

# War Mothers of State to Meet Here Thursday

## Fifth Annual State Convention at Hotel Rome: Friday Meetings at Vocational School.

The fifth annual convention of War Mothers of Nebraska will be held June 5 and 6 at Hotel Rome. More than 100 war mothers, including gold star mothers, are to attend.

Mrs. W. A. Wilcox of Omaha, state president, will preside. Mrs. H. H. McCluer, president of the National War Mothers of America, will be the principal speaker at the meeting following a banquet the first evening.

The War Mothers of America organized in September, 1918. All mothers of world war veterans are eligible. In the Omaha chapter are 128 members, including 28 gold star mothers. The work of the Omaha chapter is composed of relief work among the ex-soldiers, in hospital visitation work and among families of former soldiers.

# War Mother Officials to Be at Convention



Mrs. H. H. McCluer.



Mrs. W. A. Wilcox.

**Visit to Bellevue School.**

The second day of the convention will be spent at the vocational school in Bellevue. Cars have been chartered to take the visitors to the school. Lunch will be eaten with the boys, and an entertainment given in the gymnasium in the afternoon. More than 200 visits were made to Omaha hospitals by the local chapter last year.

Mrs. H. H. McCluer, president of the National War Mothers of America, will be honor guest at the convention. Mrs. McCluer is the sister of Mrs. S. M. Schweitzer of the Knickerbocker apartments. Mrs. A. M. Burr will be in charge of registration for the delegates.

**Program Announced.**

The program will open Thursday with the singing of America by all the War Mothers in the ballroom of the Hotel Rome. Invocation will be given by Rev. E. H. Jenks of the First Presbyterian church and address of welcome by Mayor Dahlgren. Mrs. J. F. Clabaugh of North Platte, state vice president, will respond. A salute to the flag will be made by all the women. Mrs. J. A. Rincker of North Platte, recording secretary, will give the roll call of the chapters. Mrs. R. J. Miles, corresponding secretary, will give reports.

After a luncheon at the Hotel Rome, a memorial hour will be held. During the hour Mrs. Jesse Alquist, Dickinson, will sing, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Uhlig, both of Omaha. Election of officers will be held and place of the next meeting selected. During the banquet hour, Miss Hazel Wilcox will play the violin. Miss Irene Moore will be the accompanist. Miss Bebe Watson will be vocalist in the musical, Miss Hazel Leaverton and Miss Edith Rabinowitz will play the piano and Miss Gladys Furness, the violin. A reading will be given by a Misner school student.

# NEXT THURSDAY IS "BUNDLE DAY"

Mayor Dahlgren has issued a proclamation designating next Thursday as "Bundle day" when the near east relief in co-operation with the schools will collect clothing.

On Monday school children will take home a shipping tag which will be tied to the bundle of clothing which his parents will be asked to pack. The bundles will be brought to the schools and on Thursday near east relief trucks will collect them to be shipped as part of the cargo which is to be taken to the near east this summer by Jackie Coogan.

There are 60,000 orphan children in orphanages of Greece, Syria, Palestine, Persia and Georgia. Fifty thousand more are being fed one meal a day. It is said more than 1,000,000 lives have been saved through the near east relief organization.

**Prisoners Ask Parole.**

Table Rock, Neb., May 31.—Fred Jones and Henry Jackson, serving terms in the state penitentiary for a robbery in Table Rock three years ago, have applied to the state board of pardons for a parole. These men held up W. J. Shallenberger of this place.

# Richard Cornhusker, "Ak" Hero, Breezes Into Hokum, County of Bragg, Bullifornia; Is "Fleeced"

**By A. R. GROH.**

Richard Cornhusker, an honest Nebraska farmer, got the fever to go to California and, we mean Bullifornia. He went. His adventures there and his eventual return to the great commonwealth of Nebraska comprise the plot of the new Ak-Sar-Ben show which will have its premier at the historic "Den" tomorrow night.

It's something entirely new in "Ak" shows and it's a "knockout" according to Impresario Gus Renze, Stage Director Frank Latenser and Oscar Lieben. Leading Man Lawrence Shaw, Lyrics Writer O. Lawrence Hawthorne, Music Author Fritz Al Carlson and Assistant Miles Greenleaf.

After viewing a rehearsal, the writer who is a veteran of several Ak-Sar-Ben shows, agrees with these gentlemen and wishes to state that the man who fails to get a membership and see this show is cheating himself out of the biggest \$10 worth he has ever been cheated out of.

Seeing that show every Monday night for as many Monday nights as the folks who wish to get free hot dogs, cheese sandwiches, buttermilk and near beer, to say nothing of tickets to the ball, is a bargain exceeded by nothing else we can think of outside of the purchase of Manhattan Island from the Indians for \$24 worth of beads.

**Enguys "Permanent Ravers."**

Folks who have the "permanent rave" about California will not enjoy it so much, for it is a satire on the so-called Golden state's penchant for boosting itself. But most of the folks who see will be of the opinion that Nebraska is pretty good at that.

Of course, most of what goes on inside the Den cannot be divulged. It

# MIDLAND PLEDGES TOTAL \$100,000

**Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.**

Fremont, Neb., May 31.—Continued success is being met in the Midland college appeal for \$500,000 for its expansion program. Several additional large pledges have been received in advance of the concentrated drive June 8 to 16.

The German Nebraska synod has pledged \$25,000.

Mrs. Mary Sudman and family at Sarben have pledged \$5,000, as have also Dr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Miller of Surprise, Neb. A donor, who preferred that his gift should be anonymous, has pledged \$10,000. A mother in Kansas, who also declined to divulge her name, pledged \$5,000.

To date, Dr. J. F. Krueger announced, pledges have been made with a total over \$100,000.

# BIG CELEBRATION AT DAKOTA TOWN

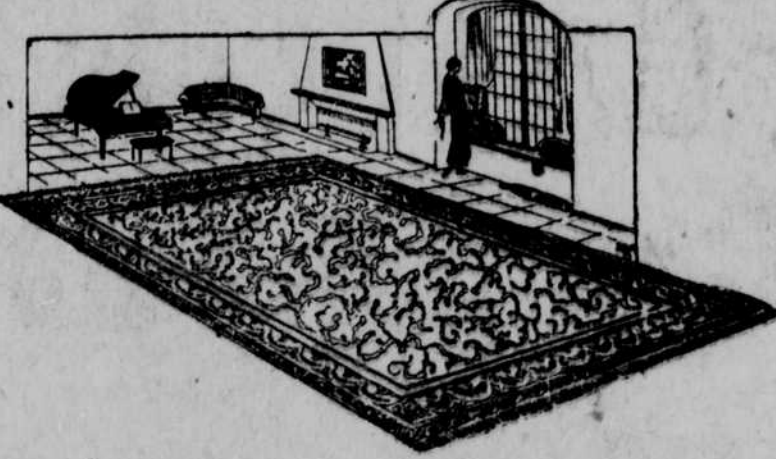
Miller, S. D., May 31.—Everything is in readiness for South Dakota development congress, which opens in Miller next Wednesday morning.

Golf, horseshoes, baseball, merry-go-round for big and little, band concerts, quartet, choruses, movies, barbecue and speeches by prominent men of South Dakota and nearby states make up the program of these two big days.

Visitors will be here from all parts of the state. W. J. Arnold, secretary of the association, states that large delegations are coming from Sioux Falls, Watertown, Aberdeen, Huron, Mitchell and Redfield, all helping to make this the biggest get-together meeting ever held in the state.

# Orchard-Wilhelm RUGS

SIXTEENTH AND HOWARD STREETS.



### ---Purchased in the May Market at Bargain Prices Are Offered Omahans THIS WEEK

## "High Lights" of the Sale:---

All grades of Rugs are in this offering including Wiltons, Velvets, Axminsters and Saxony's. There are so many rugs that we are using our main floor for Extra Sales Space for this event. Some of the rugs are slightly imperfect, but clearly so designated in every instance. The values are such as have over and over again proven the desirability of shopping at Orchard & Wilhelm Co.

### Savings Range From 15% to 33 1/3%

For those who wish to make their own draperies we are equipped to give every assistance.

Illustrated Pictorial Review Pat. No. 125. Pattern costs 50c.

Materials needed for a 7-foot window, 6 1/2 yards of 36-inch width or 8 1/2 yards of 50-inch width. 8 1/2 yards of edging are needed together with 2 1/2 yards of braid.

There are 21 others on which we can furnish the same information and supply the paper patterns.

Ask for Pattern Book, 25c. Especially Attractive are our offerings of

## Fringed Curtains

—for formal rooms

New and very attractive designs in fringed, figured Super Filet Curtains for living room or dining room, per pair, ..... 4.85

## Fringed Punto Tirato

A figured Casement Net Curtain of great beauty, per pair, ..... 5.50

## Escola Net Curtains

A plain or figured net similar in style to the popular Tuscan of last year. Shown with fringes; per pair, ..... 7.00

## Fringed Broiderligne Curtains

Reminding one of old-fashioned embroidery. Especially suitable for casements. Pair ..... 8.50

## Take a Portable 'Autophone on Your Vacation

This little "Suitcase" Phonograph with the Victor and Brunswick records you love best will add that last touch to your vacation, making it a complete success. Main Floor.

## Our Sale of Wamsutta Sheets and Cases

Offers you an opportunity to purchase the best of percale sheets at less than regular prices. And really good sheets are so satisfactory, you know.

**Percale Quality Plain**

4.50 72x108, each..... 3.25  
4.25 81x90, each..... 3.25  
90c 42x38 1/2, each..... 75c  
1.00 48x38 1/2, each..... 80c

**New Bedford Quality Plain**

3.25 68x90, each..... 2.00  
3.75 81x90, each..... 2.55  
4.25 81x108, each..... 3.00  
75c 42x38 1/2, each..... 55c  
85c 45x38 1/2, each..... 60c

## Fancy Bed Spreads

Especially suitable for your bed chamber at this time of year. Stenciled—Appliqued—Candrewick, and Crewel Embroidery in practically all colors or combinations of colors, suitable for bedroom use. Single or double bed size priced up to ..... 11.75  
5.25 stenciled designs, single size ..... 3.95  
5.75 stenciled designs, double bed size ..... 4.85

## Examples

**Axminsters**  
Many of these rugs are made without a seam, all of them have the high wool pile that gives such good service, while the designs and colorings are new and altogether desirable.  
4.6x6.6 Axminsters ..... 14.75 and 17.75  
—instead of 17.50 and 22.50  
6x9 Axminsters ..... 19.50 to 28.50  
—instead of 24.50 to 35.50  
8.3x10.6 Axminsters ..... 28.50 to 45.00  
—instead of 34.50 to 51.50  
9x12 Axminsters ..... 28.50 to 49.00  
—instead of 37.50 to 59.50

**Rag Rugs**  
Qualities vary, but values are uniformly excellent. Sizes, colors and patterns are in never ending assortment. A few oval shapes are in the offering.  
1.50 2.50 4.00  
—instead of appreciably higher prices.

## Velvets

This is an especially attractive offering comprised of several grades, so that if you favor the easy-to-sweep, close nap of the velvet rug, you are bound to find such a rug at the price you wish to pay.  
9x12 Velvets ..... 24.50 to 42.50  
—instead of 32.00 to 52.50

## Small Hartford Saxony's and Wiltons

Here again you will find a very wide assortment, and the patterns being dropped by the mill the savings are most substantial for such fine standard rugs.  
27x54 Wiltons and Saxony's ..... 12.50  
—instead of 14.00  
36x63 Wiltons and Saxony's ..... 18.75  
—instead of 23.50

## Small Axminsters

Attractive patterns, so varied in design and color that you can find rugs for every room, landing and hallway—Arranged in piles on our main floor according to size.  
6.50 27x54 Axminsters ..... 4.75  
7.25 36x63 Axminsters ..... 5.25  
10.00 36x70 Axminsters ..... 7.75

## Fine Wiltons

Space will not permit us to quote all the Wilton sizes and prices, but customers can be assured that the selection is large and the values most attractive. Sizes range from 27x54 inches to 11.3x 15 feet, and include all the unusual sizes, shown in liberal assortment only by Orchard & Wilhelm.

## 'Axminster Hall Runners

These rugs have been very hard to procure. Now we have them and are able to offer them at extraordinarily low prices.  
27 inches x9 feet, sale price ..... 13.50  
27 inches x12 feet, sale price ..... 17.75  
27 inches x15 feet, sale price ..... 21.50  
36 inches x9 feet, sale price ..... 17.75  
36 inches x12 feet, sale price ..... 23.50

## Hundreds of Carpet Remnants

from 50c per remnant. Short rolls, enough for small rooms; from, per yard, \$1.05

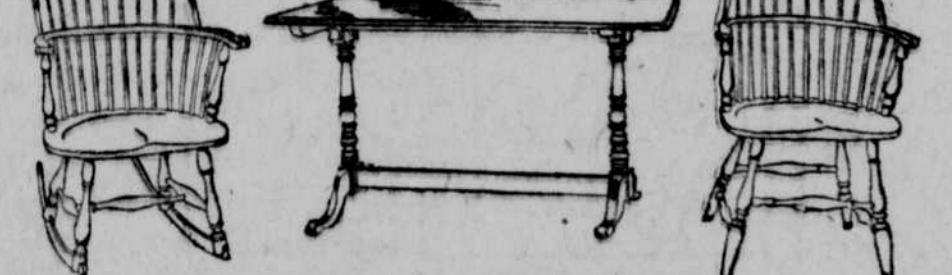
---Store Opens 9 A. M. This Sale on Main and Second---

# June, the Month of Brides

The June bride of thirty-one years ago, shopping in Omaha, may have had some doubt as to where to buy her furniture, but today she knows, and is advising her daughter to go to Orchard & Wilhelm because their merchandise has stood the test, her test; their business principles won her esteem and good will.

One dominating advantage found in selecting furniture in this store rests upon the fact that we are the exclusive agents in this territory for such fine furniture factories as Berkeley & Gay, Imperial Furniture Co., Knox-Hutchins, Valentine-Beaver and other institutions that are bywords in the trade for creative styles and efficiency of manufacture. This is our thirty-second June and June brides are again asked to let us help with their home-furnishing problems.

For our part no sympathetic attention or painstaking effort shall be spared to give them the very best this house affords.

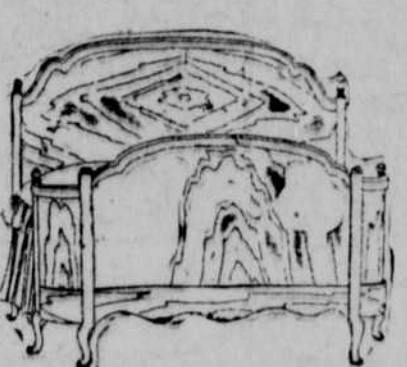


**Exchange**

Your old furniture for new through our Exchange Department. Ask for an appraiser.

**Use Our Budget Plan to Pay**

June, the month of hearty good will toward brides, is the month we extend every consideration toward young homemakers.



**Bow Foot Bed**—As pictured. This is a full size bed that can be matched up with other pieces; price ..... 34.00

## "Imperial Tables"

The fine two-tone mahogany finish, together with the select stock that goes into these tables, makes them very desirable. The style pictured is one of simple grace and a most excellent value. Size 20x60 inches ..... 26.00

## Windsor Chairs

These genuine Mahogany Windsor Chairs and Rockers are constructed from the finest of stock in a design that is both authentic and very serviceable. Chair or Rocker, each ..... 23.50

## Guaranteed Mattresses

Without costing you a penny more, all our better felted cotton mattresses will be sold with a BOND that guarantees you satisfaction or replacement.

Here are some of the guaranteed mattresses, we quote for full size:

Winner, 45 lbs., at ..... 19.45  
Hotel Special, 50 lbs., at ..... 23.50  
Empress (non-stretchable), 50 lbs., at ..... 28.50

Builtwell, 50 lbs. A very popular mattress. 29.75  
Flexo (patent spring center), 60 lbs., at... 39.50  
Inner Stitch, a tuftless mattress of wonderful resilience, 50 lbs. .... 50.00  
Other O. & W. Mattresses that we hesitate to put so broad a guarantee upon, yet such as will give excellent service and satisfaction, at—  
9.85 12.50 15.00

## Detroit Jewel Gas and Oil Stoves

All This Week the 62.50 Range Illustrated will be sold at 49.50  
And White Porcelain Top Table illustrated will be given FREE.

FEATURES—White porcelain parts as shown. Oven large enough for WEAR-EVER turkey roaster.

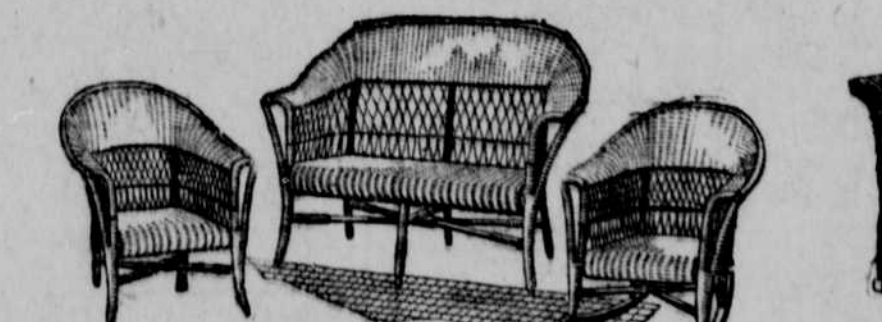
## TERMS

Accounts opened for those who wish to defer payments to the first of July and thereafter, you may pay as little as, per month ..... 500  
Fuel line and connections FREE. A liberal allowance made on your old stove. Ask about Detroit Jewel Furnaces.

**Herrick Refrigerators**  
Two Special Numbers  
100-lb. 3-door style with odorless spruce lining—The kind of value that has made HERRICK famous—  
46.50  
70-lb., 2-door style with white enamel lining. This is an unusually good value—  
29.50



**Maple Porch Rockers**—Natural maple color, with double, hand-woven cane seats. 3.95  
Chairs and Settees also shown to match.



**3-piece Brown Kaltex Suite**—Unexcelled for use in small apartments, sunrooms, enclosed porches, etc. Exactly as pictured, in baronial brown. Price ..... 38.75  
A simple 3-piece Kaltex Suite for porch or sun parlor can also be seen at ..... 23.20



**Large Vanity Dresser**—As pictured, to match bed and other pieces; price only ..... 59.75

## What is a Suggestry

A suggestry is a department that makes really wise, appropriate and altogether delightful suggestions to friends and relatives frantically searching for the most cunning and acceptable

## Gifts for Brides

For Instance  
**Stemware**  
—for Brides

A charming gift can be made from the new Stemware we are displaying this spring. We suggest services for six, eight or twelve in one or all shapes. You can give the goblets and another friend can give the sherberts or parfaits. WE keep the record. Worthy of note are:  
Ice Tea Sets, \$3.00 to \$15.00.  
Crystal Goblets, doz., \$6.50.  
Iridescent Goblets, \$9.00.  
Iridescent Sherberts, \$9.00.

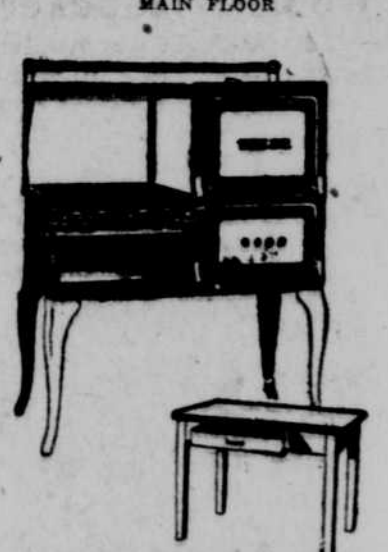
## Fine Silver Plate

—for Brides  
The especially attractive things that you can find in fine silver plate or Dutch are appreciated by every bride. Between a sugar and cream set and a complete tea service there is such a wide range of possibilities that you can regulate the expenditure. Beautifully done Sandwich Trays, \$5.00.

Large Pitchers, \$10.00 and \$12.50.  
Sugar and Cream Sets at \$16.00.  
Coffee Sets (Pot. Sugar, Creamer, Tray), \$16.00.  
Gravy Boat, \$10.00.

## Lenox China

—for Brides  
Nothing is quite so encouraging to one who has everything to purchase in China as the gift of service plates or teas or one of the important items in their favorite pattern. Our exclusive showing of the famous Lenox (Bell) China is larger than ever before.



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