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Don't Wait Another Day



To buy that suit and overcoat. Come in today, we have it all ready for you. We can dress you up for Thanksgiving so that you will be truly thankful for such good clothes. It's a supreme satisfaction to any man to know his clothes are RIGHT, that they fit him right, look right and feel right. This satisfaction is yours if you buy our QUALITY LINE. They cost you \$20 to \$35 and that's only one reason for their goodness. We have others not so good but as good as others show \$5 to \$18. MEN'S SWEATER COATS 50c to \$5. HOLEPROOF HOSIERY \$1.50 per box

C. E. Wescott's Sons

THE HOME OF SATISFACTION.

Have you the right time?
Remember the day—Wednesday 3 p. m.

M. FANGER INTERVIEW

M. Fanger Comes Out Strong In Talk with News Reporter.

Some people having made it their business to put in circulation the assertion that the Fanger Department Store was not putting on a genuine closing out sale a Daily News reporter called upon Mr. Fanger for a statement and in reply to our question as to the truth or falsity of the rumor that gentlemen said:

"I have been in business in Plattsmouth for many years and I challenge any man to show an instance in my business career when I have not lived up to my every word whether given in connection with business matters or otherwise. I am pushing this sale hard and will continue to do so until my stock is sold out. But, mark you, while I am pushing the sale hard, don't for a solitary moment get the impression that I am being pushed by creditors. I have the money to pay any and all of my obligations and then have no cause to worry and not only that, but I have a credit which most business men would call flattering. Months ago I bought a heavy stock of goods for the fall and winter trade and these goods are arriving daily. I gave the order in good faith, expecting to continue in business indefinitely, but finding that my health was suffering I am forced to take a rest. I considered that I was in duty bound to abide by my orders to the wholesale houses and have not cancelled an order. These goods are arriving daily and are being offered the people of Plattsmouth and Cass county at the same cheap prices as the other goods in stock. This sale was not set on a 30-day time limit. It will continue until the stock has been sold out and will not stop until we have disposed of everything. Every day brings to our store a bigger crowd than the day before and that clearly proves that we are giving the people bigger bargains than they ever heard of before. We have slashed prices in such a manner that no patron ever thinks of asking us to reduce them even by a penny. Let the people come and see for proof that M. Fanger always makes good on every statement he makes.

Birth Day Surprise.

Tuesday was the thirteenth birthday of Doris Neilsen and in the evening thirteen of her young friends gathered at her home and gave her a complete surprise. The young lady had been spirited away to the home of one of her friends and at the proper moment she was summoned home where she found the guests awaiting her. Music whiled away the time until the birthday feast was announced when the merry party sat down to a six-course dinner prepared by Mrs. Neilsen and served by Miss Helen Spies in her well known charming manner. After dinner games and music followed and in other ways was the evening passed in a delightful manner. Doris was made the recipient of many beautiful presents and all wished her many returns of the day as they took their departure.

Two Days' Thanksgiving.

The usual custom of giving two days vacation to pupils at Thanksgiving time will be followed in the Plattsmouth schools this year. Thursday and Friday, Nov. 25 and 26 will be the holidays.

Judge Archer Better.

Judge M. Archer, who received such severe bruises from a fall on the icy pavement has sufficiently recovered to be in his office again, which all of his many friends will be delighted to know.

SPORTING SPLINTERS

Little Things that are Being Done Around the Country.

It is reported that Comiskey's son is to buy the Denver Western League club.

President John Taylor of the Boston Americans announces that he had purchased Pitcher Leroy from the St. Paul American association club.

Manager Jennings of Detroit is trying to bring about a trade with Cleveland for Catcher Nig Clarke.

First Baseman Luderus of the Freeport team, who led the Wisconsin-Illinois league in hitting, has been signed by the Chicago Cubs.

President Murphy of the Chicago Cubs is working on a plan to provide his team with two private cars, a diner and sleeper, for the use of the team during the regular league season.

Everybody gets stuck on Lincoln town. There is hardly a base ball player in the Western league but what would fall over himself for a chance to play on the Lincoln team. There is something about that town that appeals to a fellow. Notwithstanding that the season closed two months ago, several of the Lincoln players are wintering in Lincoln. Thomas and Gagnier have positions with local clothing firms, McCafferty has gone into business there, Waldron has charge of the Commercial Club billiard hall, Davidson whose home is in Chicago and who will play with the Cubs next year, likes the town mightily well, but some one who lives there better, and still lingers. Quillen of the Minneapolis Millers always winters in Lincoln and there are one or two others who somehow or other like the town and stay with it.

"Jigs" Donahue has been released by the Washington team and will pass back to the minors next year.

Hans Wagner will go on the vaudeville stage, drawing \$500 a week in connection with another fellow who helps to do the stunt.

They Will Wed.

Arthur Anderson and Miss Blanch Helms passed through this city Wednesday from their home in Greenwood to St. Joseph, Mo., where they will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony today. He looked to be about 18 and she 16. Their parents are prominent farmers residing near Greenwood.

Died in Idaho.

John McPherson died in Idaho Wednesday. His son arrived today to make arrangements for the burial of his father. The deceased was pilot on the Burlington ferry at this point years ago and was well and favorably known to all the old settlers.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the county clerk at his office in the court house at Plattsmouth, Neb., up to 3 o'clock p. m. Monday, December 6, 1909, for the construction of wood and steel bridges for Cass county, Nebraska, for the year 1910.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for \$500.

Plans and specifications now on file at the office of the county clerk, at Plattsmouth, Neb.

Bids will be opened December 7, 1909.

County commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

W. E. Rosencrans,
County Clerk.
Plattsmouth, Neb., November 8, 1909.

Entertains Choir.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Farley very pleasantly entertained the members of the Presbyterian choir Friday evening at their cosy home. Elegant refreshments were served and a delightful evening enjoyed. Among those present were J. W. Gamble, mother, wife and son, Joe Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wurga, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Douglass, Clarence Staats, Charley Hopping, and the Misses Estelle and Carrie Baird, Arline Shipman, Verna Cole, Carrie Greenwald, Frances Weidman, Helen Chapman and Gladys Sullivan.

GOOD WORK GOES ON

Many Employees in Customs House Are Discharged.

GENERAL CLEANUP ALL ALONG LINE

Grafters Connected With Sugar Trust Frauds to be Punished.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Over 200 men have been effected so far by the general cleanup which is going on in the New York customs house. In a short time little will be left of the gang which were connected in any way with the late sugar trust frauds.

In some cases the offices held by these men have been discontinued, thus making quite a saving in salaries. One man who drew a salary of \$3,000 a year has been discharged and the office discontinued. Some of those who were dismissed without notice appealed to the president but to no avail and so the good work will go on unhampered by any presidential interference.

ROWDEN NO GRAFTER

Offered \$405 By Old Soldier and Refuses to Take It.

HONEST COMMANDANT AT MILFORD HOME

Turns Gift of Dead Inmate of Sol- diers' Home Over to State.

LINCOLN, Nov. 19.—There is one honest man for sure in the state of Nebraska and that is Dave Rowden, commandant of the soldiers' home at Milford.

A few days ago an old soldier who had made his home there for some time was dying, and calling Col. Rowden to him he presented him with \$405 and asked him to accept it as a present from him. The Colonel replied:

"No Sir, let the money go to the state. You have been furnished a home here for the last ten years, and if it belongs to anybody, it belongs to the state. I will not accept it, no, not I." The money was therefore turned over to State Treasurer Brian and placed in the maintenance fund of the home.

It is understood that Col. Rowden has been criticised for not turning the money over to the democratic state campaign fund, but criticism of this kind never harms an honest man like Col. David Rowden, late of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska.

Paid Personal Taxes.

County Treasurer Frank E. Schlater has received a check for \$16,265.18 to pay the personal taxes of the Missouri Pacific railroad company in Cass county.

AUTOMOBILE BLOWS UP

Big Machine in Garage at City Jail Explodes Seriously.

CHAFFEUR BAUSENEK BADLY INJURED

Jail Is Set on Fire and Prisoners Assist in Fighting Flames.

OMAHA, Nov. 20.—By the dropping of a plug out of the gasoline tank of the big White Steamer used by the police department, an explosion took place in the garage there, setting fire to the jail, killing six horses and seriously injuring Fred Bausenek, chauffeur of the machine.

To two heroic prisoners and Driver William Murphy of the wagon patrol Bausenek probably owes his life. At the risk of their own lives Harry Axlerod and Martin Kane, better known as Billy Martin, rushed to the rescue of Bausenek although the flames were leaping about their feet, and dragged him outside the burning structure. At the door they were met by Murphy who assisted in the work and who had his left hand badly burned while doing so.

As a result of the heroism displayed, Axlerod and Kane, together with M. Flanigan, who was helping Bausenek at the time of the accident, were last night pardoned.

Chief of Police Donahue last evening roughly estimated the loss at \$12,000, to say nothing of the inconvenience which the department is put to. But one of the seven horses in the barn at the time was saved, and this animal only because he was just being changed from the patrol wagon to the stable in the rear of the barn. Charles Simpson at once led the animal through a small rear door and then returned in an endeavor to save the other animals. His efforts, however, were futile.

Purchased Farm.

Joe Svoboda who formerly resided in this city has purchased a fine farm near Lawrence from Alex Riley for \$100 per acre, making \$16,000 for the quarter section. The tract adjoins another farm of 120 acres owned also by Mr. Svoboda.

Rula Canada and Jennie Hitchman of Weeping Water visited here Friday.

Renfrow Tribune Sold.

Mrs. T. E. Williams of Renfrow, Oklahoma, who has been visiting at the homes of F. A. Beins, B. W. Livingston and other friends, departed Friday for her home. Mrs. Williams was born in this county and she taught school for a number of years and is well and favorable known. Her husband recently disposed of the Renfrow Tribune which newspaper he edited and published for several years.

Sold Good Farm.

Miles Standish has sold his choice 130-acre farm ten miles south of this city to Norman Deles Dernier for \$15,750.

GOVERNOR HARD HIT

Unions are up In Arms Against Action of Shallenberger.

SHIRT COMPANY CONTRACT CAUSE

Establishment of Factory at Peni- tentiary is Censured.

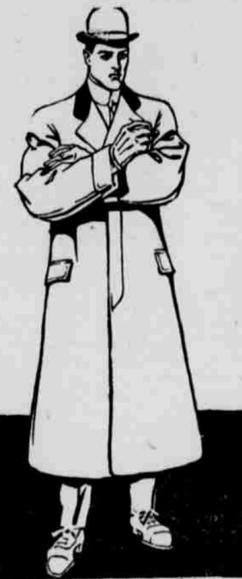
OMAHA, Nov. 20.—The action of Governor Shallenberger in signing the penitentiary contract for the making of shirts is causing the unions of this city to take some action in the matter. The Bee publishes an interview this morning with a representative of the unions who said:

"Governor Shallenberger did not care for the truth when he signed the contract with Max Cohen of Chicago for establishing a shirt factory in the penitentiary for the manufacture of garments to be put on the market to compete with the manufacturing establishments in Omaha and the state.

The governor after granting a committee representing the Central Labor union of Omaha an audience, answered them by writing a letter in which he promised that he would not sign a contract for the shirt and overall factory. Instead of that, he has done so, all of which the members of the different labor unions of the entire state will not soon forget if their expressions last night are a criterion of their feeling.

"The governor was visited by a committee three or four months ago and responded by promising the laboring men of Omaha that he would not sign a contract enlarging the scope of convict labor in the state."

THE SERVICE WE RENDER IN THIS STORE



Is something quite different from merely selling clothes, and taking in the money for them. It's a service of quality; we supply more than merely clothes at the price. They're Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes and we're glad to sell them. We offer you the comfort of knowing that your clothes are right in every detail; all wool, fine tailoring, correct style and perfect fit. H. S. & M. suits and overcoats \$18 to \$20. Pure worsteds \$10 to \$16.50.

Season your Thanksgiving dressing with some of our swell furnishings; fresh for the holidays.

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Falter & Thierolf

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