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THE ONE PRICE DEPARTMENT STORE.

Watch Us.

We are now coming down the homestretch of the season 1904, of a good clip. November was a record breaker at our store. We shall do our part to make December Sales even larger. We have tried to do business on the live and let live plan, and we are glad to see that it has been appreciated.

Ladies Kid Gloves.

$1.50 and $1.25 qualities. All colors and sizes going at..... 89c

Wool Flannels.

50c All wool, heavy Chick Flannels going at..... 42c
45c All " " " " " 37c
35c All " " " " " 28c
50c Red all wool Flannels going at 40c
45c " " " " 37c
40c " " " " 29c
25c " " " " 18c

Cotton and Outing Flannel.

All 12½c Outing Flannels, Twilled, going at 10c
All 14c Cotton " , colors gray, brown and white 11c
All 12½ " " " " " " 10c

Coats and Jackets.

We have on hand a good line of the Palmer Garments in Ladies, Misses and Childrens' at right prices.

First Qualty N. Y. Apples, per bbl. 2 65
Good Rice, 25 lbs. for..... 1 00
One Lot Prunes, 25 lbs. for 1 00
One Lot Prunes, 15 lbs. for 1 00
White Owl Corn, per can..... 09
Lady Arundel Tomatoes, per can..... 10
Polk's Peas, 3 cans for..... 25
Dried Peaches, 11 lbs for..... 1 00
Perfect Laundry Soaps, 8 bars for..... 25
Polo Laundry Soap, 10 bars for..... 25

Great Reduction Sale.

10 per cent. discount on all Ladies and Childrens' Coats and Jackets.

20 per cent. discount on all Ladies Tailor Made Skirts.

20 per cent. discount on all Mens' Dress Overcoats.

20 per cent. discount on all Mens' and Boys' Caps.

10 per cent. discount on Ladies Furs and Fur Coats.

10 per cent. discount on Mens' Fur Coats.

ALBERT LARSON.

Pioneer Dray Line.

ANDERSON & LOUDEN, Props.

All kinds of draying, safe moving, etc., done promptly and carefully. Bus Line in connection. Bus can be ordered by phone No. 27. For work after 6 p. m. and before 7 a. m. call them up by their resident phones found below.

Phones 2 & 207.

COOPERSTOWN, : NORTH DAKOTA.

THE COURIER.

By Percy R. Grabshaw.

A U. S. Senator is to be elected in January by the legislature to succeed Senator McCumber. The Courier believes that the people of this district desire to see Mr. McCumber returned. He has made the state an able representative in the senate and is alive to the best interests of the people he represents.

President Roosevelt's majority in North Dakota is nearly forty thousand, or double as much majority as Parker's total vote in the state. This is going some all right. Governor Sarles got over 31,000 majority which shows that the popularity of his opponent did not cut much of a figure in the recent unpleasantness—for the other fellows.

A movement is on foot to have a bill introduced in the legislature compelling railroads to give a passenger a seat or no pay. This is a measure that is just anyway. When a person buys a ticket to ride on the cars he should be furnished a comfortable seat. Standing gets monotonous and the crowded conditions of many of the main line trains very often compel people to stand up.

Hon. John S. Palfrey of Steele county was in the city last Monday, conferring with some of his Griggs county constituents. Mr. Palfrey is of the opinion that a good primary election law will be passed at the coming session of the legislature and is in favor of a measure governing all elective officers—which is the only measure to pass. We might as well have no primary bill as to have one only governing part of the elective offices.

Judge Pollock's recent decision in a blind pig case that recently came up before him at Fargo has knocked the props from under the vendors of "tame moose," "malt cream" and other favorite beverages that have been giving people that joyful feeling. The Judge claims that it is not necessary to have 2 per cent. alcohol in the stuff now it does not require any per cent. just so long as the stuff intoxicates that is sufficient. Judge Pollock's decision is a big boost for the prohibitionists and a hard blow to those who have been dealing in these various beverages with the view of evading the laws of this state. The COURIER hopes that the judge will be sustained and that other Judges in the state will fall into line and do their duty.

Congressman Spaulding has introduced a bill in the national house of representatives providing for a Tariff Commission. He says: "Whereas the country has been pledged a readjustment of the tariff schedules when needed; and whereas the present rate of duties upon imports have been in force seven years and during such time conditions have materially changed, rendering duties on some article unnecessary and on others harmful, while on some commodities not now protected protective duties may be beneficial." Mr. Spaulding wants a commission of nine members appointed—a permament commission—whose duties shall be to revise the tariff and report to congress. The bill carries with it a salary attachment of $5000 per year and expenses. This will give the president nine very nice positions to fill if the bill becomes a law. No members of congress can be appointed.

A CORDIAL INVITATION

To Examine our Stock of HOLIDAY GOODS is Extended to all.

Toys for children, useful articles for men and women, in a variety and quantity, that is unusual even for this store.

You will find the goods spread out on counters and shelves, where they are easy to be seen, and by looking around, you will receive suggestions that will relieve your mind and pocket book.

THIS WAY PLEASE FOR YOUR XMAS PURCHASES.

John Syverson.

Christmas Will Soon Be Here.

We have anticipated your wants and are prepared to supply you with most anything your mind could conceive or your heart desire. Space will not permit us to give you a list but will only mention a few of the many. We have Toys, Dolls, Books, Stationery, Albums, Perfumes, Toilet Sets, Austrian Court Boxes, Leather Goods {including a fine stock of Ladies Hand Bags, Skirt Bags and Peggies} and Tiffany Ware. Our stock of Pictures was never better. For the next 10 days we are giving you a special offer on all our Fine Hand Painted French, German, Austrian and Japanese China and Cut Glass of a

20 Per Cent. Discount.

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H. H. BATEMAN,

DRUGGIST.

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