

# LOW PRICES

## Men's Corduroy Blanket-Lined Coats

430T—\$5.50 Men's drab corduroy coat specially designed work coat, warm and serviceable and made to resist hard wear. Corduroy is a wide drab color which will not show the dirt easily and the body is lined with a fancy blanket lining coat made double breasted style, average length of coat 32 inches, and pants to match—Pants are full blanket lined. Suit complete here in Loup City \$5.50. This is advertised in a Chicago catalogue at \$5.55.



## Men's Lined Work Mittens

T1466—\$1.00 Men's lamb-wool lined heavy knit wool wrist, just the mitten you need for cold weather. Our Price \$1.00



## Boys' Underwear

T7539—65c Boys elastic ribbed combed cotton union suit, heavy weight, made from selected combed cotton of very fine quality. Jersey elastic ribbed, our price is 65c. This suit a Chicago catalogue house advertises at 69c.



## Ladies' Wool Under Skirts

These are just up-to-date. Price from 50c to \$1.25



## 50c Boys Overalls

Age 3 to 9 years. This denim is of good heavy quality, spunged and shrunken denim thick, will make the overalls wear as long again as any other make of overalls. Try us for a pair of these overalls. You will always come back.



## Babies Booties in Wool

These are made in extra long Price 25c a pair



Don't Forget to Get Your "Home" Contes Coupons

# Loup City Mer. Co.

## Men's and Boys Caps

50c to \$1.25 These caps are bought from one of the largest manufacturers Price 50c to 1.25



## Misses White Middles

These are made from fine white cloth and have been sold at \$1.25, but our price in this sale will be 98c.



## Ladies', Misses, and Children's Leggings

Leggings we have a big line in Ladies', Misses and Children's.



## Children's Bloomers

Children's black satin bloomers, our price 25c



## Large Bath Towels

A good large size bath towel for 15c

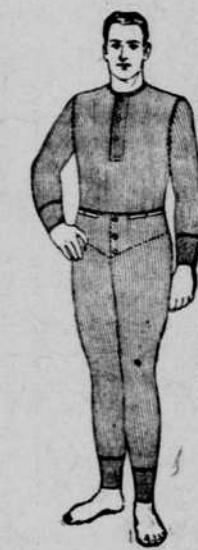
## Children's Black Satin Bloomers

Children's black satin bloomers. Our price 25c



## Men's Winter Underwear

No. 5547—50c each garment. Men's ribbed underwear, gray and white horizontal stripes. French collars silk front, this is extra good underwear for the price 50c each garment



## Blankets

We have a big line in both wool and cotton blankets and can supply your wants in either.

Price in cotton, 50c to \$2.00.

Price on wool \$3.50 to \$7.50.



# FOR School Wear Every Day Wear All Kinds of Wear BUY BLACK CAT HOISERY R. L. ARTHUR

Henry Ohlsen was home from Dwight over last Sunday. He says the mason work on the Catholic church there is about completed and ready for the balance of the work on same.

Don't fail to see "Satan, or the Drama of Humanity," at the opera house next Monday night, 5-reels.

Pure country sorghum, by the barrel, shipped direct from the mills of Illinois; 80c per gallon. Loup City Mer. Co.

If you want good, prompt draying, call on John McDonall, successor to L. C. McDonall. Phone Red 104

Wanted—For the Eastern war zone, the best and most marketable horses, sufficient in size and quality for any of the duties required there. See Myrl Warrick.

A grand Masquerade ball will be given by the Germania Verein at the Daddow opera house, Dec. 31, 1914. Everybody invited and made welcome.

Gasoline, only 15c per gallon, at the Loup City Mer. Co.'s.

The I. O. O. F. lodge elected the following officers for the ensuing term, Joe Vaughn, N. G., Will Stein, V. G., Boecking, Secretary, A. B. Outhouse, Treasurer.

You can see the devil at the opera house next Monday night.

Be sure and come in and get a Free Suit. Loup City Tailor Shop.

"The Devil" will be at the opera house next Monday night.

We received a pleasant call last Friday from our good friend, H. Kohls, one of the enterprising young farmers of the west side, who was in the city on business matters.

Christmas Candy and Nuts now in and the price is certainly right, at the Loup City Mer. Co.'s.

J. A. Galus will repair shoes from now on at T. A. Gzevoviak's hardware store. dec 3

Mr. and Mrs. S. King from La Sauer county, Minnesota, arrived here last Thursday on a visit with Mrs. Matilda Bowman. Mr. and Mrs. King had been visiting relatives in Indiana en route. They will remain here over the holidays.

Sauer Kraut and pickles in bulk at the Pioneer Meat Market.

Will sell High Grade Esty Piano, Cheap. Payments or cash. H. M. Elsner.

"Satan" is to be here and at the opera house in propria persona next Monday night. Of course His Majesty is here more or less all the time, but on that particular date will play the devil in a 5-reel show at the opera house.

R. N. Pritchard last Saturday closed a deal with Felix Makowski for the pool hall, and fixtures and business located in the building on the south side of the public square. We understand young Robert Pritchard will still handle the business for his father.

IF YOU HAVE \$1000 to invest see our advertisement in another column. First Trust Company.

P. O. Reed repairs shoes. Where at? At Grow's Second-Hand and Variety Store.

The Ladies Aid Society of the German Evangelical St. Paul's church will meet at the home of Mrs. John Ohlsen, Thursday, Dec. 10th at 2:30 p. m. d3 2t

Mrs. J. W. Hicks, who has been here the past week visiting her Mrs. Jos. Daddow, returned Tuesday morning to her home at Nashua, Iowa.

Born—Monday, Dec. 7, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mitchell in this city, a baby boy.

The Ravenna Creamery pays the highest price for chickens, call them up before you sell.

## HOLIDAY BOOKS

FOR THE

### Christmas Book Buyer

Our book department is now ready for the Christmas season. Books for everybody. Easy to select those that suit your taste and your purse.

#### FICTION

The season's best sellers—the big novels of the year are here.

#### POPULAR FICTION

Best of modern fiction—formerly priced at \$1.25 now 50c—five hundred titles.

#### BOOKS FOR BOYS

If you want a good wholesome book for a boy you'll find it here.

#### BOOKS FOR GIRLS

A carefully selected list of books for girls by popular authors.

Standard Authors Bibles and Prayers Art Gift Books Speakers Books

Prices the lowest at which we have ever offered books—and such a variety, if you shop today.

## Swanson & Lofholm Druggists

The Place you Get Pony Votes.

## FOR SALE OR RENT

For Sale—Over 400 Plymouth Rock Chickens. Mrs. D. Domgard.

For Sale—Six-horse power gasoline engine. Chris Domgard.

For Sale—My home place in Loup City, modern, expect furnace, with hot and cold water baths etc. For particulars, write, Mrs. H. L. Reed, Greeley, Nebr.

Used Typewriters, all makes, at all prices. O. E. James, Y. M. C. A., Grand Island, Nebr. nov 10

For Sale Right—Lumber mill, fully equipped and in good running order. Inquire of A. M. Lewis.

### Notice to Creditors

State of Nebraska, } SS. Sherman County, }

In the County Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Juliette Waite, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that I will sit at the county court room in Loup City, in said county, on the 31st day of March 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m. and the 6th, day of July 1915, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is the 6th day of July, A. D. 1915, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from the 24th day of November 1914.

Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 7th day of December, 1914. E. A. SMITH, County Judge.

Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will. In the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, } SS. Sherman County, }

To the heirs, legatees, devisees and to all persons interested in the estate of Jacob F. Bock, deceased:

On reading the petition of Ida D. Bock praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 4th day of December, 1914, and purporting to be last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Jacob F. Bock, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to C. C. Carlson, as executor. It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do appear at the court to be held in and for said county on the 26th of December, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Loup City, Northwestern, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1914. E. A. SMITH, County Judge.

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## Along Rural Route Two

Ed. Obermiller marketed hogs Monday.

V. F. Wescott is, doing some building this week.

Will Kuhl has built a new corn crib on his farm.

Frank Spotanski has lost most all his hogs with hog cholera.

Nick Kowalski helped Jurkiewicz shell his corn, Wednesday.

One of Henry Goodwin's horses is on the sick list this week.

N. P. Neilson has the best looking winter wheat on the route.

Rutherford and son shelled corn for Frank Jurkiewicz, last week.

Vincent Bogard is putting up a new building on his farm this week.

John Otlewski is in the Omaha Daily News automobile contest, and is doing fine.

District 72 will give a Christmas program Dec. 18. Everyone invited.

Luther Goodwin left Tuesday morning for Nashua, Iowa for a visit with his mother.

The Ladies Aid society met at the home of Don Holmes, last Thursday.

Theodore Gray who had his leg broken about four weeks ago will soon be his former self again.

H. S. Conger and wife spent Sunday at the John Gallaway home.

John Gallaway has been suffering, the past week with an abscess on his side, but is much better now.

Harry Shipley found a pitchfork on the way to Prairie Gem school house, owner have same by calling.

Wm. Rowe and son, Arthur have been putting a new porch on the east side of F. G. Casteel's house. They also re-sided the house.

While Harry Petersen was driving some cattle, Monday, on horseback he ran into a barbwire fence, cutting his leg in several places.

The carrier put in a big well 12 inches across at his lake and commenced to install a barge pump, but did not know how to complete

it. But having heard Rev. Slocumb speak of barges and pumps so we thought we would put him to the test. We sent for him and he certainly made good.

Eighteen young lady friends of Marie Miller gave her a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. O. Brown. A very pleasant afternoon was spent, with music and a reading given by Miss Minnie Woods. Light refreshments were served, after which the guests departed wishing Miss Miller much happiness.

## Deer Creek Items

J. W. Peters has finished his new barn.

Henry Peters is helping Mike Lubash shell corn.

Leo Deminski has lost more than half his hogs from disease.

J. W. Peters bought a lot of corn of Jurgen Carsten last week.

Maciejewski Bros. finished shelling corn last Wednesday.

Stanley Novick helped Robert Plamtek shell corn last week.

Tony Stobbe and Henry Kaiser hauled corn for Ted Smadra last week.

Miss Emma Peters visited at Ashton last Wednesday and Friday.

F. J. Maciejewski and Martin Bydalek were Loup City visitors last Friday.

L. H. Currier visited our schools last Wednesday and found them all right.

B. H. and A. E. Lorenz and Paul Krycki autoed to Loup City one day last week.

Down the Line.

Recently a day city editor entered the Nassau street entrance of a cafe which also has an entrance on Park row. When he slipped up to the bar and looked toward the row he saw about ten men he knew lined up who greeted him kindly. Putting a \$2 bill on the mahogany he said gently to the bartender: "This is all I have with me. Send it as far west as possible, old man."—Editor and Publisher.

Foolish to Skimp on Sleep.

It takes from seven to eight hours of sleep for adults to permit the system to scour out the clogging poisons. To skimp on necessary sleep is as bad for efficiency as it would be to allow grit to accumulate in the bearings of an engine—and for the same mechanical reason.

Prosperity for Postarity.

Americans carry a total life insurance of \$34,000,000,000. If a few of us died, how prosperous the country would be!—Wall Street Journal.

## LOCAL NEWS

Remember Monday night "Satan" will be here. 10 and 15c

Don't miss the Amphion Musical quartet at the opera house next Tuesday evening, Dec. 15.

Mrs. S. N. Sweetland was reported quite ill the first of the week.

Miss Hiddleston of Grand Island returned home Monday morning after a week's visit with her cousin Miss Pearle Needham, and other relatives.

Don't forget "Satan" in five reels and 4 parts, Monday night, at the Daddow Theater.

Mrs. Emma Hayes arrived last Friday from Saugache, Colo., for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. I. C. Smith, wife of our popular tailor.

The Methodist supper and bazaar was splendidly patronized by our people last Friday afternoon and evening, netting the church several hundreds of dollars.

We have good values in all lines. Ladies mesh bags, newest designs \$3.00. Ladies Open Face Elgin 20 year Gold Case \$10.00. Henry M. Elsner, Reliable Jeweler.

Kid Gloves and Furs cleaned at the Loup City Tailor Shop.

A light fall of snow visited this section last Saturday night, followed by a light fall Sunday and Monday, most of which speedily found its way into Mother Earth as moisture.

Plumes cleaned and re-curved. At Loup City Tailor Shop.

R. P. Starr was a passenger for Omaha last Saturday morning, where he has several damage cases against railroad companies for injuries sustained to employees.

J. A. Galus will repair shoes from now on at T. A. Gzevoviak's hardware store. dec 3

Mesdames Chris Christensen, Gertie Whitaker and Mary Jensen were nicely entertained at the home of Mrs. Ross Warrick last Friday afternoon.

Don't forget the Amphion Quartet at the opera house Tuesday evening, Dec. 15. These gentlemen are most highly spoken of as occupying an enviable position in the lyceum bureau world.

I am not connected with any of the contests now going on, my business not being sufficiently large to stand the necessary expense. However, I am still giving full value received for your money of the goods I have to sell, and will appreciate your liberal patronage. I need your business. JOB VAUGHAN.

Methodist church, Dec. 13, 10:30 a. m., "Revival Necessity." 7:30 p. m. "Heart."

Revival meetings will begin January 3rd, G. I. Waltz, Singing Evangelist of University Place will have charge of the music. Let us plan, study and pray for a Great Awakening. L. V. Slocumb.

The creamery pays the highest price for chickens. Call them up before you sell. The Ravenna Creamery.

Presbyterian church, The pastor will preach Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. from the subject: "Lights that are going out," and Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. from the subject: "Where are the men?" A special service for men, Sunday evening. The male quartette will sing.

Build you up physically and mentally, keeps your digestive organs in condition, regulates the bowels, cleanses the blood, helps you to perfect health. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets 35 cents at Swanson & Lofholm's.

German—Sunday, services at the usual hour, in the morning.

German, at Rockville, Sunday at 3 p. m. English services at 8 p. m. F. W. Guth.

Some prices of interest at the Travis, 10 and 25 cent store. Fancy tango cords and pins 10 & 15 Fancy burntwood boxes 10 & 15 Fancy cups & saucers 10, 15, 25 & 35 Fancy salad bowls 15, 25 & 35 Fancy work baskets 10, 15 & 25 Good Fresh candy 10, 15 & 20c 2500 Thanksgiving postcards 1c each.

The Merchants' Contest merchant had decided to put on six special prizes for the close of the contest for the boys and girls who fail to win the grand prize and come next in number of votes. Particulars next week.

O. A. Woods last week purchased a Maxwell of John Blaska.

Miss Opal Ver Valin last Tuesday afternoon entertained her Sunday school class of little girls at her home, the little ones reporting one of the best times of their young lives.

Notice, Car Owners—I am going to give car owners a big cut on tires for the next 30 days, in order to clean up the stock I have on hand. Come and see me, at once, as we have only a few of each size.—A. C. Ogle D10 2t.

## Jewish Flags.

The Zionists have adopted a flag made up of a white ground with a blue horizontal stripe on each side, and the shield of David in the center. In reference to the direction from the Book of Numbers, "Every man of the Children of Israel shall pitch by his own standard, with the ensign of their father's house," the Midrash explains that the emblems and colors corresponded to the 12 precious stones set in the breast plate of the high priest. The colors for the different tribes were as follows: Reuben, red; Simeon, green; Levi, tri-color, white, black and red; Judah, sky blue; Issachar, black; Zebulun, white; Dan, blue; Gad, gray; Naphtali, wine color; Asher, pearl color; Ephraim and Manasseh, jet black; Benjamin, all the above colors combined.

## No New York Namesake.

The genuine old New Yorker was looking very sad indeed. "I was looking over a post office guide or directory today," he said, "and while other cities of the land have small towns scattered about the country named for them, New York is without a single namesake. If I had the New York conceit I might say there could be but one New York, but I haven't, and I wonder if the absence of namesakes is due to the fact that New Yorkers are so enamored of their city that none has ever gone forth to colonize, or that those who have gone are of so small consequence that they have been unable to do as much as to give the name of their native town to any that they have assisted in founding. Whatever it is, the result remains, and there is but one New York mentioned in the post office directory."

## About Sound Waves.

One of those scientists who are always developing apparent paradoxes in thought has come forward with the statement that sound itself is not extraneous, but exists only because of nerve. In other words, if the ears of the human race were removed tomorrow the world would be absolutely noiseless to humanity. The contention is that the sound waves, traveling at a rate of 1,090 feet a second, create invisible ripples in the air just as a pool ripples when a rock is thrown into it. The greater the force of these waves the louder the sound. But there is no noise until these sound waves strike the sensitive nerves of the ear. Thus, reverting to the original proposition, the air waves themselves would be noiseless if they did not operate in conjunction with the human sense of hearing.

## Something Like Snobbery.

The Montreal Gazette notes that a college woman who has been investigating sociological conditions in New York "was surprised to find that the waitresses in a cheap restaurant where she worked for a while incidentally were honest and kindly and happy." The Gazette wonders at her "surprise," and asks: "Does a person to be decent and good have to be a sociologist of independent means?"