

OUR ANNUAL PRE-INVENTORY CLEARANCE SALE

January 3 to January 18, 1908

We are grateful to our patrons for the most successful year of our experience. Our first ambition for 1908 shall be to merit your further favor and support. More aggressive in our efforts, more complete in our stocks, more satisfactory in our values, we shall claim a larger proportion of your trade. We inaugurate the year by a money saving event. When we make a Clearing Sale you get the benefit. Prior to taking our Annual Inventory we offer discounts and reduced prices that will appeal to all good housewives.

CLOAKS—LAST CALL—CLOAKS

40 per cent off

28 Ladies Long Cloth Coats left. 10 Blacks and 18 Reds, Castors, Greens, Prunes and Fancies. Sold during the season at \$4.50 to \$28. These are all, except three garments, of 1907 styles. They are all excellent designs and high value at the first selling price.

20 Ladies' Short Imitation Fur Jackets, Blacks, Brown and Red, sold at \$12.50 to \$30, all new this season, and we believe they will be strong in demand during the winter of 1908-9. All sizes from 32 to 40, at 40 per cent off. These coats will be cleaned up within a few days. The first comers will have the best choice. A delay of a day may cause you to miss the only coat in our department that will fit and please you.

CHILDREN'S CLOAKS

50 per cent off

Every Infant's, Child's and Misses' Coat is now offered during this sale at half price. Any size from the baby to 14 years may be fitted and pleased, as there remains a wide range of styles, colors and quantities. \$2 Coats for \$1. \$3 Coats for \$1.50, \$4 Coats for \$2, \$5 Coats for \$2.50, \$7.50 Coats for \$3.75, \$10 Coats for \$5. It is our policy to close out all Cloaks every season.

DRESS SKIRTS

20 per cent off

To stimulate our extra demand on Dress Skirts during the days of this Clearing Sale, we will give a discount of 20 per cent from our open price. There are over 200 Skirts on our racks, all of them made of high grade fabrics and in up-to-date models, prices from \$3.75 to \$17. Alterations will be made during this sale without charge. There are still left on our bargain rack down stairs, 12 high grade Skirts worth from \$5 to \$8, reduced to \$2.50.

RAIN COATS

25 per cent off

Rain Coats in Tan, Oxford, Olives and Fancies, all sizes, worth from \$5 to \$15 now one-fourth off. This is a splendid chance to get a garment which every woman should possess at money saving cost. They are warm, protect the clothing and are convenient.

SHAWLS—LONG AND SQUARE

20 per cent off

36 Shawls in all sizes from 36 inches square to 6x12 feet, prices from 50c to \$8. No article of wear more useful in the family. All go at 20 per cent off. Come in and supply your needs.

KNIT WEAR—20 per cent off

All Knit Wear including Toques, Fascinators, Knit Shawls and Scarfs at one-fifth off. This is a very reasonable bargain.

Men's, Women's Children's Underwear—20 per cent off

Remember that the prices made in this advertisement are good only during the days of this sale. One-fifth will be deducted from the price of all Knit Underwear during these days. Money is worth only 6 to 7 per cent, why not buy for the fall of 1908?

SMALL LOTS—ODDS AND ENDS

In every department of our place are small lots, odds and ends, goods that should for one reason or another be closed out. All these will be offered at prices regardless of former price or cost.

SHIRT WAISTS—20 per cent off

To reduce our Shirt Waist stock prior to getting in new lines, we will discount during this sale every waist, Lawns, Poplins, Mercerized, Fancies, Nets, Laces and Silks. As there is but slight change in the waist vogue for spring, this is an opportunity to make a distinct saving in your early shopping.

BLANKETS—20 per cent off

Cotton blankets 10-4, 11-4, 12-4 sizes worth 65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50. Wool blankets 10-4, 11-4, 12-4 sizes, worth \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$9, \$10. All at one-fifth off.

DOMESTIC SPECIALS

12½c outing flannels, sale price 9c; 16c outing flannels, sale price 12½c; 12½c flannelettes, sale price 9c; 15c flannelettes, sale price 11c; good weight unbleached muslin 6½c; heavy weight unbleached muslin 7½c; small check amoskeag gingham 8c; hope bleached muslin 8½c; lonsdale 10c.

FOOD SPECIALS

Granulated sugar 19 pounds.....	\$1.00
Best home grown potatoes, per bushel..	75
Extra fancy California peaches, apricots, pears, cherries, can.....	25
Good soda crackers, per large box.....	1.25
High standard tomatoes, per can.....	10
Calumet Baking Powder, per lb.....	19
Layton's Baking Powder, per lb.....	10
Wisconsin October full cream cheese, lb.	17
California Walnuts, best soft, per lb....	19
Whole wheat biscuit, per package.....	10
Cranberries, per quart.....	10

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TELEPHONE 226.

The struggle for the presidential nomination is going to call out the best intelligence and the highest character of organizing ability in the republican party. As viewed from a distance it looks like Sec. Taft and Gov. Hughes of New York were the most prominent of the candidates. The party will not go far wrong with either of these men as its candidate. Both have been prominent in public and private life, and both have made good in every undertaking. Sec. Taft has handled some weighty problems and in each instance has settled the difficulty with satisfaction to his country. As Governor of the Philippine Islands he did destructive work for his country and achieved great personal renown by his masterly diplomacy and far seeing statesmanship. His management of the late Cuban difficulty was almost as great a triumph as his Philippine administration. Sec. Taft is a brilliant lawyer whose mental temperament is as pure and broad as though no trivial technicalities nor high sounding constitutional phrases had ever escaped the fertile of the trust lawyers.

If the weather of the first three days of January govern the first three months of the year, some enterprising citizen might as well begin plans for an ice plant in this city next summer.

A GOOD BANK

ACCOUNT is exceedingly comforting in times of need, and it may be said of Falls City Banks that you can get your money and that in cash, when you wish it.

This Bank pays three per cent interest on time deposits and four per cent on Children's accounts.

FALLS CITY STATE BANK

Capital and Surplus, \$70,000.00

BARADA.

Matt Schulenburg made a trip to Falls City Monday.

A. C. and C. H. Steinbrink attended the funeral of their cousin Emma Whitlock at Falls City Thursday of last week.

Chas. Steinbrink took 25 head of hogs to Strausville Monday.

Wilson Lowe took 20 head of hogs to Shubert Monday.

The Holiness denomination began a series of revival meetings on Saturday evening.

Lester LaMiller is over from Brook shaking hands with old acquaintances.

D. E. and Otis Spiekler went to Rosalie last week for a short visit.

Mrs. E. J. Ray has gone to Peru for a prolonged visit with relatives.

C. H. Martin, wife and daughter Grace were Falls City visitors this week.

Mrs. Olive Kuker and children went to Versailles, Ill., for a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. T. C. Roe and son Orrie were here from Falls City this week visiting relatives.

Lloyd Mitchell and wife departed Sunday for a week's visit with her parents at Abilene, Kas.

Harry Hendricks visited his sister Mrs. Ellen Smith of Falls City several days last week.

Anthony Smith of Falls City was here Sunday.

Miss Lettie Langdon went to Kansas

City Sunday to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Pearl Norman of Minden visited friends here last week.

Frank Jepson has moved his family here from Salem onto the Prime farm for the winter.

John Walker and wife of Verdon visited friends here Saturday.

Joy Morgan who is attending school at Peru spent the holidays here with his sister.

Ghlin Bowman of Lincoln is visiting his grandfather here.

Mrs. Nellie Peters went to Abilene, Kan., Sunday for a week's visit with friends.

Grandpa and Grandma Siemerling were pleasantly surprised at their residence on Christmas day by a large number of their friends. Grandma was presented with a handsome kitchen cabinet as a Christmas gift. At a late hour the guests departed for their homes wishing them many happy returns of the day and a happy and prosperous new year.

Josephine Lemon was born at Louisiana, Pike County, Mo., on Oct. 15, 1891; died at the home of her sister Mrs. Otto Lietzke near Shubert Dec. 30, aged 46 years, 2 months and 15 days. She removed with her parents from Missouri to Nebraska in 1896; was married to H. W. Lemons Nov. 24, 1844, and has made this vicinity her home

since that time. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, four sons, an aged father, four brothers and one sister all of whom were present at the funeral except one brother Wm. Siemerling who lives at Stillwater, Okla. She was laid to rest in Harris cemetery on Jan. 1. We extend our heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved relatives.

SALEM

Miss Sadie Jones went to Lincoln Tuesday to visit her sister Jessie.

J. N. Wickham and wife went to Humboldt Tuesday.

Dr. Green and wife drove to Falls City Tuesday.

Dean Windle went to St Joe Tuesday.

Ernie Moore returned home from Falls City Tuesday.

Will Porter of Tarkio, Mo., visited relatives here this week.

Mamie Mobley is visiting with relatives in Fairbury.

Mrs. J. A. Adams and baby went to Humboldt Tuesday to visit relatives.

Misses Florence Jones, Olive Tilden and Grace Harlin were in Falls City Monday.

R. C. Brown and family went to Stella Tuesday to visit relatives.

W. R. Allen and daughter Ada left Saturday for Belleville, Kas., for a visit with relatives. They will also visit Colby before returning home.

Miss Lucy Gregory visited in Nemaha City Wednesday.

Miss Eleanor Meredith visited last week with friends in Falls City.

Miss Sarah Thompson came down from Dawson Monday.

Misses Louise Rule, Maude Davis, Hazel White, Lela Powell, Florence Neitzel and Edna DeWald of Falls City visited at Nola McCool's last week.

Mrs. Margie Mead went to Endicott Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. T. Adams and Lela went to Lincoln Tuesday on a visit.

John McCool visited in Falls City last week.

R. B. Heston was in Humboldt Wednesday.

Eugene Meredith, Ben Hovton and Fay French were passengers to Lincoln Friday.

Nola and Helen McCool went to Falls City Tuesday.

W. W. Wertz and wife left Tuesday for Alma.

REAVIS & ABBEY

Wish to thank their many friends for the success of the past year. We are planning a campaign the coming year that will go ahead of any undertaking we have yet entered upon. To commence the year we wish to announce to all music lovers that we have

The entire catalogue of Sheet Music Published by the McKinley Music Company--10c per copy.

Orders filled by mail same day as received and a complete catalogue sent on request. A Postal Card will bring it.

If you are a beginner on Organ, Piano, Violin, Mandolin, or a graduate, we have the Music for you.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

REAVIS & ABBEY

STELLA.

Herbert Hays attended a dance at Omaha Monday night.

Harry Miner, formerly of Stella but now of the state university visited here this week.

The annual party of the Research club was given at the home of I. W. Harris Wednesday night. The company went to the home of E. Wheeler for refreshments.

The Music club met Thursday afternoon with Janette Weller.

Miss Pearl Klima spent the Christmas vacation at Dawson and Maggie McKinney at Brownville.

Mrs. Sherm Shiley was called to Verdon Monday by the serious illness of her father.

Miss Lydia Baistler is visiting at Barr.

Glady's Young went to Omaha to visit relatives.

Jack Warner and bride have returned to their home in North Dakota.

Sherm Kroh and wife are visiting here from McCook.

Bell, the shoe man moved to Auburn this week.

Jacob Hinkle and wife visited in Falls City this week.

John Robinson and wife of Kansas are visiting friends here.

Mrs. Harry Shollenbarger of Stamford is visiting relatives here.

School commenced Monday after a week's vacation.

H. E. Clark and family of Kansas City are guests of friends here.