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THE ZUNDER BROS., entire stock of shoes and rubbers. I bought it at 37c on the dollar of first cost, and will sell it out for 47c on the dollar of what it cost Zunder Bros. Which will give you good shoes at a less price than ever offered before in this city. I also bought the W. E. Hogin stock of Lincoln. Store only started three months ago. Two large stocks in one room, opened on same day. They invoiced \$59,874. No shoddy goods; no fake sale. Zunders failed--YOU KNOW THEY DID. The stock is the BEST in Omaha and YOU KNOW IT IS.

To the Ladies of Omaha and Douglas County, one word: You MUST have shoes. You can't miss it if you attend this sale. We expect to continue this sale until all goods are sold. We advertise nothing we have not got. Everything as advertised and a great deal more. We give you below a few pointers of what we have and what you may expect.

1000 pairs Ladies' fine Dongola Shoes pat. tip, button and lace. Zunder's price \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Yours for 87c and 90c choice. **\$1.24 PAIR.**

3000 pairs Men's Wool Alaskan and Overshoes, Zunder's price 75c and \$1, your choice. **25 CENTS PAIR.**

275 pairs Men's heavy working Shoes, Zunder's price \$1.50 a pair, our price. **69 CENTS PAIR.**

3284 pair Ladies' French Kid and Dongola, patent tip and plain toe, French heels and low heels, cloth and kid top, button and lace, every pair a bargain. Nothing like them ever seen before in Omaha. Zunder price \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5; your choice on table sizes 2 1/2 to 7, widths A to E. **\$1.98 PAIR.**

145 pair Ladies' French Kid button Shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 4, Zunder Bros. sold them at \$7; they are put on tables in this sale at. **\$1.98 PAIR.**

20,000 pairs Misses' and Children's Rubbers; we sell 1,000 pair a day only. **5 CENTS PAIR.**

915 pairs Men's French calf congress, bals and button, opera and square toe, in odd lots, all sizes, and in widths A to E; Zunder's price on these shoes was \$5.50, \$6 and \$7; there is some of the best known makes in this lot; they are stacked on tables and sold at your choice for. **\$1.98 PAIR.**

All of Zunder Bros.' odds and ends shoe stock, any pair on the rack, there is several hundred pair. **15 CENTS PAIR.**

Shoe Dressing, Lustré, Gift Edge, Alma, Glycolite, any of these make one bottle to a customer. **10 CENTS BOTTLE.**

Our line of Boys' and Youths' Shoes is complete. Dugan & Hudson make, Chas. Newell make. Zunder's prices \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50. We will sell them from 98c to \$1.69 a pair. Mothers, see them.

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1800 pairs Women's and Misses' glove and calf grain shoes; the line is complete. You can buy a pair from 59c to \$1.47. Come in and see.

Ladies, here is what you have never had offered you before--1,873 pair fine dongola and French kid in hand turns and welts, patent tip and heel faking, cloth and kid tops, lace and button, such makes as Brooks, Brod and Armstrong's Rochester shoes, Burt's shoes, Weight & Putz's Dodge Bros., Wm. Naylor's Rochester make, Zunder Bros. made these shoes at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$6.00. Our price is **\$2.98 PAIR.** Sizes 2 1/2 to 6. Widths A to E.

1,200 pair baby shoes, size 6 to 8, turn shoes, sold everywhere at \$1.00, choice TUESDAY. **29 CENTS.**

900 pair children's grain shoes, all sizes, Zunder's price \$1.25. Our price. **39 CENTS.**

See our misses' school shoes, former price \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00. Choice this sale. **99 CENTS.**

Men's slippers, plush and leather beauties. Zunder's price \$1.25, \$1.50. Choice. **55 CENTS.**

Ladies, there are 815 pairs of fine bronze French kid, patent leather, ooze calf, all colors and styles, all sizes and kinds, slippers that sold as high as \$8.00. Nothing finer made; we give your choice **98c** a pair to **\$2.97**. Ask to see them. They are too fine to stack on tables.

1,500 pair slippers, buckskins and old ladies' lace and congress. The price is just 1-3 of what you have been paying.

If you think we are liars come and see. You don't have to buy, but we want you to be here. You will buy if you see the prices.

NOW TAKE ADVANTAGE
Of this sale, and shoe your family for a year AHEAD.
No one who wears shoes can Afford to Miss This OPPORTUNITY.
There Never Was Such a STOCK OF FINE GOODS AND THE BEST OF MAKES OFFERED.
At such prices as we can sell them at.
THE RICH AS WELL AS THE POOR CAN AFFORD TO WAIT.
Don't be deceived but come and see for yourself.
LET YOUR EYES BE YOUR JUDGE.

10,000 pair women's rubbers, Zunder's price 25c and 35c. Choice. **10 CENTS PAIR.**

1,500 pairs men's buckle arreties, Zunder's price \$1.50. Our price. **65 CENTS PAIR.**

1,000 pairs ladies' felt shoes, made by Tibbitts, every pair a bargain. SEE THE PRICE ON THEM.

See our line men's shoes, Zunder sold them at \$2.50 and \$3.00. Our Price **\$1.47 PAIR.**

1,270 pair men's fine French calf and cowhide shoes, Paris, Globe and French toes, a complete line, all sizes and widths. This shoe is very cheap at double our price. Zunder Bros sold them at \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00. We invite you to inspect this stock and prices. Any pair in this line while they last at. **\$2.95 PAIR.**

1,100 pair men's shoes, Zunder's price \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. You never heard of such a price. **\$1.24 PAIR.**

All of Zunder Bros.' Xmas souvenir cards given away on opening day. They are beauties.

3,000 pair of odd pairs and different kinds, price to suit the customer. COME SEE THEM.

A full line of men's shoes --Burt & Packard--hand well. Zunder's price \$1.75, \$5.50, \$6.00. **OUR PRICE \$2.60**

We open rain or shine, no postponement. Be there early. Don't get the wrong place, **Zunder Bros. Old Stand, 1520 Douglas Street.** Doors open at 9 o'clock **TUESDAY, JAN. 3** **W. C. SMITH.**

SPORTY HOLIDAY READING

The Coney Island Throws a Boomerang and Gets Hit in the Neck.

ACTIVITY IN SPORTSMEN'S CIRCLES.

Chit-Chat of the Track and Stable--Race Ball Paragraphs--The Festive Wheelmen and Questions Answered.

ARE days are here, indeed, for the short-haired fraternity. Just think of it, the eastern sportsmen are now denouncing the 45,000 purse hung up and taken down by the Coney Island Club for his own between the English and American lightweights, Dick Burge and Jack McAuliffe, as a stupendous fake. They declare that the offer was never legitimate and that the Coney Island people and McAuliffe understood the play from its inception. Just what the object was, unless it was to entrap the New Orleans club into the offering of another ruinous price for the fight, would be hard to tell. If this was the idea, it failed most lamentably and the New York pugilistic circles, notably P. J. Donohue, occupy an unenviable and ridiculous position. They had trained their batteries on the Louisiana city and began his if resolved. The fact, however, was out of the fighting realm, but their big guns were all aimed, and just now New Orleans stands, sea, even lower, over the Coney Island map like a giant Ark of the woods over a hazel patch.

You haven't heard of the Crescent City club weakening on its \$40,000 purse for Hill and Fitzsimmons, have you? Instead, they are quietly yet vigorously and systematically pursuing the even tenor of their way, and will sacrifice the fight, but they will not concede to a successful issue. Of course, it is all a mistake on their part, and calculated in the long run to prove disastrous to the game generally. I hope, however, they will be able to pull this great contest off successfully, if for no other reason than to make the Coney Island map shot artists more ridiculous than ever.

The little whirlwind set in motion by Sullivan's declaration that he was done at New Orleans last September has about subsided, and all is lovely again in the exclusive circle that enshrines the champion and the ex-champion. The dust, however, was exceedingly vehement while it lasted, and while it has left the mystery that has always surrounded the great fight, as Stygian as ever, it has strengthened the belief in many minds that all was not just as it should have been on that momentous autumn evening.

Joe Goddard still insists that Jim Corbett could not phase him in a month with his scientific love lugs, and that he can whip him easily if the champion will only be so kind as to step in the ring with him. That the Australian speaks more in truth than jest is patent, to a large number of people competent of forming an opinion, despite the frantic assertions of a half-dozen of Jim's self-appointed guardians that he would cut the big antelope into ribbons. They also claim that Goddard has no moral to challenge Corbett, but on just what ground or equitable grounds, they base such a fantastic claim, would be hard to tell.

It is any man's privilege to challenge Corbett. By what right does he occupy the exalted position that exempts him from the overtures of his kind. What he is allowed to select the man he fights, and name the stakes, place and date to meet. The latter I will concede to him, but not the former. Goddard has just as much right to go after

Jim, as Jim has to give poor old John Sullivan another chance.

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By the way, we are to have a 140-pound contest ourselves one week from next Thursday night, and it ought to be a hummer. The contestants are a few more days in California, Newark, N. J., and Jack Gorman, formerly of San Francisco, now of Gothenburg, this state, for a contest at that weight. It will be with the biggest gloves of a size, as the club is determined under no circumstances to overstep the confines of the law in these exhibitions. McElroy is a likely appearing young fellow, while Gorman is an old ringster.

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Neavy, Omaha, Froeman (4), black gelding, by Cruiser (son of Chatham) dam Nellie K (dam of Red Star) by Peter, 2:27 1/2, sired by Black Ranger 3124 (sire of Elmwood Chief, 2:18 1/2, etc.) g. d., Nellie Norris, by Kansas.

George M. Swigart, the well known starter of this city, is endeavoring to bring about a much needed change in trotting rules in regard to the ever-disputing and wearisome scoring. Mr. Swigart is emphatic on the point that there is too much scoring, and advocates a radical and speedy change. He says in his judgment four scorers are equal to a strong one, and possibly it would be a grand thing if the horses could be sent off at the first trial. This would surely be a great thing for the spectators, and the horses as well. As a suggestion to the American and National associations, Mr. Swigart thinks that a rule providing for three or four scorers, always protecting the pole horse, would remedy the matter satisfactorily. Another idea of the gentleman's is--and it is a good one, too--the five heats are enough for any race. If there is no winner in that number, the summary is to establish the standing of the contestants and how the money shall go.

At the Trap and in the Field. Frank Parmelee is shooting quail down in Kansas.

Rinehart, the photographer, is cutting live birds down like a veteran.

J. C. Read, the man who shot Captain Anson a match in Chicago recently, is owned by A. H. Hastings, and has only shot at the trap once.

Charlie Budd intends making his appearance in the spring ready for the state's many live pigeon champions, but says he does not intend to travel or go into practice for a measly \$250 or \$300 match.

Harvey McMurphy of the Hunter Arms company is building a trap. Smith ejector, hammerless gun for Billy Nason. It will be here the latter part of January. He says his company can build a gun as good as a Glover's in this city when it comes.

There will be a live bird and target shoot on the grounds of the Bemis Park Gun club all day next Monday (New Year's). The new Kings live bird traps will be used for the first time. This trap is the best in the country, and is used in all the big matches in the east.

When in Chicago in November Frank Parmelee made Elliot, Fulford, the Kildie, men, and the whole crowd lay down. He offered to shoot any or all of these for \$100 a side, any kind of a match and at any time, either in Chicago or Omaha, with no takers. He will get his foot in it yet.

Buffalo Jones, Blundy Clark and Henry Dean killed a live pronged buck on the island above the water works power house last Saturday. Henry Dean is the great deer hunter of the Florence brush. He knows every hill valley and back from Florence to Calhoun and is an excellent rifle shot.

Next to Frank Parmelee Goodly Brucher is undoubtedly the best live bird shot in the state. He has missed fewer live birds for the past two years than anybody and has attended nearly all live bird shoots. He does as much but is in first money nearly all the time. Some time ago he went against him for a match some day and struck a stone wall.

American gun manufacturers can undoubtedly make as good a gun as the English if they try, but heretofore they have catered more to the hunting and field trap than to the trap. The game is getting scarce and trap shooting is increasing and most all manufacturers are putting in new machinery for the manufacturing of trap guns. There will be a great improvement in next year's output.

There are on record two authentic scores of 100 straight kills and breaks. A. H. Hande of Wisconsin is steadily increasing his membership. Four new members last week, which pulls the total up to 213. Now is the time to join if you intend to become a member. Hand in your name to the secretary, treasurer at once.

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