# HUNTER'S Closing Out Sale

Extra Special for Saturday Dec. 15th,

## BOY'S CLOTHING

AT 50c ON THE DOLLAR

Saturday at 10 o'clock we will place on sale our entire line of boy's clothing, suits in ages from 5 to 10 years, and from 14 to 20 years of age, AT JUST HALF PRICE.

This is but a single item of the unlimited number of money-saving opportunities of the GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE AT HUNTER'S.

Come yourself and bring your friends,

## A. E. Hunter Company

33 and 35 Pearl, 32 and 34 Main COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

## COUNCIL BLUFFS

Councilmen Make a Trip of Inspection to proved in about three days, but that it Cmaha Electric Plant.

All Night if Out in Evening Meets With Opposition from Pofice and Others,

lighting situation and wound up by arrivnothing but await the completion of repairs at the Omaha plant.

Councilmen Younkerman and Maloney for the fire and light committee reported that they had visited the electric light plant in Omaha yesterday morning in company with City Electrician Bradley, and as a result of their investigations they felt certain that the lighting company was doing all it

SATURDAY SPECIALS

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### BROWN'S C. O. D. MARKET

128 WEST BROADWAY. TELEPHONE 65.

Fresh Dressed Spring Chickens. Sirloin Steak, 1b.....10c Porterhouse Steak, 1b...10c Round Steak, 1b.....

Best Rib Boiling Beef, 1b......4C Best Pot Roast Beef, 1b......5c-6c

Home-made Pure Pork Sausage, Ib..... 10c We make a pure Pork Sausage to comply with the pure food law. We

Veal Stew, per pound.....

Chickens, 10c

also do not use any preservatives.

NO HOPE FOR MORE LIGHT could under the direumstances to furnish this city with lights. They stated that Manager Holdrege had assured them that conditions would be materially imwould be two weeks at least before the plant would be in full running order again. and Electric company explained the situ-

much of the present limited power. ing at the conclusion that it could do give the city more street lights. This, practicable at this season of the year, as the stores were kept open evenings on account of the Christmas trade.

that the commercial lighting absorbed so

Councilman Fleming suggested that if the city could do without the street arc lights in the fore part of the night, it ould do without them for the rest of the ight, and he thought it would be just as

well until the company was prepared to resume its regular service not to have the lights turned on at all. Such a move, it was suggested, might not meet with favor by the police department, and the committee on fire and light was instructed to confer with the police department and ascertain if its work would be hampered by the lights not being turned on until the regular service was resumed. The committee is to report back at the meeting of the city council next Monday night. Council Fleming's plan, if carried out, will meet with much objection is certain. as the general opinion seems to be that a half loaf is better than no bread at all, and that street lights for part of the night would be far better than no lights at all.

Need any window shades to keep the bright sunlight out when the snow comes? Better see us. We've got the best at prices too reasonable to mention. Stockert Carpet company.

MAKE THE OLD HOME MERRY WITH FEW BOTTLES OF JARVIS WINES OR WHISKIES.

Retailers to Attend Convention. to attend the annual meeting of the state commenced in district court yesterday, asociation in Des Moines, February 18, 19

cial train may be chartered.

delegates to the state meeting, and John T. Mulqueen was appointed delegate to the

artist, will be at W. S. Hewetson's art store Monday, December 17, and will give Mount Vesuvius and the Bay of Naples, scene 1, Break of Day; scene 2, Sunset on the Bay; scene 3, Moonlight; scene 4, Eruptreat and will be free to all. Omaha cus-

to enter the business world you must have an up-to-date business education, the old

Mooney and Parker fountain pens at 20 per cent discount, to close out the line. Our specialty is the genuine Waterman's fountain pen-they make fine gifts. LEFFERTS, Reliable Jewelers.

OLD CROW, TAYLOR, MELLWOOD, ANDERSON, GORDON RYE, GUCKEN-JARVIS STORE.

Go for you holiday wines, liquors and cordials to L. Rosenfeldt, 519 S. Main. Phone 228.

BURGER AWARDED FIVE THOUSAND

Adair Man Wins Damage Suit Against Street Railway.

The district court jury in the persona injury damage suit of John Burger of Adair, Ia., against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Company vesterday brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$5,000. Burger claimed to have been njured while boarding a car at the shooting park station, just east of the bridge. He sued for \$20,000.

Before his election to the office of city solicitor, Attorney C. F. Kimball prosecuted a suit for Councilman Knudsen against the city and secured a verdict in basement of his grocery store on South Main street, due to a defective fire hydrant. Now he is called upon to defend the city in an exactly similar suit in which Julius At the regular meeting of the Council Katelman is plaintiff. Katelman asks \$1,400 Bluff's Retail Grocers' and Butchers' as- damages for the flooding of his basement sociation Thursday night, it was decided on South Main street, and the trial was

Harry V. Jefferis, & farmer near Honey and 20 in a body. The association will Creek, filed suit yesterday against the charter a special car for the trip and it is Chicago & Northwestern railroad in which possible that if arrangements can be made he asks damages in the amount of \$1,160 for the alleged flooding of his land and destruction of crops by reason of an obstruction which the railroad is alleged to have placed across the Boyer river and channel of Honey Creek lake. This obstruction, it is alleged, formed a dam and caused the water to overflow onto the plaintiff's land. Mrs. Eligabeth Flower has brought suit against the Continental Casualty company of Chicago to recover \$1,000, the amount of an accident insurance policy carried by her son, Robert C. Flower, who was killed by a Great Western train in this city on

August 30 last. Elizabeth A. Dwier began suit for dicorce from Thornton C. Dwier, to whom she was married November 21, 1896. She charges her busband with making an April fool of her by deserting her on April i

of the following year. Judge Green yesterday overruled tha otion of the defense for the removal to the United States court of the suit of C. A. Flower, administrator of the estate of his deceased son, Robert Flower, against the Great Western rallroad.

Ebony Goods, Big line of ebony toilet articles, in brushes, combs, mirrors, etc. Fine gifts for the men, at

LEFFERTS, Reliable Jowelers. JARVIE' MEDICINAL LIQUORS REC-OMMENDED BY ALL DOCTORS AND DEALERS. 25 MAIN ST.

Ovide Vieh, unsuccessful candidate for ustice of the peace at the recent election, us begun injunction proceedings against he Blue Sibbon and Krug saloons on Broadway, Notices of suit were served esterday or the proprietors of the sulcons. their bondsreen and owners of the build-

### Grocery Fire Sale

Canned Corn, per
dozen cans35¢
Home-made Jellies,
per glass
Sour Pickles,
per gallon15¢
10 pounds Rice 25¢
7 pounds Lima Beans. 25¢
Unground Pepper,
per pound10¢
Cream of Wheat,
Cream of Wheat, 4 packages25¢
Yeast Foam, per
package 2½¢
Sapolio, 10c size5¢
Olives, per bottle5¢
Bottled Pickles5¢
Cocoanut, per package. 5¢
Good Baking Powder,
25c size10¢
Chewing Tobacco,
per pound25¢
Duke's Mixture, 2 for 5¢
Any 10c package Starch
Starch 5¢
Uncolored Japan
Tea, per pound15¢
Tooth Picks, per
package 2¢
Best Cider Vinegar,
per gallon15¢
A large stock of other

goods at your own price. P. Friedman,

Mr. Vien stated, was because the proprietors of the two saloons in question continued to sell a certain man liquor after he had warned them not to do so. He said that application would be made for both temporary and permanent injunctions.

A. Metzgar & Co. New Location of Wholesale Bakery, 516 Mynster Street, Council Bluffs, In. Home-made Bread a Specialty. Visitors Welcome,

elebrated artist, F. P. Frisch, famous for ies were fully recognized here by many, Artist like, he gave up another engage ment and will give an exhibition and take the Boston terrier painted, or the thorough-Masonic Temple, Council Bluffs.

Here are many articles, any of which is a fine suggestion for a Christmas present, and all at prices that demand your attention if you are interested, and every article a reason for your visiting our store Fountain pens, watches, chains, fobs, harms, brooches, necklaces, rings, cuff HEIMER RYE, AND MANY OTHER links, scarf pins, bracelets, clocks, cut BOTTLED IN BOND WHISKIES AT THE glass, china hand-painted plates, umbrellas, collet sets, jewel boxes, allverware. O. MAUTHE, 228 West Broadway.

> Special prices on our entire stock of electroliers and reading lamps. Come and see them.

LEFFERTS, Reliable Jewelers. OLD SANTA CLAUS IS WISE-TAKES BOTTLE OF BONDED JARVIS WHISKY. MEMORIAL FOR GEORGE F. WRIGHT

Bar Association to Hold Meeting Tuesday Afternoon. At the meeting of the Pottawattamie

County Bar association yesterday afternoon, it was decided to hold a memorial for the late Hon. George F. Wright next Puesday afternoon, at the county court The exercises will be public and all friends and professional and business associates of the late attorney are invited to attend. Invitations will be sent to all the sum of \$700 for the flooding of the the leading members of the bar in this section of the state. C. M. Hari, Jacob Sims and W. H. Kill-

pack were appointed a committee to draft





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Bluffs for

We sell their patent leather shoes for \$5 and their dull leathers for \$4, which is less than you sually pay for them.

### ON XMAS GIFTS AT LEFFERT'S

As the holiday buying time is getting short we will make especially low prices, commencing today, on solid gold rings, bracelets, brooches, chains, fobs, charms, cuff links, scarf pins, etc., and sterling silver toilet articles and novelties. Leather hand bags.

## SPECIALLY LOW

All our Norse Pottery Teko Ware. One-third off on all our Gold Glass. Electric Reading Lamps at lowest prices in the city. Hawkes' Cut Glass, the finest glass made, at especially low prices. Brass Art Goods just received at very reasonable prices. Remember we will give money saving prices on our entire stock from today until Christmas day.

Open Evenings DIJIDRIS

sented at the meeting Tuesday afternoon.

ered of record. The members of the association will as

emble Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Grand hotel and from there proceed in body to the Wright residence on South Sixth street, to attend the funeral services.

Big line Red Men buttons, Eagles, Elks, Masons, railroad fraternities, every order that has an emblem is represented in our large line of pins, charms and rings, LEFFERTS, Reliable Jewelers.

Combination gas and electric chandellers and the celebrated Welsbach incandescent. buy. We can certainly please you on price bred horse, see him at W. S. Hewetson's, and quality of goods. Stephan Bros., 529 West Broadway.

OUR STORE IS KNOWN AS THE BUSY SHOE STORE. OUR SHOES AND PRICES ARE TO BLAME FOR IT. S. A. PIERCE & CO., CORNER BROADWAY AND MAIN STS.

FINE XMAS PRESENT, COST SMALL-CASE JARVIS OLD WINES FOR OLD FOLKS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs. Stockert sells carpets. Fine engravings at Leffert's. Ed Rogers' Tony Faust beer. See Borwick for Xmas goods.

Plumbing and heating, Rixby & Son. Lewis Cutler, funeral director, 'phone 97. Woodring Undertaking company. Tel. S33. CIGAR BANDS AND DISHES AT LEXANDER'S, 338 B'WAY. DIAMONDS AS AN INVESTMENT,
TALK TO LEFFERT ABOUT IT.
St. Paul's church bazar, 37 Pearl and 38
Main Sts., December 12, 13 and 14
Want a pair of slippers? Go to S. A.
Pierce & Co.'s. Broadway and Main streets.
MANTLES IN CENTS. DEST. 44 NO. 19 MANTLES, 10 CENTS. BEST MENT TOWN FOR THE PRICE.

All sizes of storm doors, storm such, storm windows and westner strips at Geo. Hongland's. Men's feit lined overshoes, \$1,50. Men's

Boston pure gum overshoes, \$1.50. Duncan & Dean, 23 S. Main. ONLY WHOLESALE FAMILY LIQUOR FORE IN COUNCIL BLUFFS-NO BAR T THE JARVIS STORE.

A beautiful and ornamental gas burner, the Welsbach chick lamp, complete, \$1.25 Stephan Bros., 529 West Broadway. Stephan Bros. 529 West Broadway.

No sensible business man can afford to do anything but play square. Send on your lumber bill. C. Hafer, Council Bluffs.

The new eastern styles for 1897 have just arrived. If you want to look over something nobby call around at Van-Brunt's. It will pay you to come early.

High grade granite work, from the best Excelling Manonic lodge will hold a sec-Excelsior Masonic lodge will hold a spe-cial meeting this evening for work in the

Dr. F. B. Smith of Chicago is the guest of his brother, Dr. O. O. Smith, pastor of the First Congregational church. A marriage license was issued yesterday to John H. Dimmett, aged 31, and Martha Annetta Clark, aged 36, both of Chicago. Barre imported granites, lettering, carving and tracing. Fine monumental work a specialty. Sheeley & Lane, 217 East Broad-BUT THE BEST IS NOT TOO GOOD OR YOU, TRY JARVIS FOR WINES, HANDY AND WHISKY.

Before buying a suit or overcoat it will ay you to see E. S. Hicks. Good suits rom \$55.00 to \$55.00. Pants, \$6.00 to \$10.00. Perrything first-class. E. S. Hicks, 13 Pearl tree! Globe Wernicke elastic bookcase makes

ideal present; a gift of a few sections; inexpensive and is the beginning for a rary, whose growth is unlimited. Kel-r-Farnsworth Fur Co.

7. L. Gleason took out a building perty yesterday for extensive repairs and terations on his property at il South aim street.

Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Albro and daughter are the guests of friends in this city. Mr. Aibro was chief of police under Mayor Jennings. He is at present residing at Alliance, Neb.

The hearing of Joe Scott, charged with assaulting his wife with intent to kill her Thursday night, was continued in police court vesterday until this morning. He was released on a \$50 bond.

I am in the market to buy 560 tons of machinesy iron, 30 tons stoys iron, 20 tons of rubber and 20 tons copper and brase. Write for prices before you sell. J. Katelman, 50 S. Main St. Both phones \$50.

PAUL SAID. "A LITTLE OLD WINE

PAUL SAID. "A LITTLE OLD WINE FOR THY STOMACH'S SAKE," BO SAYS JARVIS.

High art pastels, the finest water color pictures in the city. One of these pictures will make an ideal as well as lasting Xmas present. Come and see our new Xmas stock of pictures. H. Borwick, 211 So. Main The bearing of Henry Watkins, the colored parter charged with the theft of a from one of the offices in the Metcalfe

building was continued in police court until this morning. His bond was placed at \$150, which he was unable to furnish.

You want your money's worth when you buy groceries and meats. In other words, you want just what you pay for, good meats and groceries. Buy at the Central grocery and meat market and you will get that what you corfer. Both phones No. 24.

It will not cost you any more to have your Kmas trees mounted on a nice to set up in your home. We have grocery and meat market and you will get that what you corfer. Both phones No. 24.

WHAT YOU WANT AND YOU'LL GET JUST THE CIGAR TO SUIT THE TASTE. NO CHARGE-WE PACK AND SHIP TO ANY UNITED STATES ADDRESS CASE JARVIS LIQUORS.

W. S. Hewetson, pictures and framing. Will place on sale some of the latest and best pictures each day from now to Xmas. See his Broadway window for the specials. Note the address, Masonic Temple, Broadway, Council Bluffs.

The street railway company has complained to Rev. Henry DeLong, probation officer of the juvenile court, about boys jumping on and off moving cars, with a request that he warn the youngsters unless they discontinue the practice they will be prosecuted.

manager of the Sterling Manufacturing company of Sterling. Ill., is in the city on account of the company's loss by the fire which destroyed the Union Transfer company building last Tuesday night. The company's loss, Mr. Davis states, is fully covered by insurance.

Oak Leaf camp, Royal Neighbors of America, has elected these officers: Oracle, Laura Marble: vice oracle, Laura Overmyer; chancellor, Belle LeBaugh; recorder, Mary E. Ingalls; receiver, Jane Marie Colgan; marshal, Effle Perriter; assistant marshal, Mary Tracey; inner sentinel, Minnis Fries; outer sentinel, Margaret Carroll; manager, A. C. Ward; physician, W. E. Reller; musician, Cecil Ferriter.

Articles of incorporation of the Iowa Se-

Articles of incorporation of the Iowa Security company were filed for record yesterday. The incorporators are: D. Mann, C. M. Atherton, Victor E. Bender, C. D. Butterfield, F. J. Day, W. B. Oaks, F. J. Bole. The capital stock is placed at \$100,000, but the company may commence business as soon at \$1,000 is paid up. The articles recite that the business of the company is the establishing of general insurance agencies, buying and selling real

a new kind known as the Gano. They are something similar to the Jonathans; fine flavor and color. Our mince meat is always good. Then we have oranges, grapes and banamas. Do not forget that we will have turkeys, ducks, greese and chickens. When you buy them from us you will always get them fresh. Bartel & Miller. Tel. 358.

### The Western Mutual Life insurance co.

Now being organized in Council Blugs will-have its permanent home here, its officers and principal employers will have their permanent homes here, but of still greater benefit to Council Bluffa is the unlimited amount of most desirable advertising given this beautiful and progressive city, simply because it is the Home Office of an Old Line Life Insurance Company.

As conclusive proof of this, did anyone ever speak of a company without, in the same breath, calling the name of the city so fortunate as to be that company's Home Office?

The tangible co-operation of all boosters is earnestly requested.

C. M. ATHERTON, President MERRIAM BLOCK

## Orvis Market and Grocery

BOTH 'PHONES 46.

537 BROADWAY.

A Fresh Lot of Rabbits Just Received. Crackers, per pound ......5¢

per sack..........\$1.00 Orvis' best Flour, Loin Steak, per 1b ............... Pork Sausage, link or Pork Sausage, link or bulk, 3 pounds......25c Sauer Kraut, Buckwheat Flour, per pound.......5c Pot Roast, Bacon, Seeded Raisins, Boiling Beef, 10c 

BOTH 'PHONES 108.

236 W. BROADWAY.

Just bought a lot of very fine Sorghum, which will be put on sale Sat-These Sorghums Have Been Sold at Not Less Than 50c Per Gallon.

Extra Fancy Country Butter, per lbs. very fine Home-made Mince-

Square brand Aunt Jemima's Advo Pancake Flour, 5 pkgs ... 360 8 cans String or Wax Beans .... . 250 Extra fine large Bananas, doz . . . . . 150 10-lb. sack pure Buckwheat Flour. 40c 

We Have the Finest Assortment of

Christmas Trees in the City.

### Central Grocery and Meat Market BOTH 'PHONES 24. 600-602 W. BROADWAY.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY: Owing to a shortage of leaf lard last week we were unable to supply the demand. We have since laid in a large supply and will sell it again at the same price. Breakfast Bacon Strips, 13c Two 5c packages Tobacco ..... 5c

Strictly Fresh Eggs, per degen ..... per quart......20c TRY OUR CENTRAL FLOUR, every sack

warranted, per sack.....

......15e

Pancy Mackerel. 5c

Fresh Country Butter, 25c

Full Cream Cheese,

ings. James Casey and T. J. Griffin are

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