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## THE MAN AND THE BOY

The Advantage You Have in Buying Clothing at THE KRAFT is Due to the Quality of Dependable Merchandise Carried at this Store. CORRECT PATTERNS Bought for this Season Only.

FOR THE BOY we have in Suits



### THE BEST EVER

You can buy a suit at any price, but you can not suit the boy of to-day unless you buy him a BEST EVER rain proof suit. Ask to see this line of beautiful wool and worsted fabrics, the hand-padded shoulders, canvas and hair cloth front, indestructible lining. We have them in two pants suits as low as \$5.00, other makes as low as \$2 and up.

FOR THE MAN we have in Suits

### The Clothes Of Quality

We permit no lowering of standards. Our aim is to offer you quality that will make you a customer of this store. Style and quality that will keep you a customer. Merchandise never carried here before.



Our two Wonderful Lines in Men's Clothing are KIRSCHBAUM and SOCIETY BRAND. We guarantee these lines, and you have a right to expect all wool fabrics. Should you find imperfection in the cloth, in the coloring or in the making, you will receive a new suit free. Can you ask more? In our cheaper makes we carry suits from \$5.00 up. We have a large line of Cravenetts and Top Overcoats for spring. All kinds of Rubber Clothing, Rubber Boots and Umbrellas. A BIG SHIPMENT OF STRAW HATS JUST RECEIVED—Everything from the Child's 5c Hat to the Men's \$7.00 Panama.

We are doing the Men's Shoe Business of Cresco. The SELZ ROYAL BLUE, the Guaranteed Kind. All the Latest Styles in Oxfords are now here. Remember this—OUR PRICES ARE UNDER ALL COMPETITION.

## THE KRAFT CLOTHING COMPANY

Cresco,

Iowa

Dressmaking and plain sewing. Call N. I. 'Phone 361.

John A. Cray was down from Lime Springs last Saturday.

N. A. Blackburn, Lawyer; office opposite the National Bank.

The hat store of Cresco you will find at The Nichols Clothing House.

County Superintendent Falkgatter spent Sunday at her home in Elgin.

The W. R. Mead homestead for sale. For price apply to E. R. Thompson.

Dr. W. T. Daly, physician and surgeon; office over Glass's restaurant.

James O'Brien of Minneapolis spent Sunday with his cousins, the Misses O'Brien.

Claude Weatherford, the Harmony monument man, was a Cresco visitor yesterday.

Mrs. M. M. Moon returned last week from her winter's visit with her sister at Warren, Ohio.

Mrs. W. J. Webster left Saturday evening for a ten days' visit with relatives at Elgin, Ill.

If you want a farm loan at a low rate of interest, see American Loan & Trust Company, Cresco, Ia.

H. E. Harville left last week for Patch Grove, Wis., intending to remain there permanently.

For insurance, real estate or accident, call on L. E. Eaton, the insurance man, over Rockcamp's old bakery.

LOST—Some keys, contained in a small, black purse. Finder will leave at this office and receive reward.

If you want to buy or sell Real Estate call on Geo. H. Owens. Office over First National Bank, Cresco, Iowa.

70 acres of land two miles north from Cresco, for rent. See

A. E. BARKER

Men's work shoes that will more than please you at the

NICHOLS CLOTHING HOUSE.

Don't forget that we pay the highest market price in cash for eggs.

F. C. WOELLSTEIN.

HORSES WANTED.—We have pasture for horses and colts after April 15th.

UFTON BROS. & KRUMM.

Fred Gillett was down from Minneapolis last week visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillett.

Mrs. Addie's Sunday School class will give their annual entertainment about May 1st. Watch for their program.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Enquire of Mrs. Frank Daubersmith, two doors west of electric light plant.

WANTED AT ONCE—Girl to do light housework. Young girl to work under supervision will be acceptable. Enquire at this office.

CORN FOR SALE—I have about 1500 bushels of corn for sale.

W. C. VAN SCHUYCK.

Phone Silver Maple, No. 2.

If you want correct abstracting done and cheap prices too, it will pay you to see the American Loan & Investment Co., before ordering your abstract.

A grand dance will be given in Congregation hall, Protivin, Monday evening, April 18th. Music by P. B. B. Harp Orchestra. Everybody invited.

Notice to farmers having ordered tankage. Please call for same at once as car is now on track in Cresco.

F. A. GLASS.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a market on Saturday, April 16th, in Miles Graf's Ice Cream Parlor. Don't forget the date, April 16th.

I will be in South Dakota for the next ten days or two weeks and all orders held for me will be greatly appreciated.

C. D. TAYLOR.

HOUSES FOR SALE—From \$500.00 to \$3,000.00. Ask to see them if you are thinking of laying.

O. W. CLARK, the Insurance Man.

First class pasture for town cows. Good well water and change of pasture each week. Phone No. 99.

M. P. LYDON.

Seed Field Peas for sale, at the Wm. Fitzgerald farm west of Cresco. Phone Howard Center 14.

JOHN A. SCHUELLER.

FOR RENT—Two story, brick, 8-room house, in first-class repair. Good well, garden, etc. Enquire of C. A. Marshall, or N. B. Wheeler after April 23.

A grand dance will be given in Congregation hall, Protivin, on Monday evening, April 18th. Music by P. B. B. Harp Orchestra. Everybody invited.

Chas. Byrnes and daughter Mrs. R. J. Woods, returned last Friday from Fox Lake, Wis., where they were called by the death of a sister of Mr. Byrnes.

The Upton & Krumm herd of registered Herefords, 27 in number, were sold during the past week to Leslie Barnes at a price satisfactory to all parties concerned.

G. T. Watros was thrown out of his buggy last Sunday afternoon while returning from Sovereign's mill, sustaining a dislocation of the left elbow and other injuries of lesser importance.

Fire, originating from a cook stove, badly damaged Walter Bowers' home on Saturday last, badly burning most of the interior of the house before it was extinguished. He has no insurance, the policy expiring about a month ago.

A general Real Estate and Exchange business. See us before buying or selling.

Office over Alliance store. Phone 282.

MYRON CONVERSE INV. CO., Cresco, Iowa.

There's no better spring tonic than Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. The standard for thirty years. Tea or Tablets, 35c. Get a package today, and you'll thank us for the advice.—Wm. Connolly.

Ole Teigen and family moved here last week from Cresco and will go to house keeping as soon as a suitable house can be found. Mr. Teigen will assist his father in the meat market.—Harmony News.

Ed Williams of Cresco, who is to take J. W. McKeehan's "block" for the International Harvester Co., has moved into the house of Mrs. Thos. Young's recently vacated by the Lappen family.—Le Roy Independent.

April showers bring colds, grippe, rheumatism, and other distressing troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea effectually and quickly rid one of such troubles—prevents them, too. A 35c package makes 105 cups tea. Try it today.—Wm. Connolly.

The First National Bank of Le Roy, Minn., of which Merrill Bowers is the assistant cashier, in its last report shows a gain of 50 per cent. in deposits over the reports made about nine months previously. Evidently Merrill is connected with an institution as popular as he is personally.

The Wm. Brown family, who took up their residence in Waukon several years ago, departed Monday for Howard county where he will go onto a farm four miles from Cresco, recently purchased by Mr. Brown. While here Mr. Brown was engaged in the land and real estate business.—Waukon Journal.

The Cresco schools will lose the services of Principal Lyon after the current school year, he having accepted a position as head instructor of mathematics in the Interlaken School for Boys at a salary of \$1,000 per year with board and room in addition.

Any Boy anxious to earn money outside of school hours can secure a position with me. To my best boy I am going to give SAVINGS BANKS and cash prizes. The work is easy and does not interfere with school duties.

NEIL TERRY, P. O. Box 95.

FOR SALE—80 acres in Fremont twp., Winnebago county, Iowa; good buildings, all tillable land under good cultivation and well fenced. For terms and price, write or phone

ED. WILBUR, R. F. D. No. 1, Cresco, Iowa.

It's just as important that you be clean inside as outside—more so, in fact. Unless your system is entirely cleansed of all impurities, you cannot be one hundred percent healthy, physically or morally. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest systemic cleanser known.—Wm. Connolly.

A recent issue of the Milbank (S. D.) News contained editorial reference to an announcement made by Geo. W. Merry that, owing to the ill health of his wife under no circumstances would he be a candidate for state senator, as was desired of him by his many friends. The News expressed deep regret at the announcement and hoped that Mr. Merry could see his way clear to accept a nomination, adding "the gentleman's friends all over the county have been urging him to be a candidate and his sacrifice for the sake of his wife will give him a warm spot in the heart of every citizen, regardless of faction. If at any future election he can be prevailed upon to be a candidate his success will be certain."

This morning at the Church of the Assumption, occurred the marriage of Charles Zender and Miss Eva Glass.

The couple leave this evening for Henry, S. D., where Charles is in business.

J. J. Carroll, a former New Oregon boy, now city marshal of Randolph, Neb., had an exciting experience early in the morning of April 4th. Three yeggmen captured him on the street, blindfolded, gagged him, relieved him of his gun and then locked him in a closet in the rear of the First National Bank, the safe of which they proceeded to open, seven charges of dynamite being used to open the bank vault and safe. Some time after the robbery, Marshal Carroll managed to free himself and gave the alarm but the robbers had made their escape with about \$10,000 in gold and currency.

At a special meeting of the school board, Thursday night, the resignation of Miss Alice Davis, teacher of the first primary grade on the north side, was accepted, in order to enable her to take up a position in the Cresco Savings Bank. Miss Edna Evans was transferred from the south side building and Miss Anna Davis called home from the State Teachers' College to take charge of the primary room on the south side. While all will regret to see Miss Alice Davis leave the teaching profession, they will rejoice with her in securing a place that offers better opportunities.

Notice to Stockholders

of the Northern Iowa Telephone Co., of Cresco, Iowa. There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Iowa Telephone Co. at its office on Monday, May 2, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing two directors for three years each and a secretary for one year.

G. R. STORY, Secretary.

Cresco High School Wins Opening Base Ball Game.

In one of the most exciting base ball games ever witnessed in high school contests of northeastern Iowa, Cresco defeated Riceville High School at Riceville last Saturday, by a score of 6 to 5.

It was a clean, fast game throughout. Riceville led by a score of 4 to 1 up to the seventh inning, when Cresco landed on Duffy for a number of safe drives which netted Cresco four scores.

Both teams played fast ball but Cresco had the fewer errors. Duffy and Caward both pitched good ball. Caward fanned the most men, but allowed more safe hits than Duffy.

This game shows Riceville how soon "doctors, lawyers and ministers" change into ball players.

The following is the line-up and summaries:

Cresco. Catcher Arnold. Pitcher Duffy. 1st Base Schoonmaker. 2nd Base Raney. 3rd Base Burke. Hamilton L. F. Dumley. Nichols C. F. Montanya. Wentworth R. F. Sutlin.

Hits—Cresco 6 (Nichols 2, Caward 1, Gammoss 1, Wheeler 1, Wentworth 1); Riceville 5. Errors—Cresco 2, Riceville 6. Struck out—Caward 16, Duffy 10. Umpire—Emerson.

Next week Cresco goes to Preston to take on one of the fastest teams in southern Minnesota. The following week on April 22nd, Cresco plays her first home game with her old rivals the Decorah boys.

Marriage Licenses.

Clerk Blandin issued marriage licenses during the past week as follows:

Thos. E. Kelley, 21, Elma, Iowa.

Anna E. Silver, 18, Elma, Iowa.

Chas. H. Zender, 24, Henry, S. D.

Eva L. Glass, 24, Cresco, Iowa.