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We want Every Shoe wearer to hear it.

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We have inaugurated a special sale in the height of the season when you most need shoes.

Its a Big Money Saver For You.

Ladies best quality hand sewed turn and hand sewed welt (extension sole) 4, 5 & \$6 shoes for \$2.50. Ladies 3 and 3.50 shoes for \$2. Ladies 2 and 2.50 shoes for \$1.50. Misses shoes 1.25 & \$1.50, worth 2 and \$2.50. Mens shoes at \$2 and \$2.50 this lot contains 3, 4 and \$5 goods.

We can't enumerate all the lots but come and see what we are offering. We are not going to quit business but we are going to reduce stock and close out all broken lots. We are making price that will do it. If you want \$1.00 to go as far as \$2.00 usual does attend the sale.

MAX WEINER

Positively none of these goods sold to other Dealers. We want shoe wearers to have full benefit of this sale.

Prarie City Items.

Everybody is preparing for a good time Christmas. The teachers institute at this place was a failure Saturday on account of bad weather. Miss Minnie Kemper returned home from Schell City Saturday accompanied by her father, Judge Kemper. J. D. Hornbuckle has just completed his new barn. E. M. Johannes has been visiting his uncle in Kansas the past week. W. L. Lyon was transacting business in Jasper County last week. Marion Farley, of Hume, the well known book agent was around making deliveries in this vicinity last week. Mrs. J. S. Eddy is down with the pneumonia. Dr. Haire of Schell City is attending her. We expect to have the best filled Christmas tree at this place we have ever had. The cholera still continues to take our porkers. We understand John Mack, of Rockville is going to locate in our burg. We say come on with a hearty welcome. The literary at this place was well attended last Friday. A number of young folks from Vernon county were present. Preaching at the school house next Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Scott of Adrian. Miss Iva Kemper has been confined to her room by running a fence nail almost through her foot. The band boys were out serenading Wednesday night, devouring cider and cake. Miss Anna Wilson, of Eldorado Springs, is visiting her sister, Mrs.

Masterson. Judge Fix and R. Stemer have commenced leveling some of their bottom land near Rockville. Wm. Kamm and wife in company with several other Rockvillites attended our literary Friday night. J. F. Summy and family, of Papinville, were visiting relatives Sunday. W. A. Summy is making arrangements to build a new residence. Mrs. John Marquet is reported as being quite sick. A Stienraus, of Harwood, has purchased some real estate from Michael Schallman HARRY.

New Home Items.

C. H. Huff's accomplished daughter Louisa, paid her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Welch, a visit Saturday and Sunday at New Home. Come again Miss Louisa. John T. Smith visited his daughter at Sprague Sunday and Monday. Mr. Ramsey and mother of Vernon county visited Mr. S. Robb. P. S. Ferguson 2 miles south of Elkhart has hand tobacco for sale and it is nice and bright, at 10c a pound. Frank Robb is down with that sore throat that has been raging in our midst. Mr. H. Robb is having a time. His little girl has just recovered from a severe sickness. Little Rosa is able to be up and around. Our old friend, G. W. Seybert, of near Virginia, drew back pension to the amount of \$1,520. There will be a big shooting match at Emanuel Nestlerode's the 24th. They are big turkeys and a big drove of them. Bring an your long guns. J. Q. A. Cope has made a coop and says he is going to get her. F. M. Kennedy, of Virginia, moves

the date of his paper up six months. Mr. K. is the only blind man I have an my list, he is a gentleman and good pay. Of course he can't read it himself but he has it read to him and says he wishes it was printed twice a week for which he has our thanks. Eggs 16c cents, Butter 15 cents in pound prints, turkeys and ducks, 4c and hens 3c cents. Roosters, any kind, 10 cents each at my store in merchandise. Some are kicking about my advertising in these columns. Ask Jake Allen if I don't pay for all the ink and paper I use in advertising for me. Robb & Co. at the saw mill need two good choppers. Andrew Morris has a fresh cow for sale. Wouder what Blood Woods was doing in our burg, Sunday? Sam Harney wears a new "yaller" coat. Pat Maloney's sale was a success. Could not have been otherwise with a good crowd and an auctioneer who never fails to sell. Grandma Cope is improving slowly. Schuyler Robb traded old Blase for a good stem winder. Wonder what has become of Nels' clerk, has he deserted us? We are always glad to hear from Virginia. Grandma Virginia how's the fur trade? There seems to be considerable hog cholera in the county, but in this neighborhood there are no hogs dying. According to the Pop papers we will have wild cat money. I see on the road to Butler Uncle Lewis Porter is having his house plastered, something is going to happen. Which is it, Frank Nance or Uncle Lewis?

Produce is on the decline, should the weather turn cold prices will increase after the holidays. N. M. NESTLERODE. Reynard Items. In the making of history some things have happened in our midst perhaps worthy of reading recently. Francis Gilbreath, a wealthy and influential farmer, has sold his fine

farm of 280 acres to Mr. Frank Schuster of Nebraska, the consideration being \$33 per acre. We understand that Mr. Gilbreath is not settled as to where he will make his future home, but it is to be hoped that he will still remain a Bates county Missourian. At his sale a few days ago cows sold at from \$35 to \$40, calves \$12.75 per head and corn 36c per bu. in the pen.

Frank P. Browning had the misfortune to lose two two-year-old mules the other morning by a hay stack falling on them.

Some stock is being fed in these parts. Corn is about all gathered and made a fair crop. Some hay is selling at \$6 per ton.

Should anyone see Frank Diehl walking proudly, don't think hard, as he has a bouncing baby boy at his house. All are doing well.

Mrs. Cameron Peeler has been dangerously ill for the past few days, at the present writing do not know her condition, but hope she will soon recover.

Troy Brown, the 14-year-old son of W. G. Brown, is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

Dan and Walter Williams are visiting in Johnson county for a week or so.

John Bussey had the ill luck to break his arm at school last Friday. A marriage in our Prairie is talked of soon.

DeWitt C. Baker has gone to Illinois on a business trip.

Uncle Billy Gilbreath is a sufferer from a large carbuncle on his neck. SHARP.

Virginia Items.

W. J. Reese, of Kansas City, Deputy Grand Chief Templar of Missouri delivered two picture lectures at Virginia on Sunday night at the Christian church and Monday night at McFadden's Hall to crowded houses. Both churches were practicing for the Christmas entertainment, but owing to the interest felt in the lecture their practices was short. It is strange that anyone would refuse their house on account of a local appointment, to such lectures that the young people need. Nels Nestlerode was in our town last Thursday attending Pat Maloney's sale. He is looking well. J. W. Park bought, in addition to the Hart farm, 80 acres of Mr. Doo little and the Rouse farm. The Amsterdam friend took Miss Tye to Butler, last Saturday.

W. J. Reese was hospitably entertained by G. W. Park. On Sunday Mr. Park darkened a room and arranged for Mr. Reese to give a temperance entertainment to about thirty of his young friends, for over an hour the little ones enjoyed about one hundred stereopticon views and a plain pointed talk simplified to suit the young ones showing the evil of intemperance and the beauty of sobriety. A more pleased and attentive crowd was seldom seen.

H. Lyle has bought a farm near Superior, Knockels county, Neb. Ed Jones, his son in law, bought a place three miles from him. Mr. Lyle paid \$35 per acre and Jones paid \$26.

John Rankins has bought a place in the northwest part of Missouri. There was a debate at Miss Yuler Tye's school last Friday afternoon. The subject was: "Resolved that the whole is of more benefit to man than the horse." Affirmative, Lena Jenkins and John Comford; negative, Daisy Park and Icy Jenkins. Miss Tye's school is doing well and teacher and pupils are having a pleasant time. The school is full. There will be a vacation during Christmas week.

Thomas Wright has moved to the John Hensly farm, two miles south east of Virginia.

Fred Drysdale was in Butler a few days last week. He says he found but one populist there. NELS CLEEK.

Lace Curtains Portiers \$4 to \$6.50 per pair Rugs \$2.50 to \$5 Carpets sweepers \$2.50 Housekeepers will appreciate such a Christmas present. McKibbens.

Deck Rayburne, who was arrested for forging a note last week, escaped from Constable McBride last Friday night. Rayburne persuaded McBride to go to his father's with him, that his father might sign his bond, and when they got there Rayburne made his escape by running through a barn, it being too dark for McBride to keep up with him. Montrose Democrat.

A Chance to Make Money.

I have been selling Dish Washers three weeks, and have cleared \$315. Can any of your readers, without previous experience, beat this? In this business a woman can make as much as a man. Every family wants a dish washer when they can be got so cheap and they will have one, no matter who it is that is selling them. I am convinced any one can make from \$5 to \$10 a day in the business anywhere, city or country. They all want Dish Washers. You can get particulars by addressing the Iron City Dish Washer Co., E. E. Pittsburgh, Pa., and by beginning at once you can have money enough by spring to start in most any kind of business. I am going to stick right to this Dish Washer business until I make \$10,000. MATHIDA B.

A Phantom Party.

Mrs. Wm. E. Walton entertained handsomely at her palatial home Thursday evening of last week. It was a phantom party and one of the most delightful affairs of the season. About 50 guests were present. The parlors, hall, library and other spacious rooms of the elegantly appointed house were illuminated with lights from numerous lamps under soft colored shades and presented a scene like fairyland with the white robed figures fitting about.

Each lady was numbered with a displayed letter and upon arriving was given a pencil and paper to join in the guessing contest. Mrs. A. E. Blachert, having correctly guessed the largest number of those present, was the winner of the prize which was a beautiful china plate.

At 6:30 o'clock supper was served at small tables in the dining room and parlor adjoining, the menu being elaborate. The tables were laid in white, and decked with beautiful chrysanthemums and exquisite roses.

The guests invited were Mesdames Doyle, of Clinton, Kipp, McBride, Silvers, Everingham, Warnock, Morris, Trimble, Williams, Bert Allen, Bryant, Francisco, Wade, Frank Allen, Meyer, Weiner, Christy, Pigott, Frizell, Cook, Day, Blachert, Morrison, Canterbury, Weil, F. C. Smith, Levy, Percival, Carrithers, Tygard, Hart, Clark, Austin, Burrus, M. E. Power, W. W. Graves, Dr. F. M. Fulkerson, F. M. Allen, Jno. Armstrong, Shaffer, J. D. Allen, W. F. Duvall, I. N. Mains, Boulware, Jenkins, Jno. Hayes, R. R. Deacon, J. J. Williams and Miss Anna Hannah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Catterlin celebrated the 20th anniversary of their wedding at their handsome and commodious residence on Mechanic street Saturday evening. A large number of friends had been invited to make merry with them over the joyous occasion and right royally were they entertained. Their magnificent home was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens. The hostess had spread a bountiful and sumptuous repast, the tables being spread in white with cut flowers and similar decorations. Right well have this excellent couple borne the brunt of life's struggle for a score of years, and their surroundings indicate happiness and prosperity. They were remembered by their friends with a large number of costly, useful and beautiful presents. The Times joins in congratulations and best wishes.

Ladies Kid Gloves \$1 and \$1.20. All shades Ladies' Lined Kid Gloves \$1. Ladies Lined Kid Mittens 50c. Very best made for the price. An appropriate Holiday gift. McKibbens.

To understand the magnitude of feeding operations in Vernon county it is necessary for the man who is not a citizen to visit some of the cattle pens. On the Polk ranch there are 1600 cattle on full feed and about the same number of hogs. A few days since the company shipped 600 hogs. About 80,000 bushels corn is fed each day. The sheller and crushers are run by steam. The latest addition to the stock is several cars of cows and heifers. The Clay Robinson Commission Co. of Kansas City are the owners. Nevada Mail.

Ed Adams, engineer of a passenger train on the Lexington branch, met with a fearful accident at the Sedalia depot, Monday morning. He had just pulled his train into the station, and putting the locomotive in charge of the fireman to take to the round house, he stepped into the cab while the train was in motion. He missed his footing and fell with his left hand under the ponderous wheels, and amputation of the hand was necessary.

Insane Mother Murders Her Little Boy and Girl.

Seligman, Mo., Dec. 17.—Mrs. Maggie Jones, of Dry Hollow region, committed suicide yesterday, after killing two of her children, Roy, aged 9, and Lulu, aged 8.

Mr. Jones had requested a lady to stay with his wife during his absence. Mrs. Jones made excuses until the woman was prevailed upon to leave the house with the oldest child, aged about 11.

Soon as she was left alone, Mrs. Jones hastily got a razor and cut the throat of her children and then cut her own throat four times.

She gave as her cause that she was tired of living. The deed was committed at 11 a. m. She lived until 3 p. m. She had been deranged before, although she talked perfectly rational after the deed, as her blood ebbed away. When the woman returned to the house the youngest child was in the yard, unhurt; the little was lying on her face upon the floor, and the little boy was in a sitting posture against the wall. He said: "Mamma has cut me."

Both of the children died immediately. The little girl had a wound on the hand, made in trying to ward off her mother's blows.

Mrs. Jones had been longing to return to her old home in North Missouri. She seemed very despondent in the morning.

Everybody knows that the conditions for health are not favorable when the stomach, liver, and bowels are disordered. In such cases, headache, indigestion and constipation are the result; for all which ailments the proper remedy is Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

Joint Public Sale.

I will sell at public sale at my farm, two miles north of Pleasant Gap, on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1894, the following property: One pair horses, one pair match mares, two work mares, one colt, one two-year-old filly, six feeding steers, fat, one yearling steer, three heifers, four cows, six calves, 50 head of hogs, three sets double harness, one mow, one hay rake, one wagon, one buggy, one planter, one stalk cutter, 30 acres of stalks, one stack straw, 30 tons timothy hay, 1,000 bushels corn, plows and other farm machinery. Three work and brood mares, two mule colts, six cows, one low wagon, one stirring plow, one stump puller, one hay rake, one Champion mow. Terms made known on day of sale. J. C. HALE, C. H. RAINS.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 13.—The Atlanta Chamber of Commerce held a meeting to-day which was attended by representative gathering of business men. Resolutions were passed strongly indorsing Carlisle's plan for a new currency. The scheme was thoroughly discussed, and efforts to pass a set of meaningless resolutions failed. The plan is generally indorsed here.

R. J. Dale remains of the opinion that sorghum fodder is the best and cheapest rough feed for horses and cattle. He is feeding 72 steers and notices that two thirds of them will leave the corn troughs as soon as it is hauled into the lot. The yield per acre, after it is well cured, is from six to ten tons. It is of course much heavier when first cut. The cane is fed entire and every particle, including the stalk is eaten. Mr. Dale is of the opinion that the heads should be cut off and the seed ground or crushed in some way to make more readily digestible.—Nevada Mail.

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