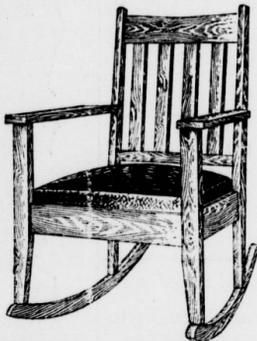


Great Reductions

Will be made on Christmas goods from Dec. 21 until Christmas. Here is what people have been looking for—a house full of valuable and high-grade goods on the market at cut prices. Come and get the article you've had your eye on for so long. Make your selection early before the big assortment is exhausted. The most valuable for men, the most useful for women, the most interesting things for children can be secured in this store at a way-down price. We will give one-quarter off on Cut Glass, Silver and Plated Ware, on our entire stock of Fancy and Hand Painted China Ware, Parlor, Portable and Hanging Lamps, Rockers, Morris Chairs and Couches.

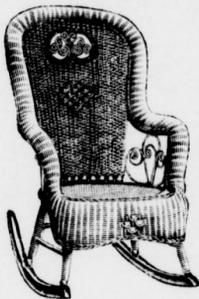
In our Furniture Department we are making a **SPECIAL DISCOUNT of 25 per cent** on Library Tables, Rockers and Couches, any of which would make an ideal Christmas gift.



Nothing would make a better Christmas gift than a nice, comfortable Rocker. Your friends would appreciate a good rocker as much as anything you could give them.

- \$35 Leather Turkish Rocker, for this sale... **\$26.25**
- \$30 Golden Oak and Leather Rocker, this sale... **22.50**
- \$23 Golden Oak and Leather Rocker, this sale... **17.25**
- \$20 Golden Oak and Leather Rocker, this sale... **15.00**

We have sixty or seventy more patterns on our floor, all styles and finishes to select from, running as low as \$1.50.



LIBRARY TABLES

- \$30 Library Table, quarter sawed Golden Oak and polished, for this sale... **\$22.50**
- 25 Library Table, quarter sawed Golden Oak and polished, for this sale... **18.75**
- 20 Library Table, quarter sawed Weathered Oak, Mission pattern, for this sale... **15.00**
- 16 Library Table, Golden Oak and Polished, for this sale... **12.00**

Several other patterns that are not mentioned here, of equally good value.

COUCHES

Something that will add comfort and beauty to the Parlor or Living Room



- \$11.50 Couch upholstered in Velour, for this sale... **\$8.65**
- 13.00 Couch upholstered in Velour, for this sale... **9.75**
- 15.00 Couch upholstered in Velour, for this sale... **11.25**
- 20.00 Couch upholstered in Verona Velour, for this sale... **15.00**
- 27.00 Couch upholstered in extra heavy Verona Velour, for this sale... **20.25**
- 50.00 Couch upholstered in No. 1 Leather, for this sale... **37.50**
- 45.00 Couch upholstered in No. 1 Leather, for this sale... **33.75**
- 28.00 Couch upholstered in No. 2 Leather, for this sale... **21.00**



All Pattern Hats 1/3 off

If you can use a handsome, new hat for midsummer wear, there's a chance to buy it now at these reduced prices. The balance of the French and American Pattern Hats are now on sale. With them will also be shown the last models received from American designers. Early selections are advisable as the number is limited.



CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

A Big Clearance Sale of Men's and Boy's Overcoats. We are not going to wait until the season is over to give you these pieces, but want you to have them now while they can be worn. The discount we are going to give you is **25 per cent off**. Come early.

The Coats of the Season



Wooltex Styles

FOR WELL DRESSED WOMEN

The label is your guarantee and should you find any defect we will make that guarantee as good as government bonds. Depend on the **WOOLTEX LABEL** as you would the signature on a check.

THE WOOLTEX MARCHIONESS

Here is a coat of distinctive style and grade—one of the WOOLTEX masterpieces. A loose, full-fashioned coat whose long lines and effective treatment of velvet and other braiddings give a very dashing effect. The "WOOLTEX MARCHIONESS" is made and finished in "the Wooltex way," and that means perfection of fit and fabric, and a positive guarantee of at least two seasons' satisfactory wear. All our friends who like ultra style and extra quality, should examine our showing of WOOLTEX COATS. Not shown elsewhere, we control the exclusive sale of these garments in this city. We have a few of these nice garments left which we are going to

Sell at a discount of 20 per cent.

These are rare bargains and you don't want to miss them. Remember the guarantee that goes with the WOOLTEX Coats.

Discount Sale begins Saturday, Dec. 21st..

Ritzville Trading Co.

Clearing House Certificates are accepted the same as cash. . . .

Holiday Suggestions!

We have received in the last few days numerous table delicacies which will appeal to you, especially for the holiday time. Look over the list and you may find something which you will want. We guarantee them to be first class in every respect.

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| Genuine Corsican Citron | Heinz Bulk Mince Meat |
| Fancy Candied Lemon Peel | Genuine Maple Syrup, guaran'd New Honey |
| Fancy Candied Orange Peel | Irish Salt Mackerel in comb |
| Seeded Raisins 1 lb packages | Eastern Cod Fish in 2 lb bricks |
| Seedless Raisins 1 lb packages | Holland Herring in kegs |
| Currants ex. clean 1 lb packages | New Walnuts New Almonds New Nuts |
| London Layer Cluster Raisins | of all kinds Olives in pint and qt. Economy jr |
| Fancy Bellflower Apples | |
| Heinz Bulk Pickles | |

Best two for 25c Corn and Tomatoes in town. Phone Main 301, and we will do the rest.

R. A. CHITTENDEN, The Grocer.

The Cough Syrup that rids the system of a cold by acting as a cathartic on the bowels is

BEES LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

Bees is the original laxative cough syrup, contains no opiates, gently moves the bowels, carrying the cold off through the natural channels. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded.

For sale by the Emerson Drug Co

MEETING AND BANQUET

By the Adams County Bar Association —A Legal Invitation

The banquet and merry-making to be held by the Adams County Bar Association in Gilson's Hall, Ritzville, on the evening of Dec. 30 promises to be the most celebrated and elaborate yet held by that most socially-inclined aggregation. It is intended to surpass everything in a social line that has loomed up so far this season and the menu, as planned, is intended to make the guests forget that they ate Christmas turkey only five days before.

Among the invited guests who will be in attendance, are: Wallace Mount, of the Supreme Bench of the State of Washington; Ex-Judge C. H. Neal and Judge W. T. Warren, both of Davenport; Judge W. W. Zent, of Ritzville; Attorneys Frank P. Graves, John W. Merritt and Seabury Merritt, of Spokane; County Clerk R. A. Koontz and Sheriff G. G. Burbanks, of Pasco; Geo. F. Christensen, ex-County Clerk of Adams county; Sheriff E. D. Gilson, Auditor C. E. Amsbaugh, County Clerk S. D. Douglass and W. E. Smith, deputy clerk, all of Adams county; and besides these there will be the members of the local bar, viz.: E. A. Davis, John Truax, G. E. Lovell, O. R. Holcomb, C. W. Rathbun, Walter Staser, J. Oscar Adams, Albert B. Wiltse, Otto W. Huef and J. C. Mogan; together with R. S. Hamilton and C. H. Spalding, both of Lind.

The invitations are in the form of a summons, the invitation to Ex-Judge C. H. Neal, of Davenport, reading as follows:

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN THE COURT OF OYER AND TERMINER, Special Holiday Term, 1907, Adams County, ss.

The Bar Association of Adams County, On the Relation of the Committee on Arrangements, Relators,

Plaintiff, vs. Judge C. H. Neal, Respondent.

The President and Members of the Adams County Bar Association, To Hon. C. H. Neal, GREETING: Whereas, complaint has been made in our said court that you, formerly a Judge of the Superior Court of Wash-

ington for the said County of Adams, hath at divers times and places, within the memories of the various members of the said Adams County Bar Association, been guilty of grievous offenses and high misdemeanors against the peace of mind and of the dignity of the said members of the said bar, to their great provocation, and indignation, thereby and then and there oft-time provoking profanity and penury, whereof you have now at last been brought to justice.

You are therefore invited, summoned, subpoenaed, courteously urged, and otherwise commanded, to be and appear before the said Adams County Bar Association at their annual meeting and banquet Monday evening, December 30, 1907, at 7 o'clock p. m., then and there to answer and defend yourself, at Gilson's Hall in Ritzville, said county, and then and there show cause, if any you have, why you should not be fed and banqueted to repletion, without benefit of clergy; and also to answer to the charge of the toastmaster, as follows: "The Elevation from the Bench to the Bar."

And herein fail not at your peril, and make due response to this writ.

Witness: The President and Members of said Adams County Bar Association.

Attest: John Truax, Secretary and Clerk.

Attention! Farmers

If you are likely to need some harness in the spring, it will pay you to call and talk the matter over with the manager of the harness department. We have a large stock of leather and if you will place your order early we can save you some money. We have a first-class harness maker and can guarantee every article.

J. F. IRBY & CO.

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels 25c at Rosenoff & Co. drug store.

Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough grows in favor daily. Mothers should keep it on hand for children.

It is a prompt relief to croup. It is gently laxative, driving the poison and phlegm from the system. It gives immediate relief. Guaranteed. Sold by Emerson Drug Co.

The Depositor can Sue the Bank

During the recent flurry many people asked whether banks' refusal to pay money to depositors on demand was not an act of insolvency. Of course, no depositor would be likely to push his bank to the wall. But suppose one did insist upon receiving money, and was refused. Could he not have the bank at once shut up and a receiver appointed? The answer to this question is to be found in examining the relation between banks and their depositors, which is that of debtor and creditor. If a depositor is refused his money he can go into court and sue the bank, but the federal law forbids the issuance of any attachment, execution or injunction in the case of national banks until thirty days after the entry of a final decree. As a matter of fact such bank, like any other debtor, may be solvent while refusing to satisfy a particular claim of a creditor. That money is actually owing can only be duly established in a court of law, and then after the final decree the bank has thirty days to satisfy the judgment. In the present emergency, with currency scarce, it has been demonstrated that the properly indorsed check is as good a circulating medium as legal tenders. The depositor who is not satisfied with that and insists upon money is not merely not benefitting himself, but doing an injury to the whole financial system.—Chicago Evening Journal.

Read Journal advt's, and patronize those who advertise.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Ritzville, Washington, will be held at the banking rooms of said Bank on Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, at 3:30 p. m., for the election of directors and transaction of any other business proper to come before said meeting.

The polls will be open for the election of Directors from 3:30 to 4:00 o'clock p. m. Dated at Ritzville, Washington, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1907. A. T. KENDRICK, Cashier.

Great Clearance Sale

MRS. T. J. HALLIN'S: MILLINERY STORE

1-4 REDUCTION ON ALL ARTICLES 1-4

Ladies' and Children's Coats, Hats, Caps, Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, Hosiery, Fascinators, Corsets, Black Satin Underskirts, Waists, Wrappers, Shoes, and numerous other goods.

Christmas Goods Now on Hand

Following is a list of how Prices have been cut:

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| LADIES' SHOES | COATS |
| \$4.00 shoes now selling for \$3.00 | \$10.00 coats now selling for \$7.50 |
| \$3.00 shoes now selling for 2.25 | 12.50 coats now selling for 9.00 |
| | 20.00 coats now selling for 15.00 |
| CHILDREN'S SHOES | LADIES' SKIRTS |
| \$2.00 shoes now selling for \$1.50 | \$7.00 skirts now selling for \$5.25 |
| 1.50 shoes now selling for 1.15 | 12.00 skirts now selling for 9.00 |
| FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR | WRAPPERS |
| \$1.00 suits now selling for 75cts. | \$1.50 wrappers now selling \$1.15 |
| | 2.00 wrappers now selling 1.50 |

Remember the Great Reduction on ALL Goods. Come in and investigate ere you buy.

MRS. T. J. HALLIN MILLINERY RITZVILLE, WASH.

We Feel Sure

of our ability to handle your Banking Business to your entire satisfaction. We shall be glad of an opportunity to talk to you.

We can sell you Best and Cheapest Tickets to and from all Russian and German points. Call and get our price before buying. Our customers are always satisfied.

We can sell you Money Orders on all parts of the world and at lowest rates.

GERMAN-AMERICAN STATE BANK

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