

... THE ... NEW FAIR STORE

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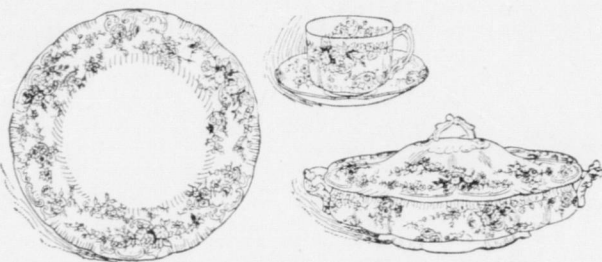
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AND GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH

That is what you get here every time, and often **MORE THAN YOUR MONEY'S WORTH.** There is no question about our values being the best the market affords. **IT'S THE PRICES WE DESIRE TO ADVERTISE,** and they have always been the lowest. We offer you a few of our bargains which cannot be beaten. **THE BEST FOR THE LEAST.** We never misrepresent anything.

CHINAWARE.

Cups and saucers, a set of six, only.....24c
Large dinner plates, a set of six, only.....24c
Fruit saucers, a set of six, only.....15c
7-inch deep dishes, only.....10c



100-piece decorated dinner set, regular price \$7.50. This sale - \$5.48

GLASSWARE.

Mason's pint jars complete with porcelain lined caps.....34c
Mason's quart jars complete with porcelain lined caps.....4c
Mason's half-gallon jars complete with porcelain lined caps.....6c
Mason's porcelain lined caps.....2c
Mason's jar rubbers, per dozen.....5c
Six Jelly glasses for.....10c
Three cent water tumbler for.....14c
Our 25c glassware assortment.....15c

GRANITE AND TINWARE.

4 quart retined preserving kettle.....10c
4 quart enameled preserving kettle.....20c
10 quart tin dishpan.....10c
10 quart tin bucket.....9c
2c tin cup, four for.....5c
15c flour sieves for.....8c
6 knives and 6 forks for.....38c
6 white metal teaspoons for.....9c
6 white metal tablespoons for.....18c
15c butter molds for.....10c
20c butter bowls, large size, for.....10c
10c rolling pin for.....5c
Good white-wash brush for.....10c
10c curry comb for.....5c
25c whips for.....20c



TOILET SET.

Ten-piece decorated toilet set. This sale for.....

\$1.75.

BARGAINS IN CLOCKS.

\$1 alarm clocks, guaranteed, this sale for.....75c
\$1.25 alarm clock, guaranteed, this sale for.....90c

NOTIONS.

200 steel pins only.....1 cent
100 steel carpet tacks only.....1 cent
3 yards black or white tape for.....1 cent
24 clothes pins for.....1 cent
2-cents child's handkerchief for.....1 cent
200 yards spool cotton for.....2 cents
1 dozen safety pins, all sizes, for.....2 cents
2 dozen hump hooks and eyes for.....3 cents
1 dozen lead pencils.....3 cents
Black or white garter elastic, per yard.....3 cents
5-cent ladies' beauty pins, three for.....5 cents
10-cent corset clasps for.....5 cents
10-cent dress stays.....5 cents
10-cent metal back combs.....5 cents

SOAP.

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Cream white floating soap, per cake.....1 cent
Royal white castle soap, per cake.....2 cents
Fairbank's Fairy soap, per cake.....2 cents
Fairbank's tar soap, the best made.....4 cents
10 bars Fairbank's Santa Claus soap.....25 cents
11 bars Fairbank's Mascot soap.....25 cents
13 bars Fairbank's Ark soap.....25 cents
25-cent package Gold Dust.....15 cents

GROCERIES.

Lion coffee, per package.....9 cents
Arbuckle coffee, per package.....10 cents
4-A coffee, per package.....10 cents
Good bulk coffee, per pound.....74 cents
15-cent bulk coffee, per pound.....10 cents
Fancy sugar loaf syrup, per gallon.....25 cents
California prunes, per pound.....5 cents
California raisins, per pound.....64 cents
Bismark corn, 3 cans for.....25 cents
Best tomatoes, 3 cans for.....25 cents
10 pounds hand-picked navy beans.....25 cents
20c brooms.....15 cents

Children's overalls 22c and up.
Men's black striped drill shirt, double back and front, made to sell for 75c, our price is **50c** Be sure and see them.
Men's 40c balbriggan shirts and drawers for 25c.

15c and 20c ladies' and children's sun bonnets for 10c.
75c steel rod umbrellas, fast black, for 50c.
15c ladies' leather belts 10c.

We are making a

25 Per Cent Reduction

On all DRESS GOODS.

Don't forget to call for our "Bell Brand" of Soda,
Corn Starch and Baking Powder. None Better.

Muslin.

Extra quality unbleached muslin—worth 6c yd—this sale for.....4c
A limited quantity extra fine 8c bleached muslin—while it lasts for only.....5c

Calicos.

Good calicos, per yd.....34c
Indigo blues, per yd.....44c
Light blues, per yd.....44c
Light colors, per yd.....44c
Black figured, per yd.....44c
Grays, per yd.....44c
Good toweling, per yd.....24c

Lace Curtains.

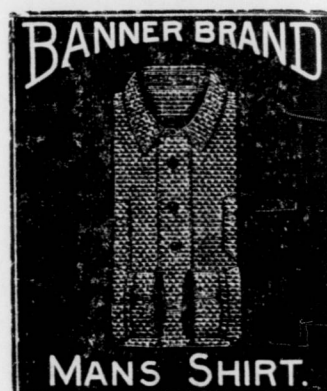
No use paying fancy prices.
We sell you fine curtains at prices any one can afford.
50c ones go at.....35c a pair
75c ones go at.....50c a pair
\$1.50 ones go at.....\$1 a pair
25 pairs, Brussel effect, beautiful designs, regular price \$3.00, our price.....\$2.00

Table Linens.

58-inch wide Turkey red damask, warranted not to fade, will go at this sale for.....20c yd
72-inch wide, unbleached table linen, regular price 75c, this sale for.....45c yd



8c ladies' seamless fast black hose.....5c
15c ones go at.....10c
20c ones go at.....12c
8c child's fast black hose, this sale.....5c
15c ones go at.....10c



35c and 40c shirts all go at **25c.**

Corsets! Corsets!!

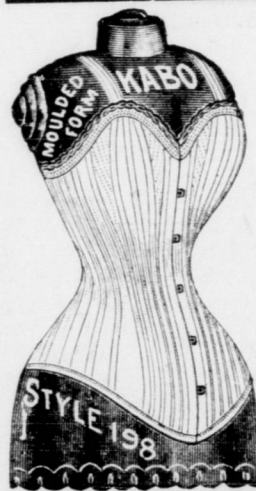
We carry the most complete line in the city, and are exclusive agents for the celebrated

KABO CORSET.

For this sale we will sell our 75c corsets for

50c

Have them shown to you.



BRING US YOUR BUTTER AND EGGS.

WE PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICES.

...This Sale is for 30 Days Only... Come Early and Get Your Money's Worth...

AT THE

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Dave VanCleaf, Originator of...
LOW PRICES.

Sale commences July 1.

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Wenn Ihr eine gute deutsche Behandlung haben wollt kommt zu uns Wir sprechen alle Deutsch.

Wenn Sie up Plattduesch leber be-handelt werden wollt bie us koen Sie ok up Plattduesch feddich werden, we koent ok alle Plattduesch schnacken.

Cans of all kinds at Coffee's Bazaar. 15-4

Richmond vs Places Creams here next Tuesday for two games.

Prof. Hannan will make the balloon ascension and parachute drop here July 4.

Unclaimed letters this week are for J. Sunder, B. F. Wherely, Wesley Surry, Mrs. Mary C. Myers, Miss Barbara Riesen, Geo. Miller, Alva J. Miller, Mrs. Susan Porter, Harry Shoe, Miss Bonlover, L. L. Meyers, F. R. Fisher.

Rome City—Commencing May 15, the G. R. & I. will sell excursion tickets to parties of one to nine at rate of \$2.35 each, good until Oct. 31, 1899, for return. Parties of ten to forty-nine \$2 each, return limit three days from date of sale.

An Indiana man has sprung something new in the suicide line. He had trouble with his wife, and earth had no charms for him. He informed the family to this effect and further stated that he would go to some secluded spot and drink himself to death. Several days later his body was found in the woods, with several empty flasks scattered about it. Hogs had mutilated the remains and a great many five and ten dollar bills were scattered about and tramped into the earth by the swine. The new suicide route will hardly commend itself to the self-destructionist.

Decatur the Fourth of July if you want a day of fun.

Mrs. C. J. Lutz and daughter Gene came home Tuesday from a week's visit with relatives at Sidney, Ohio.

\$4.00 a day. You can make it. Experience not necessary. For particulars address Brodt Japan Co. Hamilton, Ohio. To secure reply enclose two cent stamp. 16ml

Summer tourist rates to Northern Michigan, commencing June 1st until September 30; good for return October 31, '99, at following rates: Traverse City \$12.30, Petoskey \$14.15, Mackinaw City \$15.60, Mackinack Island or St. Ignace \$16.60. Jeff Bryson, Agent. 14t3

Christian Endeavor Convention at Detroit. The Clover Leaf will issue one fare Excursion tickets July 3rd to 6th with the usual liberal return limits. Choice of routes, steamer or rail, from Toledo, besides other privileges. Call on nearest Agent for particulars.

Several of the leading towns in Indiana have set apart one day out of each week for market day. A good public lot is secured and the farmers bring in corn, hay, wheat, wood, live stock, produce, etc., and a general sale is conducted all day. It is said that these sales are popular, and are proving a source of profit to all farmers and merchants alike.

Miss Murtie Hendricks is visiting relatives at Geneva.

We carry a full line of cheese, such as Wisconsin Swiss, limburger, brick and full cream. Coffee & Baker. 11tf

The Decatur Cycle Club, twenty members strong, rode to Celina last Sunday to "root" for Places Creams, and from all reports they did it.

There will be no more paupers shipped from this county, as heretofore. The new law compels the township trustees to place them on the county farm, providing they can not establish the fact to their own satisfaction that the claimants for railroad transportation will have means of support on reaching the destination in view.

Clover Leaf will run a personally conducted excursion Sunday, July 9, give passengers choice of lake trip to Detroit, Put-in-Bay, Casino or Toledo. Train is scheduled as follows: Leave Frankfort 2:00 a. m., Warren 4:07, Bluffton 4:42, Decatur 5:10, arrive at Toledo 8:30 a. m. Rates to Detroit or Put-in-Bay, Frankfort \$2.00, stations east \$1.75. Casino 35c less, Toledo 50c less than Detroit or Put-in-Bay. Special train returning to Toledo at 8:30 p. m., after arrival of steamers from Detroit and Put-in-Bay, or tickets will be honored on No. 3 following 12:20 midnight. C. C. Jenkins, Genl. Pass. Agent, Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Christen returned Saturday evening from a several days visit with friends at Huntington.

John Rieter, Eugene Christen and D. E. Studabaker wheeled to Fort Wayne Tuesday and took in the ball game.

A Cairo man has invented a chair which goes under the table and is completely out of sight when not in use. The world is fast adapting itself to the little room scheme, which is so apparent in modern building. With the folding bed and the disappearing chair we ought to be in a way to live in any kind of a box.

The Clover Leaf will issue round trip Excursion tickets, rate about one fare, June 24th to July 7th, with the usual return limits. Berths should be reserved in advance through the nearest Agent. Arrange to join special train leaving St. Louis 9:15 p. m. June 29 and July 6 via Mo. Pac. and connections, or tickets may be purchased any route desired. 15t3

Clover Leaf will issue low rate Sunday tickets to Toledo for "Fast Line" No. 6, schedule stops only, June 18th and 25th from Frankfort and stations. No. 6 is scheduled to arrive at Toledo 8:45 a. m., Detroit Boat leaves 9:00 a. m., Put-in-Bay 9:15. Steamers return to Toledo 8:00 p. m. in time for evening show at Casino. Enjoy the cool lake breezes. 14t2m

Potato Bug Poison, Fly Paper and Insect destroyers of all kinds at Blackburn's drug store. 16-4

D. W. Beery is convalescing from a third seige of lagrippe since last winter, which is enough to last him the balance of his natural life.

For the homeseekers excursions south and west the Clover Leaf will issue the usual low rate excursion tickets from all stations on the first and third Tuesdays in June, July, August, September and October. Stop over privileges on the going trip, return limit as previous excursions. Call on nearest agent. 11m3

Sunday Excursions Toledo, Casino Detroit and Put-In-Bay. Clover Leaf fast line No. 6 under recent change of time is scheduled to arrive at Toledo Union Station 8:45 a. m. On Sundays the Detroit Boat leaves foot of Adams St. 9:00 a. m., Put-In-Bay Boat foot of Madison St. 9:15 a. m. Sunday rate from Toledo 50 cents for the round trip. Low Excursion tickets will be issued to Toledo and return nearly every Sunday during the Excursion season with the privilege of returning from Toledo 5:00 p. m., or 12:20 midnight. The boats returning from Detroit and Put-In-Bay reach Toledo 8:00 p. m. in time for evening show at the Casino. Excursion tickets to the Casino are on sale at all stations at 15 cents additional to the Excursion rate. 14t2m

Celebrate the fourth in Decatur—the best town on earth. Everything advertised will be given.

Ben Knapke is again located at the old stand at Lew Voglewede's where he will smile upon the many patrons of that well known place of call.

Greatly reduced rates to Denver and other Colorado points also Salt Lake City. Low rate Excursion tickets will be sold from Clover Leaf stations June 25th to July 11th at nearly one fare for the round trip, return limit October 31st. A rare opportunity for those desiring to spend the summer, or a portion of it, in Colorado. 14t3

Erie Excursions. Winona Lake and return, 15 day limit \$1.95; season \$2.60. Chautauqua Lake and return, season \$14.

Los Angeles, California and return \$68. Two special excursions on July 7 and 28. Return limit 30 days.

Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and return, one fare. To Young Peoples Christian Union. Tickets sold August 1 to 5. Return limit August 15. To Denver, Colo., and return, to Colorado Springs and Pueblo \$39.70 round trip. Tickets sold June 24th to July 10th.

Fourth of July rates and fare for round trip to points within 200 miles of selling station. Tickets sold July 3rd and 4th. Return limit July 5th.