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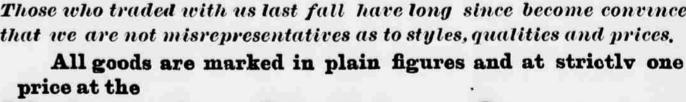
This is our first spring season in Omaha, we are now ready to show not only an entire new stock of Spring Clothing for men, boys and children, but also that we are selling our entire line for less money than any house in the United States.

Our large assortment of Spring Overcoats surpasses anything ever exhibited in Omaha. We call special attention to our \$5.75 and \$7.75 line. The latter is trimmed with silk facings and satin sleevelinings. The prices of these will surely surprise everybody. The better grades which do not exceed \$15.75 in price are as good as you get at the custom tailors and for which you would have to pay at least \$35.

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Commencing to-day and continuing the coming week we will offer 200 Pleated Suits for Children from 4 to 13 years for \$2.95. Also 400 Children's Knee Pants at the nominal price of 25c per pair.

We mean to give you all the details regarding the clothing we sell Those who traded with us last fall have long since become convinced that we are not misrepresentatives as to styles, qualities and prices.



for a big five story block which is to be erected on the corner of Fifteenth and Howard, adjoining the Ramge block, by J. F. Sheely. It will be of brick and brown stone, with the same general inerior arrangements as the Ramge block, though the exterior will be different. The ground dimensions are 66x182. Contracts for this are also being let.

nto a western editorial room. been waiting to see the biggest liar in Illinois for some time, an' now-oh now!" And the editor got up and tumbled him out of the window on top of some sharp iron railings and went on with an article on the merits of Kirk's "Juvenile" Toilet Soap.

THE BURLINGTON'S BIG SCHEME

Quietly Pushing an Airline to the Northwest-A Dead Body Found --Paxton's New Residence-Other Local.

A Stupendous Confidence Game.

A BIG CONFIDENCE GAME.

More About the Missing Chicago Bride,

Lilian Snavely Watson.

The arrival of City Marshal M. B. Fitz gerald, of Sterling, Ill., and A. A. Wolfersberger, a well-known lawyer of that place, both of whom are at the Cozzens adds an important and interesting chapter to the sensational story of Mrs. Watson, the missing Chicago bride, whose ventures were detailed in yesterday's BEE.

It appears from the story told by Mr. Wolfersberger, who is the lawyer of Mrs. Snavely, the mother of the missing girl. that the bride has been the victim of one of the

MOST STUPENDOUS CONFIDENCE GAMES ever played. She has fallen, it seems. into a gang of sharpers, who are simply "playing her for her money."

"The story of the girl," said Mr. Wolfersberger to a reporter who interviewed him at the Cozzens hotel, "is a very sad and peculiar one. She is the oldest daughter of a large family of children. Her father died some time ago and left his estate to be divided among his widow and children. The share of Lillian Snavely amounted to about \$8,000. Lillian was a lively, pretty girl, well thought of in Sterling, Ilis., where she always bore a correct character. She had many friends, and had a bright prospect in life, had she not been ruined by this

INFAMOUS GANG

of confidence men. Her mother took a good deal of pride in her and she received a good education. About a year ago she was sent to Chicago to study painting. as she had developed decidedly artistic tastes. Here she lived with a school friend, Miss Ida Duncan, at 235 West Van Buren street.

"It was while here that Miss Snavely was introduced on the street one day to the man M. H. Davidson, with whom she subsequently came to Omaha. Davidson represented himself to be a wealthy cat tleman from Texas whereas, in reality, he is known to the police as a gambler, blackleg and confidence man. He was a rather nice looking fellow, well dressed and polite and Miss Snavely, who is an innocent country girl was rather taken with his appearance. A few days later Davidson having learned that the girl had a good deal of money concocted with two of his associates, C. V. Watson and M. H. Bell, a scheme to confidence Miss Snavely. IT WAS A RISKY GAME,

but it has been successfully carried out so far. Watson was introduced to Miss Snavely and soon succeeded in ingratiating himself into her confidence. He was somewhat of a masher and in less than three weeks time he had won Miss Snavely's love and consent to a marriage. The girl's folks in Sterling, suspecting that something was wrong, forbade her to marry him. She

place to Portland, Oregon. Telegrams were to day sent to the chief of police at Denver, and the one at Portland, asking that the party be watched for and appre-bended as soon as possible. Messrs. Fitzgerald and Wolfersberger remained in the city until 7.50 last night, when they left for Denver in pursuit of the party.

They propose to spare neither money time nor pains to run the scoundrels to the earth. As will be seen by reference to the BRE's dispatches. Watson is now in jail in Chicago, on a charge of de-

mentioned above, left for Denver yester-day morning, and A. A. Wolfersberger, the other, has gone to Marshalltown.

In the trade mark case of Edward and John Burke against Phillip Hone for using on his bottled Stout an imitation of Burke's Red Head Capsule, the final de cision of the Court of Appeals of the state of N. Y, has contirmed the decisions of the previous courts in favor of Ed and John Burke and against the defendant.

A Structure and Surroundings to Cost

\$100,000-Sheely's Big Block.

Contracts were being let yesterday for William A. Paxton's magnificent new brick and granite residence, which is to be erected on the block bounded by Twenty-sixth street, Twenty-sixth avenue and Douglas and Farnam streets. His lot is now being brought to grade. The building will be three stories high, in the style of the French renaissance. The low basement will be of granite, the two upper stories of brick and terra cotta. The roof will be a gable one with red slating. The details are very ornate and very fasty.

The interior of the house will be magnificently rich. On the first floor will be a large drawing room, reception hail, stair hall, sitting room, library, dining star hall, sitting room, horary, during room, breakfast room, kitchen, and scr-vants' dining room. On the second story there will be the sleeping apartments, while on the third story there will be billiard rooms, storage rooms, and addi-tional sleeping apartments. The interior will be furnished in the very finest hard will be furnished in the very linest hard woods, while the glass work will be of the stained, jeweled and beveled order. In addition to this building, Mr. Paxton will erect a fine system of barns and out houses. The square will also be magnificently parked, so that the residence, in

all its appointments, will undoubtedly be the finest in the city. The cost will ap-proximate \$100,000. Mendelssohn & Lawrie are the architects. «The same architects have drawn plans

"You run this paper, do you?" said a sad faced man as he lugged a cowhide

was head-strong, however, and wouldn't give him up. Finally, as a last resort, the relatives of Miss Snavely telegraphed her to come home immediately, as her mother was very sick. Of course, she returned at once, only to find that her relatives had adopted this as a ruse to save her from

A DISHONORABLE MARRIAGE.

"She was indignant. She declared that she loved Watson and would marry him. That gentleman, hearing that she was in Sterling, came down to the place, but her folks refused to let him see Miss Litian. He hung around Sterling two or three days and then disappeared, failing to pay his board bill. He returned to Chicago, from which point he telegraphed to Miss Lilian for money. She at once sent him \$200 and he returned to Sterling. One night Miss Lilian came to town with her sister, and, after giving her the slip, met Watson and went with him to the house of a preacher, where they were married, They then went to Chicago, where they stopped with Mrs. Duncan on West Van Burean street. Watson all the time kept working the girl for money. Finally, he found that

HIS GAME WAS PLAYED OUT, and he gave way to confederate number two, Mr. M. H. Davidson. Watson went east on what he claimed to be important business. During his absence, Davidson, his co-worker went to Mrs. Watson and playing the part of sympathizing friend depicted to her, in black colors, what a scoundrel her husband was. He told her how he was a bigamist or a trigamist. That he had a wife living in Chicago and another in New York city with a family of two or three children. He told her how Watson had worked a pretty girl on the south side, whom he had induced to give him \$360 to buy wed-ding dresses, etc., on the strength of a promise that he would marry her. He old her all this and a lot more. Mrs. Watson was

TERRIPLY BROKEN UP

over these revelations, but when David-son wooed her she listened to him read-ily enough. He proposed to her that they run away together as man and wife, come west and be married. The girl thought this a splendid scheme to get revenge on her husband. Of course she fell into trap. On March 24 she left Chi-cargo with Davidson and came direct to cago with Davidson and came direct to Omaha. The rest of the story you know.

"How did you learn that the girl was stopping in Omaha?" was asked of him. "From a letter which she wrote, while

here, to Miss Ida Duncan. She probably mailed this

UNBERNOWN TO DAVIDSON, as it was for his interest to keep her whereabouts a secret."

"How much of the girl's money has Davidson in his possession now?" "Probably between \$1,560 and \$2,000. The girl, as I already have told you, had about \$5,000 left her. The balance, for-tunately, is in the bank at Sterling, where these follows can't get it at messari. It these fellows can't get it at present. It is a pity that such a bright pretty girl should have fallen a victim to

THESE THREE SCOUNDRELS, Bell, Watson and Davidson. The scheme Bell, Watson and Davidson. The scheme of Davidson and Bell, who are now with the girl, is undoubtedly to work her for all her available money and then drop her penniless at some little station to find her way home as best she can. It is astonishing to me that this girl, who is naturally bright, don't appreciate the fact that she is being plucked by a gang of confidence men. She must be terribly infututed" As soon as City Marshal Fitzgerald

SeedSweetPotatoes Phil Stimmer Co. As soon as City Marshal Fitzgerald and Mr. Wolfersberger found that the

up and attested by a notary public yester-day. His bondsmen are four prominent citizens of Omaha, who represent weaith to the amount of over \$1,000,000. The bond will be forwarded to Washingon at once and upon its approval Mr. Gallagher will step into his new position. This will be in about ten days. Mr. G. says that he has about seventy-five appli-cations for positions on file but will make no changes for the present.

Hastings.

The Mo. Pacific and Northwestern have submitted propositions for bonds which will be voted sure. J. D. Riley, the rea estate broker, has great bargains in busi ness lots and acre tracts. Dawes & Foss addition a specialty. Rooms 4, 5 and 6 Opera House.

A Case of Glanders.

State Veterinarian Gerth was in the city yesterday called here by a case of glanders, which developed yesterday in the west part of the city. The horse is in quarantine and will undoubtedly be killed. This is the first case in four months.

Woodman on Burning Slack Coal.

The recipient of the following letter, solicited it for practical proof of the al leged economy in using slack coal and allows us to publish it (as confirmatory of the article published first in the Evening BEE of April first, entitled "Slack vs Lump Coal.") which we are pleased to do, it being from not only the pioneer in burning slack, but also the recognized authority on such matters:

authority on such matters: Woodman Linseed Oil Works, } Omaha, Neb., April 4, 1887. { Dear Sir; Reterring to your favor of the second inst. I take pleasure in giving you my experience of over twenty (20) Cured in from three to six months; warranted. Loss of Voice years in burning coal.

For the first twelve years of that time I used lump coal. Eight years since I ordered the first slack coal ever brought to Omaha, and have used only slack From inflammation of the Vocal Chords, etc., speedily relieved and cured. BRONCHITIS since. The important points necessary in

burning slack, that many do not give sufficient attention to, and therefore fail, Cured in every case; war-ranted. "the proper style of grate and correct Catarrhal

oller setting. I have tried many style of grates and furnaces for burning slacs, as well as ex-amined most kinds in use, and can say without qualification that the "Dorrance Cured in from three to six grate is far superior to any other device I have ever used or know of. The large percentage of air space given in these grates, together with the fumbling move-ment caused by the simultaneous lifting SORE EYES Inflamed or Granulated Lids permanently cured and lowering of alternate sections when rocked, for the breaking up of clinker, and the large openings created between the sections, when the shaking lever is thrown to its fullest extent for the es-cape of clinker into the ash pit, are peculior advantages to the "Dorrance"

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J 911 & \$18 Jones St Omaha, Ne.

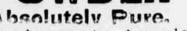
A Crook Pleads Guilty. John Kelley, a notorious crook, plead guilty in police court yesterdry to a charge of grand larceny and asked that he be brought before the district court as soon as possible. He went into the St. Philomena cathedral Tuesday night and while the choir was rehearsing Easter music, stole an overcoat and a pocket book containing a \$25 note from Her-man Biaufnus. He will be brought be-fore Judge Nevilie as soon as possible.

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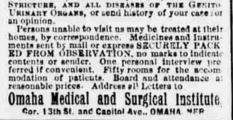




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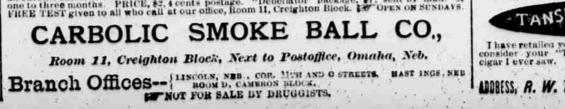
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