

Bright, New Stock for February Sale

Starting February 1, 1912, I will give 5 per cent. Discount on all sales made during the month of February on my entire line. The store is fairly bristling with new goods with which to open up this sale. The discount is not great, but it is just 5 per cent more than has ever been offered before in Genoa on new seasonable goods. We want to get you interested right now that you may know where to find every item of wearing apparel for man or boy that the spring season demands. Will be pleased to show you our line whether you are ready to buy this month or later.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE NEW THINGS FOR FEBRUARY

SUITS PANTS SOCKS SLIP-ON COATS WORK SHIRTS STORM RUBBERS AND DON'T FAIL TO SEE MY NEW SAMPLE BOOK OF MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING AUTO COATS, see window WORK PANTS FANCY VESTS RAIN COATS OVERALLS SUIT CASES SHIRTS SHOES TRUNKS HATS OXFORDS COLLARS GLOVES SUSPENSERS NECK TIES



New Work Shoes

Over Coats, Suits For Boys

Have a few choice Bargains left in this line. Prices are as low as they ever will be.



Superb New Line of Suit Cases

Over Coats, Suits For Men

Just a few left and we're going to close them out. We never carry over heavy clothing.



New Outing Shoes

Pickett, the One Price Cash Clothier, Genoa, Ill.

Roller Skating AT THE PAVILION

Every Thursday evening and Saturday evening after the picture show



A Note to You

GENOA, FEBRUARY 2, 1912

One hundred cents make a dollar, but our choice perfumes are sold at a dollar a scent—that wouldn't be sensible. They are quite moderate in cost, and for a few trivial cents, you may secure many rare and delightful scents. One need not be without the most delicate odors, at the prices which prevail here.

Yours truly,
L. E. CARMICHAEL
DRUGS, PHOTO SUPPLIES, STATIONERY, & MUSIC.

DOINGS OF THE WEEK

THE assistance of all subscribers is invited and solicited in making this department interesting. Any item of news left at the office, in the box at the east corner of the Exchange Bank building or given the editor on the street will be greatly appreciated. If you have visitors or have been away yourself or if you know anything good about your neighbors tell us about it.

E. C. Roschenberger went to Chicago Monday.

Wm. Graham transacted business in Elgin Monday.

Ralph Patterson and son, Irvin were in Chicago Monday.

Will Drymiller of Crestonspent Sunday with Genoa friends.

Miss Hazel Robnison of Chicago was a Genoa caller Sunday.

Charles and Geo Corson left for Mt. Moriah, Mo., Monday night.

Fred Meyers of Herbert transacted business in Genoa Monday.

Mrs. J. Vincent, Mrs. Andrew Lietzow and son, Keith, are spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Gladwin, Mich.

Miss Blanch Trnman of Hampshire spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Miss Anna Kiernan.

Charles Hall was home from Chicago over Sunday.

F. W. Olmsted transacted business in the windy city Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Watson spent the week end with relatives in De Kalb.

Mrs. Nellie Ryder of Harvard visited her sister, Mrs. Jas. Hewitt, a few days last week.

Mrs. Mandy Manuel of Kansas City, Mo., is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Renn.

Miss Sophia Drymiller of Hampshire spent the latter part of the week with Miss Allie Vincent.

Mrs. Charles Wolters will submit to a critical operation at Sherman Hospital in Elgin Saturday. She has been in poor health for several years and an operation is the only relief in sight.

Misses Barr and Ketchum spent Saturday and Sunday in Chicago.

Mrs. L. M. Olmsted was operated on at Sherman Hospital in Elgin last Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Evans and son spent the latter part of the week with her sister in Elgin.

Will Hannah, driver for Cooper & Patterson, fell from his wagon last Friday, breaking his arm.

John Martin moved to Rockford this week where he has found employment in a meat market.

At the opera house, Feb. 5, Prof. Louis Williams, the electrical wizard. Reserved seats 35c at Carmichael's.

Prof. Louis Williams, the wizard of electricity, at the opera house, Monday, Feb. 5. Reserve seats at Carmichael's.

Lost, at the pavilion, Friday night at basket ball game, pair of grey suede gloves. Finder please leave same at this office.

Harvey Hall is calling on Genoa friends this week. He has been over the country to some extent since in Genoa last.

Reserve seats at Carmichael's drug store for the next number of the Glazier Lyceum Course, Monday, Feb. 5, Prof. Louis Williams.

The tank on the gasoline stove at W. H. Snow's residence caught fire last Saturday evening, but luckily there was no explosion and the stove was put out of doors before any damage resulted.

One of the big job presses in the Republican-Journal print shop went out of commission Saturday thru the breaking of a casting. While waiting for repairs from Cleveland, Ohio, the work will be turned out with some difficulty.

Two vaudeville acts at opera house Saturday night.

See the Jap vaudeville act at the opera house Saturday night.

Roy Hollebeak of Casey, Ia., called on Genoa relatives a few days this week.

Another hundred silver souvenir spoons will be given away at the pavilion next Saturday evening.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Abbie Patterson Thursday, February, 8, at 2:30 p. m.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Edsall on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 6. Secretary.

The ladies are invited to attend the picture show at the pavilion next Saturday evening and get one of those silver spoons.

Two vaudeville acts will be put on at the opera house Saturday evening in connection with the regular picture show, all for one price.

Say! do you know Russell the barber? You don't? Well you ought to. Better step in and get acquainted. WHITE FRONT, next to Brown & Brown Bank.

The King motion picture show Saturday evening will be augmented two high class vaudeville stunts.

The biggest show ever put on in Genoa for the money. Elmer Witherall left Sunday night for Great Falls, Mont. A daughter of Richard McCormick who has been visiting here returned to her home in Great Falls at the same time.

Oscar Kunzler and family left on Wednesday for their new home at Borrick, Minn. Oscar leaves many friends in Genoa who will wish him nothing but the best prosperity on his western farm.

The firm of Casey & McGough having been dissolved, McGough selling his interest to Casey, those knowing themselves indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle.

Thos A. Casey.

Do you want a ring for yourself or for her? No matter what amount you wish to pay, we can please. Can sell you a diamond (guaranteed to be as represented) just as cheap as can be purchased anywhere. Call and talk diamonds with us. G. H. Martin.

Postmaster G. J. Patterson and J. J. Hammond returned from their southern trip Tuesday. On the trip to Cuba they stopped at many points of interest, including the national cemetery and Look Out mountain. They were gone about a month and enjoyed every minute of the time.

Vernon Corson attended the automobile show in Chicago Monday and Tuesday.

Alfred Banks, Mrs. Ettie Anderson and Mrs. Carrie Reed were Hampshire callers Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Burroughs, at Burbank, Calif., Thursday, Jan. 25, a boy.

Muslin Sale!

Thursday, Friday and Saturday
February 1, 2 and 3

40 Bolts of all High Class Muslin put on Sale
No Orders taken over Telephone

Lonsdale Muslin One of the best quality of Bleached Muslins. Fine and firm, 36 inches wide, put on sale at per yd. 7 1/2c

BLEACHED MUSLIN—splendid quality, regular 7 1/2c value, on sale at per yard 6c

BLEACHED MUSLIN—not quite as heavy a muslin as Lonsdale, but a good, soft, fine quality and splendid value at per yard 6 1/2c

Half BLEACHED MUSLIN—Soft, fine grade, excellent value at per yard 7 1/2c

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN—Good, firm quality, regular 9c value, on sale at per yard 6 1/2c

Ladies' Pony Cloth Coats full length, lined with good grade of Sateen, for \$10.00

Misses Black Pony Cloth Coats for 13, 15, 16 yrs, lined throughout. Splendid values at \$8.50 and \$6.75

Novelty Blanket Coats—the \$20.00 grade in Grey and Tan, on sale for \$14.50

Ladies' Wool Dress Skirts in plain Panamas, Mohairs and fine Batist in Grey, Black, Blue, \$7.00 values for \$3.47, \$5.00 Skirts for \$2.00

Black Broadcloth Coats for ladies, full length, \$18.00 and \$20.00 values, on sale for \$12.00

White Waists—all good styles, beautifully lace and embroidery trimmed, \$2.75 values. \$1.99 \$2.00 values for 1.39 \$5.00 Silk Waists on sale at 3.50

Other Good Coats in Black, Brown, Grey and Broadcloth, regular \$15.00 coats, choice \$8.00

Calico still on sale at per yard 4 1/2c

Children's Coats, Teddy Bear, quilted lining, regular \$5.00 coats for 2, 4 and 2 years old at \$3.50, \$3.00, \$1.98

Hosiery—Children's Fleece Hosiery sizes 6 to 9, regular 25, and 50c values, on sale per pair 15c

Underwear—mostly Children's, the 25c and 50c quality 15c

Sale on Notions, Caps, Hats and Purses
Furs, Neckpieces and Muffs
All on Sale for Less than Cost

F. W. OLMSTED
GENOA, ILLINOIS

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

Do You Know that one Bad Ear in Your Seed Corn Means a Loss of from 300 to 400 Hills of CORN. EXPERTS SAY "TEST SEED NOW"

KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Keating spent Monday in Chicago.

Earl Moyers and F. W. Smith attended the Poultry Show at DeKalb last Friday. The former received fourth prize for a White Plymouth cockerel.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL
Double Daily Train Service from Chicago and St. Louis to the South
NEW ORLEANS

A City of unusual interest to visit. Send for illustrated booklet "New Orleans for the Tourist."

MARDI GRAS

At New Orleans, February 20, 1912. The famous annual event of the Crescent City. Brilliant spectacular features described in illustrated folder entitled "Mardi Gras." Ask for a copy.

FLORIDA

Via the "Central Route to Florida and Cuba." Solid fast through train, "Seminole Limited," from Chicago to Jacksonville. Corresponding service from St. Louis. Connects at Jacksonville with trains for all Florida points and steamship connections for Havana, Cuba. Florida folders on application.

HAVANA, CUBA

Choice of routes via New Orleans or Florida. Cuba Folder mailed on request.

PANAMA CENTRAL AMERICA

Illinois Central to New Orleans, and weekly steamships direct to Colon, Panama and Central America ports. "The Tourist Panama," illustrated booklet, sent on application.

VICKSBURG, MISS.

Contains Vicksburg National Military Park, commemorating the siege and defense of the city. An interesting place to visit en route to New Orleans. Send for handsomely illustrated book entitled "Vicksburg for the Tourist," and "Siege and Defense of Vicksburg."

HOT SPRINGS, ARK.

Quickest time from Chicago. Daily electric-lighted sleeping car the year round, through without change. Chicago to Hot Springs.

TEXAS CALIFORNIA

Via New Orleans and the Illinois Central. Through electric-lighted sleeping car daily Chicago to Houston, San Antonio, El Paso, Texas, and intermediate points. Through tourist sleeping car to California every Monday from Chicago via Houston, San Antonio and El Paso, Texas. Ask for copy of California folder.

"GO SOUTH YOUNG MAN"

ALL THE ABOVE LITERATURE FREE FOR THE ASKING. Tickets, reservations, train time, and specific fares from your station may be had of your local ticket agent. H. J. PHELPS, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Henry Landis was a Belvidere visitor last Friday.

Miss Bertha Ort was home from Rockford Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Brainard Askins of Belvidere spent last Saturday with friends.

Mrs. R. S. Dunbar returned last Friday from a few weeks' stay with friends in Rockford and Belvidere.

Misses Eva and Marie Landis returned Sunday evening from Belvidere where they had spent a number of days with relatives and friends.

Are You Alive

to the fact that we are a **Live Bank** and that we are doing a **Live Business** here in your midst for the past thirty years? Through thick and thin we have taken care of you when you needed it; and, "though men may come and men may go," the old reliable

EXCHANGE BANK of BROWN & BROWN

stays right on doing business in Genoa, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stott, of Genoa, called on friends Tuesday afternoon.

Mas, O. W. Vickell entertained the members of the W. C. T. U. Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bacon, G. W. Arnold and Mrs. Esther Bell are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mason, of Esmond, were guests at the McCollom home last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Cobb and children of Belvidere were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Burgess Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. McCollom attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Thayer held in Belvidere last Friday.

Mrs. Katie Robinson was a guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Ault, in Kirkland, Wednesday of last week.

The Epworth League will hold its monthly business meeting in the church parlors, Tuesday evening, Feb. 6.

Mrs. John Vosburg left Monday morning to spend a week in Pierce Township with her mother and brothers.

Ed. Dean and son Ralph, of Canbon, South Dakota, spent last Wednesday at the home of C. W. and Frank Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Briggs and daughter, Ruth, of Elgin spent Sunday with his parents, Rev. C. A. Briggs and wife.

Mrs. Amanda Silvius returned this week from Pennsylvania where she has spent a year or more with relatives and is a guest of her brother, H. M. Bacon.

Mrs. C. W. Parker and daughter Jessie and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker attended the wedding of their nephew, Ralph Parker Dean of South Dakota to Miss Mettie McCoy of Rockford, in Rockford last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. McCollom entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Pooler and son, Harold, of Lake City, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Noble, of Cortland; Mr. and Mrs. John Christman, of Cortland; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pooler, of Waterman; Mr. and Mrs. Evron Pooler and children, of DeKalb; Mr. and Mrs. James Gross and family, of South Grove, Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Ladd and daughter, Miss Rose, of Iowa Falls, Iowa, returned to their home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ackerman are entertaining their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Madine, and baby, of Chicago.

Miss Leona Chellgreen was a victim of a surprise party Saturday evening when sixteen little school mates assisted in celebrating her tenth birthday. A good time was had playing games.

A large crowd attended the social given by the Epworth League at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lettow last Friday evening. A short program was rendered. Games made the evening pass quickly and pleasantly.

Mrs. D. B. Arbuckle, Mrs. Geo. Tower and Mrs. Belle Pelton attended the funeral of Mrs. Bagley held in Genoa last Saturday afternoon. The former attended Sycamore high school with the deceased in 1869.

Miss Mamie Glidden, daughter of Mrs. Mary Glidden, was united in marriage to Charles Aves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aves, Wednesday afternoon, January 31, at 1:30 p. m. at the bride's home. Rev. C. A. Briggs, Sr. performed the ceremony in the presence of immediate relatives. This couple is well and favorably known and have a host of friends who will extend hearty congratulations.

Mrs. Nancy Wilcox, wife of C. A. Wilcox, passed away at her home Wednesday morning about 11 o'clock of pneumonia. She had been ill but a short time and her death will be a shock to relatives and friends. She leaves besides her aged husband, five daughters, Mrs. Minnie Rice and Mrs. Lola Bartlett, of New York, Mrs. Ida Moore, Mrs. Nina Moore and Mrs. Flora Uplinger of this place; a sister, Mrs. M. J. Fellows of this place, two brothers, Ralph Quigley, of Washington state and Dell Quigley, of Milwaukee, Wis. A number of years ago Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox came from Fredonia, New York, to make this place their home and have a large acquaintance who will sympathize with the bereaved husband and immediate relatives.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm and deciding to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the premises known as the Russell place, 2 1/2 miles s. w. of Genoa and 1/4 mile east of Henrietta

TUESDAY, FEB. 6

commencing at 12 o'clock noon, the property described below:

Two fresh milk cows, 6 heavy springers; black mare, in foal; 9 years old; sorrel gelding; bay mare; bay mare in foal, 10 years old; gray mare, 12 years old; 3 yearling colts; black gelding;

Truck wagon and rack, milk wagon, surrey, Champion grain binder, McCormick Corn Binder, clean sweep hay loader, 14-ft Hoosier seeder, hog rack, McCormick mower, Rock Island corn planter with 120 rods of wire, single row corn plow, 14 disc pulverizer, sulky plow, two sec. drag, Success manure spreader, double harness, single harness, milk tank, cupboard, 20 milk cans, 40 Oak fence posts, stack corn fodder, 4 acres corn fodder in shock, 300 bushels of corn, many other articles.

Terms of sale: All sums of \$10 and under, cash; on sums over \$10 credit of six months will be given on approved notes bearing interest at 7 per cent, per annum. No property to be removed until settlement is made.

Free lunch at 11:30 a. m.

WM. KRUEGER
CHAS. SULLIVAN, Auct.
G. E. Stott, Clerk.

For the Invalid.
When additional bed covering may be required by an invalid during the night tie a long piece of cord to the edge of a blanket laid at the foot of the bed and attach the other end to the head of the bed. All that is necessary for the invalid to do is to pull lightly on the cord, when up will come the cover.

Don't leave carcasses of animals lying around or carelessly bury them, for this invites dogs and crows, and they spread disease. Call Hemmelgarn at the rendering plant or at his residence and he will properly remove them. Notice, however, must be given immediately on death of the animal and hide must be left on 13-ft

A Bargain For You

If you want to buy a residence in Genoa. I have for sale two houses on Genoa street that can be had at bed rock prices if taken at once. If you are looking for a home in this vicinity you can not do better. Better call and see me and see if we can not do business together.

D. S. Brown.

First Users of Tobacco.

The tendency now is to rob the North American Indian of the credit of having given to civilization the boon of tobacco. Some ascribe its origin to the Medes and Persians, others to the inhabitants of the Malay archipelago, and still others to the Arabs in general. There appears to be an Arabian word "sakara," meaning to smoke, from which our words cigar and cigarette may have been derived.

PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW

FOR DELIVERY AT ONCE
WE QUOTE GENUINE SCRANTON

HARD COAL

Egg or Range \$8.75 Chest-nut \$9.00

Delivered where coal can be put in without carrying.
Carry charges 35c per ton extra

CARTAGE EXTRA ON LESS THAN TON LOTS

JACKMAN & SON

Phone 57. Been Selling Good Coal Since 1875

C. F. HALL COMPANY, ILLINOIS

EVEN IF there should be no more cold weather (which is some doubtful) it would still pay you to buy an overcoat at our prices.

NOW \$10.00

All out of this season's Overcoats, winter weights, for Men and Young Men, formerly priced at \$11.95, \$12.95, \$13.95

NOW \$12.00

Better grades, practically all of them having the "Presto" and "Ampho" Collars—not a fad but a real improvement and convenience. Former prices \$14.95, \$15.95 and \$16.95.

NOW HALF PRICE

Less expensive coats. formerly \$3.95, \$4.95 \$5.95, \$6.95 and \$7.95

The only excuse for offering coats as good as these at prices so low is our too heavy buying early in the season. Also, in the case of these half price coats, we have only the small sizes.

BLANKETS and QUILTS

Quilts home-made, in our own store, from our own guaranteed materials

\$1.59 \$1.69

Standard 54x72 Cotton Blankets.....75c
Larger ones, size 64x76 at98c
Special 72x80 Cotton Blankets in white, tan or grey...\$1.29

Wool Blankets, heavy weights in largest sizes, \$2.49 \$2.79 \$2.98 \$3.98

Crib Blankets for babies.....39c
Bargain value in Comforters.....\$1.00
Heavy Chase Robes at \$1.49 \$2.87 \$2.98

IN LADIES' DEPT.

First arrival of Girls' Confirmation Dresses made from white all over embroidery, sizes 12 to 15 years, beautifully trimmed \$5.98 \$6.49

White Underskirts in Misses' sizes, lace and embroidery trimmed 69c 98c \$1.29
Ladies' Knit Waists, all Wool, colors red and navy blue, reduced to.....98c
Ladies' Grey Wool Sweaters.....98c

Clearing of Ladies high grade Silk Waists, colors black and white, reduced to uniform price of \$2.00
Children's Black Saten Bloomers, sizes 2 to 10 years.....21c
Fancy Baby Blankets, two grades, 39c 75c

INCIDENTALS

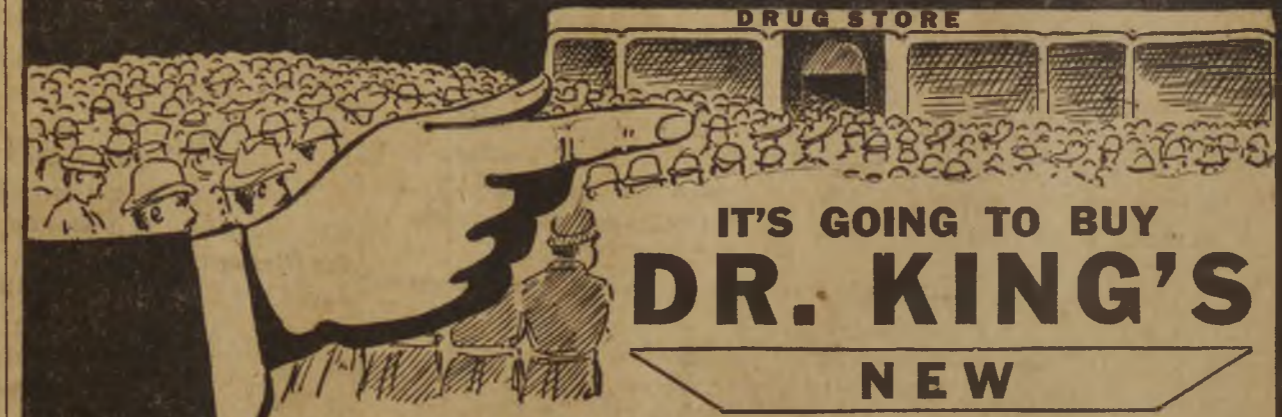
Sale of Ladies' Black Leather Hand Bags at.....25c
Men's Linen and Celluloid Collars, regular 15c grades, clearing at.....5c

Full line of Valentines in 5 and 10c Dept.
Sales of Granite Ware in 5 and 10c Dept. and Bargain Basement.

Remember Refunded Car Fare Offers. Show Round Trip Ticket If You Come By Train.

CASH DEPARTMENT STORE.

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IT'S GOING TO BUY
DR. KING'S

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THE CURE THAT'S SURE

FOR

COUGHS, COLDS, WHOOPING COUGH
AND ALL DISEASES OF
THROAT, CHEST AND LUNGS

Famous for Forty Years of Cures. Price 50c and \$1.00

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

L. E. Carmichael, Druggist, Genoa.

Visitors to the Made-in-Elgin Exhibit

which will be held in the Coliseum on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week are cordially invited to make this store their headquarters. The large Rest Balcony and all the accommodations of the store are at your service at all times. Those wishing to combine business with pleasure will find splendid buying opportunities here in seasonable merchandise.

Our Fourteenth Annual Mill End Sale

Elgin's Most Important Price-Cutting Event of the Entire Year

Will Commence Saturday Morning, February 10th and will continue until the end of the month

It will be a remarkable sale, overflowing with greater reductions and values than any it has been our good fortune to offer in the past. We secured

Larger Quantities-- Better Qualities

of all mill ends than ever before and at lower prices than in the past years. As we bought so we shall sell, adding only a small margin of profit.

Besides Mill Ends, which we secured direct from manufacturers at remarkably low prices, and which will, of course, constitute a most important feature of this sale, we shall offer

Many of Our Own Goods from Regular Stock at Remarkable Reductions

Altogether this will be a rare opportunity to secure good, seasonable merchandise at much less than regular prices. It will pay you to be here on the opening day and as often as possible until the sale closes Thursday, Feb. 29.

Watch for our advertisement in this paper next week which will give further particulars of this great sale. Our large circular telling of hundreds of the bargains that will be offered in the Mill End Sale will be mailed next week. If you do not receive one send us your name and address on a postal card and we will send one by return mail.

THEO. F. SWAN
GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE
ELGIN, ILLINOIS