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The time when our free lining contest will close.

The past few weeks have been unusually interesting in the dress goods department.

### Giving Linings Free

with every dress pattern at 50c yd. and up means a sacrifice of not less than \$1.25 for us.

We say "sacrifice" because we ask no more for the goods now than the former prices.

The sale includes all

Henriettas. Crepons, Serges, Crepons Effects, Brilliantines, Plaids, Novelties.

FREE LININGS.

6 yds. best Cambric,

11 yds Stiffening. 11 yds. Selicia. 4 yards Velveteen Skirt Binding. 1 set Dress Stays.

1 Spool Silk.

# Are the Little Folks

well supplied with warm dresses for school. If not we want to show you those goods we spoke about last week. You can't wish for anything better. The usual price is 20c and 25c per pard. During this sale you can buy them at

15c yd.

# Does It Seem Possible

the season for jackets and coats is

When you buy a garment this fall you will want the latest style obtainable.

You will make your selection where you are sure of getting only such garments.

By closing out all our old garments late last fall and this spring, we are in position to show the only line of late and stylish

### Coats #Jackets

for this seeson, bought from reliable and up to date manufacturers.

Jackets, \$4.00 to \$12.50. Coats, \$13.50 to \$20.00.

## MINER - BROTHERS.

RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

We Print Sale Bills of Any Kind or Size.

FABLES. From the Kausas Mail and Breeze.

When a dog was quite young it fell into the habit of sucking eggs. The dog's master got rid of the pup and it determined when it was taken to its new home to reform. For five years that dog led a strictly upright life-for a dog- and acquired a good reputation among the people of the neighborhood where he then resided. Finally the dog's master determined to sell out and move to another state. Having no further use for the dog he advertised him for sale and gave him a high recommend for character. A man who lived near where the dog resided when he was a pup, seeing the advertisement went to look at the dog, but the minute doctor, and his two best cows choked He is an egg sucker."

could not sell him at all until he struck in the way of swine. the representative of a sausage factory

Moral: An individual hardly ever ives long enough to wear out the effects of a bad reputation.

to preach."

poll for campaign purposes saw a boy there was a good big attendance at his of some fourteen summers lying face downward with his stomach resting ou a log and a look of pain on his countenance. "Can you tell me, my boy, what the potities of this family is?"

"Yep," said the boy as he looked up and a fresh spasm of pain swept ever his features. "Pap and my oldest brother are both pops, but eatin' too many of them gol darned green apples is all what's the matter with me."

There was once a boy who was born out of luck. His parents were of the Presbyterian faith and maintained that there was no such thing as luck, but all the same that boy seemed to get it in the neck from the beginning of his earthly pilgrimage. Before he was three months old he rad swallowed four pins, three copper cents, and got a suspender buckle stuck in his throat. Within the next three months he had upset a pail of hot water on his person, drank concentrated lye, and fed himself with a ripe cayenne pepper. At the age of three he undertook to investigate a bee hive. It was a week before he got the swelling in his face reduced, and it was months before he was able to travel. At 5 be fell down a flight of stairs, broke his arm and collar bone, cracked his skull and smashed the bridge of his nose so that his olfactory organ was sway backed ever afterward. Between the ages of six and 15 he had the measles, mumps, whooping cough, saltrheum, scarlet fever, diptheria, smallpox, typhoid fever, chills and itch.

At eighteen he fell off a load of bay, broke his leg and four ribs and was laid up for four months. The first day he was able to walk he slipped on a banana peel, re-broke his leg and sprained his back. This time he was laid up five months and then found that the is throwing up his hat and cheering so doctor had made a mistake in setting loudly for Dopeley, the candidate for it so that it was two inches shorter sheriff?" than its fellow limb. At twenty-five he located on a Nebraska farm. The first Weekly Palladium." season seventeen calves out of twentyfive died of blackleg; four yearling dressed gentlemen just buying the Percalves died of second growth sorghum fecto cigar and getting back the change and passd away before morning. His from a \$20 bill?" best horse was bitten by a rattlesnake "That's Sheriff Dopely, the fellow and died before he could find a horse that Slimpsey is hollering for."

It is all coffee—pure coffee— strong and of delicious flavor. Some coffees are varnished with a cheap coating of eggs, glue or other equally noxious substances.

he set eyes on him said: "I would not to death on green apples. The second give four cents for that dog, in fact, I year hog cholera came a hundred miles would not have him about the place, out of its way to get at his stock of for customers can secure an antidote Polond China hogs and within three for that tire! feeling by advertising in As a result of that remark the owner days one runty pig was all he had left the city papers .- It is a peculiar situa-

meeting and exhorting his hearers with intended to write up a policy on that have saved some of the stacks, but the creek was dry. When the man died scared at a circus parade, ran away, cemetery it was found that the grave had caved in and the funeral had to be delayed until another grave was dug.

There are people who seem to be out of luck all the way from the cradle to

The "Complimentary."

the audience laugh,-If there is any good reason why newspaper publishers should receive 'courtesies" not granted other business men it has not yet been given. The "complimentary" is not only a delusion and a snare, but it is something calculated to lower the pride of the publisher and make him feel like a recipient of charity. The ladies of the local church give an ice cream supper and the local newspaper man puffs it to the extent of ten or fifteen dollars worth of advertising. In return for his advertising space he gets a "complimentary," and if he eats more than one dish of ice cream he is looked upon as a hoggish man who does not hesitate to take advantage of the people's generosity. He gets a couple of passes to the local opera house and the public envies him. But he has paid for them twice over and the manager who gives the passes imagines that he has just thrown away a couple of tickets. "The complimentary" ticket and the railroad pass have combined to ruin many a good newspaper publisher. Why should the newspaper publisher not get cash for what he does? It is time to do away with the "complimentary" and do business on a business basis .- The Western

"Who is that tattered individual who

"O, that's Slimpsey, the editor of the

"And who is that portly and well

ALMOST FORGOTTEN.

Incidents of Every Day Life Which Very Few People Stop to Think About on

Account of Their Littleness. Now is the time when wild ducks are ripe.-When you see a fellow with a suspicious bundle about a yard long on Sunday you can depend on it that it is a gun and he is going out after ducks or chickens .- Now is the time when a fellow hunts up his old overcoat and decides that it will be good enough for another year unless the moths have got in their work .- Now that the weather is getting cool lodge business is picking up.-Putting up peaches and other earlier fruits will now give way to apple butter that mother makes .-The merchant who goes to the front door ninety-nine times a day looking tion, but never the less true that if a can-The fourth year he built a new house didate who runs for office ever took a who was looking for meat and not char- and just as he got on the last coat of drink in his life, it will be enlarged uppaint a cyclone came along, tore the on so that three weeks before election house from its foundation and went he will be charged with being a comaway with it. Pieces of that house mon drunkard.-Why such a fuss were used for kindling over in the next should be made in regard to a candicounty for a month after that. The didate taking an occasional drink and A revivalist was conducting a camp- agent for a cyclone insurance company not so in other lines of business we cannot comprehend.-Looking into the great vehemency to seek salvation. He house the next day. The next year he matter in the past it ; will be obwas one of the rampant sort of revival - had 200 acres of the finest wheat in served that a number of the best offiists who believed in the whoop-'er-up Nebraska, and all his neighbors said it cials who ever served the county were brand of religion. de had gotten well would go not less than thirty bushels men who didn't sneak around to the warmed up when he saw an individual to the acre. He had two headers ready back door to take a drink .- With all who was sitting near a stump some to start on that field of wheat the next due courtesy to past officials of the last distance from the platform, suddenly morning. The bail storm hit the field five or six years we will state that the bound into the air with a yell. "The that night and the next day he put a number are few who didn't take their spirit is working on another sinner," local in the papers saying that the "nip" occasionally.—Taking the case shouted the exhorter with great fervor. headers were for sale. The next year as regards the men successful in busi-"Spirit nuthin" yelled the sinner as he put up 500 tons of hay that was ness life and it will be observed that an he executed a war dance. "A man worth \$5 a ton. A day after he finished equal number at least of the business who can't tell the difference between the last stack a fool was walking men and farmers of the county—men religion and a blamed yellow jacket through the field and lit his pipe near who have amassed wealth and have ow's shirt has no business the stacks. If there had been any property and are our representative water in the creek the owner might men are men who drink occasionally. -When you hear it asserted that a certain candidate on either ticket takes a glass of beer it does not signify that funeral. The undertakers horses got his opponent is a better man for the position because he may be a total abspilled the coffin out of the hearse, stainer .- It simply means that the opbroke it open and left the corpse lying position is trying to belittle a good man beside the road. When they got to the and rob him of the votes of the voter who is opposed to drinking.-Politics is a peculiar game with many variafellows make a self admiration society of themselves and are always bringing themselves before the public in a fav-orable manner.—Self laudation to us is on a par with the fellow who tells a story and sets off the laugh at the fin-ish himself.—It is always best to let



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covery." It contains no alcohol, opium, cocaine, or other narcotic. true temperance medicine.

Accept no substitute for "Goldical Discovery." There is noth "just as good."