

COTTON GOODS.

During the last sixty days manufacturers of cotton goods have advanced prices on some lines 10 to 25 per cent. Early Spot Cash purchases in large quantities gave us many values that other dealers were unable to secure. Buying and selling for cash is one of the essential points for successful pricing and selling.

Ginghams.
Apron check ginghams, per yard 4c.
Amoskeag apron checks, fast colors, 6c per yard.
Amoskeag dress ginghams 8c per yd.
Amoskeag fancy ginghams 10c per yd.
Toile de Nord ginghams 10c per yard.
The best value ever offered.
Beatrice fancy 15c per yard.
Osborne fancy, one of the best selling goods of the season at 20c.
Zephyr fancy at 25c.

Prints.

Our print stock contains the best that money can buy. We buy prints in case lots. By so doing we secure better discounts and greater varieties of patterns.
One case of dress prints, per yard 4c. These goods are full width prints, first quality. We do not carry shoddy cotton goods.

One case of fancy dress prints at 5c per yard.
All black, red, blue and gray prints 5c per yard.
Shirting prints 4c and 5c per yard.

Shirtings, stripes.
Stripes and checks, per yard, 5c.
A better one at 6c.
Southern silks, the best values shown 8c per yard.
Amoskeag chevrons 10c per yard.
Newport chevrons 15c per yard.
Ranchman's light weight 10c per yd.
Ranchman's, regular 12 1/2c.

Muslins.

Yard wide unbleached muslin 3c per yard.
Yard wide unbleached muslin 4c per yard.
Yard wide unbleached muslin 5c per yard.
Best L. L. muslin 5c per yard.
Yard wide unbleached muslin 6c per yard.

Pepperill R unbleached, 5 1/2c per yd.
Cabot remnants, regular 7c grade for 4c per yard.
A good yard wide bleached muslin 4c per yard.
Hope muslin 5 1/2c per yard. We are price makers.
Fruit of the Loom or Lonsdale bleached at 6 1/2c per yard.
Remember that we advertise goods and then sell the goods that we advertise.

Pants Goods.
Cottonades at 15c per yard.
Jeans from 15c to 30c per yard.
Shaker Flannel.
An excellent value at 5c per yard.
Other grades 7c to 15c per yard.

Cotton Diaper Cloth.
Sanitary diaper cloth, 10 yards for 75c, 22 inches wide.
Sanitary diaper cloth 10 yards for 90c, 27 inches wide.

Sheeting.

9-4 bleached sheeting, 80 inches wide at 15c per yard.
9-4 unbleached sheeting, 80 inches wide at 13c per yard.
Ready made pillow cases 15c and 20c.
Ready made sheets 50c and 60c.

Cotton Draperies.

Handsome line of cotton draperies. Damask and velour effects at 10c to 25c per yard.
8 new patterns on in silkolines at 12 1/2c per yard.

White Wash Goods.

We have just received another invoice of dimities, white goods, India linsens and white piques at prices from 10c to 50c per yard.

Ladies Vests.

Jersey Vests, spring and summer 5c to 50c each.

Muslin Underwear.

We are showing a very nice line of Muslin Underwear. These goods are direct from the manufacturer. No sample line that has been jerked around over the country. The prices are very low, the quality the best.
Nazareth waists for boys or girls at 25c each.

Table Linen.

One new thing always demands another. Probably in your case it will be a new table cloth needed. We have the stock at the right prices. 50 patterns in bleached, unbleached and colored.
2 patterns linen finish damask, 54 inches wide at 18c.
3 patterns linen finish damask, 54 inches wide at 23c.
All linen unbleached at 40c per yard.
All linen bleached from 50c to \$1.75 per yard.
54 inch red damask, at 15c per yard. This is regular 20c quality. Yellows, greens and reds 18c to 65c per yard.

Curtain Goods.

Figured and dotted swisses for draperies, half curtains 10c to 40c per yard.
Curtain scrimms at 12 1/2c to 60c per yard.

Lace Curtains.

Full size 30 by 90 inch lace curtain for 47c per pair. Other grades up to \$5.00 per pair.
We call special attention to our curtain 50 by 90 inches at \$1.40. Best curtain bargain in the city.

Window Shades.

Window shade complete with spring roller for 10c.
A good quality cloth curtain for 25c.
Other grades at 35c, 40c, 50c.

Ladies' Silk Mitts.

We are just opening up a new line of ladies' silk mitts. Prices range from 12 1/2c per pair to 75c per pair.

FURNITURE.

Kitchen chairs 45c each. 4 spindle, turned at 60c each.
High back dining chairs, wood seat at 70c each. Better ones, wood seat, 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.20 each.
Cane seat dining chairs from 85c to \$2.00 each.
A hardwood cane seat chair, braided arms, \$1.
White enamel iron beds, rod construction, for \$2.75.
White enamel iron beds, angle construction, \$3.50.
Other grades of beds at 45c to \$5.50.
Our iron beds are bought direct from the factory, no middleman's profits.
Solid oak chiffoniers from \$5.00 to \$11 each.
The best made kitchen safe on the market. If you want quality in the kitchen safe buy our safes. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$7.50 each.
Solid oak, quarter sawed top sideboard \$12.00. Other grades at \$15.00, \$18.00, \$22.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00.
Combination book cases at \$12.50, \$13.50, \$14.50, \$15.50, \$16.50 and \$19.00.
Small writing desk and book case \$6.00.
20-inch top oak center table at \$1.00.
Other grades at \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.
Cane seat sewing rocker at \$1.50.
Large, roomy arm chair, hardwood, cane seat, \$2.00.
Values in couches, velour and corduroy for \$6 to \$19.
Bed lounges from \$9 to \$17. Come in and let us show you the latest in bed lounges.
Bed room suites, \$12.50 to \$35.
Hall trees, ladies dressing tables, ladies writing desks, Indian stools, screens, easies, pictures, mirrors, and many other articles.
Mattresses, the best that money can buy, \$2.50 to \$7.
Springs from \$1.25 to \$8.50 each.
Ironing boards \$1 each.
Ironing boards, fasten to any table, 75c.
Clothes bars 75c and \$1.10 each.

SHOES.

Ladies black kid, lace, stock tip, latest toe, hand turned, foxed heel, beaded seams, \$3.25 per pair.
Ladies vicid kid, military heel, stock tip, hand welt beaded seams for \$3.00 per pair.
Ladies vicid kid, vesting top, stock tip, common sense heel extra value at \$2.65 per pair.
Ladies vicid kid, Cornell toe, hand turn at \$2.75 per pair.
Tan Lace, extension soles, vicid kid, \$2.25.
Ladies tan, vicid kid, common sense heel, \$1.75.
Ladies black vicid kid, foxed heel, lace or button, \$1.75.
Ladies black vicid kid, foxed heel, lace or button, \$1.50.
Misses vicid kid, \$1.50.
Children's shoes from 60c to \$1.50 per pair.
Baby shoes from 25c to \$1.00 per pair.
Boys kid, lace, coin toe, \$1.55 to \$2.00 per pair.
Men's calf skin, lace or congress, wide toe, Cornell toe at \$1.75 to \$3.50.
Men's Cornell toe, vicid kid, machine sewed, \$3.00.
Men's Cornell toe, vicid kid, hand welt, \$3.25.
See our line of men's goods in kangaroo, vicid kids, and colt skin shoes at \$2.25 to \$2.50 per pair.
We carry the best \$1.50 plow shoe in the city. When we say the best we mean the best.

HOSIERY.

Leather stockings for boys, guaranteed the best, 25c pair.
No. 1992 hose for the girls, as good wearing as the leather stockings, light weight for 25c per pair.
Children's school hose for 10c, 15c and 20c per pair.
Ladies hose 10c to 50c per pair.
Infant's hose from 10c to 30c per pair.
We carry the Burlington fast black, color guaranteed not to crock.

TRUNKS.

We have about 20 trunks on hand. We want the room they occupy. Our price for the next thirty days is one-third off. In other words \$3.00 trunks for \$2.00; \$4.00 trunks for \$3.00; etc.

We buy direct from the factories, no jobbers profits. We give you the best that money can buy. We lead all competition. Carload shipping gives us a saving of over forty per cent in freight, and secures discount that the river jobbers cannot give.

MINER BROTHERS, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

Shirt Waists.

A good story always bares repeating. Prices lower than competition. We are showing the best line of shirt waists ever shown in Red Cloud. 35c to \$1.75 each.
Material for making shirt waists contain all the latest novelties, English Shirtings, Percales, Plicretines, Fashoda, Piques in whites, fancy figures and colors.
We are satisfied with small profits on good goods. That always means a satisfied customer. A satisfied customer always comes back. That is the reason of our great success.

Corsets.

A good summer corset for 25c.
Ferris waists to close line, child's 65c.
We claim the Favorite, the best 50c corset on the market. Its many users testify to it.
Peerless Ex. short waist for 60c.
C-H corsets from 75c to \$1.00.
Jackson C. C. C. corset and the Famous Jackson waist at \$1.00.

Mens Furnishing.

3 pair of extra heavy cotton socks 25c.
5 pair of mens socks for 25c, as good as generally retails at 10c per pair.
Mens light weight working gloves 18c.
Mens suspenders 10c to 60c per pair.
Mens jumpers 50c.
Mens pant overall 75c per pair.
Mens overalls at 50c per pair. THE BEST that money can make.
Boys overall 25c, 35c, 40c 50c.

Carpets.

House cleaning is now in order. You may want a new carpet for the parlor, bedroom, sitting room or some other room. We carry the largest stock of carpets in the county.
All carpets guaranteed to fit. We cut and make all carpets ready to lay on the floor. All carpets cut without waste.

Cotton ingrain carpets 30c to 40c.
Union ingrain 40 to 60c.
Wool filling ingrain 50 to 60c.
All wool ingrain at 60 to 70c.
New patterns in Moquettes and Brussels at \$1.00 per yard made up.
Tapestry at 55c per yard.
Mattings 15c to 40c per yard.

Laces.

Silk laces from 1/2 to 4 inches in width. Prices 10c to 50c.
Cotton laces from 5c to 20c per yd.
Valenciennes laces from 3c to 12 1/2c.
Torchon laces 5 to 15c per doz yards.
Linen laces 1/2 to 4 inches wide 10c to 50c per yard.

Embroideries.

We have a special job of embroideries from 3c to 30c.
Swiss embroideries from 15 to 40c per yard. Insertion to match.
Colored embroideries from 10 to 15c.
Another large invoice of embroidery silks, hoops and stamped linen now on sale. The latest patterns at the lowest price.

Mackintoshes.

Now is the time to prepare for spring rains. You will need a new mackintosh. We have them. Prices such that you will have them.
Ladies blue Cashmere, with cape, velvet collar, sold regularly at \$3.50 to \$4.00 our price \$2.90.
Ladies Cashmere, plaid lined, with velvet collar, cape, sold regularly at \$5.00 our price only \$3.80.
Ladies Empire single cape mackintosh, velvet collar regularly sold at \$5.00 for \$3.80.
Mens mackintosh, with detachable cape, regular \$3.00 goods at \$2.00.
Mens Covert cloth, box coat, mackintosh, regular \$4.00 goods at \$2.90.
Mens wool tricote, black, \$5.00 goods at \$3.85.

Sewing Machines.

Small profits apply to this line, the same as the other departments of the BIG STORE.
We are not tied down by any contract in selling machines. The 5 drawer FIELD, high head for \$20.00, drop head for \$25.00. Simplicity one important feature. Come in and let us tell you several more. We give a guarantee with each machine.

Pins.

Pins 1c per paper.
Brass pins at 5c per paper. Needles at 5c per paper.
Nickel reversible safety pins at 5c per paper.
Patent hooks and eyes at 3c, 5c, 10c per paper.
Special job of pearl buttons, smoked and white at 5c per dozen.
Belt Buckles 25c to 75c each.
Ladies belts 10c to 65c each.
Ladies novelty belt pins 25c doz.
Basting thread 2c spool.
Fancy horn hairpins, 5c to 25c doz.
Kid hair curlers at 5c, 10c, 15c doz.
Travelers hair curlers 10c each.

Dress Goods.

Skirt patterns. French Crepons in black, at prices ranging from \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.40 per yard.
Wool and Mohair in black brocades at 25, 35, 45, 50, 90, \$1.00, \$1.10.
All wool Henrietta 50, 60, 75, 90, \$1.00.
Latest novelties in dress pattern lengths from 50c to \$1.10 per yard.
Shepherds plaids and fancy checks 50, 70, 90c.
Shaded LaBarge 40c per yard.
Covert cloth at 20c. Assortment of colors.

Linings & Trimmings.

Extra heavy duck 20c.
Elastic duck 10c.
Best cambric 5c.
An extra quality silesia 15c per yard.
Satinelle 30c.
Extra heavy collar canvas 20c.
16X interlining 20c per yard.
Velveteen bindings 3c per yard.
Corduroy binding 7c.
See our new waterproof skirt binding. The latest novelties in dress trimming braids 5c to 25c.

Silks.

Waist patterns 75c to \$1.40 per yard.
Trimming silks 50c to \$1.40 per yard.

THE CHIEF

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W. L. McMILLAN.
This year \$1.00
Six months50
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Entered at the post office at Red Cloud, Neb., as second class mail matter.

ADVERTISING RATES:
Local advertising 5 cents per line per issue.
Local Advertising for entertainments, concerts, socials, etc., given by churches, charitable societies, etc., where all moneys raised there from are used wholly for church or charitable societies, first ten lines free and all over ten lines 2 1/2 cents per line per issue.
Local advertising of entertainments, concerts, recitals, etc., where per cent is given to promoters, 5 cents per line per issue.
DISPLAY ADVERTISING:
One column per month \$7.00
One half column per month 3.50
One fourth column per month 1.75
General display advertising 8 1/2 cents per inch per line.

AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Inspector General Breckeur Ige, who has been in Cuba and Porto Rico for three months, brought the President much valuable information obtained by his close observation of existing conditions on the islands, and not a little of it is widely different from that which has been obtained from either sources. Gen. Breckeur is strongly of the opinion that Gomez is not to be trusted. He thinks that Gomez is the most dangerous enemy the U. S. has in Cuba; that his turbulent nature fits him for participation in revolutions, but not to assist in the establishment of a peaceful government, and has warned the President of the danger of allowing him to get control in Cuba. He also told the President that things were not being conducted under our military government in Cuba, in a manner to accustom the Cubans to a free government; that it was a serious mistake to allow distasteful Spanish laws to remain in force over there, in addition to our military laws. He doubts whether Cuba can have a free government of its own, because he believes that as soon as our military government is withdrawn, Gomez and his followers will establish a military government that will be as much of a despotism as Spain ever maintained over the island. Of Porto Rico he says the people are disposed to be contented, but that the serious drawbacks to industry, owing to the closing of the markets of Spain for Porto Rican products and the failure to open our own to them, have already resulted in distress and an alarming increase of brigandage, and that things will soon grow worse if means are not found to provide employment for the

islanders. The President is powerless to act in this matter. It will require action of Congress to open our markets to Porto Rican products. The President is deeply impressed by General Breckeur's information, and has had several extended conferences with him to talk the matter over.
Several occurrences during the last three or four days have been calculated to convince the public that our authorities both in Manila and Washington, do not consider that the Philippine question was taken out of the critical field by the successful campaign of Gen. Otis against Aguinaldo. Among them was a cablegram from Admiral Dewey, asking that six months engineering supplies for his fleet be sent to Manila at once, and Secretary Long's reply, in the name of the President, to a request from a Washington committee, that Dewey be ordered home in time to participate in the Peace Jubilee, to be held May 22-26 at the National Capitol. Secretary Long frankly told the Committee that the President considered affairs in the Philippines to be in too critical a stage to order Dewey home.
The President and Secretary Long have chosen the following names for the warships authorized by the last Congress: battleships—Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Georgia; Armored cruisers—West Virginia, Nebraska and California; cruisers—Denver, Des Moines, Chattanooga, Galveston, Tacoma, and Cleveland.
Gen. Joseph Wheeler has not been better pleased in a long time than he was when he left the White House with a Committee of ladies he had escorted there, for the purpose of extending an invitation to President McKinley to attend the encampment of ex-Confederates to be held at Falls Church, Va., practically a suburb of Washington, June 7 and 8. The President promised to attend the encampment and deliver an address, unless something should occur to prevent his doing so. He also took occasion to thank the women of Southern societies for doing so much towards emphasizing the good feeling existing between the North and South. Gen. Wheeler has been smiling ever since and, if it were possible, he admires the President more than ever.

The Military Court of Inquiry, after deliberating over it for two or three days, decided to accede to the request of Gen. Miles, that the official reports of 147 officers, from Brigadier Generals to Lieutenants, on the beef issued to the soldiers in Cuba and Porto Rico be admitted as testimony, but adhered to his first decision, not to summon those among the 181 witnesses General Miles

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

Give Comfort

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

submitted whose testimony would merely corroborate that already given by others. This is taken to indicate that the court thinks the issuing of bad beef, both canned and refrigerated, has been fully proven, and that it only desires evidence on other phases of the case as the order convening the Court makes it a part of its duty to place the responsibility for any wrong doing found, and it is inconceivable that so much bad beef could have been bought by the government without some guilt among the purchasing or inspecting officials. Of course, nobody knows what action the court will finally take, but the opinion is growing stronger that it will recommend court martials for General Egan and several other officers, if it does not express a positive opinion of their guilt.

Considerable comment is being made in regard to the acquittal of Samuel Fair in Judge Duffy's court, and the Judge is considerably wrought up over the fact that people are insinuating that he showed partiality to the prisoner. The Judge says that the reason of young Fair being turned loose was on account of the ignorance of the deputy county attorney and says that the people who have the most to say do not know what they are talking about.—Chief of March 31st.

“The above was written without reflection and upon misinformation. We have since found the facts stated to have been untrue. The case was well handled and no fault can be ascribed to Mr. Wilson for the escape of young Fair the diamond thief. Further we will say, the able manner in which the Hayes-Bent cases were conducted has certainly convinced all fair minded persons as to Mr. Wilson's legal ability.”

We have kindly given Attorney L. S. Wilson the privilege of writing a small article and placing it in our paper this week and it will be found immediately above. We do not agree with the gentleman's article only as to these words: “The above was written without reflection.” Our informant was Judge Duffy and we have never for a moment doubted his truthfulness as we have always regarded him as upright and honest. We do not know a thing about the way the Fair case was handled and do not care as it does not interest us in the least. In regard to the Hayes-Bent case we will say and we think those

who heard the cases will say that the credit belongs to Attorney Mercer and County Attorney Ranney who very ably conducted the cases. We are very much surprised to see our friend write a commendatory article upon himself and giving himself all the credit, and not give one little word of credit to the attorneys who were associated with him on the case. The above quoted article was written by Mr. Wilson and we don't coincide with him at all. We have the gentleman's article in his own handwriting and will preserve it as a souvenir of our first libel suit.

If you have a cough, throat irritation, weak lungs, pain in the chest, difficult breathing, croup or hoarseness, let us suggest One Minute Cough Cure. Always reliable and safe.—C. L. Cotting.

THE CHIEF and Chicago Inter-Ocean one year for \$1.25.

In order to keep on peaceable terms with his crazy wife a man over near Anita, has located his wind pump where it will rock the cradle, run a sewing machine, mix bread, churn and kick the dog. He started to fix it so it would talk about the neighbors, but his wife rose to a question of personal privilege, and the old gentleman had to sustain it. He says it won't do to crowd labor saving machines too fast on some people.—Adair (Iowa) Messenger.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending April 13th 1899.
Boyd, J. E. Cubbison, Louisa
Brown, Chas. E. Hankins, Jacob
Houseman, Dora
These letters will be sent to the dead letter office April 27th, if not called for before. When calling for above please say advertised.—T. C. HACKER, P. M.

This story comes from St. Joseph. A lamb, a goose, a frog and a skunk wanted to go to a circus to which the admission was a dollar. The lamb would get in all right for he had four quarters; also the goose for he had a bill; the frog had a green back, but the poor skunk had only a scent and it was a bad one. They were all going away because the skunk could not get in when they met a sardine and he said, “Come with me boys, I have a box.”

A Kansas printer was making up the forms one day in a hurry and got a marriage notice and a grocer's ad so mixed up that it read as follows: John Smith and Ida Quay were united in the holy Sauerkraut by the quart or barrel. Mr Smith is a well known codfish at 10 cents per pound, while the bride, Miss Quay, has some Nice Pig Feet which will be sold cheaper than at any other store in town.—Ex.

LA GRIPPE

Leaves the Nervous System Shattered, Causing Sleeplessness, Weakness and Depression of Spirits. Cured by

Dr. Miles' Nervine.

Have you had La Grippe? If you have not, doubtless some of your friends have and you know what it is. You have seen it suddenly, without any warning, seize the victim in its relentless grasp and wrench asunder the fibres of the nervous system. That terrible pain in the back of the head, the aching back and legs, the soreness in the muscles and bones as if bruised or beaten, the feeble pulse—all these are familiar with you. But have you noticed the after effects? Do you know that it weakens the lungs, enfeebles the heart, deranges the stomach and bowels and seriously interferes with all the functional operations of the body? And even after the disease is apparently dead, the physical weakness, mental apathy and the depression of spirits remain. You also know that hundreds of men and women with “run-down” feeling written all over their faces, unable to work, without courage, have recovered health, heart and ambition through the remarkable healing and strengthening qualities of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. It goes straight

to the cause of the mischief resulting from La Grippe. It feeds and cures.
“Two years ago I came down with La Grippe, resulting in nervous prostration, heart trouble and nervous dyspepsia. I became so low that I lost all control of my organs and could neither speak nor be spoken to. Our doctor failed to restore my health. I could retain nothing on my stomach; could not lie down to sleep; could not stand any noise and was on the very verge of insanity when my wife began giving me Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. She could see an improvement when the first bottle was gone and determined to continue the treatment. Being 60 years of age my recovery was slow, but my health steadily improved my head became clear and my mind as they ever were. My recovery was almost a miracle and all due to Dr. Miles' Nervine.” GEO A. ANDREWS,
Great Barrington, Mass.
Mr. John S. Pool, Princeton, Ky., says: “I would gladly proclaim the high estimate I place on the real merit of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. I

had long been a sufferer from the effects of La Grippe, enduring much pain and misery. My nerves were completely prostrated. I could neither work nor rest. At night it was almost impossible for me to get my natural sleep and only by the use of powerful drugs could I rest at all. I spent large sums of money for physician's service and for treatments that were recommended to me, but they did me no good. From the first dose I took of Dr. Miles' Nervine I began to improve and now I am enjoying the very best of health. The great remedy does much more than is claimed for it.”

SAMPLE TREATMENT FREE.
A trial package of Dr. Miles' favorite treatment, consisting of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and Dr. Miles' Nervine and Liver Pills will be sent absolutely free of cost to any person sending name and address on a postal card, requesting the samples, and mentioning the name of this paper to Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.