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for 3.25

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and wear well. Big lot of Boys' suits sizes from 15 to 19, guaranteed to be all wool the manufacturers prices: t JACOB WIHTON, MUNCY VALIEY,

A big lot of Men's Fleeced Underwear worth 50c for 30c; men's 50c top shirts for

oc; men's 5cc caps for 39c; hoys' 25c caps for 19c; men's sweaters worth \$1.00 for 75c Poys sweaters worth 65c for 39c during the 30 days sale.

Also a big lot of Ladies' Shses; \$2 oo for 1 54; also a big lot of Douglas Shoes to be old for less than cost. Big lot Ladies' wrappers reduced in price. Men's suits worth 19.50 for 12 50; and 12.50 suits for 6 25. Millens and Gloves at low prices.

So please don't delay to come to the sale as it is an old saying that a dollar saved as a dolla earned. Please tell your friends to come for the big bargains.

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THE GRANGE

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THE GRANGE FAIR.

An Innovation That is Likely to Be-

come a Permanent Institution.

The grange fair is an institution of comparatively recent date. We refer to agricultural shows, like county fairs, which are under the management of Patrons of Husbandry and whose exhibitors are most, if not altogether, members of the Order. The number of these fairs held the past fall is astonishing. And the interest displayed by the Patrons is quite remarkable. The fact that these fairs are run by farmers for farmers is one secret of their success. They are agricultural exhibitions pure and simple; the borse trot is eliminated. They are contesting the honors with many a staid old county agricultural society because they are pleasing the farmers, and, in turn, the farmers are patronizing them. Here is a hint to the county agricultural societies that give large place to horse racing and fakirs. Incidentally this is good evidence of what the grange can do and is doing for the agricultural interests of the town or county. It is promoting those interests in a most practical and commendable way when it seeks to introduce the spirit of wholesome rivalry in exhibiting the products of the farm and the handiwork of the household.

Rather more pretentious than others are the grangers of Armstrong county, Pa., who are moving to have a genuine Pa., who are moving to have a genuine agricultural county fair held strictly under their auspices. There are about 2,500 members of the different granges, and it is proposed to issue 500 shares of stock at \$100 per share, to be sold to members only, no one to have more than one share. A tract of 100 acres has been optioned.

The Grange Develops Talent.
One advantage of the grange is to develop talent. Many a farmer, until he joins the grange and has taken part in its literary and educational work, finds it difficult to speak five minutes on an

It difficult to speak five minutes on an assigned topic in any public meeting with any degree of interest to his hearers. He had not before believed that he could write a paper on any subject that would be worth the reading. As one farmer said, "I would rather hitch up and drive a mile to carry information than write one postal card." But in the grange he finds opportunity to for-mulate his ideas into words, and often there is found to be rare worth in what he has to say. The grange educates in ways. It helps men to know themselves.

One of the nice things about the grange is that it lets the women in. The farmer's wife and his daughter are admitted on equal terms with the farmer himself. They hold their share of the offices, contribute their part to programmes and have their voice in the proceedings. And why should they not? The wife is usually the most important "man" on the premises. She does her share of the work, more than her share of the planning and nearly all the saving. She is the friend and companion, the partner, the associate and the best adviser, and without her not only would life on the farm be unendurable, but it is a question if there would be any farm. If to belong to the grange carries with it any benefits or grange carries with it any benefits or advantages, it is certain that the wife is entitled to her share. The founders of the grange probably looked at it in this light, and possibly their wisdom in letting the women in is the secret of the great Order's success and pros-

Extension Work.

It is gratifying to know that the new administration of the national grange proposes to widely organize the farmers of the west under the banner of Patrons of Husbandry, says the New England Homestead. The new national master, ex-Governor N. J. Bachelder of Concord, N. H., is a man of sound judgment, much experience in this work and of great energy. The grange has been developed in New England to a most brilliant and enduring success. The methods there pursued, grafted upon our western ideas and ideals, should restore this orfar higher position even than it oc-cupied thirty years ago. It is the one farmers' order that has stood the test

QUEER REASONING.

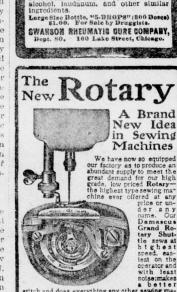
Free Traders Favor Any Treaty That

Annihilates Tariff.

The tariff revisionists and free traders are filled with scorn and anger at the impudence of the Glomester peo the impudence of the Gloucester people in protesting against the reciprocity treaty with Newfoundland on the ground that it would ruin their fishing industries. To the ordinary mind it would seems perfectly natural that any industry should protest against a treaty which would ruin it. But by some peculiar twist of reasoning the tariff tinker and the free trader regard the making of a treaty with a tariff annihilating clause as a duty paramount nihilating clause as a duty paramount and superior to the preservation of the national industries. If an industry is to be wiped out by

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