

### Mother Dismisses Suit of \$200,000 to Secure Child

Three-Year Fight for Son Ends With Adoption by Maternal Grandparents.

A three-year fight between Mrs. Eileen Birks, 4319 Erskine street, and her divorced husband, George Birks, Mount Pulaski, Ill., for possession of their son, Robert, 5, ended in domestic relations court Wednesday with victory for the mother.

An agreement was entered whereby Mrs. Birks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Edwards, 4319 Erskine street, will adopt the boy.

But to gain her son, Mrs. Birks gave up \$50 in unpaid alimony, and consented to disburse a \$200,000 damage suit against her father-in-law, W. E. Birks, for alleged alienation of the younger Birks' affections.

"I don't care. I have Robert," she said. And her mother echoed the sentiment.

**Mystery Surrounds Hearing.**

Much mystery surrounded the proceedings. Birks and his father had an exciting session when they appeared in court for the first time last Monday morning. The younger Birks found a detective waiting to arrest him for alleged assault on his former wife. The elder Birks was served by a deputy sheriff with a summons in the \$200,000 suit just filed against him.

Neither "showed up" Monday afternoon when the case was scheduled to go on.

Nor did they appear Wednesday morning at the hour of trial. Mrs. Birks and her attorney and her mother were there. So was the attorney for the Mt. Pulaski Birks.

They flitted in and out of the deserted courtroom and Judge Day's office. They consulted in corners of the corridors. They watched the elevators. In midafternoon the detective went away. Shortly thereafter the group was in the county judge's office writing out the adoption agreement.

**\$200,000 Suit Dismissed.**

Later they were in the office of Presiding Judge Fitzgerald, dismissing the \$200,000 suit.

They had no way of getting the action against young Birks for assault dismissed. But, as he didn't appear, he could not be arrested.

Automatically the child loses his claim to any part of the fortune of W. E. Birks, his grandfather, said to exceed \$200,000.

### GRANDFATHERS ARE HONORED

E. M. Martin, attorney, entertained "Grandpa" W. B. T. Belt, president, Northwestern Bell Telephone company, and "Grandpa" F. H. Gaines, Omaha attorney, at a luncheon Wednesday noon at the Omaha club. A dozen prominent Omaha business men attended.

Francis Gaines, Jr., attorney, son of "Grandpa" Gaines and Mrs. Gaines, formerly Miss Dorothy Belt, announced the arrival of a son Monday, their wedding anniversary.

### Brief City News

Vote for Robert Smith for Clerk of the District Court.—Adv.

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### Get Out and Vote!

With practically every precinct in the city canvassed by the get-out-the-vote committee, many window cards are being distributed to those residence and business places where everybody has registered. These cards read: Our Registration 100 per cent. New Vote.

### MORE LIGHTS FOR NIGHT AIR MAIL

More lights to facilitate night flying on the transcontinental air mail route will be placed in service following a meeting of air mail officials at the office of Carl Egge, superintendent, here. The route will be lighted across New Jersey from New York, and across California from San Francisco. Pilots heretofore have been forced by rules to descend when darkness overtakes them on portions of the routes not lighted.

The officials also decided to establish a new fourth division which will include the jump from Cheyenne to Salt Lake City, with headquarters at Cheyenne. An invitation to all aircraft manufacturers to submit planes specially designed for air mail flying was sent out from the conference.

### Football Player Injured.

De Witt, Neb., Oct. 22.—Ira Pfeiffer, young high school student of De Witt, sustained a broken right arm when he was thrown and crushed by other players falling on top of him in a football game here.

### State Council of Red Cross Planned

Chapters to Meet in Lincoln Today to Take Up Unification.

Lincoln, Oct. 22.—Plans for the establishment of a state council of Red Cross chapter will be considered at a meeting of Red Cross chapters and chapter branches of Nebraska here tomorrow.

The organization has been called to the meeting to consider ways and means of uniting the association more closely than ever before. It is felt that with a state council, a central point from which activities may be directed, the organization will function more efficiently than in the past.

Plans for the eighth annual roll call, Armistice day to Thanksgiving day, will also be considered.

The program for the meeting is: Morning Session, 10 A. M. State Director of Roll Call L. W. Trester, presiding.

Prayer. Welcome address and response. Red Cross address, division representative. Discussion. Chapter service, R. L. Alston, Nebraska field representative.

Discussion. Nursing service, Miss Margaret McGreevy. Discussion. Discussion of organization of Nebraska council of Red Cross chapters. Luncheon.

Afternoon Session, 1 P. M. Report of committee on organization. Roll call, J. C. Rabel, associate state director. Plan of organization of roll call, L. W. Trester, state director. Discussion. Good of Red Cross, open forum for all delegates. Adjournment.

**PRESIDENT COLLIDGE SAYS:** Each man is entitled to his rights and the rewards of his service but they ever so large or ever so small.

# Thursday Attractions On Our Third Floor

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### Thursday! A Big Special Purchase

## Sale of Brocaded House Robes



**\$12.98**  
The Bigger Share Worth 18.50 to 25 Not One Worth Less Than 16.00



This Thursday Sale is the most unusual event of its kind we have ever held. Not only are the savings substantial, but the robes themselves are beautiful and distinctive, being fashioned from a rich, soft, clinging IMPORTED fiber brocades and exquisitely finished.

**The Styles**  
A breakfast coat model, long and full, tied at the hip. Soft ecru lace at neck and sleeves.  
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**The Colors**  
Color Combinations of Black, Jade, Pekin, Turquoise, Orchid, Flame, etc.

**The Styles**  
A long, side-tied style with rows of padding at neck, sleeves and bottom.  
A charming Japanese model with deep sleeves. Full, and long. Side tied.

### Now Is the Time to Buy Your



### Knit Underwear

1.25 to 1.95 Fiber Silk Vests 69c

A well known brand, which we are not permitted to advertise. Peach, orchid, flesh, white and natural. 34 to 42.

59c Mercerized Vests 39c

Bodice and hand tops; full bleach. All first quality. Regular and extra sizes. At this price Thursday only.

### Union Suits 98c

Discontinued numbers of Marvelfit and Kayser styles, all knee length. Flesh and full bleach. All sizes in the lot, but not in every style.

Children's 1.00 and 1.25 Union Suits 69c

Ankle length suits with high neck and long sleeves. Full bleach. For boys and girls 2 to 16 years.



1.25 and 1.35 Infants' Vests 98c

Good weight art silk and wool mixed vests in single or double-breasted styles in size 6 months to 3 years. Third Floor—East

Infants' Wool Hosiery, Sizes 4 to 6 1/2 29c

Cashmere and silk and wool hose in seconds of 55c and 65c grades with slight imperfections that do not affect their wear. Third Floor—East

### New Assortments in the Finest of Undergarments

Hand-Embroidered Porto Rican Gowns - Teddies 1.59

Beautiful garments of soft, fine material, cut full, hand made, hand embroidered and hemstitched. Colors: pink, orchid, peach and white. Sizes 36 to 44.

Lovely Crepe de Chine Gowns 2.49

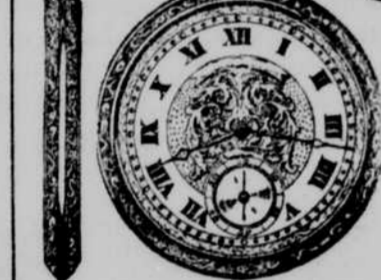
Dainty silken garments, cut full and long, plain tailored styles and those charmingly trimmed with laces. The new pastel shades. Really an exceptional value.



75c to 1.25 Wash Satin Camisoles 25c

Pretty lace-trimmed camisoles with elastic bottom. Slightly soiled from handling. Only 50 in the lot.

### Right Here is the Strongest "Man's Watch" Value in Years at \$25



One of those superb "White Gold" filled cases, with sterling silver face. The case is in brocade finish—something really lovely. Movements are 15-jeweled and "serviced" one year by Brown's watchmakers. The line includes a number of patterns and at the price, \$25, they are the most STARTLING watch values offered in Omaha in YEARS.

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Naturally curly hair. Good length and weight. Easily fastened over the ears to dress toward the back.

25.00 Double Side Part Pompadour 18.98

Beautiful, soft, wavy hair. Just the thing for a pretty hair dress. Will cover the whole head.

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The Brandeis Store—Third Floor

### Marking the Trend of Footwear for Fall

Smartness and Quality are always predominant in Brandeis Shoes.



### A Fall Novelty 10.00

Fashioned in tan Russian calf, patent leather and velvet satin, with high Spanish heels, Cuban heels and military heels.

Illustrated is but one of the many styles we are showing at 10.00. These are splendid shoes, made especially for and under the direct supervision of the Brandeis Store. To see them is to buy them.

The Brandeis Store—Third Floor—East

### Here Is a Chance To Improve Your Figure and Your Dress



Miss Olson, expert corsetiere of the Nemo Fashion Institute, will be in our corset section to select and personally fit the Nemo exactly suited to you.

Avail yourself of this opportunity—of course there is no extra charge.

Nemo Corsets 4.00 to 15.00

Nemo Circlets "More Than a Brassiere." 1.00 to 5.00

Third Floor—North

### Thursday, 1.00 to 2.98

## Infants' Dainty Dresses



Imported hand-made dresses with a bit of shirring, tucking and hand-made lace at neck and sleeves. 79c

Domestic dresses elaborately trimmed with lace, insertion and lovely embroidered yokes. Slightly soiled from handling. Third Floor

Thursday Boys' Suits 95c

Chambray waists with corduroy or flannel trousers. Will launder perfectly. Ideal for fall wear. Sizes 3 to 5. Third Floor

Creeper, Rompers Panty Dresses 49c

Gingham and chambray with bound edges; applique trimmed pockets and embroidery. Rompers in peptop style. 2 to 5. Third Floor

\$1.75 Doll Boudoir Lamps 98c

Wire frame, plug, cord and socket complete with doll head with pretty hair in white, blonde, black, auburn or brown shades.

Free Instructions In Making Lamp Shades

Free instructions are being given by expert instructors on the making of all kinds of shades as well as are needlework between the hours of 9 to 12 and 1 to 6.

### We Are Giving FREE Lessons in Plastolart

All This Week Mrs. M. Fousek, from New York City, is here to teach plastolart, the art of making picture plaques and gift articles—bookends, candlesticks, handkerchiefs and candy boxes, scrap baskets and mirrors.



65c to 8.50

Third Floor—West