

Fine Neckwear  
AT  
THE "EAGLE"  
CLOTHING STORE,  
25 Cents.  
WORTH 50 AND 75 CENTS.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!  
BRICKARTS! BRICKARTS!  
FROM BALTIMORE DIRECT!  
TRY THEM ONCE!  
YOU WILL BUY NO OTHER!  
BRICKART IS OYSTER BOSS!

WINTER having been introduced to the general public, Charley Mobby has also introduced "brand-new" stock of goods at the only dry goods store on the south side. He is directly opposite the south court house gate, and when you get inside his store you will be glad you went there, for he has bargains innumerable in almost everything, especially in things kept in a real "up with the times" store. If you don't know the place ask for it.

## GOING TO QUIT.

We are going to quit the sale of Wall Paper and Window Shades, and we now desire all of our customers to have an opportunity to get some of the bargains in this line. We will sell every pattern, and every window shade at actual cost, and this is your only chance as we will buy no more.

## MCPHEETERS &amp; SHOEMAKER.

Ed. McGee has returned from Cincinnati with a very large and carefully selected stock of ready-made clothing, pieces goods, and furnishing goods for gentlemen. Ed. got on the inside while in the Queen City, and was given special prices. This advantage he proposes to donate to his many friends and customers.

Dr. Warner's Health Corsets are the best article of the kind ever offered to the public, they surpass all others in the comfort with which they may be worn, and are health preserving by reason of their shape. McCall & Co. are sole agents for Bloomington.

An unusually large and elegant stock of clothing is being carried this season by McGee. Ed. is the clothing buyer, and it has been demonstrated that he is a good one for to buy so low that he can sell for small prices and still make a good profit. Ed. has a nice display of furnishing goods, also, and can suit you with a hat, a necktie, undershirt, or anything else in his line.

Job M. Smith is not running a museum, though many persons who glance in at the door of his great exhibition on the south side, might be led to believe that such is the case. His is only an extraordinarily large stock of fancy goods of all styles, qualities and prices, such as one is seen nowhere this side of Charley Myers' establishment in Indianapolis. The remarkable feature is that he sells these goods so low. In standard goods—silverware, gold watches, fine jewelry, clocks, etc., he acknowledges no competition. He has a competent mechanic at the bench in the front window—a Mr. M. J. Tobias, whose fame as a watch physician is as extensive as the country is large.

FARMERS and others who desire a good satisfactory lunch, go to Benckart's bakery. Benckart makes splendid coffee, his bread is light and wholesome, and he keeps everything else you are likely to call for in the way of eatables. Benckart's bread is always the best.

—Big stock of Queensware and Glassware, at Hemp. Wilson's grocery. Any article you may call for in the grocery line, kept in stock.

—Choicest Coffees, Teas, Tobaccos and Cigars, at Hemp. Wilson's grocery store. Try one of the new brands of cigars at this store.

EVERY PERSON thinking of building will please call at the hardware store of W. J. Allen and examine his stock of doors, sash and material of all kinds, and will find it at low prices and will endeavor to suit all customers.

W. J. ALLEN.

CRAIG WORLEY has a lot of first-class Buggies, Carriages, Phaetons and Spring Wagons, at his livery stable, which he will sell for cash or will trade for mules or horses. Call on Craig before you sell your stock.

BLAIR. BLAIR. BLAIR.  
Special bargains offered to cash buyers at Blair's.

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Blair's goods and prices are unequalled in the city.

BLAIR. BLAIR. BLAIR.  
Good to get: Good shoes at closing out prices at Blair's.

Bishop Bonacum's Reception.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

LINCOLN, NEB., Dec. 20.—Today a committee of 100 citizens and members of the Catholic church in this city and surrounding towns, headed by Hon. Fitzgerald, journeyed to Omaha, where they received Bishop Bonacum. The train bearing the Bishop to his new home in this city was met at the depot by the Catholic societies, bearing torches and headed by the Apollo Band, and escorted the Bishop to Funk's Opera House, where the reception was held. State and city officials and members of the clergy occupied seats upon the stage. The welcome was extended by Hon. L. W. Billings, of the Council.

Hon. P. Tutton, Secretary of the Irish National League in America, welcomed the Bishop on behalf of the church in a warm tribute of affection extended to him on entrance upon his work.

Bishop Bonacum replied to the cordial greetings, saying that he would have preferred to have come among them simply and without ostentation, but he could not but feel gratified at the great welcome he received. He spoke of the sorrow he felt in parting from his old home, and paid an eloquent tribute to the Bishop of St. Louis, under whose care he had been so long. He spoke of the prosperity of the work of Bishop O'Connor, who had charge of the work in Nebraska, and he prayed for the help that might come to him to gain glory to his church and to God.

The audience in attendance at the reception was a magnificent one, comprising all creeds and classes.

Bishop Bonacum is a cousin of Mrs. John Waldron of this place, has visited Bloomington a number of times and is pleasantly remembered by all who have met him.

The Model Mills have a Feed Mill that will grind all kinds of feed—eat corn, shelled corn, oats, screenings, rye—all kinds of grain.

JAS. F. MCKINLEY.

FARMERS give me a call when you are in town. I will give you anything you want to eat, at low prices.

J. B. DILLMAN.

COUGH CANDY.—Benckart makes a cough candy containing pure honey, brandy and bone-set, and it is one of the best specifics in the country. Go and get some whenever you have a cough, or a severe cold.

OVTERS are now ripe, and Gro. Benckart, at his popular restaurant on South College Avenue, has the best that can be procured. For a stew, fry, broil, or a dozen raw, go to Benckart's.

ITCH & SCRATCHES of every kind cured in 30 minutes, by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by H. Lindley, Druggist, 145-87 Bloomington, Ind.

ONE OF THE finest displays of clothing, hats and furnishing goods ever made in Bloomington is now on sale at McGee's well known clothing house, south side of the square. Ed. McGee, the junior member of the firm, is the buyer, and he claims to be able to buy lower and sell cheaper than any man who has ever been engaged in the business. Some of the overcoats exhibited by him are certainly dirt cheap.

NEW ROOM—NEW STOCK.

Casper Vanzandt,  
THE WELL KNOWN

UNDER-TAKER.—Has removed to the new room on the north side of the square, next to the Foe corner, and is better prepared than ever to serve his patrons. Don't neglect to call and see the stock of Coffins before you make a purchase. A complete stock of late style

FURNITURE.—Has been placed in the new room, and admissions will be made weekly, as the trade demands. Call on Vanzandt before you buy Furniture or Coffins.

HEATING STOVES.

We have the largest and best variety of Heating Stoves ever brought to Bloomington. No one need go away unsupplied either in variety or price. Come and see us.

MCPHEETERS & SHOEMAKER.

ENGLISH Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and swellings from horses, blood, skin, curb, tail, etc. Sells \$20 by use of one bottle. Warranted. Sold by H. Lindley, Druggist, Bloomington, Ind.

—Don't freeze to death when you buy old papers at the Progress office and fill up the chinks in your house. Now is the time to get them.

IF you want Saxony or German Knitting Yarn McCall & Co.'s is the house to visit. They keep everything that you may call for.

—Good, wholesome and appetizing, are the Apples just received from New York State by Alexander & Miller. The varieties are unsurpassed, comprising as they do the Gilflower, Northern Spy, New York Blush, Red Baldwin and the N. Y. Greenings. These apples should be seen—they are firm, sound, first-class.

HAY for sale. W. J. ALLEN.

BEST BRANDS of Young Hyson and Japan Tea only 25c. per lb., at Wilson's Grocery.

John C. Woolley has been seriously ill with neuralgia in the head.

Horace Blakeley, who has been living with his father for some time, has returned to Eldorado, Kansas, with his family. Ed. Anderson having sold his farm, will remove to Wm. Blakeley's with his family.—The poem by Mrs. Mulky, and the recitation by Maj. Perry, at the Relief Corps exercises Saturday night a week, were very interesting.—The mother of Mrs. W. B. Minton died at Mount City, Ills., Monday a week.—Ed.

P. B. Martin preached in the Christian church last Sunday morning and evening.—Thos. Matthews

of west of town came in for a pension of \$8 per month.—Henry George will be in Bloomington on the 3d of February.—Rev. Geo.

L. Smith, a Missionary who has

spent many years in Japan, will

lecture in the Christian church on

the night of Jan. 3d on the people

of that far off country.—Miss

Martha A. Dobson died in this

place on the 17th inst. in the 80th

year of her age. She was the mother

of Frank Dobson.—Hon.

R. W. Miers was one of the attor-

neys for the defense in the trial o-

Wm. Baugh at Martinsville last

week, for the killing of Morgen at

Spencer, this fall.—Martin Welsh

was badly crushed while working

at the wreck near St. Joseph last

week, and will die. He had been

on the road 35 years, but had never

been hurt before.—Students and

school children are enjoying a holi-

day vacation.—A pleasant Christ-

mas entertainment was given by

the U. P. Sabbath School, Saturday

evening last, in which songs, reci-

tations, magic lantern views, etc.,

were the principal features.—

Anybody can take a trip cheaply

by railroad now, as all the lines

give reduced holiday rates.—

Samuel Wallingford took a car load

of heavy mules with him on his re-

turn to South Carolina last week.—

The son-in-law of W. B. Sew-

ard, Prof. Snyder, with his family,

are here from Salem, visiting

relations.—On the night of Jan.

12th, Gen. Gibson of Ohio, will de-

liver his war lecture that is so high-

ly spoken of.—The school at

Stanford, under the efficient charge

of E. P. Carpenter and Miss Erie

Eller, celebrated Whittier's day in

fine style.—A big Christmas

tree was one of the attractions at

Stanford, Saturday night. The ar-

rangements were well made and

skillfully carried out, everybody

going away happy.—Samuel

Sherley has been visiting relations

and friends in Illinois and Iowa

during the past six weeks. He re-

turns seemingly much improved in

health by his trip.—Isaac Ward

has been quite sick, but is now con-

voling.—Come in and settle

up your newspaper account; this

refers especially to persons who

have been dunned time and again

without any response.—Wm.

H. Snoddy of Salt Creek tp. has

been declared insane, and has been

taken to the insane asylum at Indi-

anapolis.—Solomon Greene, one

of our old citizens, aged about 80

years, died last week after a pro-

tracted illness, and was buried in

the Clear Creek grave yard.—

J. G. McPheeters, Jr., Maj. H. F.

Perry, and Wm. F. Browning, were

at Indianapolis during the Repub-

lican conference last week.—

Wm. Leonard and wife of Smith-

ville, have gone to Illinois to see

their son who is dangerously ill

with lung fever.—The wife of

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—The construction of the Stan-

ford turnpike is to be let to the low-

est and best bidder on the 9th of

January next. An effort should be

made to get this matter before bid-

ers in neighboring counties, so

that fair competition may be had.

—R. N. Bennett of South Hutch-