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Arlington L. Sparks

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, MILLINERY

Our New Fall Stock is now complete and we are showing the largest and most up-to-date line of Fine Dress Goods ever shown in this community.

Each piece of DRESS GOODS has been selected with especial attention as to style durability and finish, and your money is cheerfully refunded if anything you buy is not satisfactory.

NOTIONS! NOTIONS!

Hosiery, Laces, Belts,
Gloves Embroideries, Dress Goods,
Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Zephyrs,
Underwear, Collars Ribbons.

The largest line in town and at prices less than you pay elsewhere.

Blankets: Comforts:

All grades from the cheapest cotton to the finest wool.

All grades from the cheapest cotton filled to the finest down.

Cloaks. Skirts.

By a fortunate purchase in these lines we are enable to place before you a line of garments of the very latest cut at a saving to you of 25 per cent. Compare them with others and be convinced.

Millinery! Millinery!

We have had many years experience in this line, but not being content with this, we have placed this department under the supervison os a thoroughly up-to-date city trimmer. Our New Fall Stock has been selected with the utmost care as to style and quality, and we have hats for everybody at prices that will save you money.

Arlington L. Sparks.

at R. Bergen's old stand.

THE CHUKCHEES.

They Live In Siberia and Have a Mania For Suicide.

A Russian correspondent was talking about Siberia.

"In that strange land," he said, "the strangest thing is the suicidal tendency of the Chukchees. Among the Chukchees, actually, suicide is one of the most common forms of death.

"The Chukchees live in northeastern Siberia. They are small and copper colored. They dress in skins and ride reindeer. Tallow and raw kidney are their chief delicacies. In every Chukchee house hangs a death coat.

"A Chukchee doesn't kill himself by his own hand. He appoints his nearest relatives—his wife, son or daughter—to do the deed. And the delegate never rebels, never declines this sad and horrible task.

"Innumerable are the causes of suicide—jealousy, unrequited love, an incurable disease, melancholy, poverty, and so on.

"I knew a man who was prosperous and apparently happy. Suddenly a desire for death seized him. 'In three moons,' he said, 'I will go home to my fathers.' And he calmly settled his affairs and at the appointed time bade his wife to knot a cord about his throat and his two sons to pull upon the cord till he should be strangled. He died, they told me, joking.

"The death coat which hangs in every Chukchee house has a hood. It is for use in suicide. The hood hides the facial contortions of the dying.

"There are Chukchee families wherein suicide is hereditary, wherein it is a point of honor for the sons to kill themselves, a natural death being regarded in such families as disgraceful and scandalous, a sign of the most unpardonable cowardice.

"The Chukchees, despite their suicidal tendency, are a happy and healthy people, moral, truthful, brave and temperate."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

You can't spend any time hating people if you want to go forward.

After a man has worked hard to get a thing he has to fight hard to keep it.

No one loves a crying baby, and the same is true of people who are grown up.

While your friends promise you big things, the "if" they put in the promise is bigger.

All your troubles are exaggerated, including the uneasiness that conscience causes.

When friends urge you to come and see them "any time" it requires some figuring to find out just when that time is.

Decisions after mature reflections are so often wrong that greater respect should be paid the decisions of a penny coming down heads or tails.—Atchison Globe.

Old Time Football.

Football has never been a very gentle game, to judge from what Master Stubbes says about it in his "Anatomie of Abuses," published in 1583: "For, as concerning football playing, I protest unto you it may rather be called a friendly kinde of fight than a play of recreation, a bloody and murthering practice than a sport or pastime, for dooth not every one lye in waight for his adversarie, seeking to overthrow him and to picke him on his nose, though it be on hard stones, so that by this meanes sometimes their necks are broken, sometimes their backs, sometimes their legs, sometimes their armes, sometimes one part thrust out of joynt, sometimes another; sometimes the noses gush out with blood; sometimes their eyes start out."

All Wabbly In Their Walk.

"Nobody in New York walks straight," said the gray headed citizen of the metropolis. "Watch a score of pedestrians on the sidewalk, and not one of them sticks to a straight path. Those deviations are not always due to the crowded condition of the pavement either. During the rush hours a man is supposed to dodge this way and that in his efforts to make progress, but when given a clear road there is no excuse for so much sidetracking. Yet no matter how favorable the conditions the New Yorker zigzags just the same. He might have a stretch of sidewalk a block long all to himself and be perfectly sober, yet in that distance he would veer from curb to stoop line and back again several times."

A Queer Recipe.

In an old black letter translation of Albertus Magnus the donkey figures in the following extraordinary recipe:

"Take an Adder's skin, and Auri pigmentum, and greeke pitch of Reupiritticum, and the waxe of newe Bees, and the fat or grease of an Asse, and breake them all, and put them all in a dull seething pot full of water, and make it to seeth at a glowe fire, and after let it waxe cold, and make a taper, and every man that shall see light of it shall seeme headlesse."

Exclusive.

Clerk—Now, this, ma'am, is the most popular book of the day. Everybody is reading it. Mrs. Nuritch—I don't want nothin' that everybody reads. Show me somethin' more exclusive.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Good Reason.

"Do you owe Bilker money?"

"No."

"Why do you avoid meeting him?"

"Don't want him to owe me money."—Cleveland Leader.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no griping or other unpleasant effect. Sold by M. A. Toulson.

JARRELL'S. JARRELL'S.

A WORD

ABOUT DRESS GOODS!

Cashmeres in Blue, Red, Black and Green,	21c
Novelties in Blues, Browns, Blacks and Greens, 36 inches wide, all wool, 65c values,	50c
Fancy Mixtures in all the leading shades, 36 inches wide, all wool, 65c values,	49c
Venetian Cloth in all the up-to-date shades, 36 inches wide, all wool, 60c values	49c
Cheviots in Blue and Black, 44 inches wide, all wool, 65c values at	50c
Plain and Figured White Mohair, 60c values,	50c
Figured Mohairs in dark shades, 36 inches wide, all wool, 60c values	50c
Figured and Plain Dark Mohairs, 42 inches wide, all wool, 85c values,	75c
Plain Mohairs in Blue, Black and Brown, 44 inches wide, $1.25 values,	$1.00
Broadcloths in all the popular shades, 54 inches wide, $1.25 values,	98c
Meltons in Black, Blue, Nile Green, Mode and Garnet, 56 inches wide, $1.50 values,	$1.25
Meltons in Blue, Black, Green and Tan, 56 inches wide, $1.75 values (great)	$1.49
Franklin Tweeds in Black, Grey and Oxford, 54 inches wide, 35c values,	30c
Panama Cloth in Blue, Brown, all wool, 46 inches wide, $1.50 value,	$1.25

SILK DEPARTMENT.

This department is strickly to-the-minute.
Silk for waists in plain and plaids.
Silk for suits, all shades.

Black Taffata, 36 inches wide,	95c
" " " " "	$1.50
Poid Soie, 32 inches wide,	1.25

LININGS.

Ticos, Nevas and Percalines in all shades.

FLANNELETTS AND OUTINGS.

Plain and Figured Flanneletts, 12½c values,	10c
" " " Outings, 12½c values,	10c

A great line to select from.

Percales! Percales! Percales!

Pain, Figured and Striped Percales, 12½c values,	10c

READY-MADE SKIRTS.

Ladies' Walking Skirts, Brown, Blue, Black and Grey, prices ranging from $1.50 to $3.50.

NOTION DEPARTMENT.

We are very much in the NOTION BUSINESS. Ladies' Sweaters in white, red and blue. Great values, price from $1.50 to $3.50.

Misses' Sweaters in whites, blues and reds from $1 to $2.25.

Ladies' Eiderdown Sacques in reds, greys and pinks, 50c and $1.00.

Infants' Sacks, white and blue, white and pink, white and red, 25c to 50c

TAMS. TAMS. TAMS.

Misses' Tams, Ladies' Tams in white, grey, blue and red, 25c and 50c.

UNDERWEAR!

Infants' Ruben Wrappers, no buttons	25c
Infants' Wrappers, to button	15c
Children's Underwear, from	15 to 25c
Misses' and Children's Underwear, all wool	45 to 80c
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Vests and Pants, 35c value	25c
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Vests and Pants, 75c value	50c

UNDERWEAR!

Boys' Wright's Health Underwear, *the* garment	50c
Boys' Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, *the* garment	25c
Men's Wright's Health Shirts and Drawers, *the* garment	95c
Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 50c value	47c
Men's High Back Shirts and Drawers, 65c values,	50c

GLOVES, GLOVES, GLOVES.

Ladies' Golf Gloves in white and colors,	25c
Ladies' Kid Gloves (guaranteed),	95c
Ladies' Driving Gloves.	$1.00

A full and complete line of Men's Gloves from 25c to $1.50

Gentlemen's Driving Gloves large full cuff to completely take in overcoat sleeve, $1.50 value, - - $1.00.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Shoes for Infants.
Shoes for Children.
Shoes for Ladies.
Shoes for Men.

Queen Quality for women.

Leather Boots, Gum Boots.

Men's Leather Boots from $2.00 to $3.50.

Men's Heavy Duck Boots, $3.50

Crawfords and Westovers for Men.

Blankets! Blankets!

Blankets in greys, drabs and white, - - 65c to $8.50

Quilts! Quilts!

Quilts from - - - - - - - - - 75c to $5.00

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when you have paid over your hard earned dollars and find you paid too much. You don't have that experience when buying our

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We never charge higher than others but usually charge less. Goods too are as good and better. Why? Because we buy in quantities. Watch the market and get bargains. A purchase from us is a saving proposition.

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READY-MADE HARNESS,

and sell at the smallest margins. Also make a specialty of TEN DOLLAR HARNESS. Also all kinds of strap work, collars, bridles, traces, and all furnishings used on the farm. A splendid line of Robes, Horse Blankets and all kinds of Horse Goods.

LOADED SHELLS for Gunners and Sportsmen.

Leather Belting and Lace Leather. Oils of all kinds. SLEDS that steer—the greatest Sleds of the time. Strong and durable. Pumps of the most approved pattern.

A large quantity of FODDER YARN, CORN BASKETS, and everything necessary to husband the crop, or that is useful on the farm.

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RUBEROID ROOFING!

When buying a Roof, buy the best, and that is the guaranteed *Ruberoid*, sold only by the undersigned. Half-ply Ruberoid will outwear any other one-ply make of Oid Roofing. One-ply Ruberoid will outwear any other two-ply make of Oid Roofing. *We stand ready for a test challenge.*

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED AND BLACK STEEL ROOFING,

furnished on short notice at a slight profit.

FELT ROOFING.

Well, I can beat the State. $1.00 for 3-ply, 80c. for 2-ply, with nails and tins, by the single roll. In lots, Lower prices still.

Roof and Barn Paints.

Pure Asphaltum Paints, good for metal, felt and wood, 80 cts. per gallon for red, 70c. per gal. for black.

Mixed Asphalt and Tar Paint, 35 to 45 cents.

TAR PAINTS—25c. single gallon, $1 for 5 gallons.

CARRARA PAINTS—all colors for all purposes.

ZINKO PAINTS—A Pure Linseed Oil production of combination pigment. Warranted for 5 years by the makers. Sold at $1.25 per gallon.

Water Paints—for outside and inside use.

Star Cream Separators, the Frost Queen Separator, has two removable cans inside of a large gal. tank. Call and look at it.

Rain Spouting and Downfall Pipe. You can put it up yourself. Sold cheap.

Black Death,

The Sure Bug Killer.

Ladders, Harness and Machine Oils. The oils will be sold cheap, as I shall keep oils no longer.

Jos. Guest,
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Hog-Killing!

SAGE,
BLACK PEPPER,
CAYENNE,
SALT-PETRE.

Clean, pure and cheap.

M. A. TOULSON,
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FRESH,

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We have our own Sash Factory and Planing Mill to fill all orders for odd materials. A full stock of Framing, Lumber, Shingles, etc.

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All Kinds of Felt Roofing, Lime, Hair, Cement, COAL and WOOD.

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OLD R. R. DEPOT.

ROAD CLOSED.

The travel from Public School No. 1, in Quaker Neck, through "Lover's Lane" to Airy Hill, will be suspended from Monday August 28 until further notice, on account of repairs to the bridge o said road.

By order of Board of Commissioners,
A. C. LOUD, PRES'T.,
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HARRY DAVIS,
P. B. RASIN,
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C. L. DODD, Clerk. aug26-tf.

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