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NEED SOLOMON IN DODGE
 County Fair Aid Proposition Proves to Be Puzzle.

FOUR TOWNS ASK FOR MONEY
 Members of State Board of Control Visit Milford to Reach Decision About Housing Veterans on Cottages.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
 LINCOLN, July 25.—(Special.)—Dodge county officials and Dodge county people are up in the air over the new law which makes it compulsory upon every county to pay to its agricultural fair 5 cents per head on each resident of the county. This will make a sum due the Dodge county fair of \$1,100.

However, the shoe pinches in Dodge county because there are four towns which old a fair along agricultural lines and they all want the appropriation. Fremont holds a chicken show, North Bend has a corn show, Scribner a live stock show and Hooper some other kind of an annual gathering which comes under the provisions of the bill. Heretofore it is understood that the county board has appropriated \$50 to each of the towns for their show, but \$150 looks mighty good and it is reported that each town would figure that their kind of a show entitles them to the appropriation.

It may demand the wisdom of a King Solomon to determine just whether the chickens, the hogs, the corn or the other kind entitles the town to the money. Would it be fair to have the money divided among the four towns? Herman Hansen is being held in Kansas City on request of the Lancaster county authorities and a requisition will be asked of the governor of that state for his return. Hansen is accused of forging a check for \$15 with the name of C. W. Fritz on a City National bank check and getting it cashed at Mayer Bros. store.

Visit Milford Home.
 Commissioners Gerry and Kennedy of the Board of Control are in Milford today investigating conditions regarding the keeping of the soldiers' home in outside cottages. During the time that the institution was crowded some of the inmates were allowed to live in cottages outside the institution and they were given food, coal and the other things necessary to their comfort. This was an added expense to the institution, which it is necessary, so the board thinks, to cut out, and for that reason some means will be provided to get them back. As soon as the addition is completed there will be more room.

Hallowell Appeals Case.
 An appeal has been made to the supreme court from a decision of the district court of Buffalo county by Florence M. Hallowell, who was county judge of that county in 1908 and 1909. The case was first heard before Referee T. O. C. Harrison and it was found that there was \$83.75 in fees and excess charges which the judge was not entitled to, according to the findings of the referee. The district court approved of the referee's report and Judge Hallowell appeals to the higher court.

Light Penalty for Offense.
 BEATRICE, Neb., July 25.—(Special Telegram.)—James Carlton broke into the home of George Kahler at Wymore last night and was captured by the offi-

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 cars who gave chase in an automobile. Five shots were fired at him before he was rounded up. Today Carlton, who says his home is in Kansas City, pleaded guilty to the charge of petit larceny and was sentenced to sixty days in jail.

State Pardon Board Takes Action on Clemency Matters

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
 LINCOLN, July 25.—(Special.)—The State Board of Pardons has recommended for parole to the governor John Van Hoozen, commutation of sentence to Thomas Collins and George L. Bond, and has refused to recommend pardon for Harold Roberts and the governor has concurred in the recommendation except as to Van Hoozen, which is taken under advisement.

John Van Hoozen was sent up from Richardson county for horse stealing on October 11, 1911. He served two years in the Missouri state prison and immediately at his close was given another term on the same charge for a crime committed before the one for which he served first. He has been a good prisoner and the board recommends that he be given a parole.

Thomas Collins was sent up from Douglas county on January 2, 1900 for the murder of "Shorty" Graves, a saloon-keeper who had a place at Thirteenth and Dodge streets in Omaha. He was given a life sentence and has served thirteen years. A commutation of sentence is recommended.

Harold Roberts was sent up from Hall county on a charge of highway robbery December 8, 1911, to serve an indeterminate sentence of from three to fifteen years. He is denied clemency.

George L. Bond was sent up from Douglas county for the murder of a German saloonkeeper by the name of Wrede. He killed Wrede while attempting to rob his place of business. He was given a life sentence and received at the penitentiary on January 27, 1908. Bond had formerly served a sentence in the California state prison. The board refused to recommend clemency.

BASSETT SHOWS CREAM SHIPPED ON TWO ROADS
 (From a Staff Correspondent.)
 LINCOLN, July 25.—(Special.)—Secretary S. C. Bassett of the Nebraska Dairyman's association has tabulated figures showing the shipments of cream produced in Nebraska as reported by the American Express company operating on the lines of the Union Pacific and the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railways in Nebraska.

The number of cans of cream received at the points named during the months of January, February, March and April follow:
 Omaha 49,625
 Lincoln 12,150
 Columbus 2,150
 Fremont 2,931
 Hastings 1,422
 Other Nebraska points 5,246
 Denver, Colo. 17,448
 Sioux City, Ia. 2,149
 Total 99,292

NOTES FROM BEATRICE AND GAGE COUNTY
 BEATRICE, Neb., July 25.—(Special.)—Mrs. William Tanner, a pioneer resident of Beatrice, died at her home in this city yesterday of cancer, aged 48 years. She is survived by her husband and three children.

Harold, the 8-year-old son of Mrs. Gertrude Evans of Adams, was shot through the hand by a stray bullet while sitting in the garden.

Elevator men in Gage county report that there is a shortage of cars in this section of the state, and that it is impossible to get enough of them to move the grain.

Contract for School House Let.
 HARTINGTON, Neb., July 25.—(Special.)—The contract for the construction of the new high school building has been let to the Merten Construction company of Sioux City. Lubeley & Hegert of this city were awarded the heating and plumbing contract.

Motorman Injured.
 CALLAWAY, Neb., July 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Jay W. Brown, motorman on motor No. 58, was this morning badly injured by having his right forearm mangled in the gearing of the motor at Milldale, a siding six miles from here. It is thought the arm can be saved.

TODD WILL DIRECT THE ANTI-TRUST WORK
 WASHINGTON, July 25.—George Carroll Todd, a New York lawyer, now in the Department of Justice, was today nominated by President Wilson to be assistant to the attorney general. He will be in direct charge of anti-trust work, succeeding James A. Fowler of Knoxville, Tenn.

Other nominations were: Assistant secretary of the treasury, Charles S. Hamlin of Massachusetts. Register of the treasury, Adam E. Patterson of Oklahoma. Assistant treasurer of the United States at San Francisco, William J. McGee of California. Superintendent of the mint at San Francisco, Theodorus W. H. Soudanian of California. Appraiser of merchandise district of San Francisco, E. J. Leask of Idaho. Collector of customs district of San Francisco, John O. Davis. Naval officer districts of California, James H. Barry. Surveyor of customs in the district of San Francisco, Justice S. Vaidell. Collector of internal revenue first district of California, James J. Scott. Collector of internal revenue sixth district of California, John P. Carter.

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\$12.50 Suits now \$ 8 \$20.00 Suits, now \$14
\$15.00 Suits now \$11 \$25.00 Suits, now \$17
\$30, \$35, \$40 Suits, now \$21

GREAT SALE OF Boys' Suits NOW GOING ON

Clean-Up on All Straws-- CHOOSE YOURS TOMORROW

All Panamas, 25% Disc.



SATURDAY, GREAT SALE OF MEN'S and BOYS' OXFORDS

\$1.50 Oxfords now \$1.15	\$3.00 Oxfords now \$2.00
\$1.75 Oxfords now \$1.25	\$3.50 Oxfords now \$2.50
\$2.00 Oxfords now \$1.35	\$4.00 Oxfords now \$2.75
\$2.25 Oxfords now \$1.50	\$4.50 Oxfords now \$3.00
\$2.50 Oxfords now \$1.65	\$5.00 Oxfords now \$3.50
	\$5.50 Oxfords now \$3.80

EXTRA SPECIAL OFFER
 Hundreds of pairs of men's oxfords, broken sizes, all desirable leathers, sold regularly at \$3.50 to \$5.00—**\$1.95** unrestricted choice, at, pair.



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\$2.00 Trousers \$1.35	\$4.50 Trousers \$3.00
\$2.50 Trousers \$1.65	\$5.00 Trousers \$3.50
\$3.00 Trousers \$2.00	\$6.00 Trousers \$4.00
\$3.50 Trousers \$2.50	\$7.50 Trousers \$5.00



FAIRBURY BANKER INVOLVED IN A CHARGE OF ASSAULT
 FAIRBURY, Neb., July 25.—Alleging that Oscar Bonham, president of the First National bank of this city, and Luther Bonham, formerly democratic float representative from the Thirtieth district, had unmercifully beat and coerced him in the bank building Tuesday evening, July 22, O. Q. Wallace, a traveling man of this city, went into court and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Luther Bonham. The case will be tried in county court next Monday morning before Judge C. C. Boyle. Former Adjutant General J. C. Harrington will appear for the defense of Mr. Bonham and his son, while County Attorney F. L. Rain will represent Mr. Wallace. Mr. Wallace had a \$3,000 draft in the bank and had recently consummated a real estate deal for the Bonhams and he was asked to sign certain papers. His refusal to sign, he declares, was the cause of the assault. His signature was secured by force, he alleges.

Baby Badly Scalded.
 TECUMSEH, Neb., July 25.—(Special.)—A 15-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown at Cook, this county, was painfully scalded yesterday from water from a washing machine which poured upon his body after the child had pulled the plug from the machine. He will recover.

CASS COUNTY POOR FARM BUILDING IS BURNED
 PLATTSBOROUGH, Neb., July 25.—(Special.)—The county poor farm building was burned Wednesday. The fire was discovered at 11:30 and before anything could be done to check the blaze the wooden interior, roof and all, was a mass of coals.

The twelve or fourteen inmates were gotten out of the building and taken to a place of safety. The fire started in the roof, but the origin is a mystery. A. Schuelke had been on the roof a short time before making repairs, but it is not known whether or not he had with him any frequets. The loss incurred was about \$15,000 with \$4,000 insurance. There has been a move already to rent a building in town, in which to temporarily house the poor.

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
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This Arm Chair made of quartered white oak is one of the famous Stickley Bros.' make, in fume! finish seat is upholstered with genuine Spanish Morocco leather; regularly \$10.00, now \$6.50.

Special Pieces at Special Prices
 A Few of the Many:

- \$30.00 Dining Table, fumed oak, 48 inches diameter, pedestal base **\$23.50**
- \$27.00 China Cabinet, fumed oak, mission design, only **\$21.00**
- \$32.00 Princess Dresser, golden oak, large pattern mirror **\$27.00**
- \$52.00 Chiffonier, golden oak, massive colonial pattern **\$40.00**
- \$10.00 Bedroom Rocker, Circassian walnut, cane seat **\$7.50**
- \$42.00 Brass Bed, three-quarter size only, sat'n finish **\$27.50**

Remnant Sale
 Lace Curtains
 Odd pair and two-pair lots at one-half original price.

Curtain Materials
 Remnants of Swain, Berlin Volles, Nets, each, 3c, 9c, 19c, 29c, 39c, 49c.

Pillow Squares
 Each, 3c, 9c, 19c, 29c, 39c.

Yesterday Morning We Inaugurated a Nine Day Shoe Sale

That Will Prove an Epoch in the History of Shoe Selling in Omaha

ALEXANDER'S

EVERY OXFORD in our entire stock is placed at your disposal. This is the sale that thousands of Nebraska people take advantage of every year. Not a pair is reserved. Every pair must go regardless of cost or former selling price. Tans and blacks, whites and colors, all must go in every size. Oxfords made to sell at \$6, \$5 and \$4 now on sale in two big lots. Come early and get your choice, at **\$1.95 - \$2.45**

Boys' Black and Tan OXFORDS

400 pairs of boys' oxfords in tan and black, made of the finest calf leathers that we sold at \$2.50 and \$3.00, the kind that was made to sell at \$3.50 and \$4.00. This entire lot on sale during our 9-day sale, at **\$1.95**

LADIES' PUMPS

350 pairs of ladies' high grade pumps, the remainder of our short lines that we only had a few pairs left, \$4.00 and \$3.50 values, mostly small sizes, during 9-day sale, only **49c**

Ladies' and Men's HOUSE SLIPPERS

In all sizes, 20 dozen pairs in this lot. Made of fine velvets and plush, with durable soles, on sale, at, per pair **23c**

Men's White Canvas WELT OXFORDS

Every pair of our white canvas oxfords go at one price. These oxfords are made of the finest imported canvas with high toes; the kind that was made to sell at \$4.00. We have all sizes on sale at **\$1.74**

Ladies' Fine Kid OXFORDS

1,000 pairs of fine imported kid oxfords in plain and tipped toes, \$4.00 values; 7 styles to select from in hand turned and Goodyear welt sewed soles. Every size and width in this lot in all styles. Come and get two pairs at the price of one **\$1.74**

Misses' and Children's OXFORDS AND PUMPS

500 pairs of children's and misses' hand sewed pumps with one and two-strap. The kind that sell at \$2.00 and \$2.50. Come during this 9-day sale and get your choice for **98c**

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