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## **Men's Corduroy Blanket-Lined Goats**

430T—85.50 Men's drab corduror coat specially designed work coat, warm and serviceable and made to resist hard wear. Corduror 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**

T4466-\$1.00 Men's lamb-wool lined heavy knit wool wrist, just the mitten you need for cold weather. Our Price \$1.00



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.

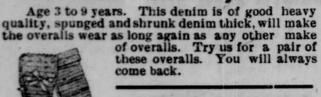


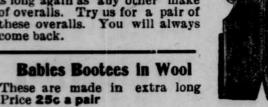
Ladies' Wool Under Skirts

These are just up-todate. Price from

50c to \$1.25







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## 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

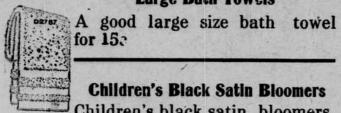
These are made from fine white cloth and have been sold at \$1.25, but our price in this sale will



Children's Bloomers Children's black satin

bloomers, our price 25c

**Large Bath Towels** 



for 15c

Children's Black Satin Bloomers Children's black satin bloomers. Our price 25c



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

Men's Winter Underwear

### **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.



## Loup City Mer. Co.

## Along Rural

W. T. Dale is visiting at the home of Otto Nutzman, this.

Roy Fuller and wife have sold their farm and moved to Sargent.

for the holidays. last week.

Winnie Parsley has been quite sick with tonsilitis the past week.

The carrier wishes to thank all who opened the roads for him at a fashionable spa near Dresden was Monday.

was highly appreciated Saturday, and a large crowd was present.

Uno Forsman got one of his eyes hurt while playing ball at school last week.

There will be school in the Appel district during the holidays, FOR SALE OR RENT day off.

The carrier extends Holiday greetings to the friends and patrons on the route, and wishes all boars for sale. S. Iossi; Route 2. a merry Christmas.

Alva Lewis had a little experience, Saturday night, near Charlton's, when he got stuck in a snow drift and had to stay in the country all night and a team pulled him out next day.

Mrs. George Zahn who has been sick the past two months, passed away Saturday night at their farm home on Clear Creek. Mrs. Zahn has been very sick of late and medical aid seemed to do her no good. She was teacher in the the Lone Elm school for a number of years and was loved and respected by all who knew her. The funeral was held from the Lone Elm school house, Tuesday, wagon; 1 good top buggy; 1 Jen-December 22, 1914.

bow he had enjoyed the visit to the next day the actor asked the main on and state of treatment is one of Superior of the can possibly equ es senses and senses and square. Price and the square upon inquiry. und a to bebrucet at fi with a sense of the per or at emiliants rieds to Laviers are not the endy ch

Luminescence of Nitrogen. It has been found that nitrogen, vig-

orously and spectroscopically pure, acquires a continuous luminescence, Route One during the electric discharge, and therefore this phenomenon can no longer be attributed to the prescence of traces of oxygen. In the presence of metallic vapors, such as those of mercury, sodium or potassium, says the Scientific American, the phenomenon is not produced owing to the ni-Effie Zwink is home from York trogen's being attacked by the metallic vapors, forming a combination of the metal with nitrogen. The pres-O. A. Johnson marketed corn ence of oxygen, which oxides the metthe active nitrogen and renders its formation possible.

Duel Was Called Off. A young bachelor who was staying challenged to a duel by the husband of a young woman with whom he had Miss Emma Rowe's program firted. The bachelor, who is an expert amateur boxer, replied that the challenge was accepted under the usual conditions-namely, choice of weapons. His choice was for fourounce boxing gloves. The husband sent word that "the matter may now

be considered as settled."

For Sale—Over 400 Plymo th Rock Chickens. Mrs. D. Domgard.

Two thoroughbred Duroc Jersey

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

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

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

For Rent---My residence, known as the Enevoldsen building, in northwest part of Loup City. Can give possession at once. L. W. Schlote.

Jersey pigs, wt 150 each.

Alfred Andersen.

For Sale or Trade-My resisquare. Price and terms made

J. W. Burleigh.

Five or six acres of ground in alleged will I get the ice?" FOR SALE

### Deer Creek Items

Leon Lubash is visiting his brother Jos. Lubash, this week. Sophia Rockwich is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Lubash.

Born, last week, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Maciejewski a baby boy, mother and babe are doing

Geo. Plumbeck's are visiting relatives on Deer creek.

Miss Emma Carsten came home from Grand Island, last week,

of cattle to Omaha last week.

Joe Miefski left last week for Leavensworth, Kas., for an extended visit with relatives.

Vikings Made Beeswax. About eight years ago at Oseberg, near Tonsberg, Norway, there was unearthed a ship of the early Viking period. It was completely buried in the earth, and when disinterred was found to belong to the grave of a Viking queen, who died about A. D. 800. Horses, carriages, and sledges were also discovered in the grave, together with all kinds of household furniture and utensils and personal ornaments, the whole forming a picture of the state of northern civilization centuries ago. Among the other articles found were two dark rectangular masses, which proved to be wax that had apparently been used for the waxing of sewing thread. This wax has recently been chemically examined by Dr. J. Sebelien, who found that its specific gravity and its melting-point agreed with that of the beeswax of the present day.

Kept at the Office. Mrs. Brown always looks very dubious when her husband comes home a little later than usual and says he has been "kept at the office." She never For Sale—1 team of horses, 5 looks as if she believed the excuse, which as a matter of fact, is quite genuine. But some wives seem inwork harness; 1 low truck farm capable of realizing that their husbands really are kept late at the office nie Lind walking cultivator; 1, 14 is so keen that a man can't afford to inch stirring plow; Deering mow- go off at the tick of the clock if he er; 5 female thoroughbred Duroc wishes to keep his position. The senhe is "kept late." She just notices that he looks more tired than usual. and lets him have his dinner and a smoke after in peace and quiet. And ence and three lots, known as the you usually find that the bushand who

> Heard at the Hospital. mber, Clancy," said the docright, sor," was the reply. "Where

## LOCAL ADVERTISING

Plumes cleaned and re-curled. A Loup City Tailor Shop.

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

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

I will compete with any catalogue or mail order house. Bring in your catalogue and be convinced I handle nothing but what is where she has been visiting her Stamped by the makers name absolutely the best. Henry M. J. W. Peters shipped a load of Elsner, The Reliable Jeweler.

at L. B. Hale's hardware store.

Don't buy hogs and half hogs of people who are peddling around town. Go to the Pioneer Meat market where you know the meat and the price is all right.

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

We have good values in all lines \$3.00. Ladies Open Face Elgin road securities less than 5 per cent is only goes to show how vast and over-20 year Gold Case \$10.00. Henry M. Elsner, Reliable Jeweler.

Some prices of interest at the Tra vis 5, 10 and 25 cent store. Fancy tango cords and pins 10 & Fancy burntwood boxes Fancy cups & saucers 10, 15, 25 & 35 Fancy salad bowls Fancy work baskets 10, 15 & 20c Good Fresh candy 2500 Thanksgiving postcards lc each.

Barred Plymouth Rock pullets a New England factory, the widow and six Cockerels. R. L. Arthur, with her life insurances fund, and the

if you are in earnest to procure a home, say of 320 acres, to help and promote you, barring specu-lators and investors. THE GREAT DIVIDE, published 43 Post Building, Denver, Colo., is anxious to tell you all about it. end stamp for sample copy today. Also say what paper you read this

Presbyterian-The subject of the sermon Sunday morning will be: "A Look Backward" (New Year's Sermon). In the evening: 'Forethought and Afterthought."

**CHURCH NOTES** 

Scarfs, Dishes, Etc.

German—Thursday at 7:30 p. m., Christmas program.

Friday at 10 a. m., Christmas service. Communion after sermon. Business meeting after service.

German church at Ashton, services, Saturday the 26th at 2:30 F. W. Guth.

Baptist-10:30, preaching services after which there will be

covenant meeting. 6:30, B. Y. P. U., led by Mrs. J. L. Dunn.

7:30 song and gospel service. Christmas exercises Thursday eve, a very interesting program is being prepared for the occasion.

## **GRAVE CRISIS CON-**

(Continued from Fourth Page)

and industry cannot get along without the railroads. On the other hand, the the patronage and, what is equally es-That some who have been entrusted with railroad management in the past are somewhat responsibe for the apparent gulf between the public and at the transportation companies is perhaps true. Busy and harassed by herculean tasks entrusted to their care. there has been too little contact between them and the people. Again, it is undoubtedly true that the world of railroad finance as well as other lines of industrial activity has had its share of inexcusable abuses-but just as the public does not hold the banking world or ministry responsible as a whole for the shortcomings of an oc-All kinds of repair work done casional black sheep, so the hundreds of honest railroad officials throughout the country should not be condemned because of the misdeeds of the few.

## Who Owns the Railroads?

In this connection it may be said that the railroad world is encumbered with a lot of phantoms which exist only in the popular fancy. For instance because there have been some half dozen so-called railroad magnates whose names have figured prominently in Wall Street, many people have come If you want good, prompt draying, to believe that the railroads of the call on John McDonall, successor to L.C. McDonall. Phone Red 104 rich men. As a matter of fact, noth-Out of the colossal sum of twenty bil Ladies mesh bags, newest designs lion dollars invested in American railnow, or ever has been, in the hands shadowing our railroad industry has of these men who have figured prominently in the newspaper headlines—while the other 55 per cent is in the hands of nearly two million investors, large and small, who in many instances have put the modest savings of a lifetime into these securities in order that they might lay away a competency for old age.

When, therefore, the value of these securities is depressed, or perchance destroyed, the hardship is ten-fold greater upon thousands of every-day For Sale --- Two dozen pure bred eitizens -- upon the frugal mechanic in countless other citizens in every avocation and walk of life than upon the handful of millionaires, good or bad, who have figured prominently in rail road circles. Thus, for instance, the great Pennsylvania System has over 70,000 stockholders, while the Santa Fe The State of Colorado wishes, has over 40,000, and the same ratio holds good in nearly all the other

Many Other Investments Affected

But that isn't all. For many years untry, and hence hundreds of mil- Agriculture and Transportati

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vested in them, and the moment, therefore, that the soundness of these securities is affected the financial solidity of these myriad institutions is

greatly menaced at the same time. Carrying it a step further, it means that every holder of an old line life insurance policy and millions of depositors of savings and other banks, and these interested in many fiducit

In the impending crisis, therefore, not the impending crisis, therefore, witness my hand and the seal said County Court, this 18th day becember, 1914. ing could be farther from the truth. tion system is at stake, but along with it the very financial integrity of our entire investment world-and this become\_how they are not merely the giant arteries of agriculture and commerce, but how closely their welfare is woven into the woof and fabric of the entire Nation. A mong other things it should remind us how interdependent we have come to be in this mighty republic of ours—that each is F. W. Jaeschke, on, afsed. mighty republic of ours-that each is in truth becoming more and more his brother's keeper, and that we need to think and act carefully lest in our mistaken zeal we destroy those who, like ourselves, need whatever of this world's goods the toil and sweat of years has brought to them.

That the time has come when the titigens of Nebraska and the country generally should do some serious thinking in connection with this great and vital question there is not peal to the people to read the forthming articles carefully and thoughtfully-and since all the essential facts and figures quoted will be taken from the public records they will be easily capable of verification. Especially do we hope that farmers whose market facilities and land values are so critically affected by the railroad provies est investment in the will follow the articles closely\_for ions of the amets of our greatifie an easily the Nation's two greatest and wrance companies, banks, benevolent most fundamental industries. (Paid surance companies, banks, benevolent most fundamental industries. (Pald associations and colleges were in Adv. To be continued seat week).

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Notice To Creditors. State of Nebrasea. Sherman County.

in the County Court In the Matter of the Estate of Ma-thilda Be ushausen, Deceased, To the Oreditors of Said Estate: You are hereby notified, that I will

sits at the County Court room in Loup City, of said County, on the 17th day of July, 1915, to receive and examine and those interested in many nouclary, benevolent and educational institutions are directly concerned in the present situation, which threatens to largely destroy the high regard in which an investment in railroad bonds was held.

Jof 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 17th day of July A. D. 1815 and the time limited for payment of debts is the 18th day of December, 1915.

Witness my hand, and the seal of

E. A. SMITH. County Judge

Last pub. Jan 14. Order of Hearing on Petition Appointment of Administration

In the County Court of Shere ty, Nebraska. State of Nebraska,

On reading and filingame petition of Martin Jueschke and Herman Jaeschke praying that Administration of said Estate may be granted to John F. W.

Jaeschke, as administrator.
Ordered, that January 11th A. D. Ordered, that January 11th A. D. 1915, at one o'clock p. 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 the 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 mar-

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