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## THE LAST WEEK OF OUR GREAT MAY CLEARING SALE

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### SILKS AND GRENADINES.

35 pieces of plaid checked and figured silks, 20 inches wide, all new spring designs, former price 75c and 89c a yard, at..... 50c  
 27 pieces of plaid, striped, checked and figured silks, 20 and 21 inches wide, good heavy quality, our regular 98c and \$1 silks, at..... 83c

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Black brocade, gros grain, all pure silk, 21 inches wide, worth 75c a yard, at..... 50c  
 Black Duchesse brocade, 20 inches wide, all pure silk, worth 89c a yard, at..... 69c  
 Black duchess and taffeta brocades, 20 and 21 inches wide, worth \$1 a yard, at..... 85c

### BLACK DRESS SILKS.

24-inch satin duchess, worth \$1 a yard, at..... 83c  
 24 inch Peau de Soie, worth \$1.25 a yard, at..... \$1.00  
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All the above silks are guaranteed to give satisfactory wear.

### BLACK GRENADINES AND NETS

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### PARASOLS.

For this sale we have secured from Follmer Clogy of New York 500 fancy and plain parasols at half their original price. In this line you can find everything desirable made for the ladies and children. We would ask you to look over this line as we can positively save you money and show you the best line of parasols ever sold in Lincoln. They run in price from 10c to \$10.

### RIBBONS.

For this sale we will show 100 pieces all silk fancy ribbon, 3½ to 5 inches wide, stripes, plaids and figures, worth 25c, 35c and 40c a yard. Sale price 19c.



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Harriet Hosmer. She impressed her hearers throughout the lecture, with the vital importance of untiring energy, patient and persistent industry in all right undertakings however, small in beginnings, in order to insure successful results in the end.

Monday afternoon the Omaha Women's club held its annual election of officers. There was much enthusiasm among the women who took part in the election, all the new officers, save one, having been conspicuous in the service of the club in time past. Mrs. Draper Smith, the newly-elected president, has served for two terms as recording secretary, and the new first vice-president, Mrs. A. N. Ferguson, was treasurer during the same period, while the second vice president, Mrs. C. C. Belden, has just closed a service of two years or more as the chairman of the committee on courtesies. Mrs. G. M. Nattinger, who will act as recording secretary during the next year, is comparatively little known in the councils of the club. Mrs. G. C. Thompson, the new corresponding secretary, has been filling out an unexpired term in that office for the last few months, and the honor given her is

therefore in the nature of a re-election, as is that of the treasurer, Mrs. Charles Rosewater, who will serve a second term. The chairmen of committees were elected as follows: Auditing, Mrs. J. H. Dumont, a member of the former committee; house and home, Mrs. C. E. Squires, a re election; courtesies, Mrs. Town, an ex-president; constitution, Mrs. Harriet A. MacMurphy, a re-election. For the library committee Mrs. H. H. Heller and Miss Samantha Davis were elected and the new members of the membership committee are Mrs. George Tilden, Mrs. C. H. Townsend, Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, Mrs. H. S. Jaynes and Mrs. L. T. Caldwell. During the counting of the ballots reports were made by the various officers and chairmen of committees. The recording secretary spoke of the eighteen meetings of the club, of the thirteen departments, eight of which have a membership of over fifty, while two have over 100 members, of the public work undertaken in philanthropy and city improvement, and of the entertainment of distinguished guests, among whom were Mrs. Ellen M. Henrotin, president of the general federation of clubs; Mrs. Belle M. Stoutenborough,

president of the state federation; Mrs. Urquhardt Lee, president of the Post-Parliamentary club of Chicago; and Mrs. S. T. Rorer of Philadelphia. The treasurer, Mrs. Charles Rosewater, reported total receipts, \$2,928.54; total disbursements, \$1,683.96; total in treasury, \$1,244.68. The membership committee reported, through its chairman, Mrs. F. H. Cole, the reception of 130 new members during the year. Mrs. T. K. Sudborough reported for the library committee, of which she is chairman, the expenditure of \$130 for books for department use. The house and home committee, Mrs. C. E. Squires chairman, reported the various social functions of the year, especially the annual New Year's reception and the luncheon given in March in honor of Mrs. Henrotin. The committee on courtesies, Mrs. C. E. Belden, chairman, reported the death of three members of the club, and the welcoming of several brothers-in-law, as well as the greeting of seven babies, whose applications are to be endorsed when they present themselves for membership in the club. Reports from departments were given

as follows: Art, Mrs. Keysor; current topics, Mrs. Garratt; education, Mrs. Sudborough; music, Mrs. Metcalf; parliamentary practice, Mrs. Patrick; social society, Mrs. Ferrine; English history, Mrs. Sudborough; French history, Mrs. Lindsey; German history, Mrs. McKelvey; oratory, Mrs. Dorward; philosophy and ethics, Mrs. Andrews; household economics, Mrs. Pugh; English literature, Miss McHugh. At the close of the reports the tellers announced the result of the ballot for officers, and the newly elected officials were called to the platform and welcomed with applause and the Chautauqua salute. The retiring president made a speech of characteristic force and delicacy, and presented to her successor a gavel of Chinese workmanship. Mrs. Smith, in accepting her new duties, pledged her best to the service of the club and reminded it that the responsibilities of the future were not hers alone. Both women were presented with huge bunches of roses. As Mrs. Harford passed from the platform to the train which was to take her eastward the club rose by the suggestion of Mrs. Andrews as an act of courtesy, and the same sal-