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**Closes Sat. Night, Jan. 17**

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100 Shirts, black and colors, all sizes  
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The Season's latest styles in Furs  
**25 per cent Cut**

Wool Dress Goods  
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**F. G. Turnure & Son**

**HOME NEWS**

Bulletin of The Week's Doings

Take your cream to J. O. Caldwell. Judge Beebe of Alma is in the city today. Will Mountford was in Cowles Wednesday. C. E. Putman of Cowles was in town Monday. Mrs. Moranville went to Guide Rock Monday. Joe Topham Sr., was in Guide Rock Tuesday. Fred Hedge was in Guide Rock Wednesday. Fred Turnure was in Chester Tuesday on business. Good Alfalfa For Sale.—Inquire of Ned Grimes. Harry Dedrick went to Cowles Tuesday morning. The county commissioners are in session this week. A. E. Atkins was a passenger to Hastings Tuesday. Harry Buckles arrived home last Friday from Omaha. Jas. Peterson returned home from Omaha Tuesday evening. Mrs. Merten returned to her home at Blue Hill this morning. J. W. McKissick of Beatrice was in town Tuesday on business. The largest line of rugs in the city on display at Miner Bros. Co. For Sale—Registered Poland China male hog. C. F. WALLIN. Henry Phares left Sunday for Omaha, where he will attend college. Sam Sherman spent Tuesday in Hastings looking at the "high buildings." Morris Grant and wife were down from Inavale Sunday visiting his father. Frank Starr and Walter Davis left Sunday night for Wray, Colo., on business. Walter B. Smith of Denver arrived Tuesday morning and is now employed in this office. Ben Williams was home from Geneva over Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. I. H. Holmes. Tom Sutton and family left Tuesday for Minnesota where they will make their future home. Gene Smith and wife were down from McCook Saturday visiting her father, H. C. Wolfe. J. C. Geer the popular wire chief for the Lincoln Telephone Company, was in Blue Hill Monday. J. A. Tackett and wife of Boonville, Mo., are in the city visiting his parents J. R. Tackett and wife. Mrs. J. L. Miner and daughter, Miss Irene left Sunday for California, where they will spend some time. Mrs. Roy Jones and daughter of Clay Center, are here visiting her parents, John Griffith and wife. Chas. Gust of Pittsburg, Kas., arrived here Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of his brother Amos Gust. For the best 25c dinner, also short orders, pie, sandwiches and fresh oysters go to Warren's restaurant. A trial of the Comet Cigar will convince you that it is well worth 10c, while it is sold for 5c, by all dealers. Frank Eldredge of LaSalle, Colo., was in the city Monday and while here he made this office a pleasant call.

See the complete line of rugs at Miner Bros. Co. Closing out sale of Harness. See me for Bargains.—P. L. Hansen, adv. W. N. Richardson was able to go down town awhile Wednesday afternoon. We are glad to see him out again. The Methodist minister will discuss the Amusement Question on Sunday evening. Cards and Dancing, Right or Wrong. The following shipped stock Wednesday: Wm. Thomas one car of cattle to St. Joe; Weesner & Koontz hogs to Kansas City. Ed. Gillard and wife of Naponee were in town Tuesday visiting her brother Allen Tulleys and wife and her sister, Mrs. Cora Eldredge. Sheriff Carroll of Alma was in town Tuesday. He brought a man down here for safe keeping who got thirty days for contempt of court. I have the best rate in the county on farm loans. See me and be convinced My motto—prompt service. A. T. WALKER. Woodmen and Royal Neighbors—Will have a joint installation on Friday night, January 10th. Members and their families of both orders invited to attend. Two carloads of cattle were sent in for today's trade by Edward Wiggins of Webster county, Nebraska.—Monday's St. Joe Stock Yards Daily Journal. A stereopticon lecture entitled "Around the World" will be given at the Christian church next Wednesday evening. These pictures will be foreign missions, etc. Alva Hildebrand, who resides near Blue Hill, was brought before the insanity board Wednesday evening and adjudged insane. He was taken to Hastings today by Sheriff Hedge. Sheriff Hedge is home from Kearney where he took Guy Douglas to the reform school. The young man was charged with criminal assault on a little girl who lived near Rosemont. "The Salt of the Earth" will be the subject of the sermon Sunday morning at the Congregational church. In the evening the pastor will give an address on the subject, "Are Christian's Better and Happier Than Other People." Monday afternoon and evening Manager Warren had on the curtain at the Pepee the "Prisoner of Zenda." Mr. Warren has been giving our citizens some excellent pictures this winter, and the Chief commends him for the taste displayed at their selection. Several of the neighbors, friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. Maria Jackson, who lives on Willow Creek, last Thursday and gave her a surprise birthday party and reminded her that it was her seventy-seventh birthday. They all brought well filled baskets and at the noon hour all sat down to a bountiful repast. She received several nice presents and a large number of birthday cards. The guests all went home wishing her many more happy birthdays. Amos Gust, who lived eight miles southwest of this city, died Sunday evening after a short illness. He was about 45 years of age and was born in Germany. He had lived in this county for many years and was a bachelor and a well known farmer. He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Carl Rudd and Mrs. Milt Steele, and two brothers, Charley and George to mourn his death. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the Penny Creek school house, Rev. Hummel preaching the sermon. Interment took place in the Penny Creek cemetery.

**Nebraska's New Champion Cow**

By J. B. Frandsen  
Department of Dairy Husbandry.

More than twenty-two times her weight in milk is the remarkable record set by La May, a Holstein cow owned by the Nebraska College of Agriculture. In one year, just closed, La May produced 26,000 lbs. of milk and 173.49 lbs. of butter fat which, according to the Holstein Priesian Association rules, is estimated to produce 26,018 lbs. of butter. This record makes her ninth in milk production among the cows of the world. She also holds the distinction of giving more milk in a year than any other cow owned by a State Agricultural College. La May was put under official test on November 18, 1912 at the age of five years. By good care she was induced to give as much as 29.1 lbs. of milk in one day. This is equal to about 11.5 gallons. For the whole year she averaged 75.0 lbs. daily or nearly 8.5 gallons per day. She is a splendid representative of the breed and shows excellent dairy temperament. She weighs about 1,200 lbs., and it is a striking proof of her efficiency that she has been able to go through a year of heavy feeding without the addition of any surplus fat.

The following figures give an account of her production together with the amount of feed she consumed and its value figured at current prices: Milk 26,000 lbs; Butter fat 173.49 lbs; Grain 6771.4 lbs; Hay 4219.8 lbs; Silage 3831 lbs; Beets 3280 lbs; Total cost of feed \$142.03. Her feed bill amounted to \$142.03 for the year and she was fed high priced feed. Her milk was actually sold at ten cents per quart after it had been standardized to contain 3 percent fat to comply with the State dairy laws. At that price it brought in \$1,291.55. From this, however, must be deducted not only the cost of feed but also the cost of labor in caring for the cow and the milk, including bottling and delivering the milk to the patrons. But even after making most liberal allowances for these items it can readily be seen that she netted the Dairy Department a splendid profit.

Of course, these figures are not representative of what could be expected under prevailing farm conditions. Taking into account average farm prices and conditions, La May's milk after being standardized to 3 percent whole milk would be worth \$316.80 if sold in bulk to the dealers in Lincoln at a price of \$2.00 per 100 lbs.—a price paid by several milk dealers in the city. Again supposing that her product had been sold in the form of butter fat at 30 cents per pound (this price was given by a representative of one of Nebraska's leading creameries as the average price paid for butter fat, net at creamery, during the twelve months in which this record was made) and the skim milk at 25 cents per hundred, La May's product would have yielded the sum of \$293.85.

**RATION FED**

In round figures, La May's average daily ration was made up of 28 lbs. of silage, 8 lbs. of alfalfa, 8 lbs. of "alfalfa-fat" and 20 lbs. of grain mixture, or a pound of grain for every three to four pounds of milk produced daily. The bulk of the grain ration was made up of corn bran, oil meal and cottonseed cake. To keep her appetite and digestion in good condition, however, slight changes in her ration were made from time to time by adding or substituting such feeds as oats, gluten meal and sugar beets.

It is not to be presumed that all cows can do what La May has done but rather that it indicates the possibilities in the way of greater productivity. It certainly should drive home to all of us the fact that it is not only possible but highly practical to double the production of the average Nebraska cow.

**Deal With Men You Know**

Don't expect the impossible of our town and its merchants. Be sure first, before you complain of the goods and prices of home merchants, that you haven't had a hand in making it impracticable for our merchants to handle the kind of goods you want at the prices you can pay. Merchants are not mind readers nor are they blind to their own best interests. If they haven't what you want they will get it for you at as low or lower price than you can get it anywhere else. They deserve to be given an opportunity to do so anyhow, but if they do not deserve it you will be doing yourself a bigger favor than you will doing them to deal face to face with men you know and that can be held personally accountable for their promises and performances. Try this for a rule of trading hereafter.

**Hair Work**

LADIES—Mrs. Fred Plumb will make switches out of combings or cut hair. Call at residence, 705 North Elm Street block east of school house. 2-5

**OUR JANUARY Clearing Sale**

**WILL BEGIN Monday, December 29th. And Will Continue Until Jan. 30, 1914.**

We Will Sell All Our Regular Lines Of Kuppenheimer, Clothcraft and Society Brands Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, Overcoats and Pants at a Discount of

**20 PER CENT**

From our regular plain figure prices. We will also offer A Special 33 1-3 Per Cent Discount

On Men's Cravenetts and Men's Velvet Collar Overcoats, besides these Clothing Bargains, we offer the people the Greatest Shoe Buying Opportunity ever offered in Red Cloud

All our Men's high grade \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.00 and \$5.50 Florsheim Dress Shoes at \$3.35 a pair.

And all our Men's Stetsons, Tiger and Champion Hats at **20 Per Cent Discount**

We are over-stocked on hats and offer a fine assortment of up-to-date shades and models at this liberal discount. A fine buying opportunity for those people who have waited for Bargains and who need good clothing.

This is a Cash Raising Sale and there is NO use asking us to charge these goods at this discount. The only object we have in sacrificing goods in this manner is to get cash which we need badly.

**The Cowden-Kaley Clothing Co.**

Red Cloud's Foremost Clothiers. First Door North of Postoffice.



**How Would You Like To Be The Washer-Woman?**

Do you think you could make that soiled suit "DO" for an other season? Soap and water will fade and shrink the garment. You will save your back, save your garment and save your money by permitting us to Dry Clean Your Clothes Try Us once and be convinced.

**R. G. Hassinger Cleaner and Dyer**

Both Phones 33 Red Cloud, Nebr.

**Order to Show Cause**

State of Nebraska / In The County Court: Webster County / At a County Court held at the County Court room in and for said county December 30th, A. D. 1913. In the matter of the estate of Marion Lovitt, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Elizabeth M. Lovitt, filed on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1913, praying for the examination and allowance of her final account of the same date, an order distributing the residue of personal estate and there upon an order discharging her from further burden and service in her said office as Executrix. ORDERED, that Friday the 16th day of January, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County and show cause why prayer of 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 Red Cloud Chief, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three consecutive weeks prior to said day of hearing. A. D. RANNEY, County Judge.

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**G. G. DENNY AUCTIONEER.**

superior, Nebraska. Phone 337 southeast of Mt. Clare. Feb. 18.—Ed C. Laney, 11 miles southwest of Superior. Feb. 25.—A. T. Cross, Duroc Jersey sow sale in Guide Rock. Feb. 26.—Nate Simpson, 3 miles northwest of Guide Rock. Feb. 24.—Jas. Martin, 1 1/2 miles southeast of Mt. Clare. March 7.—N. C. Paulson, hog sale at Fremont. March 9.—Barnard and Higgins will make a Poland China sow sale at Nelson. March 18.—Will Vonderfeth, 1 and 1/2 miles east of Guide Rock. March 25.—C. O. Calvin, 2 miles southwest of Cadams. Jan. 29.—G. W. Kuhn, 5 miles northwest of Superior. Jan. 27.—C. J. Cowles, 1 mile east of Nora. Feb. 2.—S. Richardson, 5 miles northwest of Burr Oak. Feb. 3.—J. H. Hamilton & Son, bred sow sale of Poland Chinas, Guide Rock. Feb. 9.—W. L. Denny, 5 miles north of Guide Rock. Feb. 10.—Lew Smith, 3 miles northwest of Guide Rock. Feb. 11.—U. G. Higgins 3 miles north of Nora. Feb. 17.—Rodney Rogers, 5 miles