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**DRESS GOODS AND SILKS**  
Cortice's Spool Silk to match all the new shades

## Mott & Co.

The showing we make in Dress Goods and Silks

this season is Bigger and Better than ever. All the weaves and colorings are shown and in the silks we show an unusually large line of Waistings in

### Plain, Plaid and Persian Weaves

With the handsome line of Trimmings and All-Overs we show, we feel sure we can satisfy any one wanting a Dress or Waist.

## Sweaters--Sweaters--Sweaters



We have the Largest Assortment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Sweaters we have ever had. In All Colors.



Ask to see them.

Coats Thread, 6 for 25 cents

### Linens

We show a lot of New Things in Linens.

Towels of all kinds, including some handsome Embroidered ones for presents and some very good values in Guest Towels.

We show this week the greatest value in Doilies and Center Pieces we have ever shown, starting at 10c and on up to 12 1-2c, 25c, 35c, 39c and \$1.50.



## COTTON AND WOOL BLANKETS

Our Fall line of Blankets is ready for your inspection. Lowest Prices for Best Quality. Ask for Prices.

Walter Mott spent Sunday in Decorah.

Lyman White left yesterday for Colorado.

Sewing wanted at home. Phone New Oregon 6.

D. H. Thomas was down from Lime Springs Monday.

Inquire about the corn contest at Fergen's Pharmacy.

Ladies fall coats dry cleaned at the Cresco Steam Laundry.

C. E. Morey returned Saturday to his home at Monticello, Minn.

Aug. Ohmacht went to Minneapolis Monday on a business trip.

Ladies skirt and waists dry cleaned at Cresco Steam Laundry.

Hard and soft coal. BURGESS & SONS.

Finest line of box stationery just in M. M. GRAF.

Salt by sack or barrel at the City Elevator. GILCHRIST & CO.

FOR SALE—Four good Shorthorn bulls. A. MARSHALL.

The New Hospital on post cards. M. M. GRAF.

Hard and soft coal. BURGESS & SONS.

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

Corn contest on at Fergen's Pharmacy. Bring in your four ears of corn.

We are prepared to do French Dry Cleaning at the Cresco Steam Laundry.

Lee Walker is down from Minneapolis visiting with his sister, Mrs. A. D. Patterson.

Miss Ione Kakac returned last week from a visit with relatives and friends in Chicago.

Mrs. D. Platt left Thursday last for a visit with her son Roy and family at Minneapolis.

BARN FOR RENT—Or stalls. Enquire of R. O. Hughes, at Lomas & Farnsworth's.

FOR RENT—Front rooms and hall over Clark Bros. grocery. Inquire of D. AMUNDSON.

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

Lellis Lowry returned last Saturday to his school work at the State University at Madison, Wis.

FOR RENT—Modern furnished steam heated rooms for rent, one block from Court House. Call phone 412.

Rev. Hinman left Monday for Monticello, Iowa, to attend the District Congregational Association meeting.

Dance at the M. W. A. Hall, Bonair, Ia., Thursday, Oct. 6, 1910. Good music. Supper served. Public invited.

New models of the latest Fall fashion Over coats, at THE NICHOLS CLOTHING HOUSE.

FOR SALE—Yearling rams and lambs, full-blood Shropshires. W. A. STOCKMAN.

\$10 to be given away to the party who brings in the best four ears of corn. FERGEN'S PHARMACY.

Hawes' Hats, the swellest and newest bonnets in town, at THE NICHOLS CLOTHING HOUSE.

Arthur Stinger left last Saturday evening for Chicago to take a course in pharmacy at the Northwestern University.

Mrs. Hall, of Minneapolis, came Saturday for a short visit at the home of her uncle, Ed Slama, residing near Protivin.

Don't forget to bring in your four ears of corn when you come to Cresco and enter the corn contest at Fergen's Pharmacy.

The ladies of the M. E. church will serve a Chicken Pie Supper, Oct. 13th, in the dining room of the church. Menu later.

Our new line of sheep lined and plush lined working clothing are the best things that you ever saw, at THE NICHOLS CLOTHING HOUSE.

Ferd. Goettel returned to his home at Waterloo last week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Goettel and little son Emmet who will visit with relatives there for a short time.

The Epworth League will hold a 10c sociable in the basement of the M. E. church, Friday, Sept. 30—South entrance. Old and young cordially invited as a good time is ensured for all.

YOUNG MAN! If you want to see something strictly NEW and up-to-date in caps, you want to see our line. Nothing like it in the country. THE NICHOLS CLOTHING HOUSE.

I will have an auction sale of household goods on Mott's corner, Saturday, October 1st. If you have any goods you wish sold, see me. E. M. STOCKMAN.

Estate of house with two lots or eight lots for sale in Cresco; cash or easy payment plan to suit. A fine bargain for someone desiring a home. See LAWYER BLACKBURN.

Smoke "Judge Harlan" 5c cigar at W. A. Glass'—both places.

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

Hard and soft coal. BURGESS & SONS.

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

FOR SALE—Five acres of drilled corn at \$15 per acre, one mile northwest of county farm. AUGUST DEGROOTE.

We now have the new Hospital on hand colored post cards. M. M. GRAF.

Frank Lowry left Sunday evening for Annapolis to complete his last year in the Naval Academy from which he will graduate next June.

FOR SALE—35 Shropshire ewes, 1 Shropshire ram and 1 Oxford ram. Phone East Bonair 19. R. M. THOMSON.

Those New Tobacco Browns in young mens suits for Fall are the talk of some of our best young men, and we also have them in over coats. THE NICHOLS CLOTHING HOUSE.

Mead, W. W. Johnson, Chas. Powers, Davis and Plummer will entertain the ladies of the Congregational church on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 29th, from 3 till 5 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Johnson.

W. S. Walter will have an auction sale, Oct. 5th, at his place six miles northeast of Bonair to sell cattle, horses and machinery on the usual terms. Finegan is the auctioneer and Tillson is the clerk.

Peter Dozark will have an auction sale on Wednesday of this week at his place two miles southeast of Saratoga. Cattle, horses and machinery will be sold on the usual terms. Finegan is the auctioneer and Tillson is the clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Seeley, of Minneapolis, came over Friday from Riceville where they had been visiting with friends, for a visit with Mrs. Seeley's sister, Mrs. W. B. Lent. They left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Hopkinton and Marion, Iowa.

Mrs. Mary Frost, and son William, accompanied her aunt, Mrs. Waterman, of Union, Ill., down from Lime Springs Saturday, for a short visit with Cresco relatives and friends. Mrs. Waterman was a resident of New Oregon about a half century ago.

To anyone who would like to rent a 240-acre farm in Minnesota at much better rate than here, call on me. Good black loam, clay sub-soil. 200 acres plowed for spring crop. Good well and fair buildings. N. B. WHEELER.

Hard and soft coal. BURGESS & SONS.

## Apples and Pears

Will have a CAR OF BULK APPLES and a CAR OF PEARS ABOUT

WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY

which will be sold from the car VERY CHEAP. Come early as they will go fast at the price we will sell at.

Leave orders with

## W. H. Woellstein

C. D. Nichols is suffering from a broken shoulder blade, the result of a fall last Friday evening. He was at the Fair grounds loading some crated sheep for shipment and while putting on his coat and with both arms in the coat sleeves, lost his balance when the team started and fell to the ground. Charley says he is mighty thankful that the injury was not greater.

C. D. Nichols Live Stock Co., shipped a fine pair of their Shropshire sheep last week to Mr. J. H. Shipley, of Vilas, N. C. These were two fine specimens of the breed; they were taken right from the field, had not been fitted for the shows. The ram was a two-year-old, (imported) and weighed 240 pounds. The ewe was two years old, of Mr. Nichols own breeding and weighed 180 pounds and from his noted Rector Family. Thus North Carolina gains.

FOR SALE. 3 1/2 acres, house 16x24, nearly new; small barn, good well, in the city of Cresco. A snap if taken soon. I have several other bargains in town dwellings. See me. E. M. STOCKMAN.

Office over Picture show. N. Iowa Phone No. 4.

Hard and soft coal. BURGESS & SONS.

T. R. Powers, one of the pioneers of Howard county, who for several years has made his home at Decorah, passed away early Sunday morning at his old home farm in New Oregon township. He came up from Decorah about two weeks ago to look after his farm and was taken sick soon after his arrival, death being due to the infirmities of old age. His remains were taken to Decorah for burial, the funeral taking place this morning.

When you buy a "Meritol" produce of the the American Drug and Press Association you get something absolutely pure and of real merit, selected by the directors of the Association as the best known article for the purpose intended, indorsed by the leading physicians, druggists and newspaper men of the country. The local membership in the association and its sole representative in this county is the drug store of C. T. McWilliams & Co., Chester, Ia. Ask for "Meritol" goods.

Merchant Tailoring. My new fall goods are here with all the latest, newest and nobbiest patterns in imported and domestic goods. The largest and most complete stock ever in the city. Call early and make your selection. All work guaranteed satisfactory. D. AMUNDSON.

# CRESCO

## IS THE BEST TOWN

in Northern Iowa in which to do your trading. The Alliance Store has been and still is a great factor in making it so. Any one who can not see this is blind with prejudice or envy. Come to The Alliance Store and we will prove it to you. People come 20 miles or more and buy loads of Dry Goods, Groceries and Hardware at The Alliance Store and say they can do lots better than they can in near by towns. One price to everybody, no cutting of prices, but only a fair business profit charged on goods. TRY US AND PROVE IT.

## Alliance Store