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Nothing emphasizes the growth of our trade so strongly as the visible improvement and enlargement of each department. To open the fall clothing season with a sensation, we have devoted such extraordinary care and time and skill in our buying that our first fall sale, beginning tomorrow, will be one of the most remarkable events of the whole year. We show the largest stock and variety in the city, *but that's not all*—we show you the finest clothing that can be made—and *that's not all*—but we show you a combination of the very finest clothing—the greatest variety and a lower price than anyone else can—and *that's it*, that's the fact we want to emphasize and which we more than prove.

\$1.50 Men's and Boys' All Wool Sweaters for **35c**

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These Suits are made with reinforced seat and knees, every seam taped, the materials are guaranteed strictly all wool. Sale **\$1.98** price, suit **\$1.98**

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See the New Shaped Collars, the New Smart Sack Coats and the New Styles of Trousers

New Fall Suits **\$5.00**

Men's handsome black and blue Peasbly Suits, all sizes up to 44—\$10 values for \$5.00.

MEN'S TOP COATS FOR FALL—Plain and Herringbones, overcoats and chevrons in tan and gray, all medium weights—\$10.00 values for \$5.00.

New Fall Suits **\$7.50**

MEN'S FALL SUITS that cannot be duplicated under \$12.50 elsewhere, made of new and handsome fabrics, by skilled tailors, all up-to-date in every detail, we offer at \$7.50. The variety is very extensive and we feel confident that we can thoroughly satisfy every customer who desires a medium-priced suit.

New Fall Suits **\$9.98**

These suits are a step in advance of anything ever shown at this price. In fact others ask \$13.50 for the identical garments. They come in the new vertical stripes of unfinished chevrons and worsteds, handsome Scotch weaves in overplids in the new olive brown and blue shades—every suit guaranteed.

New Fall Suits **\$12.50**

These suits are equal to the garments produced by custom tailors at \$22.50. The coat collars and lapels are hand-tailored, which assures permanency of shape. Vests, single-breasted, with or without collars, and pants cut in the latest style. The fabrics are the newest, rough and plain materials.



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We can fit any man—especially the hard to fit man.

Men's and Boys' New Fall **Hats and Caps**

We have a complete line of men's Fall Hats in all the latest styles and newest shapes and colors. The DUNLAP, YOUNG AND KNOX shapes, in different fall styles, present an unlimited range for choosing the hat that best becomes you. The prices we quote are from 50c to \$1.00 under the regular hatters' prices:

\$100 \$150 \$200 \$250



We offer a splendid line of boys' hats, in stiff, fedora and golf shapes, and in all the latest colors, at **98c**

Everything that is new in boys' and children's Caps can be found in our boys' Hat department on second floor. Golf and yacht styles prevail. They come in all colors—special values at **25c and 45c**

BLAMES AUNT FOR DEFORMITY

Augusta Frahs Sues Margaret Clasen for \$10,000 Damages.

DECLARES SHE WAS INHUMANLY USED

Knotted Rope, Soapuds and Bluing as Instruments of Torture Are Said to Have Ouwared Girl.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Sept. 12.—(Special)—In the district court today Augusta Frahs, aged 14 years, told in a petition filed by her attorney a touching story wherein she alleges treatment most cruel and inhuman at the hands of her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Clasen of Hallam.

The action was instituted by Henry Frahs, the brother of the girl, and he pleads for \$10,000 damages for the injuries inflicted upon the person of Augusta while with her aunt. According to the petition the girl came from Hamburg, Germany, when she was 6 years of age. Mrs. Clasen wanted a child to rear and chose her niece. This was in 1893. Seven years later Mrs. Clasen took the girl back to Germany, where Augusta surprised her parents by the stories of her aunt's unkindness. The parents refused to allow Augusta to return with Mrs. Clasen and early this year they brought her to this country.

The girl declares that four years ago her aunt dragged her to the cellar and beat her with a knotted rope. Mrs. Clasen, the girl alleges, whipped her unmercifully and soon afterward rubbed soapuds and bluing into her eyes, nose and mouth.

Augusta claims she was compelled to milk the cows, work in the fields and do all sorts of tasks far beyond her strength in

all sorts of weather. In the winter time she was thinly clad and poorly fed. Her hands and feet were frozen several times and she was compelled to undergo exposure to the inclement weather by way of punishment whenever she complained. As a result, it is claimed in the petition, the child is stunted, physically injured, eyesight weakened and constitution undermined. In order to evade matters up the court is asked to assess the damages at \$10,000.

Mrs. Clasen is well to do. She has a divorced husband. In 1882, according to the records, Fred and Margaret Clasen were arrested and bound over to the district court on the charge of causing the death of a little girl named Bruggman, who lived with them as their adopted daughter, by cruel treatment. For some reason the case was not prosecuted.

Will Regain His Freedom.

David George, sent up from Cherry county a year ago on the charge of assault with intent to do bodily injury, will next Sunday gain his freedom, Governor Savage having commuted his term of imprisonment so that he can be released on that date. George, who is an Indian descent, lives in Cherry county and was on more or less intimate terms with the Indians. Last winter one strapping buck, frenzied by the fire water, it is alleged, came over to the place where Mrs. George was living, when she was 6 years of age. Mrs. Clasen wanted a child to rear and chose her niece. This was in 1893. Seven years later Mrs. Clasen took the girl back to Germany, where Augusta surprised her parents by the stories of her aunt's unkindness. The parents refused to allow Augusta to return with Mrs. Clasen and early this year they brought her to this country.

State Superintendent Fowler has received a letter from the county superintendent of Chase county stating that eleven teachers are needed in that section of the state. In accordance with the laws governing the granting of certificates the professional standing of the teachers has been steadily raised from year to year. Now there are not sufficient teachers to supply the demand, and the county superintendent has permission to lower the standard of requirements in the examination. Owing to the distance of that section of the state from a normal school the county superintendent declares that very few of the high school graduates can receive the benefits of professional training and must secure their experience by actual work.

Debate City Council's Right.

The right of the city council to use its discretion in awarding contracts was the theme for a long legal debate in Judge Frazer's court today. City Attorney Birde spoke for two hours and the attorneys for the Union Fuel company, who are demanding a mandamus to compel the city council to accept a bid 5 cents lower than the proposition accepted, kept up the discussion until late in the afternoon, when a continuance was granted until September 21.

The Union Fuel company offered Rich Hill coal for \$2.10; the Whitebreast Coal company offered Cleveland nut at \$2.15. The council accepted the latter bid on the ground that the steam-producing power of the Cleveland nut was superior to the other. The Union Fuel company petitioned the district court for a mandamus to compel the council to accept the lowest bid. The members of the council declare that the court has no right to issue a mandamus in such a case when the articles bid upon are different.

Liquor Cases Against Druggists.

As a result of the many complaints received at police headquarters alleging violations of the liquor laws on the part of local druggists, suits were this morning commenced against A. L. Shader and William T. Dudgeon, two O street druggists. They declare they have not violated the statutes and will fight their cases. Both were released on their personal recog-

POPULISTS TAKE THEIR PICK

Give Democrats Four Places on Butler County Ticket and Take Others Themselves.

DAVID CITY, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—The populists of Butler county held their conventions in this city yesterday. The populists met in the opera house and the democrats in the courthouse.

Immediately after organizing the populists passed a resolution giving the democrats the office of county clerk, judge, superintendent and coroner. The populists took all the other offices. This was communicated to the democratic convention by ex-county judge Hale. A motion to adopt the resolution was resisted by Hon. Matt Miller and others. Ex-county Attorney Cain, who is the present secretary of the democratic state central committee, supported the motion. The resolution was adopted by a vote of 59 to 44.

This is the ticket nominated: For clerk, M. J. House, democrat; David City; for judge, C. M. Skiles, democrat; Ulysses, for superintendent, C. A. Shea, democrat; Brainerd, for coroner, Dr. M. V. Sample, democrat; Bellwood, for treasurer, D. L. Sylvester, populist; Surprise, for sheriff, J. D. Brown, populist; Brainerd, for surveyor, M. M. Smith, populist; Dwight. There is much dissatisfaction and many democrats say they will not support the ticket.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—The democratic and populist county conventions were held this afternoon. The parties failed to fuse. The democrats demanded county judge and county superintendent. The populists offered them judge and coroner. This was rejected. Finally, after several hours of wrangling, the populists nominated a complete ticket, with a democrat for judge. The democrats nominated candidates for judge and superintendent and adjourned. The populist ticket is: C. M. Evans, for treasurer; T. F. Newton, for clerk; J. R. Cameron, for sheriff; O. H. Truman, for superintendent; C. M. Kelley, for judge; J. R. Stock, for coroner; P. T. Soverson, for commissioner. The democratic nomination, C. M. Kelley for judge and J. T. Nickerson for superintendent.

Will Start Irrigation Ditch.

SPALDING, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—M. R. Dawson of Omaha has been here this week working up interest in irrigation. In the spring he expects to begin operating the twenty miles of ditch in the Cedar valley

THREATENS THE WRONG MAN

Drunken Individual Goes After Enemy at Beatrice with Gun and Gets Chased.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Neal Bowen, who lives on the west side, gave a man by the name of Balderson a lively chase here this evening. Balderson, it is said, was the cause of Bowen and his wife parting some time ago. Tonight Balderson got drunk and after purchasing a revolver at a second-hand store, started out to find Bowen. He soon found Bowen and threatened him with his revolver. Bowen made a rush for his assailant, whereupon Balderson made a hasty retreat. After Bowen had chased him some distance, Balderson dropped the gun and ran for his life, drunk as he was. Parties stopped Bowen from further pursuit.

Vote on Bonds for Water Works.

SPALDING, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Spalding will vote on \$1,000 to be added to the treasury for a system of water works. The bill near town on which the reservoir will be placed affords a fall of 220 feet for eighty rods distance from Main street.

Missouri River High.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—The Missouri river at this point has risen two feet in twenty-four hours. This has not occurred at this time of the year for forty years.

RESOLUTIONS BY WARD CLUB

Republicans Condemn Murderous Assault Upon the President—Candidates Speak.

At a meeting of the First Ward Republican club in Taylor's hall last night a resolution regarding the shooting of President McKinley was formally passed as follows:

Whereas, the members of the First Ward Republican club of Omaha have learned with grief, consternation and alarm, of the murderous assault upon our beloved president, therefore be it

Resolved, That this club condemns with all possible severity the sentiment, creed and dastardly conduct of those who would perpetrate or tolerate such a cowardly deed and joins with all good citizens in a petition to Almighty God for the life of our honored and beloved president, William McKinley.

Great enthusiasm was manifested at the meeting and rousing speeches were made by the following republican candidates and members of the club: President, F. W. Bandhauer and Secretary Clyde C. Sundblad of the First Ward Republican club, Dunham M. Vinsonhauer, candidate for re-election to the office of county judge; Thomas S. Crocker, candidate for re-election to the office of register of deeds; Judge Altstadt, for justice of the peace; Grant Williams, for register of deeds; Henry Knoddel, for constable; Harry L. Davis, for coroner; and A. R. Hensel, for constable.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Marchias, Me. when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning." writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her. This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Kubh & Co's drug store.

CLOSE OF THE ENCAMPMENT

Veterans Elect Officers and Leave Other Matters to Council.

JUDGE TORRANCE IS THE NEW COMMANDER

General Skiles Withdraws and the Minneapolis Man Easily Disposes of Stewart-Other Convention Proceedings.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 13.—The convention of the thirty-fifth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic came to a close amid the silence and gloom of impending death. News of the grave condition of the president cast a shadow over the proceedings and it was consequently decided to proceed with the election of officers and to refer all other important business of the session to the incoming council.

Judge Eli Torrance of Minneapolis was unanimously elected commander-in-chief. General D. E. Skiles of New York withdrew from the fight, leaving the field to Stewart and Torrance.

The balloting stood 250 to 476 in favor of Torrance when Comrade Wagner, who had the Stewart interests in hand, moved to make Torrance's election unanimous. The election of officers was the only business before the convention today.

Other national officers elected were: Senior vice commander, John McElroy, editor National Tribune; junior vice commander, James O'Donnell, Custer post, Chicago; surgeon general, W. R. Thrall, Cincinnati; chaplain-in-chief, Rev. L. M. Boye of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Calista R. Jones of Bradford, Va., was today unanimously elected national commander of the Woman's Relief corps auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The installation of officers was conducted in secret after which the convention immediately adjourned. The naming of the place for holding the next encampment was referred to the administration council.

President of the Women.

The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic at today's session of their fifteenth annual convention elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Emma Wall, Elizabeth Wagner, San Francisco; junior vice president, Annie Harnell, Kentucky; treasurer, Annie McHeener, Germantown, Pa.; chaplain, Lavinia Brainerd, New York; council of administration, Rachael Doran, Pittsburg; Richard T. Hagan, Chicago; Olive Allison, Maryland, Ind.

HIGH SCHOOL CADET ORDERS

Commandant Pearce Issues Bulletin Announcing Promotions and Other Changes in the Corps.

Commandant Pearce of the High School Cadets has issued general orders as follows: HEADQUARTERS CORPS OF CADETS, OMAHA, ILLINOIS, Sept. 11, 1907.—The cadets of the Cadet corps will consist of a regiment of two battalions of three companies each. Companies E and G will be united and hereafter known as Company E. The First battalion will consist of companies A, B and C. The Second battalion will be made up of companies D, F and H. Promotions are announced to take effect this date.

To be cadet lieutenant colonel: Artemus McKenney.

To be cadet major: Lawrence Sidwell.

To be cadet captain, to rank in the order named: (1) William Corry, (2) Edith Currie, (3) Harry Kelly, (4) Watson Smith, (5) Howard Barrett, (6) Jack Morsman.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

H. E. Owen of Norfolk is at the Murray. C. H. Beal of Lincoln is at the Her Grand. H. C. Koons of Beatrice is at the Murray.

E. M. Ball of David City is a Murray guest.

L. M. Morrison of Norfolk is a guest at the Her Grand.

C. H. Morgan of Hebron was at the Murray yesterday.

James Dowd of Rushville was at the Her Grand yesterday.

R. F. Marshall, Dick Switzer, George F. Burr and J. A. Grupp of Lincoln are registered at the Murray.

Among the Nebraskans registered at the Merchants yesterday were: James Lowd, Rushville; W. L. Flour, Houston; R. L. Austin, Grand Island; B. F. Bond, York; L. M. Houston, Taylor; A. Albright, Hastings; H. S. Eaton, Wood River; J. O. Beakley, Bohar, W. Haskel, Wakarusa; C. C. Criss, Wayne.

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Mull's Lightning Pain Killer

Master Over All Pain Inside or Outside

If the pain is inside, such as Diarrhoea, Cholera, Cramps, Colic, etc., a teaspoonful in a little water or milk two or three times a while, and generally check it. If the pain is outside, rub the PAIN KILLER briskly and freely on the sore spot and relief comes quickly.

Price 25c at your druggists, or sent by

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Mull's Grape Tonic cools the blood, cures stomach trouble and indigestion, makes appetite, 50c for a large bottle.

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