was a guest a few days this week of his sisters, Mrs. Julia Rand and Miss Susan Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Larson and little son Robin, of Chester, were Cresco visitors Monday, guests of Mrs. Emma Buck.

Mrs. J. W. Mott, of Decorah, was a guest the latter part of the week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maggie Moen.

George and Julia Murray, who have been guests at the Wm. Whalen home, returning Saturday to their home at Hopkinton.

Mrs. George Schamel and children, of Decorah, came Saturday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and son Ray went to Chester Saturday for a visit at the home of her brother, Frank Ruzicka.

Miss Julia Doyle, who has been a guest at the Arthur and Hugh McBride homes, returned Saturday to her home at New Hampton.

Miss Clara Jacobson returned Saturday to her home at New Hampton after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Derr, at Granger.

John Mrasek and Albert Milota, who live near Prottwin, were Cresco business visitors Saturday. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Mrs. Kate Bushman and son Virgil of Freeport, Minn., stopped over in Cresco for a day, enroute to Ossian, where they will be the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Jacob Baker returned Wednesday from New Hampton, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Konzen, and her brothers, Joseph, Casper and Mike Leichtman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Owens and little daughter Mildred returned Friday from a visit with their daughter, Miss Regina, at Alta Vista, Kansas, and with relatives in Oklahoma.

A. W. Wentworth, V. M. Ahern and J. C. Biel left Tuesday for Cedar Rapids where they were in attendance at the Iowa Trade Bureau convention which was in session there this week.

Miss Leone Van Mechelen, who has been a guest the past week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Mechelen, returned last Saturday to Princeton, Ill. Miss Van Mechelen has a position as supervisor of the Princeton hospital.

Miss Albia Kabela, who has been a guest the past month of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Panock, returned Wednesday afternoon to her home at Cedar Rapids.

Mrs. George Plummer and daughter Mazie went to Chester Saturday and were joined by the doctor on Sunday for an over Sunday visit at the C. T. McWilliams home.

Atty. J. A. Cutting returned Thursday from Dubuque, where he was at in the city Mr. Cutting inspected the tending Federal Court. While he was Canton of the Patriarchs Militant.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Petersen returned Saturday to their home at LeRoy. Mrs. Petersen has been a patient recently at the hospital and her husband came down to accompany her home.

Mrs. M. R. Courtney and little babe and her mother Mrs. James Neubauer, left Saturday for Austin, where they will visit the latter's daughters, Mesdames E. Donlan and Frank Reible.

Mrs. Theo. Bouska came up from Ft. Atkinson Monday for a few days visit with her cousin, Mrs. Frank Bouska, before entering the hospital where she will submit to an operation.

Miss Mable Makepeace, of Los Angeles, Cal., who was at Rochester with a case which she brought from the former place came the first of the week for a visit with her sisters, Mesdames Oliver Benson and J. W. Dell.

Miss Mary Eaton, who has been a guest the past week at the parental, D. J. Eaton home, returned Thursday to resume her work at Ames. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Hazel, who has accepted a stenographic position with the Highway Commission.

Mrs. Hattie Kelley left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Strawberry Point, enroute to her home at San Antonio, Texas. Mrs. Kelley has been a guest at the home of her cousin, Miss Stella O'Brien, coming here from Dakota, Minn., where she spent the past summer.

J. J. Fitzgerald passed away Sunday, Dec. 5th, at his home in Madison, S. D., after a lingering illness, aged about 67 years. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. D. A. Lyons and Mrs. E. A. Glass, of this city, and was for several years a resident of Howard county. Mr. Fitzgerald, who was engaged in the real estate business, went to South Dakota about 35 years ago, where he was closely identified with the pioneer life of that community.

D. A. Lyons left Thursday noon for Miles City, Mont., where he will join his wife in a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Haney, remaining there for the holidays, after which they will go to Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. J. C. Slifka and sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Pecinovsky, of Botha, Alta, Canada, are guests at the Mrs. Anna Slifka home. The former lady went to Jackson Jct. Wednesday afternoon for a visit at the home of her brother, John Shilley, and with other relatives.

Mrs. B. R. Evans has been confined to her bed the past few days, the result of a fall which she had Monday morning at which time she struck her head, cutting it badly behind the ear. She is recovering nicely at this writing and will be around again in a short time.

E. R. and R. R. Thompson entertained a nephew, Robert Norheim, of Alexandria, N. D., over Sunday. Mr. Norheim, who is an attorney, was called to Minneapolis on a business matter, and taking advantage of the short distance came to Cresco for a short visit with relatives.

Another change of employees takes place at the postoffice on Monday next when Leonard Baldner is succeeded as city carrier by Ralph Daws, who served that route for about a year in 1918-1919. Mr. Baldner has resigned to enter business, having purchased the J. E. Dickson stock of goods, to take possession Jan. 1st.

Co. Supt. Mira B. Buck left Wednesday for Cedar Falls, where she will attend the Fourth Annual Consolidated School Conference which was in session there Thursday and Friday of this week. E. H. Cunningham will deliver an address before the conference speaking on the educational program of the Farm-Bureau Federation.

Dr. and Mrs. T. A. O'Brien and daughter, Miss Bernadette, left Thursday for New Hampton, where they will make their future home. Dr. O'Brien and his family were Cresco residents for about three years, the doctor locating here for relief work during the war period, and in that time made many friends, both socially and professionally, who will regret their departure for their new home. Dr. and Mrs. O'Brien wish to express through the columns of the Plain Dealer their sincere appreciation to the people of Cresco for the many courtesies extended to them during their residence here and especially to the medical fraternity.

# Cresco Theatre

Friday and Saturday December 10 and 11

## "THE CHEATERS"

FEATURING MAY ALLISON

Based on the Celebrated Stage Play "Judah"

A woman's soul laid bare and a man torn on the torturing rack of lies. She cheated him. She cheated herself. She cheated the world. That's why they called her "THE CHEATER." Also

**Buster Keaton in "Three Weeks."**

A brand new comediah who is making a name for himself in funny land.

Price 15c and 30c Saturday Matinee 2:30. Evening 7:30-9:00

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Monday December 13

## FISKE O'HARA

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### "SPRING TIME IN MAYO"

Prices 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. Seats on sale Saturday at Lomas' Drug Store

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Tuesday December 14

A Paramount Picture

## ENID BENNETT in

### "WHAT EVERY WOMAN LEARNS"

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That it's impossible to be married and make a confident out of your husband's friends.

Prices 15c and 25c. Two shows 7:30-9:00

Mrs. Bert Reinhart returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Calmar, Nora Springs and Charles City.

Mrs. Mabel Porter and daughter Lillian left Monday for Springfield, Mo., for a visit at the home of her brother-in-law, Harry Porter.

For Sale, cheap, at farmers' price, Shorthorn bulls at serviceable age. Come and see them. Ph. Barthelme & Son, Decorah, Iowa. 174

Miss Rose Vorda, who was at Ft. Atkinson, the guest of relatives, the Henry Weist family, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Peter Klingshem and children Otto and Emily, from near Lime Springs, were Cresco business visitors Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Evans, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Hayes, near Plymouth Rock, returned to her home at Elma Saturday.

Mrs. F. L. Ames, of Brooklyn, Wis., arrived Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Templeton, and family.

Mrs. Julia Orvold arrived Thursday afternoon from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of Mrs. George Breedlove and other Cresco friends.

Mrs. Otto Fuelling and daughter, who have been guests of her father, W. A. Brown, for a few days, returned Monday to her home at Farmersburg.

# NEW LOW PRICES

## ON FANCY GOODS AND STAPLES

Follow the crowd and take advantage of the Low Prices we are making throughout our store. Our big stock of merchandise gives you a wide selection of useful articles suitable for gifts at money saving prices. Shop in this store and you will be satisfied with your selections.

### GIFT SPECIALS

Fancy Hose at low prices. We have a big stock of fancy silk and wool Hose suitable for gifts. All Hosiery at 20 per cent. disc't.

### FANCY GOODS

We have just received a new supply of Bureau scarfs, luncheon sets, stamped designs and other fancy goods at new low prices

**Kid Gloves at 15 per cent. Discount**  
Kid Gloves are higher than ever, but we are making this a Christmas special.

### Lower Prices on Jap Cloths

72-inch blue cloths only	\$2.50
60-inch blue cloths only	2.00
48-inch blue cloths only	1.25
Napkins to match, per dozen	1.00

Silk Underwear—We have a large assortment of fancy silk and muslin Underwear ideal for gifts. All Underwear at 15 per cent. discount

### OUR GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Fancy Handkerchiefs, all prices. Table Linen at 15 per cent. discount. Fancy Towel Sets at 15 per cent. discount. Furs and Fur Sets. Lace Collars and Collar Sets. Brushed Wool Scarfs, specially priced. Heavy Wool Blankets at 10 per cent. discount.

### Lowest Prices on Ladies' Suits

Our last big cut should clear every Suit from our racks. Originally priced very low, this latest cut gives you a chance to get a handsome new suit at prices that will probably never again be duplicated. All suits now at half price.

### Big Sale on Dresses

Let us show you our handsome wool and silk dresses at low prices. One lot of dresses at half price. Liberal discounts on all other dresses.

### Low Prices on Coats

All ladies' and children's cloth and plush coats now at 25 per cent discount. A good warm coat makes an ideal Christmas gift.

### See These Special Prices

Special lot of Georgette Waists at half price. Wool and Suede Middies, 15 per cent. disc't. Cotton Middies, 20 per cent. discount. Fancy silk Petticoats, 20 per cent. discount. 15 per cent discount on all Sweaters. Gingham Dresses at One-half Price. Low prices on many other items.

### LOW PRICE SPECIALS

Silk at 15 per cent. discount. This cut is extra special on all silks. Most of these have previously been reduced 50c to \$2.00 a yard.

**20 Per Cent. Disc't on Dress Goods**  
Save money by buying your dress goods at our low prices. Our assortment is large.

### Yard Goods Special

15 per cent. discount on all Curtain Materials, White Goods, Silkoline, Art Linen, Gingham, Skirtings, Laces and Embroideries.

### 15 Per Cent. Specials

This discount applies to all Towels and Toweling, ready made Sheets and Pillow Cases, Lace Curtains, etc.

### 15 Per Cent. Discount on Gowns

Buy your Outing or Muslin Gowns here and save money.

### Extra Specials

\$1.98 Oveaall Aprons 99c. Best Outings, white and colors, 25c. Standard 36-inch Percales 20c and 25c. \$2.50 Fleece Union Suits, large sizes, \$1.50. Fleisher's Knitting Yarn, per skein, 68c. 36-inch Bleached Muslin, per yard 18c. Remnants, half market price.

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