

### Nebraska PRINTING BIDS ARE OPENED BY BOARD

Contracts This Year for Work of  
State Departments Appear to  
Be at Lower Mark.

#### ONE BID IS THROWN OUT

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
LINCOLN, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—Efforts of the State Journal company to get in on the printing bids were ineffectual, it being out entirely on every item let this morning. About a month ago bids were made and let on the printing of the senate journal and several reports of departments. The Journal protested the bond of some of the bidders, principally that of the York Book company, which was awarded the contract for printing the senate journal at \$1.05 per page. As a result the printing board declared all bids off and called for new bids. The result shows that Milburn & Scott & Beatrice are the lowest bidders on printing the senate journal, their bid being \$1.11 per page, or 3 cents more than the state would have had to pay under the former bid. The company which was awarded the contract before raised its bid to \$1.13 per page and lost out. As the bids stand today the lowest bidders are:

One thousand senate journals, Milburn & Scott, Beatrice, \$1.11 per page. 7,000 agricultural reports, Chas. A. University Press, \$1.14 per page. 2,500 horticultural reports, Office Equipment company, Lincoln, \$1.15 per page. 2,500 insurance reports, Gillispie, Lincoln, \$1.17 per page. 1,700 Railway Commission reports, Hammond & Co., \$1.18 per page. 1,000 Dairymen reports, Milburn & Scott, Beatrice, \$1.21 per page. 1,000 Veterinarian reports, Milburn & Scott, Beatrice, \$1.23 per page. 500 Board of Irrigation reports, Woodruff, Lincoln, \$1.29 per page.

Under the retidding, the senate journals will cost 3 cents more per page, the agricultural reports 50 cents more, the horticultural reports 31 cents less, the insurance reports 50 cents more and the railway commission reports 9 cents less, per page.

It remains for the printing board to go over the bids and bonds and ascertain if they are in proper shape to be accepted.

The Chicago printing firm, which had a man on the grounds for the purpose of walking off with some of the printing, did not come within shooting distance of some of the bids, being considerably more than many of the Nebraska bidders, of which there were about a dozen.

### Nebraska School News

BROKEN BOW, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—Thirty-five high school graduates were given their diplomas Thursday night of this week at the Methodist church. The class address was delivered by Chief Justice Morrissey of the supreme court. The names of the graduates follow:

- Edith Cornish, Harry McCandless, Martha Kenyon, Vera McClintock, Deon Downey, Arthur McClintock, Edna Walter, Evangeline Felton, Lawrence Anderson, Paul Fredmore, Goby Apple, Nannie Rainie, Georgia Aydelotte, Loy Ream, Ansel Deal, Glenn Sargent, Fred Chase, Fred McLaughlin, Alvin Christian, Chester Shreve, Fred Haines, Louis Simpson, Vera Herrick, Edna Stapleton, Carlita Ingraham, Mildred Stapleton, Leo Jensen, Nabel Street, Paul Johnson, Zola Street, Louise Mathewson, Joe Stuckey, Oscar Mauk, James Stephens.

CENTRAL CITY, May 28.—(Special.)—The senior class of the Central City High school were presented with diplomas at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening. The address to the class was by Rev. Bryant Howe. The class numbered twenty-five. The class roll follows:

- Jessie Austin, Howard B. Critch, Nellie M. Free, Nellie A. Hase, August H. Morrow, Mildred E. Rose, Frances McMahon, M. Aneta Carrier, Lorel M. Drey, Annie Weller, Len Constock, Mildred L. Morrison, Vincent Starrett, Nellie M. Morrison, Louise Ferninger, Claire M. Soudler, Elsie Campbell, Lydia Viola Erickson, Emma Ziegler, Ethel V. McDonald, Abel Perry, George F. Henson, Lloyd F. Heuring, Hilda Charlotte Anderson, Hil Electa Lindley.

RECUMSEH, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—A large audience was present at the annual commencement exercises of the Reclus high school, at the Methodist Episcopal church last evening, notwithstanding the storm. The address to the class was by Rev. Newton P. Patterson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Beatrice, and was a masterful effort. His subject was "The Evolution Character." Thirty-five young people received diplomas, as follows:

- Miss B. Alverson, Ruth M. Laffin, Truman Bell, Harry K. Livingston, Edwint C. Barnes, Ellen Stovall, Arthur Bartola, Frances M. Lynch, Vertha L. Hoffmann, Hubert McCoy, Edward E. Hush, Hubert McCoy, Robert C. Cooper, Mae McCoy, Marian E. Cook, Margaret McDougall, Nellie J. Croft, Roy Phillips, Elissa L. Davidson, Dorothy Pierce, Lina L. Douglas, Dwight Pagan, Mary E. Frithman, Wilbur H. Sherman, My M. Gibb, Lewis G. Shugart, Ruth N. Hall, Louise E. Selcher, Isabel M. Harrison, Eugene F. Wilsey, Fern L. Heady, Eugene F. Wilsey, Bertimer B. Jordan, Rose E. Wilson, George W. Keith.

VALLEY, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—The commencement exercises of the Valley high school were held in the opera house Tuesday evening. Chancellor Perry gave the address and Superintendent Adams presented the diplomas to the following:

- Verdon Wicklund, George Wicklund, Paul Rice, Harold Campbell, Blanche Blinn, Lilla Parson, Lilla Parson, Frances Whitmore, Lillian Whitmore, B. B. Thibbles of Craig, Mo., has been elected principal of the Dunbar High school. L. B. Gifford, former principal, has been elected principal of the schools at Friend.

WITHERLAND, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—All but two of the teachers for next year have been elected. They are: Frank L. Smith, superintendent; Geo. H. Cussell, principal; Blanche Cox, assistant principal; Maud Erickson, high school; Pearl Warner, fifth and fourth grades; Lucy Pickrell, third and fourth grades; and Miss Main, primary.

SYRACUSE, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—Tonight the commencement exercises of the largest class ever graduated by the Syracuse high school took place. The address was by Prof. Cornell of the University of Nebraska. There were nineteen graduates, four young men and fifteen young women, several of them being non-residents who completed twelfth grade work here. The class members are Earl E. Boerherding, Walter E. Gook, George T. Hunt, Clarence Stinson, Anna A. Amundson, Vera D. Bell, Opal L. Berry.

Nebraska  
man, Myrta E. Gray, Ruby M. Carper, Hazel M. Harpster, Anna B. Kater, Catherine A. Littlefield, Elsie M. Lockhart, Veda M. Lockhart, Nettie A. McNeil, Zenith Powell, Fred M. Reiter, Fern L. Rodgers and Elsie M. Staack. At the close of the commencement exercises the alumni gave the class a reception and banquet in the school parlors.

WORTHINGTON, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—Commencement exercises of the graduating class from the high school, held last night in the Methodist church, furnished a week of unusual activity for the class. Aside from this event, there were held during the week two class parties, an all-day picnic on the Blue river north of town, and the class play, presented in the opera house Wednesday night, entitled, "The Varsity Coach."

C. H. Mescham, president of the school board, presented diplomas to the following graduates: Canna Kubert, Cecil D. Ward, Edna M. Britton, Tillie M. Vath, Rosa Pospisil, Lloyd N. Kunkel and Almond D. Davison.

"A Nebraska college scholarship was presented to Canna Kubert, she being the honor student during the four years of high school work."

STROMBURG, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—On Sunday evening the baccalaureate sermon was given by Rev. E. H. Jackson of the Eden Baptist church. On Tuesday evening the exercises of the eighth grade were given by a class of twenty-one, and Wednesday evening "class night," the following graduates:

Try This for Neuralgia.  
Neuralgia is a pain in the nerves. Sloan's Liniment penetrates and soothes the aching nerves. Get a bottle now. All druggists.—Advertisement.

Nebraska  
took part in a program at the opera house: John Anderson, Florence Bloomquist, Bernice Cherry, Mildred Carlson, Blanch Dovenbarger, Albert Erickson, Violet Paulk, Bertha Green, Frank Howard, Marjorie Hedblom, Augusta Kops, Marie Lindburg, Ethel McCleery, Russell Lindberg, Frank McCue, James Marquis, Harold Matson, Morris Myrberg, Ruth Nelson, Ella Nesteron, Julian Nordlund, Carl Palmberg, Constance Pulver, Edna Requist, Winnie Rystrom, Minnie Sanden. Thursday evening and address was given by Superintendent A. O. Thomas. Prof. A. J. Dunlap, who has been principal for the last two years, leaves the school work to take up another field in the future, and Mr. Frasier of Edgar will take his place.

MISSIONARY ON WAY HOME FROM EGYPT  
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Nebraska  
Prisoner Is Shot by Cedar Bluffs Marshal  
FREMONT, Neb., May 28.—(Special Telegram.)—John Harrison, the young man who was shot at Cedar Bluffs by Marshal Dickey, when the former pulled his gun and ordered the officer into the cell, had been in Fremont for a short time prior to going to Cedar Bluffs. He was given employment at the Young Men's Christian association cafeteria for about a week early in March, but since that time had had no regular work. He came to Fremont from Trinidad, Colo., where he was employed as a miner at the time of the strike. He was working his way east and stopped off at Fremont. He was considered a trustworthy young man. His chances for recovery are good.

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## Saturday Specials for Boys and Girls



Girls' Tub Dresses  
8 to 14 years—In fancy Percales, Chambrays and Flowered Batiste; fast colors, pretty trimmings—  
SATURDAY \$1.15  
Others at \$1.50 and \$1.95  
A few slightly soiled Wash Dresses for Girls; previously as high as \$2.25, on sale Saturday at..... 69c

Coats for Girls  
8 to 14 years. In the most approved season's styles. Black and white checks, gabardines, fancy mixtures, coverts, serges and silks.  
Values as high as \$ 6.50, \$3.75  
Values as high as \$12.00, \$6.95

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS  
In reliable Blue Serges and Fancy Mixtures. If your boy needs a suit the profitable thing is to see these first—  
Saturday's Price \$3.50 and \$5  
BOYS' WOOL KNICKERS  
That were previously priced from \$1.00 to \$1.50, Saturday only..... 69c  
This enables you to buy two pairs for the price of one.  
BOYS' WASH SUITS  
In Olivers, Flxies, French Tars, some with the new detachable over-vest. Every conceivable color combination in chambray, crepe, repp and oxford cloths—  
Special Prices for 95c, \$1.45, \$1.95  
Saturday.....



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More Than Three Thousand  
Men's and Young Men's  
Superbly Tailored  
Summer Suits  
A great mid-season style exposition at

Nothing like them elsewhere at \$20 to \$35  
\$15-\$20-\$25  
No tailor can equal them at \$35 to \$50  
The newest and most original models from the work-shops of America's leading clothes makers. Wonderful selection of distinctive fabrics and colors.  
Every size and every proportion enables us to fit our customers perfectly. A personal and organization service that assures you maximum satisfaction.

Highest Quality Suits  
Every section of this clothing business is developed to utmost efficiency. The finest type of ready-for-service clothes are here. See our magnificent selections of spring and summer suits, in beautiful imported weaves..... \$30, \$35, \$40

Gold Bond True Blue Serge Suits  
We meet every man's price preference with guaranteed serge suit satisfaction. Newest two and three-button models, in a wide variety of effects for men and young men. Every size and proportion from 31 to 52. Hundreds of serge suits where dozens \$10 to \$30 are shown elsewhere, and \$5 to \$10 better values, at

Straw Hats For Men Who Know  
It would take columns of this paper to describe our wonderfully diversified display of newest 1915 straws. Men of this city have never before enjoyed such a comprehensive showing to select from. Come in and see for yourself.  
Split Straws..... \$1.00 to \$3.00 Imported Leghorns at..... \$3.50  
Sennit Straws..... \$1.00 to \$3.00 Genuine Bangkoks at..... \$4 and \$5  
Porto Rican Panamas..... \$2 and \$2.50 Genuine Panamas..... \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$10  
Silk and Palm Beach Hats and Caps—Greats: showing of outing headwear..... 50c to \$2  
Hat Dept.—Main Floor—East Aisle.

## Omaha's Greatest Sale of Men's Shirts

Every man who intends buying shirts Saturday will find the sale of sales at this greater store. A wonderful special purchase of fine shirtings just made up for us by one of America's best makers during his slack time, enables us to announce four remarkable shirt bargains for Saturday:  
59c 79c \$1.05 \$1.45  
For \$1.00 values in laundered cuff shirts. Wide range of most stripes. Sizes 14 to 17 1/2. Special for Saturday..... 59c  
Snappy new soft cuff negligee shirts. Unequaled elsewhere at \$1.00. Sizes 14 to 17 1/2. Saturday, special at..... 79c  
For \$1.50 high-grade shirts—And not in our memory have such smart patterns and fine materials sold at the remarkably low price of \$1.05  
Finest \$2.00 and \$2.50 shirts. Beautiful madras, in self patterns, with striking mercerized stripes. Special at..... \$1.45

Men's Sport Shirt Neckwear, 50c  
Strikingly attractive new spots and figure effects in the new wide and Peau de crepe and crepe de chine sport ties.  
Beautiful Washable Neckwear at 50c  
White, with contrast colors. Pongee embroidered De Joinville. Wide-end four-in-hands. Smart novelties galor, at 50c  
Store Hours: Open till 9 P. M. Saturday; open till 1 o'clock Monday, Memorial Day.  
Men's Sport Shirts at \$1.00 and \$1.50  
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## Saturday Drug and Toilet Goods---Cut Price Carnival

All days are busy ones in our stores, but Saturday is "a little more so." Crowds can be seen trooping to the Downstairs Soda and Lunch Rooms, or seated about the tables on the salesroom floor of two of our stores. At the Perfume, Toilet Goods and Rubber Supplies Counters pleasant and well posted young ladies cheerfully show the very latest things in these lines, while experienced men, some of whom have been with us for nearly two decades, look after the important operations of technical pharmacy. Our stocks, gathered literally from the ends and middle of the earth, are astonishing to those unacquainted with the detail of modern retail merchandising, and well illustrate the greatness of little things when taken in the aggregate.

If you are not a regular patron of the SHERMAN & MCCONNELL DRUG STORES, we invite you to become one for such articles as you may need in our line. We believe you will find both satisfaction and profit thereby.

Ask us for the newest articles in our line, as well as the things "mother used to use." We undoubtedly have them.

PATENT MEDICINES  
Sharply Cut  
We obtain these goods, in most instances, direct from the manufacturer, and thus are in a position to guarantee genuineness, and also make the lowest prices.  
1.00 Elias Native Herb Tablets for..... 59c  
25c Carter's Cough Syrup..... 12c  
50c Payne's Kidney Pills, Saturday..... 29c  
50c Syrup of Figs (Genuine)..... 34c  
50c Pape's Diapiesin, Saturday..... 29c  
1.00 Pinkham's Compound..... 64c  
1.00 Hyomei, complete, for..... 89c  
25c Castoria (Fletcher's) for..... 21c  
1.00 S. S. S. for..... 64c  
1.00 Fellows' Syrup for..... 84c  
1.25 Guide's Panto Mangan for..... 98c  
75c Jad Salts for..... 49c  
Genuine Listerine, 1.00 size for..... 59c  
1.00 Wine of Cardui for..... 54c  
23.00 Fabst Okay Specific for..... \$2.39  
50c Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets..... 34c  
1.00 Pierce's Favorite Prescription for..... 64c  
25c Hie's Root Beer makes 3 gallons for..... 15c

RUBBER GOODS DEPARTMENT  
Our Rubber Goods Department is a large one, and we handle, by actual count, over 1,000 items in this line. We buy direct from factories only, and thus are able to furnish fresh stock—we can guarantee—and at a low price.  
Trained salesmen in this department.....  
50c Rubber Gloves, Saturday, pair..... 29c  
\$1.50 2-quart Maroon "money back" brand Fountain Syringe..... 98c  
Saturday for.....  
2-quart Fountain Syringe..... 49c  
Good Bulb Family Syringe..... 29c  
\$2.00 Ladies' Douche Syringe for..... \$1.49  
Invalid Ring (cushion)..... \$2 to \$3  
Mail orders filled at these prices if accompanied by cash.  
Last day demonstration—Farr's Gray Hair Restorer, at Dod's St. Store.

TOILET ARTICLES AND PERFUMES  
In these lines our stocks are unequalled hereabouts. Our prices tell their own story.  
25c Mennen's Talcum (4 kinds), per can..... 12c  
25c 4711 White Rose Soap, cake..... 12c  
25c Cuticura Soap..... 14c  
for..... 17c  
25c Pond's Vanishing Cream, for..... 14c  
60c Societe Hygienique Soap (Purple wrapper, big cake)..... 29c  
4 leading Laskell's 50c Perfumes, Saturday, at, per oz..... 29c  
50c Pabeco Tooth Paste..... 34c  
25c Mistletoe Cream..... 14c  
for..... 29c  
50c Java Rice Powder, genuine, for..... 34c  
50c Dr. Charles Fleisch Food..... 34c  
for..... 29c  
50c Pompanan Massage Cream, for..... 29c  
50c Laskell's-Jap-Honey Suckle or Violet Toilet Water..... 29c

CIGARS—SATURDAY SPECIALS  
You can save money on 200 standard brands and sizes—in prime condition—  
10c Lawrence Barrett..... 25c  
1 for..... 10c  
10con Cervantes, Porto Rican, 2 for..... 10c  
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1 for..... 10c  
10c Cubanos..... 15c  
1 for..... 10c  
10c Reynaldo..... 10c  
Grandioso, for..... 10c  
Box of 50 Manila Medals Regalias..... \$1.35

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