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Greatest Lot of Silks from Two of World's Leading Silk Mills on Sale III Motiday. We buy from the reliable and well known firm of Cheney Bros., the leading silk mills of America, and from Schwarzenbach & Huber, 472 Broom St., New York, known everywhere as one of the largest silk mills in the world. Such enormous quantities of high class Black and colored Silks that no other Omaha dealer would contract to sell in months, but we bought them at such great reductions from the regular price that, notwithstanding the thousands upon thousands of yards in this great lot, we bought them all as this purchase places us in a position to offer the ladges of Omaha the biggest bargains in fine silks that were ever placed. on sale by anyone in the United States.

Remember Monday at Hayden's the biggest sale on silks ever known to take place. We always have just what we advertise and plenty of it. Such bargains never before offered.



High Grade Colored Wool Dress Goods

French Voiles, the latest spring goods, French Panne Crepe, the swellest goods on the American market, all colors, \$2.98

Edlinnes, nothing newer por finer, all spring shades, \$2.50 yard. Batistes, Wool Crepe de Chines, Veilings, Albatross, etc., all spring goods, 59c to \$1.50

Tailor Suitings

30-inch high grade Ventians, the finest made by Miguel of Paris, yard \$4.98 Made by Mighel of Paris, yard \$4.98

54-in. Venetians, extra fine £2.50

52-in. Venetians, extra fine £1.50

54-in. Domestic Venetians £1.25
30-in. Venetians worth 75c 50c

58-in. Lupin's Cheviots, finest made £1.50

68-in. Lupin's Cheviots, very fine £1.50

68-in. English Coaling Serge 98c

46-in. Coverts, worth \$1.50 yard 59c

Challis

Wonderful Carpet Sale

sacrince that our prices that Super's, this incredible.

Think of Lowell's Extra Super's, this season's styles, at 50c vard. 51.25 Axminsters at 75c. Extra heavy 50c Cotton Chain Carpets, 25c. Roxbury. Sanford's, Smith's, and in fact all the leading makes of highest grade carpets on sale at less than auction prices. Come and see the rugs, in all sizes and qualities and prices.

In our high grade dress goods department will be found every. Valse Brilliante," by Chopin: "Break of Morn," by Dorn, "Impremptu," by Chopin, op. 29; "Alice," by Ascher; "Mill in the

The Leading

of the West.

SAMPLE COUPON

Any lady sending in this coupon and

Black Dress Goods

Black Viole Lupin's Black Cheviots, 54-in................................ Send for catalogues. Lupin's Black Cheviots, 52-in.....

Popular Dress Goods IN BARGAIN ROOM.

Strictly all wool Challis, in dark and light ceclors, worth the things of the striped Challis, Porsians that the striped Challis Porsians to the striped Challis Porsians to the striped Challis Porsians to the striped all wool and the striped all

The entire stock of Knight, Reswell & The combination on eggs is broken. More Cd., wholesale carpet house, forced to sell. These goods were purchased at such a market for. Prices are going down every day. 3 dozen Eggs for Sugar Cured Hams at, pound

Picnie Hams at, pound

Nice Country Butter at, pound. Soda and Oyster Crackers at, pound ..

Sheet Music Sale

How is this for low prices on sheet music: Tomorrow we will place on sale high grade sheet music at only 10c per copy; by mail, 11c. Dealers always ask you from 25c up to 75c, \$1 and a great many are sold at | C-in \$1.25 per copy; our price, 10c. Think of getting such music as the following list at MORE DRESS GOODS THAN THE COMBINED STOCKS OF ALL THE OTHERS. this price:

In our bargain room you will find "Second Valse," "Second Mazurka" and "Matin," all by Godard, "Anitra's Dance," by Grieg: "Etude in Ab." by Vallenhaupt; "To the Waltz," by Bohn; "Dance Music" (Tanzweise), by Meyer-Helmund; "Grand •••••• by Ellenberg; "Wedding March," by Mendelssohn, "Simple Confes-sion," by Thorne; "Valse Styrienne," by Wallenhaupt; "Waltz in Ab." by Joseffy, her name and address and stating "Cabaletta," by Lack; "Charge of the what kind of goods she wants will be "Uhlans," by Bohm; "Lurine" (lovely), consent a package containing from 75 to 199 samples of wool dress goods, and if she selects a dress we will send it, charges prepaid, to her address.

Cert study, by Seeling, "In the Mill," by Gillet; "Intermezzo" (from "Cavalleria Rusticana"), by Mascagni; "Faust," by Sydney Smith; "La Gazelle," by Wollenhaupt, "Shepherd's Song," by Krug; "Spinning Song." by Schmoll; "Norma," by Leybach; "Her Bright Smile Haunts Me Still,"

de Sole and Libert' price. Sec. Hig lot new Vale one price. per d

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SEWING SILK
240 yards of the very best Sewing Silk only
250 worth for 5c—only one dozen to each customer.
We sell the very best quality of Brush Binding for, per yard, 5c.
1000 pairs of fine J. W. Naylor Rochester made fa.00 vici kid and patent leather shoes on sale at \$1.00.
The famous "Stetson" hand welt \$6.00 and \$7.00 shoes for men, in vic kid, ideal kid, paient calf and enamel leather, all the newest styles and all sizes, at \$5.00.
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per dozen, 50 GRAND SALE RIBBONS. Pine extra heavy Black Satin Ribbons, 5c 25c Fancy Ribbons, 10c and 15c yard.

Special Monday Bargains About One-Half Regular Price.



We also have lots of pretty two-steps, waltzes and songs at this same price. Send for catalogues.

Grand Lace Sale

More new laces—better qualities and bigger bargains than ever. Bemember that this season foulards are trimmed with laces. Sin fact all kinds of fabrics are trimmed with laces. Wash goods are trimmed with laces. The control of the base in fact all kinds of fabrics are trimmed with laces. The control of the control of the base in fact all kinds of fabrics are trimmed with laces. The control of the base is assorted, but by far the cheapest for the same class of goods.

Our stock is not only the largest and best assorted, but by far the cheapest for the same class of goods.

Fine Arabian Allovers, \$1.00 up.
Fine Hattiste Laces, 25c up.
Fine Battiste Allovers, \$2.00 up.
Fine Battiste Allover the whole desk strong and upstantially made and all golden oak—a substantially made and all golden oak—a fact of the good revolving office Chair, strong, so Craw Hammer 10c. Iron Handles

A fine flat top golden oak desk, 4 up.
For yard,
So boits of new Allover and Cluster Tuck-ings, regular price \$1.00, special price \$00 to \$2.00, \$2

Fine Shoe Sale Monday

All the newest spring style shoes direct from the largest and best manufacturers at a saving to you of loc to \$1.50 a pair. Every pair property fitted, every pair warranted. warranted. "Ultra" Shoes for ladies, in vici kid, ideal kid and patent calf, with west and turn soles, in all the newest shapes, regular \$2.00 values, all sizes and widths, A to EE, for \$1.50.

The well known "Brooks Bros." fine shoes for ladies, regular \$4.00 and \$2.00 shoes, in vici kid, ideal kid and patent calf—the best shoes made in style, fit and west, all sizes and widths, on sale at \$4.00. \$1.50 and \$3.00.

The Choicest Wash Fabrics

completeness. Nowhere is there being shown more of the fashionable summer Jubrics or better opportunity for buying high grade fabrics, creations of the foremost weavers and dyers of the world, than in OUR MAMMOTH WASH GOODS DEPART-MENT. We have complete lines of such pronounced favorites as Scotch Madras, Scotch Tissues, Scotch Zephyrs, Irish Dimity. French Percales, French Organdles, French Foulards, French Swisses, German Waist Linens, German Grenadines, Austrian Swisses, St. Gaul Swisses, Mourseline de Soie, Sik Mulis, Wash Chiffon, English Skirtings and hundreds of other lines of well known and necessary fabrics of merit, of both foreign and domestic manufacture.

An elegant range of styles (275 in lot)
French Foulards, Sc yard.
Exquisite designs in fine Foulard Fabric at Sc yard.
Imported irish Dimity, in 600 styles and shades, the well known and always popular fabric, Sc yard.
French Organdies, for fancy party dresses, etc., positively the grandest colors and patterns ever shown on a sheer fabric, at Sc yard.
Mousselins de Sole, in six complete lines, plain, dutted, satin stripes, fancy poutnette, lace stripes, and the new plasse of

Ladies' 50c Fancy Hosiery at 25c

Ladies fine 41.00 Line Hose at 50c. Ladies' fast black Seamless Hose at 10c, 15c and 25c.

Ladies' 50c Corsets at 25c-

Special values in corsets at \$1.90 and \$1.50. Children's fine ribbed Hose, fast black and seamless, at 10c, 15c, 25c. Ladles Night Gowns, regular 75c quality, at 35c. The largest line of ladies' and misses' Underwear in Omaha, from e cheapest to the best.

25c Half Hose at 15c-

Men's fine Half Hose, in blue, black, brown and red—this is one of the best hose that can be manufactured to sell at 25c in a regular way. ecial price, lec.

Boys 1:00 Shirts at Sc. Men's 5:00 Suspenders at Sc.

Men's Sc pure linen Handkerchiefs, with colored border, at 10c.

Men's 75c and \$1.00 Silk Handkerchiefs, with colored border, at 25c.

All the men's \$2.00 and \$1.50 Blue and Colored Flannel Shirts at 85c.

Shirts worth \$1.50 and \$2.60 at 75c. We will sell all the very latest styles in men's fine madras Shirts, with separate cuffs, negligee of bosom, shirts that were made to sell this spring for \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. on sale at 75c.

Men's \$1.50 White Shirts at 55c. This is one of the best brands of \$50000 w shirts made and every shirt warranted perfect—all sizes from 14 to 15— Moran Ber all length sleeves from 50 to 25—this is as good as any shirt made to sell at \$1.59—on sale at 25c.

Men's \$1.00 Colored Laundered Shirts at 45c.

Men's 50c and 75c fine Lisie Hose, in fancy stripes and checks, on sale at 25c.

INSURANCE MEN TAKE PART

Underwriters Said to Be Interested in Charter Amendment.

Chairman of the Executive Committee Appoints a Delegation of Members to Appeal to the

Legislature.

COMMERCIAL CLUB HAS DISCUSSION

At a special meeting of the executive committee of the Commercial club at noon yesterday amendments to the Omaha city charter, now pending before the committee, were considered.

When the committee was called to order by the chairman Secretary Utt stated that he had called the meeting without consulting the officers of the club, at the suggestion of H. E. Paimer, who desired the comto the fire and police commission. J. H. Dumont requested that the proposed amendment be read, but this was not done. The secretary stated that the insurance men were interested in the matter because under the present system the insurance rate had been reduced in many cases 50 per cent below what it was before Chief Redell was employed by the city and that it was generally believed by the opponents of the measure that the amendment had for one of its objects the removal of Redell from the position he now occupies.

Mr. Martin Opposes. Euclid Martin denounced the measure and said that it was open to question because it was introduced at the end of the session when it could not be given full considera-

A. Hospe threw a side light on the efforts of the insurance agents by stating that while in Chicago some years ago with a Cuming street yesterday morning about 2:30 committee to investigate insurance, a repre- and discovered a crouching figure, clad in a and amounted to only \$298.51, less than onesentative of the allied companies operating flowing white garment, which seemed to in this territory had told him that as long glide across Cuming street at Twentieth. as Redell was retained as chief insurance rates would remain low, and added that it down Twentieth to Douglas and then seemed from his conversation on the sub- swooped down and found that they had been

C. G. Pearse denounced the amendment as one which tended to place too much J. E. Wagenseller and his residence at 241 less than this average. power in the hands of the mayor and that North Twentieth. He was delivered over it would be a bad thing for the city regardless of the removal of Chief Redell. Fear Salary Reduction.

friends of Chief Redell fear that the salary of the office will be reduced so that the Mortality Statistics.

On motion of Mr. Martin the chairman and secretary were authorized to prepare a protest to be sent to each member of the legislature, stating the position of the club on the subject. It was decided to send a committee to Lincoin Monday to lobby against the passage of the amendment. The chairman appointed D. B. Fuller, Euclid Martin, Floyd Smith, C. D. Thompson, J. H. Dumont and A. Hospe as members of the Martin, 1998 South Roulevard, boy; Frederick accommittee to act with himself in the matter, and additional members will be added Monday morning.

Mortality Statistics.

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The following deaths and births were reported to the city health commissioner for the bills incurred by him. All I know is that we had all of the meat we needed iast month and the bill was less than \$100."

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MAYOR MOORES IS AT HOME Chief Executive Returns from Wash ington, Stopping on the

Way. Mayor Frank E. Moores returned to Omaha Friday evening. After attending the inauguration ceremonies in Washington he came west with Governor Dietrich's party as far as Logansport, where he

stopped to visit relatives. He also spent a few days in Cincinnati. "The ovation which the Nebraska delegation received at Washington was far beyond our expectations," the mayor remarked in discussing his Washington experiences. "All along the line of march Governor Dietrich and his staff were applauded and the redemption of Nebraska seemed to afford republican leaders much satisfaction."

While Mayor Moores was in Cincinnati he spent some time investigating city improvements. The fire department of Cincinnati is one of the best in the world and Mayor Moores was particularly delighted with the work of the firemen.

"While I was in one of the main fire stations an alarm was turned in and the speed with which the men worked was something marvelous. The equipment of the departmittee to oppose the amendment relating ment is wonderful. No expense is spared and the men are given every possible opportunity to do effective work," said the mayor. "I was delighted with the quarters which are provided for the men. They have quantity of good ment for the institution every comfort.

"I expect to improve the condition of the quarters used by the Omaha firemen. Good beds and mattresses were recently provided for our men and I intend to see that they have other comforts. There has been a disposition in the Omaha department to retrench in every possible way. As a result the members of the department have suf-

WALKS OUT IN THE NIGHT Queer Actions Lead to the Belief that Wagenseller is In-

Two belated pedestrians walked along

The two men followed the mysterious object ject that the present chief of the fire de- following a man, whose wardrobe consisted \$562.17; September, \$608.62; October, \$656.54; partment was a protege of the insurance of a nightrobe. He was taken into the Omaha club and the police patrol summoned, At the station the man gave the name of to the custody of the sheriff and will appear before the insanity commission. His nocturnal ramble was one, it is said, of many It was brought out in the discussion that things he has been doing lately that indicate insanity.

MEAT BILL CUT IN TWAIN matter and he said: "I don't think the fusion majority of the board will order an

Remarkably Sudden Reduction in Important County Expense.

BIG SAVING AT COUNTY HOSPITAL amount to more than \$300 a month."

Expenditure for February in Less Than One-Half the Average Amount for Preceding Six Months.

The monthly meat bill for the county poor farm and hospital has taken a sudden and sensational drop. From \$703.12 for December and \$456.13 for January this item of expense has been cut to \$298.51 for February. The reduction comes in spite of the fact that as many people were fed at the institution in February as were fed there during the preceding months.

About eight months ago the republican members of the county board began to proest against what seemed to them exorbitant and hospital. The bills were running an average of nearly \$600 a month, while the ommissioners figured that a sufficient ought not to cost more than \$300 a month. As the meat contractor and the superintendent of the poor farm both verified the bills, however, there was nothing to do but to order them baid.

Change in Superintendents.

remove William H. Olmsted as superintendent of the poor farm, but owing to the inability of the fusion commissioners to agree upon a new man for the place Olmsted was continued in the position until early in February. After a personal encounter with Chairman Connolly the superintendent resigned and Daniel W. Canon was elected to succeed him. Canon took charge of the poor farm and hospital on February 11 and the meat bill for the first month of his in-

half of the average monthly bills for the last half of 1900, The meat bills for the last six months of 1900, when Olmsted was superintendent, November, \$698.95; December, \$763.12; average, \$624.95. The bill for the first month

What Canon Says. "How did you manage to cut the meat bill down to less than half what it has

been "" is the question put to Superintend-"I don't know." replied the superintendent. "I can't speak for my predecessor or

investigation of a matter that brings into question the integrity of a former official of their own party." County Commissioner Ostrom said: "The sudden drop in the meat bill demonstrates

that Harte and I were right months ago when we insisted that the bills should not

TEMPLE ISRAEL'S BENEFIT

Fair at Metropolitan Hall Promises to Be a Big Success.

The fair at Metropolitan hall for the benefit of Temple Israel will open Monday, March 25, and continue until the following Saturday evening. Much money has already been raised for a new synagogue for the Temple Israel congregation and it is hoped that the fair and private subscriptions will net enough money to enable the congregation to break ground for the new structure before the close of the present year.

Special entertainments will be given every evening during the fair. Friday evening the regular services at Temple Israel bills for meat furnished to the poor farm will be omitted and a sacred concert will be given in Metropolitan hall. On that occasion Rev. Edward Frederick Trefz of Kountze Memorial church will deliver an address. Mrs. Martin Cahn of Chicago, Charles Steckelberg and S. Landsberg will assist the Temple Israel quartet in the concert program.

MONEY FOR GENERAL FUND An effort was made early in the year to County Commissioners Arrange to Issue Call for Outstanding

At the meeting of the county commissioners yesterday it was decided to transfer \$8,-

County Warrants.

600 from the addition judgment fund to the general fund and to instruct the treasurer to issue a call for outstanding general fund warrants to that amount. There is a cumbency was allowed Saturday morning adjudicated and paid, excepting claims for about \$2,300. Therefore it was found convenient to transfer \$8,000 to the general fund. Commissioner Ostrom introduced a reso

lution declaring that the druggist and nurse at the county hospital divide their time between their duties and their studies at the medical college and are frequently at the of Canon's incumbency is just 52 per cent the hospital. The resolution provided for college when their services are required at the appointment of Max Koetter as druggist and nurse at a salary of \$25 a month, he to give his entire time to the work. Under the rules the resolution went over.

TWO WILLS FOR PROBATE Estates of George C. Whitlock and John S. Robb Are Now in Charge

of County Court. The will of the late George C. Whitlock, former building inspector, has been filed for probate. His estate consists of \$2,500 worth of real estats, which is bequeathed to the

Application for the probate of the will of the fare is just as good now as it ever was, the late John S. Robb has been made. The will provides that his \$5,000 estate shall be County Commissioner Harte was asked if divided between his three daughters and his



SKIRT BINDINGS

Five Things to Remember. First, that a cheap binding which must be re-

placed costs more than a high-priced binding that wears. Second, that a binding which fades out is as bad as one that wears out.

Third, that an elegant binding adds to the appearance of a skirt just as a handsome necktie sets off a waist.

Fourth, that you cannot tell by the looks of a binding whether it is a good binding or not, and ...

Fifth, that if you look for S. H. & M. stamped upon the back of every yard of skirt binding you buy you can safely forget the other four things.

At all good dry goods stores.