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To those who may wish a piano, if you do not take advantage of one of the bargains we are offering during this

## The World's Greatest Money-Saving Piano Sale!

It will be, as was said by the late Senator Ingalls, "Seek me in vain and uselessly implore, I answer not and, return no more." The pianos placed in this sale we purchased for one-third (1/3) their real value. We bought from an eastern manufacturer and jobber of

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One Upright Sterling .....	\$58.00
One Upright Hallet & Davis .....	\$67.00
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One Upright Marshall & Wendell .....	\$87.00
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One Upright Kranich & Bach .....	\$185.00
One Upright Estey [used a short time] .....	\$215.00

In addition to the above named you will have the following to select from: Chickering Bros., Sohmer, Fisher, Wegman, Smith & Barnes, Smith & Nison, Weber, Hardman, Kimball, Ebersole, Kranich & Bach, Price & Teepie, Schaeffer, Franklin, and numerous other makes.

#### OPPORTUNITY!

"Master of human destinies am I!  
Fame, love, and fortune on my footsteps wait.  
Cities and fields I walk; I penetrate  
Deserts and seas remote, and passing by  
Hovel and mart and palace—soon or late  
I knock unbidden once at every gate!

"If sleeping, wake—if feasting, rise before  
I turn away. It is the hour of fate,  
And they who follow me reach every state  
Mortals desire, and conquer every foe  
Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate,  
Condemned to failure, penury, and woe,  
Seek me in vain and uselessly implore.  
I answer not and I return no more!"

—JOHN J. INGALLS.

Every piano that is offered in this the greatest of piano sales is a piano of quality. Quality in a piano means, besides a beautiful exterior, that the tone be sweet, the action shall be responsive and the workmanship the best, thereby insuring the greatest durability. Every buyer of a piano is protected by a guarantee from Hayden Bros.

This sale is a piano sale that will be remembered by the fortunate buyers as

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#### TRADE EXCURSION IN MAY

Emissaries of Business Will Make Extensive Tour West.

#### WILL TRAVERSE FIVE RAILWAYS

First They Will Pass Over Lines of Northwestern in Wyoming and Go to the Big Horn Country.

Trade excursionists of the Omaha Commercial club are going west in May. At a meeting of the sub-committee of the trade extension committee of the club in the rooms the proposed route of the spring excursion was discussed. It will include points in western Nebraska on the Burlington and Northwestern, points in Wyoming on the Union Pacific, Northwestern and Colorado Southern, and in Colorado on the Colorado Southern and Burlington.

For the first time a trade excursion will

pass over the new lines of the Northwestern in Wyoming and go clear beyond the Big Horn mountains country to Lander. This point is beyond the center of Wyoming and almost as far from Omaha as Salt Lake City, showing the constantly expanding bounds of Omaha's trade empire. Probably the first stretch of new line to be visited will be the stretch of the Burlington from Bridgeport to Guernsey. The towns and cities along this line are among the most prosperous in the state of Nebraska, though few of them are more than two and three years old. The Bridgeport-Guernsey extension is through the center of the great Platte valley irrigation district and thousands of farmers from the east have taken up lands along the route and under the big irrigation reservoirs. The towns of western Nebraska are all distinctly Omaha towns, selling practically everything produced in Omaha market and buying Omaha goods.

Over the Lander Line. Then the excursionists will make a run to Casper and out over the Lander line, through the country which only last year was a part of the great Shoshone reservation, but which is being rapidly settled by prosperous farmers from the east and from Nebraska, who have come into the new country to increase the size of their farms. One of the daring whirrs which the excursion will make will be into the back yard of Denver, where Omaha goods are to be seen in every store. This will be over the line of the Colorado & Southern. Up around the Georgetown loop, visiting such places as Fort Collins and Boulder, the trade boosters will arrive just at the time

of the year when the Colorado climate is at its best.

Returning the boosters will stop at practically every town and city on the Burlington from Denver to McCook, but it is possible that from that point they will run direct to Omaha.

The trip as sketched by the sub-committee will cover a period of three days to make the scheduled number of towns the boosters will twice visit Denver.

The whole trade excursion committee will go over the proposed schedule and a number of changes may be made, but it has been decided to go to Wyoming and Colorado rather than north into the new towns of South Dakota, which will be made later.

#### IGNORANCE IS NO EXCUSE

Inability to Detect Ages of Boys Does Not Save Pool Hall Man.

"Look at me," said B. Clark in police court Friday. "A man guessed my age to be 55, but if I live until July 25 I will be 72 years old."

Clark was on trial for allowing boys under 18 years of age to play in his pool hall, 249 North Twenty-fourth street. He mentioned his age in support of his inability to tell whether a boy is 18 years old or not. "If you are not sure he's 18 it is expensive to run any chances," said the court as a fine of \$25 and costs was entered.

#### ONE ORDER PLENTY, SAYS JIM

Wait Till 300 Complaints Are Processed Before Getting Others.

#### MAYOR ISSUES NO MORE DECREES

Thinks Blue Law Advocates Are Getting Ahead of Themselves in Calling for Another Order to Close Up.

Upon his return from Chicago Friday morning Mayor Dahlman gave out the information there would be no immediate action on the Sunday closing law, as petitioned the first of the week by a committee from the Omaha Ministerial union. The mayor says he wishes first to advise with City Prosecutor Daniel regarding the best method to pursue and pending that conference the enforcement of the "blue laws" will be held in abeyance.

"I am advised there are now some 200 complaints the city prosecutor has been unable to bring to trial on account of time and I fail to see what could be gained by causing more arrests until something can be done," says the mayor. "Of course arrests could be made and violators of the Sunday closing law be fined in the lower court, but they would probably appeal, as others have, and until the higher court gives a decision it appears to me that further prosecutions at this time would be practically useless. Further, the police

department still has my order of last winter regarding the enforcement of the Sunday closing law, which has not been withdrawn."

At Chicago the mayor attended a meeting of the committee on arrangements for the national democratic convention which will be held in Denver in July. Mayor Dahlman is one of the committee of nine, the other members who were present being Taggart of Indiana, Urey Woodson of Kentucky, Norman E. Mack of New York, Clark Howell of Georgia, Colonel Johnson of Texas and former Governor Osborn of Wyoming.

#### Douglas for Vice President.

A committee from Denver met with the national arrangement committee and presented plans and specifications of the Denver auditorium, which will be completed by the middle of May. At that time another meeting of the committee on arrangements will be held at Denver and plans perfected. At the Chicago conference the matter of tickets and badges was attended to.

"Former Governor Douglas, the shoe man of Massachusetts, seems to be in the lead for the vice presidential nomination, at least he was the most talked of," said Mr. Dahlman. "Lieutenant Governor Chanler of New York and Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota were both talked of, but the idea seems to be that Chanler is not well enough known and that Johnson would be eliminated on account of his being a western man and that Bryan's running mate ought to be an easterner. To tell the truth I have no preference.

himself to the nomination. The Nebraska platform was not mentioned."

The mayor said he presented Chairman Taggart with the gavel made by Tom Harris of Fort Robinson and that the chairman agreed to call the national convention to order with the instrument.

#### CLAIMS WIFE IS HIS NIECE

Joseph Bourke Cites This to Divorce Case to Show Marriage Was Invalid.

Joseph Bourke, a laborer on the Lane Cutoff, is fighting the divorce suit of his wife, Bessie Bourke, on the ground she is his niece, being the daughter of his half sister, and the marriage was invalid when contracted. They were married in Wisconsin eleven years ago and have five children. They are Catholics and both a civil and church ceremony was held, according to Bourke, the latter under a special dispensation.

Mrs. Bourke tells an entirely different story, however, and throws an air of mystery about the case. She says her mother died when she was only a few weeks old and Bourke's half sister took her to raise. She took the family name and was sent by her adopted mother to France, where she was educated in a convent. She says she is no blood relative of Bourke and that the marriage is legal.

Sometime ago Mrs. Bourke secured a divorce by default, but afterward her husband came into court and had it set aside on the ground it was secured by collusion. It came up Friday in district court on an application for temporary alimony by Mrs.

Bourke. Her husband is resisting the application on the grounds his wife is extravagant and spends the money foolishly. He says he is willing to pay the board of the children, who are at St. James orphanage, and the board and room bill of his wife, but he objects to giving her any money to spend.

Commander Parker Ordered to Cavite. Commander James P. Parker, recently in command of the Florida, has been ordered to Cavite to become commander of the navy yard there. He relieves Commander Henry C. Gearing, who soon takes command of the cruiser Chattanooga, relieving Captain Roy Smith, who comes home for duty at the war college. Captain George H. Peters has been ordered to relieve Captain William A. Marshall as captain of the navy yard at Boston.

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