

Now on! A Colossal "Must Vacate" Sale!

The U. S. National Bank Building to be Entirely Demolished February 1st

The United States National Bank, in whose building we occupy quarters, has notified us that this entire structure is to be torn down February 1st. This compulsory "move order" was given us but a few weeks ago; just AFTER we had considered our CHRISTMAS stock complete; TOO late for us to cancel orders; TOO late for us to have prepared with a smaller stock. As it is, we have the largest stock in our history; finer goods and more of them; so we have only one way open, and that is a CLEARANCE SALE.

The "Must Vacate" Sale we have planned as a means of reducing our Holiday Stock includes EVERYTHING in the store excepting a FEW lines, on which we have price contracts with the makers; all else is reduced; honorably, but energetically. It's the admitted Christmas Gift chance of years, and what makes it better is the fact that it's offered you by a concern whose word is as good as its bond. The suggestions below do not cover everything; but they will give you an idea how THOROUGHLY the prices have been lowered.

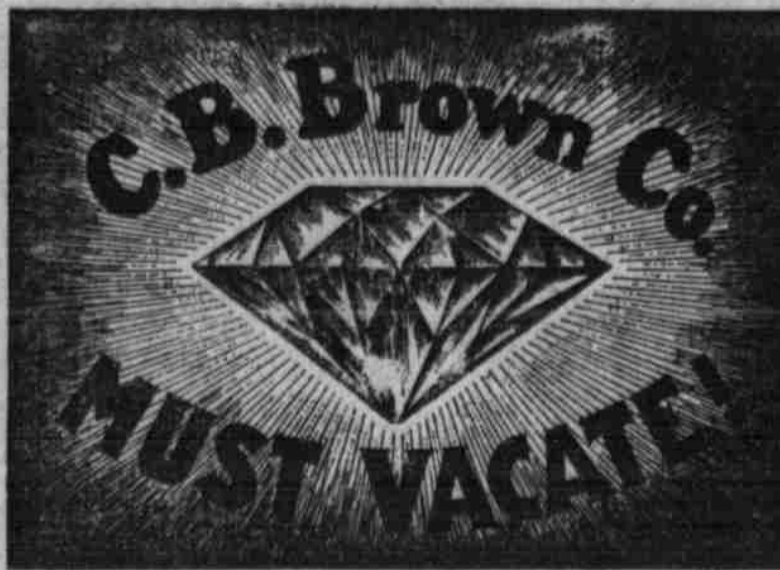
Reductions Range from 15% to 50% and will Include Everything in "Brown's" Stock

Excepting only Howard Watches, Hamilton Watches and Sterling Silverware.

Omahans will make more "Jeweled" Christmas Gifts this year, now that everything in this line is to be had for DECIDEDLY less money than ever before. And the SAME inducements are offered to those living out of town. Mail orders for any of the goods in the "Must Vacate" Sale will be intelligently filled.

50% OFF all Brass Goods, Desk Sets and similar lines of goods.

50% OFF Pickards' Hand Painted China, pieces of regal beauty.



An Economy Chance On Christmas Gift Jewels, Etc. At an Opportune Time for You

We will be pleased to lay aside Christmas Gifts now. But haste in choosing is advised. Stocks will soon thin

The self-same, inimitable "service," always in evidence at "Browns," will be continued, sale or no sale; engraving, casing and delivery as always. There will be all of the OLD reasons and many NEW ones for making ALL of this year's gift purchases HERE. Come in. Look over some UNUSUAL jewels at UNUSUAL prices.

Some lines of Hollow wares are marked down. Inspect this showing.

25% OFF all Gold Filled Jewelry in the store. Superb assortments.

The Watch, the Diamond, the Gold Jewel, the Rare Novelty You've Wanted is Here, at a Bona Fide "Must Vacate" Price of From 15 to 50 Per Cent Off

- \$100 Diamond Rings go now at\$85.00
- \$75 Diamond Rings go now at\$67.50
- \$50 Diamond Rings go now at\$42.50
- \$25 Diamond Rings go now at\$21.25
- \$100 La Vallieres (Diamond) at\$85.00

- \$50 Bar Pins (Diamond) at\$42.50
- \$25 Bracelets (Diamond) at\$21.25
- \$100 Ear Screws (Diamond) at\$85.00
- \$50 Scarf Pins (Diamond) at\$42.50
- \$25 Cuff Pins (Diamond) at\$21.25

- \$100 Watches go now at\$80.00
- \$75 Watches go now at\$60.00
- \$50 Watches go now at\$40.00
- \$25 Watches go now at\$20.00
- Beautiful Bracelet Watches included.

20% OFF all Watches excepting only the "Howard" and "Hamilton" lines; others such as Elgins, Walthams, etc., and diamond mounted cases, thin, flat models, etc. Come in for the full ONE FIFTH OFF.

- \$20 Waltham Gold Vest Chains at\$16.00
- \$20 Gold Fobs go now at\$16.00
- \$15 Gold Knives go now at\$12.00
- \$10 Gold Pencils go now at\$8.00
- \$10 Gold Scarf Pins go now at\$8.00
- \$100 Gold Mesh Bags\$80.00

- \$10 Gold Filled Bracelets, at\$7.50
- \$5 Gold Filled Chains, at\$3.75
- \$8 Gold Filled Lockets, at\$6.00
- \$5 Gold Filled LaValiers, at\$3.75
- \$5 Gold Filled Fobs, \$3.75
- \$2.00 Cuff Buttons\$1.50

- 20% OFF all 14 kt. Solid Gold Jewelry.
- 10% OFF on all Loose Diamonds, Pearls, Rubies, Sapphires, and the like.
- 15% OFF on all Mounted Diamonds; grades of stones guaranteed perfect.

- 25% OFF all Hall Clocks, Westminster Chime Mantel Clocks, Desk Clocks, Cut Glass, Engraved Rock Crystal, Hawkes make, etc.; Leather Goods, Umbrellas, Cans, Electric Lamps, Silver Plated Hollow Ware, Sheffield Ware, etc.

C. B. Brown Co.--Jewelers

Diamond Merchants--Silversmiths--Expert Watch Repairers

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MUSIC

By HENRIETTA M. REES.

LOOKING over the pages of Musical America the other day the writer came across the picture of Dr. William M. Davidson, former superintendent of the Omaha public schools. What do you suppose his picture was doing in a musical magazine? Everybody knows that the kind of general education he is interested in and a musical education are the most inseparable. And that is just how it happened. For in Washington, D. C., where Dr. Davidson has been superintendent for some time, they have decided to make friends with music and give it a chance in the high school course as a major study, providing a respite for it comes from the pencil, pencil and music teacher. Music is thus an accredited study even though the pupil be under private instruction.

There will be a modest examination, and it will be so arranged that the pupil will be examined by his own teacher in case outside examiners are not engaged. The many advantages of this move in Washington are worthy of notice. The many music students who have to drop their music during their high school course, or drop the high school work if they wish to continue with music, will now have an opportunity to combine the two. It will assist in standardizing music on a high level and thus eliminate the incompetent teacher. It will fill both pupil and teacher alike with more earnestness and enthusiasm in their work, and it will give those who have the opportunity of taking advantage of it an accomplishment and an appreciation of music that they can take with them in any walk of life. If they do not make it a profession, it will fill the concert halls with discriminating audiences and encourage the patronage of home talent. Dr. Davidson withheld his approval for a time because he did not think it would be possible to impart so harmoniously with outside teachers. However he is now quite enthusiastic over the plan. Much pressure was brought to bear upon the Board of Education before the requests for music as a major study were granted. Dr. Small is graduate from the New England School of Music and principal of one of the high schools, the president of a large music school there, and the director of music in Dr. Small's high school were influential in their efforts. They were ably seconded by the Piano Teachers' association, which offered a petition and tentative plan; the Association of Collegiate Alumnae, the High School Alumnae and the Mothers' congress. This step in Washington is another move in the direction of more elective courses of study that is sweeping over the country, and it is proving successful in Washington, as it undoubtedly will. It might be tried near home. One advantage of the plan is that it takes no money appropriation from the board.

Approval of public school music, the other day the writer had an opportunity of seeing a rather unique and simple plan of teaching music in the grades. It is called the Birdsall modulator. A chart, representing the notes above a picture of a keyboard, is divided horizontally by a movable slide. This slide has the figures from one to eight upon it with half spaces between three and four and seven and eight where the half-steps come in the scale. By moving the slide so that one is below any note the scale may be sung upon this tone, and the picture of the keyboard below shows exactly where the sharps or flats come in, why they come in and how many there are in the scale in question. Thus the reading of the notes is simplified and a clear conception of the values--the foundation of all music--is given.

The New York Philharmonic society has finally received the bequest of \$70,000 left by the late Joseph Pulitzer. This sum, with interest at 5% per cent since December, 1912, according to the late publisher's will, was to be paid to the society on the condition the society had a paying membership of more than 1,000 within three years after his death. The society now has a membership of 1,059 paying members, so the bequest will be paid.

Mr. Henderson of the New York Sun says some rather hard things to the teachers of that city in regard to intonation. He says that the reason singers enunciate so poorly in English is partly because of the general poor education used everywhere in this country. That there is perhaps no other country in the world in which the language of the people is so poorly spoken by the people as it is in this. In Germany, barring those parts where dialects are heard, the language is better spoken by the servants than it is here by the ordinary people one meets. One reason is the growing indifference on the part of the people to refinement, culture and scholarship. The more immediate reason is the lack of people to teach it correctly, the carelessness or lack of knowledge and observation on the part of the teachers in the schools, who do not teach the elementary principles of intonation well. A book on "Lyric Diction" by Dora Dity Jones is recommended for singers who are interested in this subject. The singers enunciate poorly because they learned to do so in the schools, and there is seldom anyone to teach it to them any better. In speaking the consonants are skipped or slid over, and the vowel sounds are faintly pronounced. The latter, he maintains, is the fundamental defect in our speech. One of the principle laws of singing is as follows: A perfect tone production overrules all difficulties in pronouncing pure vowel sounds on all degrees of the scale; and, conversely, the tone production cannot be perfect if the pure vowel sounds are impurely formed by the singer.

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toward the modern view of modulation and tonality. Mr. Berryman's new work will be awaited with interest, as he has already shown talent in this direction. He will be assisted by James E. Carnal, bassist, and Miss Alice Davis, accompanist.

The Mason & Hamlin company have recently issued a very elegant catalogue of their pianos, a copy of which has been received.

Henry Cox, the violinist, with Mrs. Cox at the piano, assisted by the Misses Eloise and Madge West, viola and second violin, and Will Hetherington, cellist, gave a solo and chamber music recital in Missouri Valley, Ia., last Tuesday evening. A number of similar engagements are now under consideration, preliminary to taking the "Henry Cox Lyceum orchestra" to cities and towns in Nebraska and Iowa for the purpose of informing the people of the opportunities offered for musical culture in Omaha.

The Harmony quintet, composed of Miss Hazel Wilcox, violinist; Mrs. J. M. Sturdevant, soprano; Miss Ethel Brainard, soprano; Mrs. Challa, leader, and Mrs. Robert Allen, pianist, will give a concert in Grace Lutheran church, Twenty-sixth and Poppleton avenue, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

MUSICAL BENEFIT FOR TORNADO-WRECKED CHURCH

To aid in restoring the building of Plymouth Congregational church, which was destroyed in the tornado, the following professional musicians have volunteered to give a popular concert of high grade at Immanuel Baptist church, Twenty-fourth and Pinkney streets, Tuesday evening:

Jean Gilbert Jones, pianist; John G. Janolow, baritone; Will Heberling, and a trio of violinists and Miss Blanche Bradley, pianist.

Finger Bowls in the West.

It is said that on a western railroad where the roadbed is faulty the dining car waiter always hands you a card when he brings the finger bowls. Here is the message it bears:

"This is a finger bowl--not a beverage. Use quick!"

If the guest doesn't "use quick," the contents of the bowl come out of the opposite window when the train strikes the next curve--Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MRS. WILSON TELLS OF CAKE

Bride's Mother Says it is Small and Not Elaborate.

Many Erroneous Statements

Numerous Requests for Piece of It Cannot Be Granted--Brother of Groom Will Assist at the Ceremony.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.--Numerous requests for a piece of Jessie Wilson's wedding cake, caused the issuance at the White House today of a statement describing the size of the cake as too small to satisfy the desire of the public. The statement says:

"On account of the erroneous and extravagant statements as to the size and cost of the cake which has been baked for the wedding of Miss Jessie Wilson, Mrs. Wilson wishes it stated that the cake is nine inches high and twenty-two inches in diameter. It is the usual kind of bride's cake and is not at all elaborate."

Preparations for the wedding continue. The Rev. John Nevin Sayre, a brother of the groom-to-be, arrived here today from Germany on his way back from missionary work in China. The Rev. Mr. Sayre will assist the Rev. Dr. Sylvester W. Beach of Princeton, N. J., at the wedding ceremony.

He is a graduate of Princeton university and during his residence there was a close friend of the Wilson family. While in Washington he will be the guest of Associate Justice Hughes and Mrs. Hughes.

Trousseau is All American.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 22.--The fact that Miss Jessie Wilson, daughter of the president, will be married in a purely American costume, both as to workmanship and material, has struck a responsive chord in the hearts of the members of the Chamber of Commerce with the result that the following telegram has been sent to the future Mrs. Sayre by the home products committee:

"We congratulate you upon your loyalty to your country in ordering your trousseau entirely of American manufacture. Your patriotism is a good omen and will do much to further the cause of more patronage of home industries by our people. All good wishes for your happiness."

through Omaha. This is due to the co-operation of the Thomas Cusack company of sign painters, who did the work and charged only for the cost of the paint.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT IS REMOVED TO FEDERAL COURT.

The case of John Woods against the Northwestern railroad, a personal injury damage suit involving a claim of \$5,000, has been removed from the Douglas county court to the United States district court.

The plaintiff alleges that while he was crossing the company's tracks May 23, 1912, on Eighth street, between Harney and Douglas streets, he tripped over a railroad tie and was hurled to the ground, the fall stunning him. A train of cars in charge of J. H. Goodwin, who also has been named a defendant in the action, ran over his arm. Woods alleges, so managing it that amputation was necessary.

COMMERCE TEACHERS TO ATTEND MEETING.

Twenty faculty members of the Omaha High School of Commerce have made reservations for the Missouri Valley Teachers' association, to be held at St. Joseph Friday and Saturday. Miss Steiner, the head of the department of English at the Commercial High school, will address the association on the subject of "Business English."

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ORKIN BROTHERS' Remnant Sale Monday

BRYANT WILL SPEAK ON WORLD PEACE FRIDAY

A world peace talk is the next to be given before the Commercial club at the public affairs luncheon next week. Albert G. Bryant, a representative of the World Peace foundation of Boston, will speak at an informal luncheon Friday noon. He appeared before the club's special committee on world peace September 3 and there made such a favorable impression that he was invited to come back at this time and speak to a larger gathering at the luncheon.

THOS. CUSACK HELPS OUT THE LINCOLN HIGHWAY

Only the actual cost of the paint itself is all the expense the Lincoln Highway association incurs in getting the poles painted with the Lincoln Highway signs