

# Spring Opening and Sale of Men's Clothes!

The looms of the world have contributed to this display of fabrics--the leading makers have given their best efforts in Style and Workmanship--and the result is a showing of new modes and colors of which this store is proud.

Saturday--and all next week--six "at-home days" to afford examination and selection of the correct styles in all that mankind wears.

**T**HERE is usually an idea of more or less formality about an "opening"; and while this is quite an event with us, we want it to partake more of the nature of a house-warming, with customers or strangers dropping in, looking around to see what the powers that be have decreed as the proper things in clothes. Buy if you want to. We are here to serve you; but we will not urge you to buy. Just come and look. That's what we want you to do. The new suits and other wearables will make their own appeal to you. You'll want them. We believe in carrying goods that sell themselves on sight and on reputation for worth. So you will see at least a score of new Sincerity Styles for Men and Young Men--some stunning, dashy ones for young men, and then ranging to the quiet styles and colors for the more dignified and sedate--we won't say older men. Then there is the up-to-date line for boys and children; and the 50c to \$1.50 shirts, the \$1 to \$3.50 hats, the \$1 to \$1.50 gloves, the line of tan and oxblood oxfords, and new colors in neckwear; and so on down the list of necessities or luxuries, as the case may be. You should see our line of Fancy Hosiery and Underwear.



## Wahl & Parchen

We Keep Open 'Til 9 o'Clock

### THE COMERS AND GOERS

#### HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST TO YOU AND ME.

##### What Your Friends and Their Friends Have Been Doing the Past Week.

—Eat Sovies Candy.  
Dr. Wilson, Wahl's building.  
L. C. Edwards spent Monday in Humboldt.  
John Wicks of Omaha was a visitor here Sunday.  
Henry Sandrock was a business visitor to Dawson Monday.  
Theodore Weaver was down from Stella on business Friday.  
A baby boy was born to Henry Fehr and wife, Tuesday, March 30.  
Dr. J. L. Gandy of Humboldt was a business visitor here Monday.  
Henry Miller of Elmwood attended the funeral of his brother here Monday.  
Mrs. Nepper spent Sunday in this city the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Sheeley.  
Mrs. Emma Smith arrived from Dallas, Texas, to attend the funeral of her father, Fred Miller.  
—Pure bred six weeks seed potatoes, Long Bros., Reserve, Ks., or W. P. Long, Falls City, Nebraska. 12-2t  
Dr. I. L. Callison of Stella spent Sunday in this city the guest of his sister Mrs. I. M. Houston.  
W. H. Shafer and wife of Beaver City were called here Sunday by the death of the latter's brother, Fred Miller.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Parchen and son Roy spent Tuesday in St. Joe. Mrs. Parchen went to consult Dr. Pitts, an eye specialist.

### LADIES

You are invited to visit R. A. Dittmar's store Saturday forenoon to inspect a complete line of Ladies' and Misses' Suits, Jackets and Long Coats.

Schmelzel tells the anti-saloon voter "I'm a temperance man," while the whiskey paper is trying its best to land its son-in-law as clerk on the whiskey ticket. Young dog Tray is in mighty bad company for a temperance man.  
Dr. Wolfe left Tuesday for the home of his parents in Iowa, to be present at the marriage of a sister. This event took place on Wednesday and the Doctor expects to return Saturday.  
C. E. Nims came down from Humboldt Wednesday, being interested in a case in the district court. He was a pleasant caller at this office and has our thanks for financial favors.  
Rev. Teeter left Wednesday for Hamlin, Kan., where had charge of the funeral services of Mrs. Elias Berkley. She was one of Brown county's pioneers.  
Wilson Korner and wife returned Monday from an extended trip from the south. They had a very enjoyable time and report the weather fine.  
Henry Stander of Humboldt attended the meeting of the county assessors at the court house Tuesday. His wife accompanied him to the city.  
W. A. Whitaker and Mrs. Spencer Foster went to White Cloud to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lila DeRoin at that place yesterday.  
Miss Vergie Mead attended the wedding of Miss Orrie French to Prof. French at Salem, Wednesday.  
Simon Hoffman and Louis Stalder of the west end were in the city Tuesday on business.  
J. G. Whitaker of Kansas City is in the city to attend the funeral of Jule Schoenheit.  
Mrs. Sue Windle of Wankoni has our thanks for cash on subscription.  
A. J. Weaver was a business visitor to St. Joe Tuesday.  
—Fine seed potatoes at C. A. Heck's.

Maust Bros. have a nicely painted ice wagon to start their season's work.  
John Gilligan, Italian, and Peter Kiser, Turk, both of Falls City were doing Hiawatha Monday.—Hiawatha Democrat.  
Mrs. Sarah Marburger returned to Humboldt Thursday after a visit with her sister Mrs. George Schmelzel in this city.  
Miss Pearl Lawrence who closed her school in the country, is one of the new clerks at the Matthews-Little Co. store.  
Miss Pearl Klima, one of our teachers, went to Butte, Mont. this week. James Jacquet is teaching during her absence.  
Mrs. W. R. McFarland and two little daughters, came down from Omaha and are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. R. P. Roberts.  
Rickabaugh & Arnold of Salem are doing a big carpenter business this spring and will be glad to figure with you on any work you may have in their line.  
Mrs. Mary Hlavaty has purchased from the heirs the farm northwest of Humboldt and contemplates moving from Lincoln in a few weeks and will reside on the farm. Her son Dan will assist in the farm work.  
Prof. Harnack's orchestra went to Sabetha last night to play for a commercial club banquet. The members are Wm. Harnack, Leo Zimmerman, George Moll, Karl Phipps and Miss Hazel Kelsey. This orchestra is one of the best in the country, and is often employed at Falls City, Sabetha and other surrounding towns.—Hiawatha Democrat.  
C. E. Yocam of this city has purchased the photograph studios of J. H. Holt of Fairview and has taken charge. Mr. Yocam is a young man of 7 years experience and is very industrious and will doubtless build up an excellent business in Morrill and Fairview. His wife will assist him as soon as her school closes. She is teaching near DuBois.

The Junior class gave an exceptionally good program at the high school Friday morning. Their flag was placed in one corner of the room where the class was seated and each one wore their class colors. The program consisted of a biography of Robert Burns and several of his songs and poems were greatly enjoyed.  
From a moral standpoint we will nearly all agree that the open saloon is not a good thing for any community. Have you, Mr. Reader, a boy or girl you are willing to give to Mr. Whiskey?  
Misses Hannah and Anna Anderson spent a few days at their home in Mason City the latter part of the week, being called there by the serious illness of their father.  
Mrs. Steve Miles and little son and Mrs. Frank left Tuesday for Johnston, Pa., where they will spend some time with relatives.  
Mrs. G. W. Reneker and little daughter Helen spent Sunday at Troy, Kan., at the home of the former's parents, F. S. Page.  
Mrs. Ephraim Withee and son Gene came down from Stella and spent a few days with her parents John Hossack and wife.  
Mrs. Claude Ferges of Humboldt returned home after spending a few days with relatives and friends in this city.  
E. G. Whitford of this city spent a short time in St. Joe and Kansas City on business the latter part of the week.  
Mrs. LeRoy Judd of Dawson, spent a part of this week in the city visiting her daughter, Miss Florence.  
Tom Kean of Dawson and one of the most genial men of that village, was a pleasant caller Tuesday.  
Nellie Weaver of Verdon spent a few days this week with her cousin, Mrs. Jacob Bloom.  
Mrs. Carrie Schaible returned this week from a several weeks stay at Oxford.

E. J. Rickabaugh of Salem is a new subscriber this week.  
—Dr. Amy Lyons, Osteopath, office Wahl building, phone 446.  
Willard Voils and wife of Verdon were in the city shopping Saturday.  
Will Sears and Mrs. Willard Sears left Sunday for Shenandoah to spend a few days.  
Mrs. Jake Schaible and Mrs. Ike Lyons were St. Joe visitors the latter of the week.  
Bart Messler came down from Omaha and spent Sunday with his mother in this city.  
Mrs. George Albright accompanied her daughter Mrs. A. Bentley to Hiawatha, Friday.  
Messdames Frank and James Pecht spent a short time in St. Joe the latter part of the week.  
Mrs. Harry Sears arrived in the city Saturday to help care for her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elva Sears Vincent who is ill at the home of her father, W. Sears.  
Mrs. Charles Davis and Mrs. Robert Schindler of this city returned this week from a few days visit with their sister Mrs. James Stewart at Sabetha, Kan.  
Master Robert McCoy of Hiawatha, a grandson of J. R. Cain of this city, has been very ill for the past few weeks, but at this writing is slowly improving.  
Mrs. Jonn Schulenberg was in the city Saturday. A few days ago she met with a very painful accident. When removing the cover from a can of lye part of the contents went in her eye.  
Mrs. Lawrence Snyder and daughter Nellie who have been visiting Mrs. Frank Gossett at Horton, Kansas, returned home Saturday. They also visited Hiawatha friends on their way home.  
Otto Kotouc, upon the completion of his work as representative will begin the work as assistant cashier of the State Bank of Humboldt, to which position he has recently been called by the board of directors.

If every man who believes the day of the open saloon should end in Falls City will refuse to be side tracked by collateral issues but will vote his principles the day is won. This spring affords the best chance we have ever had to defeat the saloons. Don't throw the chance away!  
There isn't a more tender or helpful woman in sickness or trouble than Mrs. Jos. Kocher. Whenever she leaves town she has gone to look after some sick relatives. She just returned home from Falls City where she cared for her sister.—Hiawatha World.  
The many friends of Irvin Curry in this city will be glad to know that his health is much improved, and he returned to Hiawatha last week and is employed in one of the drug stores at that place.  
Fritz Miller arrived from Missoula, Mont., Monday, being called here by the death of his father, but arrived too late for the funeral.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Ward came down from Tecumseh Saturday being called here by the death of the latter's father, Fred Miller.  
Charles Lyford who has been visiting his brother, V. G. Lyford returned to his home in Chicago the latter part of the week.  
Rev. Teeter was a business visitor to Bethany, Kan., the latter part of the week.  
Mrs. John Oswald went to Stella Monday to spend a few days with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bode came down from Sterling the latter part of the week.  
—Dr. W. E. Lyons, Osteopath, office Wahl building, phone 446.  
J. J. Shrader was down from Verdon on business.  
Dr. Ed. Hays of Dawson was in the city Friday.  
A representative of one of the largest Ladies' and Misses' Suit, Jacket and Coat Houses in the country will be at R. A. Dittmar's store Saturday forenoon, April 3d. Don't fail to see this fine line of goods.