

Fitts' Cloaks and Furs.

We give below a description of our best selling numbers in Cloaks:

- \$5.00** A Ladies 27 inch, best grade, Beaver Jacket, storm collar, mercerized, lined throughout, nicely stitched. A big seller. Tan and Castor only—in sizes 32 to 42.
- \$7.50** Ladies 27 inch all wool Kersey, storm collar, good satin lined throughout, nicely stitched, pocket flap and cuffs. Castor only. All sizes.
- \$8.50** Ladies 27 inch, excellent grade, all wool Kersey, cuffs and pocket flap, storm collar, satin lining, nine rows tailor stitching. A big seller. Colors, castor, red, blue and black.
- \$9.50** Ladies 27 inch best all wool Kersey, beautifully tailor stitched, inlaid Panno velvet on collar, cuffs and pocket, flare sleeves, in colors tan and castor.
- \$10.00** Ladies 27 inch finest quality Kersey, beautifully stitched, Gibson yoke, finest quality, Skinner's satin lining, storm collar and cuffs. Colors, tan and castor.

We have Cluster Scarfs, Streamer Scarfs, Collarets and Storm Collars in furs. Prices, 90c up. Yours Truly,

J. C. FITTS,
OREGON, - - - MISSOURI.

—Nice fresh Cranberries just arrived at Geo. F. Seeman's.
—The District convention of the M^t Hope Baptist Sunday schools, will convene Nov. 28, 29, 30.
—We discontinue giving Merchant's Premium Stamps, Dec. 1st.
MOORE & KRKKK, The Grocers.
—Hog wire for 17 cents a rod. Another car just received at the lumber yard at Forest City. Come early and avoid the rush.
—For the best Mince Meat on the market buy the H. J. Heinz Mince Meat for sale by
THE ZACHMAN EVANS CO.
Oregon, Mo.
—The Good Government Club president waited on the loyal citizen. "We want to get all our leading citizens interested in great civic movements, and hope to enlist your interest and support. To keep bad men out we must have good men in politics. We want you to run for office as a moral example in this community." "But," protested the loyal citizen, "I am, as you know, strenuously opposed to holding office." "Oh, well," kindly replied the other, "that's all right. Run on the Democratic county ticket."

—Miss V. B. Price spent a few days the past week in St. Joseph.
—Craig had the largest delegation in attendance at our mum show.
—John R. Elder has sold his farm of 105 acres to James A. Foster, for \$3,500.
—Mrs. Leonora Walters and son Robert, have returned from their Idaho trip.
—Miss Hazel Meyer, of Mound City, visited the Misses Kiplinger during the mum show.
—Misses Palmer and Thomas, of the Craig school, attended our mum show, and visited relatives and friends.
—Do you want a bargain? If you do, call and leave \$1.50 and get THE SENTINEL and Kansas City Weekly Star for one year.
—Thanksgiving Day comes just soon enough after election for everybody to rejoice and be thankful that the campaign is over.
—Anybody wanting Pure Sweet Cider for Mince Meat or other purposes can get same at THE ZACHMAN EVANS CO.
Oregon, Mo.
—Mr. Lee Taylor, of Oklahoma, who visited here during the summer with his cousin, Mrs. I. K. Burnett, is back again, and is on the sick list with malarial fever.
—At last after many attempts by men, institutions and organizations, to build an opera house in Maryville, the matter has been taken up by the ladies of that town and it is thought that in a short time plans for the construction of a \$25,000 building will be laid before the public.
—Oregon merchants have expended a great deal of money this fall for holiday goods. Many stores are displaying large stocks of goods such as are demanded by the holiday trade. The variety displayed is all that could be desired. The merchants of Oregon never had a larger or better stock than are offered for the inspection of holiday shoppers this fall.
—An exchange tells of a trial before a justice in one of our neighboring counties, in which the court held that the eggs were the property of the farmer's wife. The farmer attempted to take a basket of eggs to town to sell; the wife objected. A "difference arose," in which the farmer came off victorious, but the wife seemed to have a little spirit of her own, for a wonder, and took the matter into court, where she won. The man was fined \$3 and costs. It ought to have been \$30, so that he could remember the lesson longer.

B. B. SIMMONS
Physician and Surgeon.
Special attention given to Surgery & Diseases of Women and Children.
Residence third door south of Opera House, Oregon, Mo. Office over Hinde & Dolner drug store. Phone, No. 24.

—Fillmore parties telephoned J. H. Chambers last week, to watch for a young man who expected to get away on a freight. Mr. Chambers notified Constable Fleming, and as the freight was then at the station they had no time to lose. Neither the constable or Mr. Chambers knew the young man, but they guessed at him, called him by name and he answered. The constable from Fillmore arrived that night and returned with the prisoner. The young man has a seduction case against him.—Maitland Herald.

Thanksgiving Goodies.

A few of the good things that we have to eat:

- Cranberries,
- Cabbage,
- Celery,
- Lima Beans,
- New Honey,
- Malaga Grapes,
- Dried Peaches,
- Dried Apricots,
- Prunes,
- Apples,
- Pure Buck Wheat,
- Sweet Cider,
- H J Heinz Mince Meat
- New Nuts of all kinds,
- Oranges,
- New Figs,
- Stuffed Dates,
- Bananas,
- Currants,
- Raisins,
- Citron,
- Pure Maple Syrup.

Fresh Oysters and Fresh Crackers all the time
The Zachman-Evans Co.,
OREGON, - - - MISSOURI.

—Eli Perkins at the Forest City Opera House, Dec. 3d.
—The Mound City High school has organized a foot ball team.
—Mrs. J. W. Vogan has a stalk field for rent. Half mile south of Oregon.
—The Misses Rebecca and Nellie Bragg and Elsie Morris, were visiting in Kansas City, last week.
—Mrs. Josephine Parsons, of Edina this state, is being entertained by Prof. A. R. Coburn and wife.
—Nov. 27 is Thanksgiving Day, and President Roosevelt and Governor Dockery have issued proclamations.
—Bullock Bros have some milk cows that never have been dry since they had their first calves, four years ago.
—County Clerk Welty last week, issued certificates of election and commissions to the various county officers elect.
—Hog wire for 17 cents a rod. Another car just received at the lumber yard at Forest City. Come early and avoid the rush.
—Rev. W. F. Gates, of Central America, will preach in the Presbyterian church of New Point on next Sabbath morning and evening.
—Fairview will hold a silver medal contest, Saturday evening, Nov. 22, 1902. The class will be composed of scholars of the Fairview school.
—The Bullock Bros. have some milk cows that are record breakers. If you need a good cow don't fail to go to their sale, Nov. 25th, and buy one.
—Mrs. Elwood McDonald and children spent the past week, visiting her parents and friends. Elwood came up Sunday to see his parents and say "howdy" to the boys.
—W. C. Opel and wife are entertaining their son, George, of Kaycee, Wyo. This is George's first visit home for three years, consequently Mr. and Mrs. Opel are very much delighted to have him home again.
—A union Thanksgiving service will be held in the M. E. church, Thanksgiving morning, at 10 o'clock. Rev. Bickel will preach the sermon and a thank offering will be lifted to distribute Bibles to the poor.
—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Forbes M. E. church, will serve oysters and a general supper at the hall in Forbes, Wednesday evening, Nov. 26, 1902. Everybody invited. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.
—Why do you still raise those razor-backed hogs, when you can buy a thorough Poland China sow of Bullock Bros. at your own price. Their sale will be Nov. 25th, and if you don't go and buy, you miss a good chance to commence raising hogs right.
—Uncle John Cowan is moving to town this week, having purchased the Van Buskirk property. Mr. Van B. is temporarily occupying the Martin property opposite the Evangelical church, until his new residence is completed, which will be in a few weeks.
—A silver medal contest will be held at the Marion school house, Saturday evening, Nov. 29, 1902. Medal holders from other districts will be present and give recitations. Everybody should attend and thus encourage the temperance work. Look for program later.
—E. E. Whitmarsh, died at his home in New Point, on Saturday last, Nov. 15, 1902, from appendicitis. He was about 32 years of age, and unmarried. He was a member of New Point lodge, of Odd Fellows. Funeral services were conducted the following day by that order.
—Scott R. Snively, who represented Nodaway county in the legislature in the '70's has been elected to the Wyoming legislature. Charley C. Moore who was recorder of deeds of Holt county from 1895 to 1899 was elected to the legislature from his county in Idaho, at the late election.
—Farm for Sale—A 290 acre farm, well improved, new seven-room house, abundance of water and excellent out-buildings. Located in the Lincoln district, about 7 miles northwest of Oregon and about the same distance from Mound City. For particulars apply to the place. FRANK L. ROECKER.

—The meetings at the Christian church are being well attended—and the constantly increasing interest testifies to Elder Gresham's ability as a speaker and reasoner. All should make it a point to attend. "Come, let us reason together." Meeting will continue over Sunday and as much longer as interest may warrant.
—The William Scott case on the charge of stealing cattle in Andrew county was called at Savannah Monday of this week, and the State took a continuance on the grounds that the defendant being under a penitentiary sentence and his case still pending, he could not be tried during the pending of that sentence.
—"May you take this lesson home with you, dear friends," concluded a preacher at the end of a long and wearisome sermon, "and may its spiritual truth sink deep into your hearts and lives to the end that your soul may experience salvation. We will now bow our heads in prayer. Deacon White will lead." There was no response. "Deacon White," this time in a louder voice, "Will you lead?" Still no response. Evidently the deacon was slumbering. The preacher made a third appeal and raised his voice to a pitch that succeeded in arousing the drowsy man. "Deacon White, will you lead?" The deacon, in bewilderment, rubbed his eyes and blurted: "Oh, go to thunder: it ain't my lead—I just dealt."

—Eli Perkins will lecture in Forest City, on the evening of Dec. 3d.
—John J. Lukeas has sold his 10-acre farm, three miles northwest of Oregon to J. S. Noland for \$2,000.
—Mrs. I. K. Burnett has returned home, after a visit of several weeks with friends in Kan-as and other western states.
—Don't forget that Eli Perkins will be at the Forest City Opera House, Dec. 3d. If you want to laugh, this will be your chance.
—Corwin Clark, who has been in Belgrade, Montana, working on an elevator for several months, returned home Wednesday morning of this week.
—Doctor Simmons tells us that a daughter was born to Nathan Noland and wife Nov. 18th, and on the same date a son was born to Jacob Kurtz and wife.
—George C. Kaucher rolled in Wednesday evening from Belgrade, Montana, for a visit of a week or two with his parents. He is looking well, but has not grown any shorter in stature.
Letter List.
The following letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Oregon, Mo., for the week ending November 14, 1902:
O. F. Frazier,
M. C. Hull,
Mrs. Jasper Radley,
R. W. Smith, (card).
Letters remaining in the postoffice uncalled for the week ending Nov. 21, 1902:
T. F. McElroy, (2)
Thomas F. McElroy
When calling for the above please say "advertised."
TON CURRY, Postmaster

Some Turnips.
We often hear of "some pumpkins," but not often of "some turnips," but this time it is some turnips, with a big T. James Curtis, living in the Union neighborhood, brought in one last week that measures 27 1/2 inches in circumference, and weighs 8 pounds and 14 ounces. John Nowland, who is working for Mr. Curtis, claims the honor of the discovery of this monster. Jonathan Culp, of near Helwig, brought in four that are not infantile in size, the combined weight of the four being 20 pounds, the largest measuring 24 1/2 inches in circumference. Those doubting this statement, can and will be shown if they will call at the postoffice.

Forest City.
—Sam Dick was visiting relatives and friends a few days last week in our city.
—Mrs. Baker and daughter, May, are visiting relatives in Troy, Kas., this week.
—The home of Shauck Smith was made happy on Monday, Nov. 17, by the arrival of a fine baby boy.
—Frank Acton and wife are rejoicing over a sweet little girl baby, who came their to home on Monday, Nov. 17.
—Paul and LeRoy Acton and little Miss Katie Smith were guests of relatives in our city, one day last week.
—The revival services at the M. E. church still continue. The congregations are large and much good has been done.
—The Misses Ollie and Maggie Boyd and Grace Hill attended the flower show in Oregon, Saturday evening, returning home Sunday. While in Oregon they were the guests of Miss Myrtle Vaughn. R.V.V.

The Weather.
Corrected weekly by William Kaucher Justice of the Peace, Oregon, Mo.

	PRECIPITATION	Rain	Snow
Nov.			
13	42	39	.59
14	50	35	.34
15	48	37	.15
16	39	32	.09
17	42	27	
18	51	35	
19	57	37	.01
20		53	

The rainfall exceeds the normal for the entire month a third of an inch and temperature is nearly nine degrees above normal. There has been more cloudiness than usual. Corn gathering has been retarded by the extreme moisture, and roads have been bad.

Abe Lincoln
Was a Rail Splitter.



Eli Perkins
Is a Side-Splitter.

At the Opera House,
FOREST CITY, MO.,
Wednesday Eve., Dec. 3,
1902.

GRAND ROUND UP

and everything in the Correll and the Patie Town Store has on her loudest smiles. Our efforts in purchasing Novelties and Staples having surpassed any of our previous efforts.

We have a line of Muslin Underwear consisting of Night Gowns from 50 cents to \$1.50, Skirts 75 cents to \$1.35. This was a job and we took them all, therefore bought them 33 1/2 cents below regular prices. Also a line of Mercerized Satin Shirt Waist, bought them the same way and they run from \$1.25 to \$1.50, five styles. Also new lines of Black Mercerized Under Skirts that run from 85 cents to \$2.75.

Come in and examine make and material in these goods and compare with others, and buy where you get the best and most for your money.

Our Tailor Made Skirts consists of 125 Skirts running from \$1.25 to \$10.00.

Ladies, Tailor Made Suits from \$6.00 to \$16.00, suits that would cost you in the cities \$20 to \$25.

I will call your attention to some of the latest novelties in Shirt Waist Patterns in Silks and Woolen Velvet Weaves

Also Dress Goods in Silks and trimmings to match.

Also the very latest patterns in Woolen Dress Goods.

Ten bolts of Alapac, 5 cents per yard.

We are closing out 200 Mens Shirts, dress, in odd sizes at half price.

Men's Clothing, Suits and Overcoats at reduced prices.

In fact we are chuck full of Bargains. Drop in and let us show you through.

R. S. Keeves,
OREGON, MO.

A Good Many Farmers Are Arguing What Big Corn They Have.
We will make this offer
for the Biggest and Longest half dozen ears we will give a sack of our
Best Grade Shambaugh Flour.
For the Longest ear we will give a pound of our
30 Cent Diamond Coffee.
The contest to be closed and decided by three disinterested judges December 1st.

We carry a full line of Fancy and Staple Groceries at prices as reasonable as any in Holt County.
Produce or Poultry Taken in Trade.
Our Phone is No. 87.
Respectfully,
Shambaugh Co.,
OREGON, MO.

PUBLIC SALE.
I will sell on my farm, situated on the Oregon and St. Joseph public road, 8 miles southeast of Oregon, and 5 miles northwest of Nodaway, Mo.,
Wednesday, December 3, 1902,
at 10 a. m., sharp, the following property to-wit: My herd of cattle, consisting of 21 head, of which there are 12 High Grade Short-Horn Cows. Six of these cows are giving milk; 5 Spring Calves—Heifers; 1 Pedigreed Short-Horn Bull. One team of Horses, mare and horse, 5 and 6 years old; 10 Brood Sows. All have fine litters of pigs. One thoroughbred Poland China Boar, 7 months old. 400 bushels of Corn in crib. 10 1-2 tons of Hay, of which there are 5 tons Mowed Oats, 5 1-2 tons of Millet Hay. My entire outfit of Farming Implements, consisting of everything that is necessary on a small farm, such as Mower, Rakes, Farm Wagon, Corn Planter, Plows, Harrows, Hay Rake, 1 set of Work Harness. 170 Fence Posts. 5 colonies of Bees in St. Joseph hives and some Kitchen and Household Furniture, and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums under \$10, cash. All sums of \$10 or over, a credit of 12 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 6 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

HENRY HUGHES,
R. C. BENTON, Auctioneer.
DAN. ZACHMAN, Clerk

—We received a pleasant letter from Wm. H. Noland, of Boise, Idaho, last week. Will is now travelling for Swift & Co., and is doing well. He reports family and self as enjoying good health —sends kind regards to all enquiring friends. Will is a son of Tilmann Noland and wife, of near this city.

—Married, at Creighton, Mo., Nov. 5, 1902, Frank Huiatt and Miss Grace Cochran. Frank and bride were here Nov. 6 and 7, visiting his mother, sister relatives and numerous friends. The festive joins with Frank's many friends in wishing him a long and happy married life.