

Happy New Year!

Is the wish of HULST & ADAMS to every one. We take great pleasure in thanking our friends and patrons for the liberal patronage they have extended to us during the past year, and it is with pleasure that we can say (and have our statement verified) if you will visit our store and see for yourselves, that our trade has steadily increased month by month. December was the largest business month we ever had. We have tried hard to serve our customers in the best way possible by giving them the best goods and best service to be had, and at prices that defy competition. The steady increase in our business is very gratifying, because it shows that the people appreciate our efforts.

Our motto for the New Year will be "Prompt and courteous service, nothing but the best goods." Wishing all a happy and prosperous New Year, we remain,

HULST & ADAMS,
11th Street. Tel. No. 26.

STRAWS

Show which way the wind blows...

- STRAW NO. 1.** BLANKE'S COFFEE—The very best to be had in any market and at prices you can not duplicate anywhere.
- STRAW NO. 2.** TEA—In a variety of grades, but all good. Some better than others. Our TEA CUP package has no equal at 50c.
- STRAW NO. 3.** CANNED GOODS—All the different lines of canned goods—Meats, Vegetables, Fruits, etc. The prices are a surprise. But don't think the quality is low because the price is low. For the highest excellence use the Monarch. You will find them all top notch.
- STRAW NO. 4.** DRIED FRUIT—Some very nice goods here, worth considering. We can help you to a very nice variety for the table at low prices.
- STRAW NO. 5.** BREAKFAST FOODS—Fresh and unlimited in variety. OATMEAL rolled Oats and Breakfast Food not excelled. Other varieties are Wheatons, Toasted Wheat Flakes, Shredded Wheat, Milk Flakes, and Raisins & Raisin's Breakfast Foods. Our trade being large, you can always rely on these foods being fresh.

See which way the wind blows at.....

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To your entire satisfaction that it is to your advantage to do your fall and winter trading in Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods and Shoes with us, would you not say:

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Columbus Journal.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1914.

—Dr. Paul, dentist.
—Mielenz for best photos.
—Blanke's Coffee at Gray's.
—Duffy's feed store for all kinds of feed.
—Dr. Neumann, dentist, Thirteenth street.
—Born, Friday evening to Mrs. Bout Spieco, a son.
—Dr. Hans Peterson, physician and surgeon, office Olive street.
—Get ground bone fertilizer for your plants at Duffy's feed store.
—In various parts of Nebraska there was light fall of snow Monday.
—Dr. C. H. Gietzen, dentist, in Barber block, Thirteenth street.
—For fine watch repairing, call on Carl Frommel, 11th St., Columbus, Neb.
—C. A. Sweet has been named by the president for postmaster at Crichton.
—Mrs. Marty, Evans & Geor, office three doors north of Frischoff's store.
—Chicago Inter Ocean and Columbus Journal, one year, in advance \$1.75.
—Orders for feed promptly attended to at Duffy's feed store on west Twelfth street.

—Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvanized steel mill for \$32.00. A. Dunsell & Son.
—Wanted, a good girl to do housework. Inquire of Mrs. Herman P. H. Oehrich.
—H. T. Spoorly has been suffering considerably the last few days from biliousness.

—Did some one remark that Nebraska is having some very fine weather these winter days?

—Dr. McKean's method of making aluminum plates places them on an equality with gold.

—Environment is discovered to be the workshop of heredity and the masterful will.—Frank Haddock.

—Clarence Gerrard is in Lincoln attending the State Irrigation convention, which meets there three days.

—The annex to the east side of the Thurston has been completed and makes a valuable addition to the hotel.

—Dr. N. Newman, the eye specialist, is reported to have recently married a Miss Sadie Hirsch, of Nashville, Tenn.

—Marriage bans were announced in the Catholic church Sunday for Mr. Dennis Sullivan and Miss Alice Quinn.

—A Platte County Medical society has been organized with Dr. H. J. Arnold as president and Dr. B. C. Tiesing as secretary.

—A truly marvelous showing of hats for \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00, that are well worth double the amount, at J. C. Fillman's.

—A Mr. Mullenhoff from near Leigh was here one day last week loading household goods and farm machinery for Oregon.

—Genoa has a new paper, seven columns, and republican in politics, published by C. J. Stockwell. We have not received a copy.

—Dr. Dealster, the eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. Spectacles properly fitted. Berger block. See his advertisement elsewhere.

—Dr. Voss has removed his office to the building which he recently purchased east of Frankfort park, known as the Irrigation office.

—Those burdened with disease, be it real or imaginary, should have the advantage of every known law and beneficial remedy.—William A. Barnes.

—Fred. Gerber has been changed to the U. P. freight depot and is now bill clerk, while Max Elias is chief express agent with John Jaworski as assistant.

—The Bachelor Girls had a Kensington last Wednesday evening, meeting with Miss Segelke. Next Wednesday evening they will meet with Miss Schram.

—Ladies of the Methodist church made \$105 at their supper last Wednesday evening. The coffee used was furnished by the Gray Mercantile Co. free of charge.

—George Hagel has been sick the past week, threatened with typhoid fever. He is now much better. Thos. Scott has charge of the bowling alley during his absence.

—Louis Schroeder was at St. Edward last week with his home-moving apparatus, removing some old wooden buildings to make room for new and more substantial structures.

—Charles Whaley expects during the coming summer to erect a brick business building on the site of his present building for his laundry work. It will be one story with basement.

—Ferd. Hennig will shortly erect a two-story dwelling 30x30 feet on his vacant lot just west of Herman Oehrich's residence on L and Eighth streets. William Roth has the contract.

—Born, Sunday afternoon, to Mrs. John C. Byrnes, a daughter. The mother's life has been despaired of and her friends have little hope of her recovery. The child is healthy and strong.

—Mrs. G. B. Spieco and Miss Kittie Spieco entertained a party of about twenty-five ladies Thursday morning to a bowling contest at the Hagel Alley. Mrs. Snow won the prize for the highest score in four bow.

—Mrs. G. G. Becher gave a bowling party Friday morning in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Adams. About seventeen ladies were present. Mrs. J. J. Sullivan won the prize for the highest score in three games of ten pins.

—L. Hahn will have a sale of cattle, horses, hogs, farm implements, hay, bees, household furnishings, etc. 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, Monday, Feb. 10, at his place six miles south and six miles west of Columbus. See bills for particulars.

—It has been announced that the Union Pacific, during the year 1913, will expend from twenty-five to thirty million dollars in improvements and extensions. It expects to handle a goodly portion of the trade with the Orient.

—F. L. Walker, business manager for Deleber & Brennan, presenting Charles E. Hanford in "The Taming of the Shrew," was in the city Monday in the interest of that company. He opens in the highest terms of the new opera house.



BEAUTIFUL HELEN GRANTLY.

To witness Shakespeare's comedies is to combine amusement with instruction. "The Taming of the Shrew" which is conceded to be the most amusing by far of the lighter works of the great poet will be presented in this city at the North opera house on the evening of January 29, by the well known star Charles B. Hanford and a large and competent supporting company. This promises to be one of the greatest treats of the theatrical season. Entirely new and complete scenery is carried with this production, the attractiveness of which is also enhanced by the beautiful costumes, electrical effects, etc. Mr. Hanford's company is said to be the strongest he has ever associated with. It is headed by Miss Helen Grantly, a beautiful Nebraska girl, whose portraits have caused so many admiring comments from art critics.

—Hagel's alley sports a new cash register.

—Blank farm leases for sale at THE JOURNAL office.

—Dr. L. C. Voss, Homeopathic physician, Columbus, Neb.

—Frank Walker was at Cedar Rapids Friday, making a land deal.

—Dr. C. I. White has removed and is permanently located in the residence of Mrs. Merrill on Fourteenth street.

—Two new dwellings for sale on the installment plan, a bargain for some one. Becher, Hochenbor & Chambers.

—Wm. Schikz makes boots and shoes in the best style, and uses only the very best stock that can be procured in the country.

—Cut price sales. For December, bargains, bargains. Now is your time to save money. E. D. Fitzpatrick, the White Front dry goods store.

—Envelopes with your return card printed on them, for 50 cents a single hundred; for larger quantities, and different grades, call at THE JOURNAL office for prices.

—Dr. Paul, dentist, live nerves removed from aching teeth and filling inserted at one sitting. No extra charge for administering vitalized air for extracting. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

—J. H. Drinnan, notwithstanding that he is somewhat along in years, came to town Monday for the first time on his bicycle. This was his first extended ride, although he had been waddling around for some time at home. "Never too old to learn."

—A large number of grasshoppers are reported on the Laramie plains, the first time they were ever seen in the state in the winter months. It is thought they were brought from the south by high winds, or else the warm weather hatched them out.

—I have just purchased a new typewriter and am now better prepared than ever to do first-class work. I also have a full line of legal blanks and can do your notary work on short notice. When you need anything in my line give me a call. J. M. Curtis.

—L. Hahn has entered into contract with Leopold Jaeggi for the E. 1/2 lot 7, block 58 on Thirteenth street, and will occupy the premises for a bakery. He is an expert in that line, among the first bakers of Columbus, and was employed by Marshall Smith.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF CHARACTER and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established realty business houses of solid financial standing. Salary \$100 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head office. Home and carfare furnished, when necessary. References. Replies self addressed stamped envelopes. Headquarters, 220 Canton Building, Chicago, Ill.

—A ladies' bowling club has been formed to meet at Hagel's Alley each week on Thursday mornings. Mrs. G. B. Spieco was elected president, Miss Zura Moore secretary and Miss Katharine Spieco treasurer. About thirty ladies have joined the club.

—James Hoelick's hardware store at Linwood was burned Friday night, nothing being saved except his books and papers. The loss is \$3,000, insured for \$1,000. Spontaneous combustion in the oil room in the rear of the store is thought to be the cause of the fire.

—Burglars entered the clothing store of F. J. Hart Saturday night, by breaking through a back window, and took several articles of clothing, among them, shoes, overcoat and suits of clothing. No clue to the burglars has been found, although there are suspicions as to the guilty parties.

—V. C. Connelly, who is charged with assault with a razor, upon Andrew Christman at a lively barn night of December 31, at Lindsay, had his preliminary hearing before Justice Hudson Monday. Bond to district court was fixed at \$1,000, in default of which, the accused was returned to jail.

—The manager of the North opera house will invite the members of the Woman's club to visit the new building some day the latter part of the week. This will be an exception to the rule, as but few people in town will have an opportunity of seeing the interior before the opening night, the 29th.

—Now is the time to fertilize your house plants and lawns. At this period of the year they become dormant and tend to wither and die. Assist their vegetation by getting ground bone fertilizer at Duffy's feed store. One of the chief constituents of this fertilizer is ammonia, which is so essential to plant growth.

Be Your Best.
There is no other good rule. It always works out every enviable problem. The multitudes in these times of ours, even in matters of mere physical comfort and enjoyment, owe their opportunities for culture to the co-operation of the many for the mutual benefit of all. This is notably true of our republican form of government; our postal system; our public schools and libraries and many other ways that might be named.

All public utilities originate with private individuals and are virtually for the good of all the people who shall be in a position to be benefited by them.

If all of us had plenty of money we should take stock liberally, donate liberally or patronize as generously as we could, the North opera house project, which is next Wednesday evening for the first time to be completed by a first-class entertainment, which has pleased all kinds of people, in different parts of the country.

Some one, remarked, after listening to Madame Ristori's rendition of a Shakespearean character that the few hours thus occupied were "equivalent to a classical education."

Undoubtedly Shakespeare was the greatest of all dramatists. "His mind," as the eloquent Ingersoll said, "was an intellectual ocean, whose waves touched all the shores of thought."

In the comedy to be given next Wednesday evening, as rendered by Mr. Hanford, Miss Grantly and their assistants, the master mind of the post-artist is plainly visible, and his spirit strongly felt; this is the greatest reason why all who conveniently can, should hear and see the "Taming of the Shrew."

Among the minor considerations, however, may be named these facts in brief: in round numbers, the cost of the North opera house will be \$25,000, and it would seem that the full money's worth is there; the heating is all that can be desired; there are 350 incandescent lights; the chairs are of the best, and there are 1256 of them; the stage is 34x66—the drop curtain 24x34 feet, the scenery superb, and made so as to rise and fall, the space between the floor of the stage and the ceiling being 60 feet; the dressing-rooms are underneath the stage; there is a special place, with all good facilities, for the orchestra; the seats rise, amphitheatrical like, so that the stage and the actors are in plain view of every one of the audience.

No city of like size in all the United States, that we know of, excels this house in some important particulars.

Columbus can well accommodate the better troops which entertain.

Columbus, centrally situated for the greater portion of the state, can now say "Come and see us" on other conventions.

Our own local gatherings on important occasions can all be accommodated beyond just complaint by any one.

The gentlemen who have invested their money as stock, or who have donated outright of their money, or given of their time and earnest endeavors to inaugurate this enterprise well deserve the best we can do, in helping to make not only the opening, but the entire life of the North opera house, a decided success.

Sheriff Ash made a daring catch of an alleged horse thief Tuesday. The man, who gave his name as J. Friel, had hired a team from a ranch in Garfield county, but instead of returning the team as promised he hit for pastures new.

The owner of the team got on his trail, and followed him for three days and two nights. Tuesday morning he came to Sheriff Ash for assistance. He struck the man's trail at Clark, and came in sight of him near Haven. Then followed an exciting race of about three miles. Jack finally overtaking and capturing his man who was turned over to the men from Garfield county. He acknowledged that he was the man wanted and that the team was not his.—Silver Creek Times.

There will be a special meeting of the Woman's club held at the call of the board of directors at the home of Mrs. Gerrard, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, for the election of chairman of the various committees for the State Federation that convenes in our city next October. They also wish to call attention to Article VII in the "By Laws" of the constitution which reads as follows: Article VII "Any woman not having paid her dues by the middle of the year shall not be entitled to take part in the election of officers, nor her name be entered on the year book. The fee shall be \$1.00 for the year, payable at the first general meeting."—Mrs. H. B. Muser, Cor. Sec'y.

This Tuesday morning, the following brethren went by way of the Union Pacific, to Nebraska City, where will be held the Twentieth Annual convention of the Nebraska State Volunteer Firemen, January 21, 22 and 23. A ride around the city, a ball and a banquet will be part of the program, and no doubt our delegates will be well pleased with their trip: Sam Gam, jr., Chief of Department; Herman Kasmann, Hook and Ladder Co.; Harry Lawrence, Hose Co. 1 and 2; Will Latham, W. Y. Bissell Hose Co. and Bert Galley, ex-chief of the department, the last of whom is on the program for a paper upon the subject, "How Fire Departments can keep a full treasury."

Mark Burke and Miss Nellie Deenen were married this Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock in the Catholic church. Miss Katharine Linnaman of Omaha and Mr. J. M. Deenen accompanying the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Burke left on the afternoon train for a two weeks' visit at Chicago, after which they will begin house-keeping in rooms above Hulst & Adams. Mr. Burke is an employe of the Union Pacific company and Miss Deenen is one of Platte county's best girls who will be a model home-maker. The worthy couple have the best wishes of their legion of friends.

John Metzger was down to Columbus last week and while there called on his old friend Edgar Howard editor of the Columbus Telegram. Mr. Metzger says that Howard is very enthusiastic over nomination of Senator Hill for president in 1916, and tried to persuade Mr. Metzger into his way of thinking. Mr. Metzger is an old line democrat, but did not take him very long to explain to the editor of the Telegram that he would not support Hill, and there are others.—Leigh Block.

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New Store,
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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1

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It has been especially selected with a view to the needs of our prospective customers. The goods are all new and fresh. They have been bought by us in quantities, at favorable prices, which fact we purpose shall be of benefit to our customers.

A very cordial invitation is extended to the people of Columbus and vicinity to call and see us in our new store.

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A fine, drop head Oak Machine, with all the latest improvements, warranted for 10 years. Introductory price, only \$15.00.

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We are delivering Pa. Hard Coal—either Scranton or Lehigh for \$10.50 per ton.

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School officers will find in the above list the best and strongest heating coal in the world.

C. A. SPEICE.

Personal Mention.

Walter Henry of Hollwood was in the city Monday.

E. Pilling of Creton was the guest of Carl Reinke last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bey Martyn came down from Humphrey Monday.

Joe Becher came down from Sioux City Sunday to visit relatives.

Miss Metta Hensley came home sick Friday from her school ten miles north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wideman of Norfolk were taking in the sights of Columbus on Friday.

Paul Gerlach and family of Monroe township spent Sunday with the von Bergen family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nichols are visiting friends in South Omaha, expecting to be gone two weeks.

Editor Burruss of the Argus was in Lincoln and Omaha respectively Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Breed went last Wednesday to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to visit her father and sister; the former is 85 years old.

Frank Galbraith of Albion was in the city Saturday. Notwithstanding his lost right arm, Mr. Galbraith looks cheerful and hearty.

John Moffett of Platte Center was a Columbus visitor Saturday, and looked in on the North opera house, where the final touches are being made.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Davis expect to start on the 29th for an extended trip to southern states. Mrs. Davis will remain several months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Adams of Omaha came up to spend a few days with Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Becher. Mr. Adams returned Monday and Mrs. Adams will remain a few days.

Messrs. G. Anderson of White Water, Wis., and P. A. Anderson of Ft. Collins, Colo., brothers of A. Anderson of the city, were visiting their brother last week, the former returning home Sunday and the latter on Friday.

Amusement and Instruction.

All the reports that have reached this city regarding Charles B. Hanford's revival of "The Taming of the Shrew" are of a most favorable character. The star and the play are both said to have scored a distinct success and the audience witnessing them have been limited only by the capacity of the theatre. The demand for seats already in this city indicates that an overflowing house will greet Mr. Hanford and his associates when they appear at the North opera house on the evening of January 29. The revival is said to be handsomely mounted and costumed while the supporting company is the strongest that has ever been associated with Mr. Hanford. The company is headed by Helen Grantly, a beautiful Nebraska girl, concerning whose beauty and talent so much has been written lately. Her portrait was selected by the photographer convention in London as an ideal type of Grecian beauty. As a result her photographs have been sold extensively on both sides of the Atlantic. She will play the role of Katherine in Mr. Hanford's revival. The rest of the company include Marie Drofnah, Emma Hayes, William J. Shaw, Irving Knight, Stuart Beese, P. A. Hanbury, Harold Fiske, Paul Anderson, R. O. Meesech, L. W. Browning and John C. Davis.

OSTEOPATHY.

DR. G. T. MEEKS' graduate under founder Dr. A. T. Still, and American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. Take this opportunity to learn Nature's way of curing disease other than artificial treatments (a science). Learn about Osteopathy and its principles from the Osteopath, not at second hand. Make this one thing to do today, not tomorrow. Chronic diseases a specialty. Literature free. Consultation free. Office door west of Methodist church.

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