

Going Some!



He's reading about our special low prices—you know where he's going.

We've never made such sacrifices—never offered greater savings. There's only one way to get back to normal—reduce, deflate. Retail stocks must be moved and new goods ordered. Then mills and factories will open again and the wheels of commerce hum.

If you're wise you'll buy while the market is down!

Some of the items in THE GRAND SLAM AT H. C. L. are completely sold out. But perhaps in the list below you may find the thing you need most. If so, you can still have them at these prices:

Just a straw to show which way the wind blows. Here are extracts from two letters we received this week from big eastern manufacturers:

FIRST LETTER

"The sudden activity of retail merchants all over the country, trying to buy in at lowest prices, the advances already in cotton and cotton goods, together with the general, almost over-night improvement in business conditions, makes us hasten to get this letter on the way to you, to advise and urge you to place your order instantly and protect yourself against the rising market which is already on."

SECOND LETTER

"BUSINESS IS BETTER—and is getting better every day. We received more orders last week than in any one week during the past seven months. Prices of cotton and cotton goods have reached bottom—they can not go any lower. It is a known fact that mills have accepted business at prices considerably below what they can produce the goods for. These orders were taken merely to get things started but of course they are not going to continue doing business at a loss. Cotton has gone up 250 points in one week and prices of cotton goods are getting firmer and firmer right along. There will be no further indiscriminate price cutting. Goods will have to bring a reasonable profit or they will not be made. All of which, of course, means higher prices."

Men's union suits.....	\$1.00
Boys' overcoats.....	5.00
Men's dress shirts.....	1.00
Boys' flannel waists.....	1.00
Boys' knicker pants, mostly large sizes.....	.75
Men's jersey sweaters....	.75
Boys' union suits.....	.50
Men's caps.....	.25
Men's dress socks.....	.18
Men's blue jumpers, sizes 36 and 38 only.....	1.50
Boys' rompers, ages 6, 7 and 8.....	.45
Men's c. f. gloves, 2 for..	.25
Boy's winter caps.....	.69
Our regular stock.	

Our Store is full of Bargains—
You don't have to go out
of town to find them

C. E. Wescott's Sons

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Think Success—It Pays!

LOCAL NEWS

From Thursday's Daily.

O. A. Davis and J. H. Eppings of Murray, were in the city today for a few hours attending to some matters of business at the court house.

August Krecklow came in this morning from his home near Manley today to attend to a few matters of business at the court house.

W. H. Heil of Louisville, was in the city today for a few hours, calling on his friends in the county seat and while here was a caller at the Journal office.

Attorney William Deles Bernier of Elmwood, was in the city today for a few hours looking after some legal matters and visiting with his friends in the county seat.

William Lugsch came over this afternoon from his home at Glenwood to look after some matters of business and to visit with his brother, Fred Lugsch in this city for the day.

Herman Hough departed this morning for Scottsbluff, Neb., to spend some time attending to some matters of importance and was accompanied on his journey as far as Lincoln by Mrs. Hough, who will visit there with relatives and friends.

William Sidwell, one of the well known employees of the Burlington, who is now located at Sheridan, Wyo., came in last evening for a visit here with his old friends for the first time in a number of years. Mr. Sidwell is looking fine and feeling as fine as he looks.

From Friday's Daily.

C. M. Christweiser, of Nehawka, was in the city today for a few hours attending to some matters of business and visiting with his relatives and friends.

Mrs. P. A. Horn returned this afternoon from Omaha, where she has been at the bedside of her husband who is recovering from an operation at the St. Joseph hospital.

Frank Kumbal, of Dupree, South Dakota, is in the city enjoying a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Anton Janda, Sr., and with his sister, Mrs. A. J. Janda and family.

Albert Fickler, of Stanton, Neb., was in the city for a few hours today visiting with relatives and friends and departed this afternoon

for Omaha where he has a number of cattle on the live stock market and from that city will return home.

Mrs. Elmer Wetenkamp and brother, John Ptak, departed this morning for Omaha, where they go to spend a few hours with their mother, Mrs. John C. Ptak, at the St. Joseph hospital, where she is taking treatment. Mrs. Ptak has been in poor health for several months and it is hoped that the course of treatments may give her relief.

Frank Steppat, of Grant, Nebraska, was in the city for a short time this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Steppat, and reports that he likes his new home in the west very much and has enjoyed marked success there. Mr. and Mrs. Steppat will spend a few weeks in Omaha before they return to their home in the west and while there Frank took advantage of the occasion to visit the old home here.

From Saturday's Daily.

Mrs. Fred Spangler departed this morning for the metropolis, where she will spend the day looking after some business matters.

Paul H. Roberts of Cedar Creek, came in this morning to look after a few matters of business in the city and visiting with his friends.

Henry Heebner, manager of the elevator at Cedar Creek, was in the city today enroute to Murray, where he will visit over Sunday with relatives and friends.

Miss Marie Kaufmann was among those going to Omaha this morning, where she is taking up some special school work and will visit for the day in the metropolis.

George W. Shrader, one of the old residents of the county, came up this morning from his home east of Murray and spent a few hours here visiting with his friends in the county seat.

George Snyder motored in this morning from his home west of Myard and was a passenger on the early morning Burlington train for Omaha, where he was called to look after some matters of business.

John Ficht and wife went to Omaha this afternoon, where they will visit their son-in-law, Philip Horn, at the St. Joseph hospital and also spend Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Sullivan and family.

Charles A. Miller of Brunswick, who has been here for the past few

days attending the funeral of his brother, Henry Miller, departed this morning for Omaha and was accompanied to that city by his nephew, Charles, who is enroute back to Brunswick after being here for the funeral of his father.

ATTACK CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL LAW

Case Appealed From Otoe County Involving the Validity of Law Creating Consolidated Districts

The constitutionality of the present law providing for the consolidation of rural schools is attacked in a petition filed Friday in supreme court. The petitioners are Calvin E. Wilhelm, Fritz Reuter and Christ Eder, taxpayers of Otoe county, who seek to enjoin Charles Speedie, county superintendent, and the other members of the redistricting board from enforcing a consolidation affecting them.

The petition recites the formation of the district, the approval of the state superintendent, and the various other matters provided by law. It sets out that the law is unconstitutional in that it covers more than one subject; that it never had but one reading in the senate, where it was introduced; that the house amendments to it were never passed or acted upon by the senate, and that the house never receded therefrom; that although a bill appropriating money it originated in the senate, and that no notice was ever taken of the protest they filed or a hearing held thereon.

The case was originally begun in the district court of Otoe county, where Judge Begley ruled against the petitioners and upheld the law.

SAYS THE "WORLD"

"In the long run closed mills and stagnant demand cannot make for progressively decreasing prices." "Even on a falling market there comes a moment when the public should begin to buy, and buy steadily, in order to stabilize prices at the lowest levels and prevent a new upward movement due to diminished production."

"That moment has now come."

"Consumers should buy, and buy freely, of retail dealers who have consistently reduced prices."

"Such buying will put strong economic pressure on dealers who have so far failed to reflect wholesale price cuts."

"It will also assure producers of the willingness of the public to buy at reasonable prices."

"Neither production nor prosperity can withstand an indefinite period of sub-normal buying and sub-normal circulation of money."

"It is time to buy."

Do you know why it's toasted

To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.

LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE

ELMWOOD Leader-Echo

Karl Schneider has had a very severe case of small pox, but is improving at the present time. Of course the family was quarantined and his father, C. Schneider had to stay at home too, so Fred Schneider and Frank Lenz took care of business at the harness shop.

The rumor seems to be current to the effect that the Masonic order of Elmwood will have a Masonic temple in Elmwood and we also get the feeling that in all probability the order will erect a fine building and no doubt will cost something like \$20,000.00. This would be a fine thing for the order and for Elmwood. We are glad to report at this time that Mrs. Sarah Miller, who has been sick in bed for the past few days is now able to sit up and is gradually improving. She wishes to thank the ladies of the Methodist church for the beautiful bouquet sent to her and wants them to know that she greatly appreciated them.

Some years ago Lou Tyson purchased a few lots in Texas in the hopes that he would be able to spend the days of his age in the land of sunshine and be happy. But it doesn't look that way now. They have hit oil near his lots and Lou is thinking in millions and we would not be surprised to hear of him getting a fortune for the lots most any day.

Monday seems to have been a big day for the shipping of cattle and hogs from this point. Five car loads of cattle and hogs were loaded here and shipped to Omaha. Those shipping were R. L. Pansky a car load of cattle and hogs mixed; Otto Fiedelman a car load of hogs; Louis Kuntz a car load of hogs. The shipments were made to Omaha, and the gentlemen accompanied the shipments.

One day last week Frank Marshall of Omaha, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Marshall of this place, drove his Buick car down town and bought a lot of groceries and put them in the car and went away again. When he came back the car was gone. He was lucky enough however to recover his car the next day. Two young fellows about eighteen had stolen it and when captured were in the act of taking the car apart. Frank considers himself lucky to get his car back again so soon.

FOR SALE

Buff Rock cockrels. Inquire of J. H. Behrns, Nehawka, Neb.

Popular copyrighted fiction at the Journal office.

THE PRICE OF CLOTHES

The price of our dry cleaning cuts down the price of clothes. Dainty Dorothy says that she has found out that we take most excellent care of the garments entrusted to us and that our charges should make friends for this house. Our dyeing proves satisfactory, as we use the latest approved methods and the best dyes.

Goods Called for and Delivered

FRED LUGSCH WE KNOW HOW PHONE 166 JOURNAL OFFICE

HAIR INSURANCE LAW IS UNDER FIRE

NEW PROVISION PROPOSED TO MAKE PAYMENT OF PREMIUMS IN ADVANCE NECESSARY

The Nebraska legislature will be given opportunity at this session to decide as between correction and repeal of the state hair insurance law. A bill was introduced Thursday for repeal. Representative Vance, one of the authors of the law, has prepared an amendatory bill but is said to be well pleased with a corrective measure drafted by the state department of trade and commerce and to be introduced by the house standing committee on insurance of which Representative Mickey is chairman.

In his communication to Governor McKelvie, Secretary Hart of the department recommended either that the law be amended or that it be repealed. This recommendation was based on experiences of the past two years. During the biennium, the state failed to pay out on losses by nearly \$70,000. For the past year it will pay out approximately \$5 cents on the dollar. During the year 1919, it failed to collect outstanding premiums to the amount of approximately \$16,000. There have come to the surface at least three outstanding defects in the present law; inadequate rate in the western zone; payment of premium at wrong time and no fund available with which to take up any financial slack.

Corrective Measures.

The bill to be submitted provides for payment of premiums in advance. Heretofore the premiums have been paid on a basis of the year of personal taxes and the so-called suit case farmer picked up his traps and moved without meeting this obligation. The new provision will guarantee payment of premium or else there shall be no insurance.

The rates in the central zone are increased 25 per cent and those in the western zone 33 1-3 per cent. Rates in the eastern zone remain the same, 25 cents per acre or \$10 insurance and 40 cents on \$15. Present rates in the second or central zone are 40 and 60 cents respectively. These are increased to 50 cents or \$10 and 75 cents on \$15. Western or third zone rates are increased from 60 cents to 80 cents and from 90 cents to \$1.90 respectively.

The bill provides for the appropriation of \$250,000 as a reserve fund to take up the slack should the department run behind in any year, that is, should the payment of losses exceed the amount of premiums for that year. It is predicted, however, that while such revolving fund may be drawn upon the first year, a surplus will accrue during the biennium more than sufficient to put back into the fund the money drawn.

The man who writes the insurance will receive a flat rate of \$1 for each transaction regardless of the acreage. The fee to be paid by the insured, heretofore the fee has been one-half cent per acre. While the rates in the central and western section are increased, it is said that even with such increase, they will be from 25 to 35 per cent below rates of old line companies. And some sections of western Nebraska must rely upon state hair insurance or no insurance since the privately owned companies have put up the bars against these localities.

Adjustment of Loss.

The bill carries the old provision relative to adjustment of loss, a provision not entirely satisfactory to some of the farmer members but the same as old line companies exact. The insured is protected against loss from hail. The state does not attempt to insure against rust or chinch bugs. If some sections of the state are hit by chinch bugs, the approximate value of the crop prior to the destruction by hail and settlement is on this basis. Some farmers contend that if the crop is insured at \$15 an acre and the loss is total, the settlement should be on that basis regardless of whether or not the grain had been hit by destructive elements other than hail and in the absence of hail would have fallen below normal.

Those favoring repeal of the law contend that the hair insurance business is not a proper activity for the state of Nebraska. They argue that it has been over-generous in claim settlements and that the business is not and cannot be conducted by a state in so efficient a manner as by a privately owned company.

OMAHA DETECTIVE IS SHOT.

Omaha, Jan. 28.—City Detective Arthur Cooper was shot three times and perhaps fatally wounded here tonight when he attempted to arrest Nels Johnson, confessed burglar, near the heart of the business district. One of the shots penetrated Cooper's abdomen. The assailant was captured a few minutes later after a hot gun battle.

Johnson has been calling at the home of a man whose house he prowled ten days ago asking him over to meet him, saying he would sell him back the goods he had stolen. The man agreed to go tonight but called police. Cooper and a fellow officer were "planted" near the agreed meeting place. Johnson came along and when Cooper stopped him he began shooting. Six other officers chased the burglar several blocks, firing all the time, before they caught him.

Duroc Jerseys for Sale.

A few more of those fine Duroc Jersey boys for sale at \$45 dollars each.

ALBERT YOUNG.

E. H. Schulhof, piano tuner. Phone 289-J. d&w.

A Big Drop in JELL-O

2 packages for 25¢

The Genesee Pure Food Company, Le Roy, N. Y.

WEEPING WATER Republican

Mrs. J. C. Wade, of Springfield, her two nieces, the Misses Reva and Leola Roe, of Omaha, changed cars here Saturday morning for their homes after being at Nehawka to attend the funeral of Mr. Sam Humphrey. We understand the Roe sisters hold good positions in Omaha with the Standard Oil company. They were small girls when they left Weeping Water.

Mrs. E. E. Clizbe, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, changed cars here on Monday morning enroute home from Elmwood, where she had been to accompany her father, G. W. Woodruff to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Bailey. Mr. Woodruff is getting quite feeble and is making his home this winter with his daughters and had been with Mrs. Clizbe for some time. Mrs. Clizbe reports her family all well.

Mr. Amedel Sheldon, one of the pioneer farmers of near Avoca was in town Friday looking after some business matters and visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. E. Tefft. Mr. Sheldon said he had been wanting to get to Weeping Water for some time, but had a bad cold and the roads were so bad, but he hitched up his team and "wallered" through the mud anyway. Mr. Sheldon has spent over a half century on the farm in Cass county. He came here from Vermont in 1868. He has passed his 81st milestone in life and is a very spry man for his age and well posted in farming and horticultural lines.

If Cass county does not eventually have a good system of county roads, fairly and equally distributed, it will not be the fault of the planning of our County Commissioners. They are working out plans in conjunction with experts from the state engineer's office which are mapped out along definite lines of constructive, permanent future planning. There will be three east and west roads, the present "Murray" project, the "O" street road and the Louisville road, all of these eventually graded and "maintained" to as near perfection as possible. Then there will be five north and south roads, the present one through Murray and Union; one through Nehawka; one through Louisville, Manley and Weeping Water to Avoca; one probably from South Bend through Murdock and Elmwood; and one probably through Greenwood, Alvo and Eagle. It of course cannot all be done in one year, or two, but a "system" of this kind is coming.

When You Are Bilious

To promote a healthy action of the liver and correct the disorders caused by biliousness Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Try them and see how quickly they give you a relish for your food and banish that dull stupid feeling.

Social Dance!

Eagles Hall

Wednesday, Feb. 2d (GROUND HOG DAY)

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Convention Committee

of the Eagles

EAGLES ORCHESTRA

Direction of W. R. Molly

Still sawing wood!

Philip Thierck VALUE GIVING CLOTHIER

Try us last!

Bad Cold and Cough Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Several years ago C. D. Glass, Gardiner, Me., contracted a severe cold and cough. He tried various medicines, but instead of getting well he kept adding to it by contracting fresh colds. Nothing he had taken for it was of any permanent benefit until a druggist advised him to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says, "I was completely cured by this remedy and have since always turned to it when I had a cold and soon find relief."

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Several improved farms in Cass county, ranging from 40 acre to 160 acre tracts. Terms to suit and priced right. P. O. box 677.

FRANK VALLERY.

Plattsburgh, Neb.

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Household Goods

Great Sacrifice!

FURNITURE BEEN USED THREE MONTHS

One new 6-hole coal range with reservoir.

One new enamel kitchen table.

Eight chairs.

Two rockers.

One oak pedestal.

One drop head Singer sewing machine.

Two beds complete.

Two dressers.

Two 9x12 rugs.

Four small rugs.

One gas lamp.

Six window shades.

One clock.

One Vacuum cleaner.

One heating stove and numerous other articles.

Everything marked at a sacrifice price; want to sell at once. This entire lot is moved to Ghrist & Ghrist Furniture store at 4th and Main streets.

Every article will be sold as marked. PHONE 645.