## THE FRONTIER

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#### PAGE ITEMS

Corporal Beverley Wanser, who recently graduated as a gunner on a B-17 from Las Vegas, Nevada arrived Friday morning for a twelve day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wanser.

A group of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Leonard Heiss Tuesday, where they held a surprise housewarming in her honor. A covered dish dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was spent socially at games. Forty-eight were pres-

Jennie Holloway and Walter Snyder entertained a few friends jointly at the Holloway home Friday evening at an oyster supper. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. George Rost, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. DeLancey, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bowen and Mr. and Mrs. J. R.

Ensign and Mrs. Norman F Tegeler arrived Tuesday from Ft. Schuyler, N. Y., and will spend a week with Ensign Tegeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Tegeler. Mrs. J. I. Gray and Mrs. H. O. Stevens, of Atkinson, were dinner

guests of Mrs. R. D. Copes Mon-day evening at Copes Cafe. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carson are moving to the farm recently vacated by the Clifford French fam-

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Asher moved recently to the farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kennedy.

Page High School basketball team will play against Atkinson in the Holt County Tournament at O'Neill Monday, January 31st.
The winners will play against
Stuart at 12:30 Wednesday.

Mrs. Jeannette Copes, who teaches at Stanton, spent the week-end at the R. D. Copes home

Mrs. Verna Harris left last week for California where she will spend some time visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. C. Wilbur left Saturday for Inglewood, Cal., where she will spend some time helping care for her daughter, Mrs. Donald Murphy, who is ill at her home

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood left Friday morning for Salina, Kansas, where they will visit their son, Cpl. Warren F. Wood who is stationed at Smokey Hill Air

Field. Pfc. Austin Nickel, who had spent some time here visiting relatives and friends, left Friday to return to his duties at Fort Dix,

N. J.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Black and son, of Ewing, were Sunday dinner guests at the A. B. McClure

Mrs. Frank Chmeler and daughters, of Norfolk, spent the weekend at the C. A. Townsend home.

Mr. and Mrs Sid Rhoades and daughters of Scottsbluff, visited the fore part of the week with relatives and friends in Page. They are being transferred to Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. H. O. Stevens arrived

Sunday from Atkinson for a few days visit with relatives and friends in Page.
Mrs. H. L. DeLancey spent sev-

eral days last week visiting her niece, Mrs. Elmer Lindahl, who is seriously ill at her home in Neligh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Snyder, of
Ainsworth, visited Monday evening and Tuesday at the Walter

Snyder home. Mrs. Bessie Wanser, who is employed in defense work in Mead, spent several days at the Frank Cronk home here.

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Mrs. Clifford French and family
left Tuesday morning for Lambertson, Minn., where they will

make their home. Miss Ruth Taylor arrived Tues-day of last week from Troy, Ohio, and spent a week here visiting relatives and friends. She left Wednesday morning for Omaha,

going from there to her home. The Past Oracles of the Royal Neighbor Lodge entertained the remainder of the lodge at a party at the hall last Wednesday evening. A social evening was spent and refreshments were served. Twenty members were present.

Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. J. I. Gray, Mrs. Eva Gray, Mrs. Melvin Carson and Mrs. H. O. Stevens of Atkinson spent Monday afternoon visiting with Mrs. Una Baber at

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kirchmer visited Sunday with her mother,

Mrs. Weigel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stewart received a telegram Tuesday,
January 25 announcing the arrival that morning of a baby (Continued on page Five)

## Money to Loan

AUTOMOBILES TRUCKS

TRACTORS

EQUIPMENT FURNITURE

### Central Finance Co. C. E. Jones, Manager O'NEILL : NEBRASKA

# Brown-McDonald's Annual Pre-Inventory CLEARAN "TWO DAYS" JANUARY, 28 -

Once a year, at inventory time, we've got to face cold facts, and this year they seem colder than ever before. Odds and ends, poor styles, bad colors and "war qualities" we had hoped to sell are still here - you've been too smart. But we can't and won't inventory them, we hope. To clean 'em out, and quick, we've cut prices 'way down for a two-day inventory clearance Friday and Saturday of this week. We won't try to kid you for you've already proved you can judge values we're not quoting comparative prices, but we honestly believe the low prices on the selected odd lots make them reasonable values. And don't come expecting unlimited choice of the stock at these reductions. We're not dopes, either.

ODD LOT

WOMEN'S SHOES

REDUCED

Short lots and broken sizes of women's novelty dress shoes, in pumps and ties, rationed.

> "RATION-FREE" WOMEN'S

PLAY SHOES

Assorted color fabric top sports and casual play-type shoes, open toes and "ersatz"

ODD LOT

CHILDREN'S SHOES

A very assorted group of youngsters' white and twotone ties and straps, patent sandals, rationed.

MEN'S ODD

DRESS OXFORDS

Single pairs and broken lots of men's black and brown dress oxfords grouped for clearance, rationed.

MEN'S TWO-TONE

SPORT OXFORDS

No. they's not so hot in January, but it'll be summer in six months. Ther's a catch-rationed.

ODD MEN'S

**WORK SHOES** 

REDUCED

A selected group of composition and cord sole leather top work shoes, hard-lookers, rationed.

ODDS MEN'S - BOYS' DRESS CAPS

Shop-worn and punk sellers, REDUCED

GROUP OF MEN'S

SPORT SHIRTS

Odds of knit and fabric shirts, REDUCED

> CLEARANCE MEN'S SLACK SUITS

Two piece styles, assorted fabrics, REDUCED

SALE GROUP OF

BOYS' SUITS REDUCED

A small group of boys' and young men's suits that have been here too long, wool and part-wool fabrics.

ODDS AND ENDS

MEN'S SUITS REDUCED

We can't pension 'em and you've passed 'em up at full price. Some are all-wool, too.

CLEARANCE LOT

MEN'S SUITS

REDUCED

Honestly we don't recommend these for they're only half-wool, but "half-wool, half-price" sounds good, doesn't it?

ODDS MEN'S - BOYS'

SPORT COATS REDUCED

All-wool fabrics, but some of the patterns and colors are plenty wild. Think not? See 'em yourself.

MEN'S WOOL

TOPCOATS REDUCED

Frankly we'd just as soon you pass these up for they're not bad — indeed they're good, if we didn't have so

SMALL LOT OF

MEN'S COATS

REDUCED

Not many, and are we glad. Wool and part-wool fabrics, funny colors, and atrocious tailoring.

MEN'S

FINGERTIP COATS REDUCED

All-wool coatings, some reversibles with water repellant linings, but a treacherous style.

Just Two More Days

**OPA RELEASE SALE** WOMEN'S LOW PRICED

Only two days, and a decidedly limited quantity, ordered by OPA not to exceed 15% of our inventory. These are strictly odds and ends—"pups" in retail parlance, but they're shoes, and they're ration-free.

ODDS AND ENDS

Only a very few, not good, not bad, REDUCED

CLEARANCE MILITARY GIFT ITEMS "Gifty" gadgets probably no soldier wants,

GROUP OF MEN'S

GIFT ITEMS Selected billfolds, jewelry, jimcracks, REDUCED

NECKTIES

A large assortment of peculiar patterns, REDUCED

**Fingertip Coats** All-wool fabrics, brown and tan,

Selected group broadcloth and outings, REDUCED

DRESS PANTS REDUCED

GROUP MEN'S AND BOYS'

REDUCED

GROUP OF

MEN'S - BOYS' NOVELTY

**SWEATERS** 

CLEARANCE LOT OF

MEN'S JACKETS

ODD LOT MEN'S - BOYS'

**Dress Sweaters** 

CLOSEOUT MEN'S

LIGHT JACKETS

ODDS AND ENDS OF

Women's Gloves

SALE GROUP OF

WOMEN'S

**HANDBAGS** 

SALE GROUP MEN'S

DRESS SHIRTS

REDUCED

A selected lot of very odd patterns and striking colors, and we ain't kiddin'. But

ODD LOTS BOYS'

SHIRTS

REDUCED'

Small groups of knit sport

short sleeves,

they're shirts and cheap.

Blacks and colors, fabrics

Fabrics and leathers,

small sizes, punk

colors, REDUCED

and leatherettes,

REDUCED

Unlined, lighter weight

Coat styles, two-tone

combinations, part-

wool, REDUCED

twills, etc., odds,

REDUCED

Button front wool and

Two-tones, button fronts

and slip-overs,

leather styles,

REDUCED

REDUCED

MEN'S ROBES

REDUCED

MEN'S AND BOYS'

BOYS'

REDUCED

ODD LOTS MEN'S -BOYS' **PAJAMAS** 

MEN'S AND BOYS'

25%

Some are good and some are bad, but we're giving you your choice of a big lot and hope you pick the bad ones.

HATS

Some fur felts and some wool felts, new blocks and colors, but definitely not choice or we wouldn't cut 'em, would we?

Some of the industry's first

not clear, and not selling. CLEARANCE OF

REMNANTS

attempts at using rayon. They're not sheer, they're

ODDS WOMEN'S

FASHIONED RAYON

HOSE

REDUCED

Short lengths of rayons, woolens, cottons, a few prints (remember?) measured and marked at one-half original retail.

SALE OF WOMEN'S

DRESSES REDUCED

Prints and plains in rayon street and dressy types, for daring women. At least we dare you to buy and wear

> SALE GROUP OF **GIRLS' DRESSES**

> > REDUCED

A very few in the lot. They've been so scarce even we couldn't collect many

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' ODD

dogs, but there are a few.

**SPORTWEAR** REDUCED

Small groups of slacks, slack suits, sports shirts and jac-kets — strictly the leavings, but we're still trying.

ODDS WOMEN'S - GIRLS' SKIRTS, BLOUSES

REDUCED

These prove it was a mistake, but for a time we took almost anything to get skirts and blouses. Look 'em over carefully.

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' ODD SWEATERS REDUCED

Coat and slip-over styles, wool and part-wool yarns—we won't say anything more or you'll think this is a yarn,

GROUP WOMEN'S

MESH HOSE

REDUCED

Rayons and fine lisles, full-fashioned, but mesh. The fashion prognosticators sure crossed us up. Why don't you like 'em?

**ODDS WOMEN'S** 

COATS-SUITS

REDUCED

Did we say "odds"? Wait 'till you see them. But at that, if you have courage, you'll probably get your money's worth.

GIRLS' ODD

COATS - SNOW SUITS

REDUCED

Strictly limited groups, for which we're happy, or win-ter coats and snow suits, warm and not bad values at 50% off.

CORSETS

ODDS AND ENDS OF

REDUCED

War models, made without benefit of elastic, and a few of more ancient vintage for those who like that "last-year" look.

CLEANUP LOT

**WOMEN'S ROBES** 

REDUCED

Assorted styles, colors and fabrics, small quantity. Honestly nothing looks so wee-begone on our racks as last-year's robes.

ODD LOT OF

INFANTS' WEAR REDUCED

dresses, bonnets, etc., admittedly not of the quality or workmanship you ought

Small lots of sweaters, slips,

ODD LOT JACQUARD **WOVEN SPREADS** 

Rose, blue, green cotton

woven spreads, REDUCED CLEARANCE GROUP OF

GIFTS Visit our gadget department if you like mis-

takes,

REDUCED

BROKEN LOT WOMEN'S

WASH DRESSES

Prints and women materials, not many included, REDUCED

CASH AND SAVE YOU