# IN THE HEART OF THE CITY

## A Few Items That Were Picked Up on Fifteenth Street.

### The Rush Clusters About Fifteenth Street From Capitol Avenue to Howard—Never Still Night nor Day.

In 1853 the man who made the original survey of the present city of Omaha rode over the bottoms and at the point now known as the corner of Fifteenth and Farnam was just able by rising in his stirrups to look over the grass and reeds. In 1889 the visitor standing on the same point looks to the north, south, east or west, over a magnificent thoroughfare, paved, curbed, ribbed with street car lines, flanked by long rows of magnificent buildings lighted by hundreds of gas jets and electric globes and echoing with the sound of thousands of wheels and restless feet. This is the heart of the city to-day, to-morrow, and forever. At one point is the "Wabash corner" where politicians concoct their schemes and combines and were everyone has an appointment to meet everyone else, east of this Boyd's opera house, south of this, the magnificent Ware building, and on the remaining corner is the stately Barker block which phœnix-like has risen from its ashes. Everything and everyone gravitates to Fifteenth street. It is the great trade thoroughfare and in all probability always will be. It has besides the buildings mentioned, the Ramge building, the Granite block, the Sheeley building, the Withnel building, the Creighton block, the Continental, the Williams building, the Exposition building, the postoffice and numerous others. Horse cars and cable cars leave its principal corners for every part of the city and the tide of humanity which rolls over its pavement, in all descriptions of vehicles, on horseback or afoot, from town and country is never still. Omaha has several magnificent streets, wholesale and retail, but the topography of the city and the location of public institutions has decreed that Fifteenth from Jefferson square to Howard shall remain the center about which cluster all the rush.

Then comes the Thornton Machine Co., 121 N. 15th st., wholesale and retail dealers in Tufts' soda fountains, White sewing machines, fancy articles and ladies' toilet goods. An old Omaha institution, and one of our substantial houses.

D. I. Thornton, 121 N. 15th st., real estate exchange, merchandise bought and sold and exchanged for city property.

C. J. Weber, successor to O'Donahoe & Sherfy. Trade is increasing with this house all the time. Just now they are having an inventory sale, all woolen and winter goods are selling at net cost and less; underwear hosiery, blankets, flannels, comfortables, table linens, towels, silks and dress goods are all being sold at great reductions. They are selling an imported broadcloth for $1.19 that must be seen to be appreciated; they are courteous to their customers, and are always willing to show goods. When you are looking for dry goods give them a call, it will pay you.

C. H. Frederick & Co., Creighton block, are the oldest and most reliable hatters in the west, being established in 1870. They are agents for the celebreted Dunlap and Stetson hats, the best in the world. They carry the largest stock of hats, caps and straw goods, and are the only practical hatters in the city. They are doing the hat business of the city. Their stock and prices are all right and they are headquarters for correct styles.

Pease Bros., 121 South 15th street, the popular hatters, are agents for the celebrated Miller, Derby and silk hats. They have just been appointed agents for the equally celebrated Youman hats. They also manufacture to order on the third floor of the Creighton block, and carry one of the most complete stocks of mens' furnishing goods west of Chicago.

Of all the stores in Omaha, probably there are none more attractive to the ladies than that of Mrs. J. Benson, Nos. 210 and 212 South Fifteenth st. On Oct. 10th, 1887, Mrs. Benson opened a fancy goods store in the Ramge building, corner Fifteenth and Harney sts. It at once became a most popular shopping-place for the ladies of Omaha and vicinity, who had previously been sadly neglected, having had no exclusive fancy dry goods and furnishing store in which to trade. After having built up a profitable business, Mrs. Benson, in September last, removed to her present location and has since almost doubled her business. One of the peculiarities of this store is that a specialty is made of every line in stock, such as underwear, hosiery, corsets, neckwear, ribbons, infants' wear, fine wools, yarns, embroideries, laces, fancy work, etc.

At 211 South 15th street, near Boyd's opera house, Mr. N. M. Ruddy has for three years done business as a scientific optician. By fitting and grinding glasses for all forms of defective vision and by using the most exact modern methods and guaranteeing perfect satisfaction. Mr. Ruddy has made a reputation as an expert in optical work. A majority of spectacle wearers in this city are his patrons. Those who suffer from weak vision or the effects of defective, ill-fitting glasses will save valuable eyesight, money and patience by calling on this gentleman.

One of the finest cigar stores in the west is "The Gotham," at No. 215 South Fifteenth st., under the Boyd opera house, of which Edward Kahn is proprietor. The interior decoration of "The Gotham" excels anything west of Chicago, and the high grade of cigars here handled equals any in the world. Besides having an immense retail business, the box trade is made a specialty. Several traveling men look after the large wholesale interests which extend both east and west.

Guckert & McDonald, merchant tailors, started in business April 1st, 1888, at No. 315 South Fifteenth st., in the Granite block, and have succeeded in obtaining a line of custom second to none in the west. Mr. Nick Guckert has an enviable reputation as a cutter, and has been at the cutter's table in Omaha the past eight years. James H. McDonald, the other member, having an extensive acquaintance "on the road," especially fits both gentlemen for their line of trade.

W. H. Coombe, proprietor of the Popular Market, 316 South 15th street, deserves a place among the business men of this live street. His market is near the street and cable car centers, being less than one block from 15th and Farnam sts. Thus affording an opportunity for those waiting for cars to select their supply of meats in person. Mr. Coombe attends personally to the buying, and gives his customers the benefit of his experience in the selection of the best the market affords. His stock is full, and embraces everything kept in a first-class market.

Helen & Thompson, the well known firm of merchant tailors who succeeded G. A. Linquist & Co., are located at 317 South Fifteenth street. The business has been established since 1874, and they carry the largest stock of fine woolens in the city, as well as the best trimmings that money will buy. They employ only the best skilled labor, and guarantee satisfaction as to style of garment. Their trade extends all over western Iowa, as well as in Nebraska and further west, having as many customers outside the city as in Omaha. Their prices are always as low as is consistent with first-class material and workmenship.

J. McVeau, sales agent for Wanamaker & Brown, of Philadelphia, has rooms at 318 South Fifteenth; make dress suits a specialty.

One of the most enterprising houses of this popular thoroughfare, and a long felt need in Omaha, is the wholesale and retail gas fixture establishment of Russell Pratt & Co., 319 S 15th st. These gentlemen will devote their entire time and attention to this branch of business and carry the largest assortment of gas and combination fixtures, globes, shades, drop and office lights for residences and public buildings in the west.

The plumbing, steam and hot water heating of Welshans, Pratt & Co., 319 and 321 South 15th street, also 1422 and 1424 Harney street, will be conducted in a much more extensive and thorough manner than heretofore. Mr. Welshans devoting his entire time to these branches on which he is considered authority. They are also the exclusive agents for the celebrated McEwan steel hot water boilers and radiators now in use in many of the finest residences in Omaha.

The elegant double store room corner Fifteenth and Harney streets is occupied by S. Jonasen, wholesale and retail dealer in musical merchandise and jewelry. His stock of pianos, organs, brass and silver instruments, sheet music etc., is large and well selected. His stock of fine jewelry is one of the largest in Omaha. The business of this house is constantly increasing, and deservedly so, for his motto is, "Always lead and never follow."

New in name, but old in experience. The Anglo-American Mortgage and Trust company, successor to the old firm of Burnham, Tulleys & Co., offer special inducements to thoroughly reliable local agents or brokers for strictly first class loans. After applications and abstracts are received and loans approved, money is promptly furnished. Will quote close rates on desirable loans secured on inside city property. Correspondence, with references, solicited. Savings department in connection pays interest on time deposits. Ramge building, 405 S. 15th st.

Omaha has the finest plumbers' show room in the United States. If this seems extravagant language, please visit any establishment where plumbing is done, in New York, Boston, Chicago or San Francisco, and decide for yourself. The Hussey & Day Co. occupy two stores; Nos. 409 and 411 South Fifteenth, in the new Ramge building. They control the Durham system of wrought iron screw joint drainage, the Osborne system of steam heating, and their rapidly growing business is an endorsement of the reputation accorded them—of being leaders in their line of business. Sanitary Plumbing, Steam and Hot Water heating are their specialties, and the fact that they have been selected by the owners to do the work in their line on such structures as the Bee building, Kirkendall building, Merchants' National bank, Sheeley block, and many of the finest residences in the city, is alone sufficient to place them at the head of the business in the west. The gas fixtures and art metal works department of this house is an entirely separate and distinct branch of this business, contained in three elegant store and show rooms, richly furnished and carpeted and filled with the choicest and largest stock of fine gas fixtures, electroliers, imported piano and table lamps, etc., west of Chicago. In every department of this business the Hussey & Day Co. go at once to the top. Sanitary engineering and plumbing, as well as steam heating, at the present time, demands the best intellect and brain of the country. The day of "botch work" and ignorant, so-called plumbers, is passed. It costs less in the long run to have anything done right, and especially plumbing. If you want first-class work at reasonable prices, done right, and guaranteed right, and want to see things as they ought to be, visit the Hussey & Day Co.

The large double store in the north end of the Sheeley block, 413 and 415 S. 15th street, has just been opened by Mr. J. S. Christensen with a large stock of fine paper hangings, shades, room moldings and decorative goods. The salesroom when fully completed will not be equalled in appointments by any establishment of the kind west of Chicago, a particular feature being a separate apartment fitted up for the special purpose of handling fine trade. It is Mr. Christensen's aim to confine his line, as far as possible, to art goods and decorative specialties. His fresco and art departments will be in skillful hands, and his endeavor will be to give his patrons all the facilities for fine work and novelty of design obtainable in the eastern centers.

J. J. Fruchauf, the veteran bookseller and stationer, 414 South 15th street is one of the oldest dealers in this city having been engaged in the book trade in Omaha since 1868. He carries a large stock of stationery, magazines, libraries, periodicals, etc. He makes a specialty of imported and American German books. All of the latest publications can be found at his store as well as a full line of local and eastern newspapers.

Greenman & Richardson, milliners, 417 South 15th street, can justly claim to have the best equipped and most stylish millinery and hair goods establishment in the city. Their customers find at their store not only a complete stock, but one that is up to the times in every respect. This firm are the only manufacturers of fine hair goods in Omaha. The liberal patronage which they enjoy bespeaks their popularity and proves them a worthy member of the 15th street business circle.

The Karbach located at 418 South 15th street, is the model restaurant of the city. Their patrons are from among our best citizens, and their table would tempt the most fastideous epicure.

F. L. Cotton, fancy grocer, corner Fifteenth and Howard streets, carries a stock of foreign and domestic groceries, unexcelled in the city. His careful attention to customers, good goods and prompt delivery makes his grocery the most popular one in Omaha.

P. C. Ratekin, proprietor of the old city hall poultry and produce market, drove in from the country a herd of 582 turkeys. They presented the appearance of a small army as they strutted up to their corral in the rear of 214 South 16th st. Mr. Ratekin will sell these turkeys at a specially low price until all are gone. As the city hall will be torn down by April 1st this gentleman will give his customers the benefit of special prices on everything in his store until that date. After April 1st he expects to move into a new room.

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Gahnore's masque ball Monday evening. Good music. 1515 Dodge.

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Wyoming coal, lump and nut for prompt delivery constantly on hand.
HOWELL & CO.,
Telephone 114, No. 517 So. 14th st.

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**CLOAK SALE.**

**Peremptory Sale of the Balance of the McDonald Bankrupt Stock.**

We are
COMPELLED TO CLOSE OUT
The balance of stock
BY FEBRUARY 1st,
And are bound to dispose of the same without regard whatsoever as to cost or value.

What we still have on hand
MUST GO AT SOME PRICE.
WE HAVE REDUCED EVERY GARMENT
To a ridiculously low figure with the intention to close out the stock.

You will find some very desirable and attractive goods which you can buy
AT LESS THAN COST OF CLOTH.

We have divided the entire stock into the following lots:

LOT 1 FOR $5.00.
Comprises all newmarkets that have been sold for $7.50, $9.00, $10.50 and $12.00, at the uniform price of $5.00 each.

LOT 2 FOR $7.50.
All garments having been sold at $13.50, $15.00, $16.50, will now go for $7.50.

LOT 3 FOR $10.00.
Our $18.00, $20.00 and $22.50 garments now go for $10.00 each.

LOT 4 FOR $15.00.
The $25.00, $27.50, $30.00, $32.50 and $35.00 garments are now reduced to $15.00.

LOT 5 FOR $5.00.
All children's garments in value up to $15.00 at $5.00 each.

LOT 6.
In this lot will be found a few suits in Henriettas, broad cloths and silks, the original prices of which range from $12 to $40 each. These must go at $10 and $15 each.

Positively no such opportunity has ever been offered before.

FIXTURES FOR SALE CHEAP.
Make an offer.
THE McDONALD BANKRUPT SALE,
214 S. 15th st.

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**Women.**

All delicate complications peculiar to females, which undermine health and shorten life, and all uterine complaints, are now successfully treated without the old speculum methods of physical examination. The latter method of diagnosis has proved to be not only worthless but injurious. The senior physician of the Liebig World Dispensiary of San Francisco and 756 West Jackson st., Chicago, Ill., will give free consultation to ladies at the Metropolitan hotel, corner 12th and Douglas sts., Omaha, Neb., from Jan. 12 to 20, 1889.

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**HAYDEN BROS'.**

**Special Sale in Cloak Department.**

We have just received a lot of ladies' short jackets in BOUCLE, JERSEY AND BEAVER CLOTHS, which we will place on sale on Monday next at the extremely low price of $2.25, $2.50, $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00, worth $3.50, $4.50, $5.00 and $7.00. We will offer a line of plush jackets at $7.00, $8.00 and $10.00. They are worth $12.00, $15.00 and $16.50. We have a few plush cloaks left which we shall offer at a sacrifice. We will offer a line of ladies' Newmarkets in all the desirable colors and styles from $3.50 to $10.00. These are GREAT BARGAINS. In children's and misses' cloaks and Newmarkets we will offer SPECIAL BARGAINS. A full line of ladies' jerseys from 75c up. If you need a cloak or wrap for yourself or children this will be the golden opportunity.
HAYDEN BROS.,
Dry Goods.

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**Deformities of Every Kind**

Supplied with proper scientific appliances, and surgical cases requiring expert treatment should consult with the surgeon-in-chief of the Liebig International Surgical Institute, 400 Geary street, San Francisco, and 756 West Jackson street, Chicago, Ill., now at Metropolitan hotel, corner Twel'th and Douglas streets, Omaha, from January 12 to 20. Consultation free.

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Sleighs for sale cheap; your own terms; mortgage paper taken. Paul, north of postoffice.

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**From the Council Bluffs Nonpareil, Dec. 12, 1880.**

We are credibly informed that the mortality from diphtheria, under the treatment of Dr. Thos. Jefferis of this city is merely nominal, not exceeding one-fifth of one per cent. Such being the case no time should be lost in placing his remedy within the reach of every family and thus save annually hundreds of thousands of lives. Diphtheria is the most universally destructive pestilence that has afflicted the world during the last hundred years.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, COUNCIL BLUFFS, Jan. 7, 1882.—I do not hesitate to say that the success attending the use of Dr. Jefferis' Preventive and Cure for Diphtheria has no equal. I speak from experience, having used it in my own family; I am also well acquainted with the facts connected with its use in our city.
W. R. VAUGHN, Mayor.

No physician required. Price of remedy $3. Addres, box No. 657, Omaha, Neb. (Dr. Jefferis has retired from active practice.)

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**STADT THEATRE.**

**Cor. 15th and Jackson Sts.**

Miss Anna P. Spahn, the excellent, well known and beautiful actress from the German theatre in Chicago, will appear Sunday night Jan. 13th, as Henrietta, in the famous new play, "Krieg den Franen," of F. Schonthan, the great German author. Do not miss this opportunity to see one of our best German artists in an entirely new play never performed before in this city.

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Sleighs for sale cheap; your own terms; mortgage paper taken. Paul, north of postoffice.

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A large majority of the discriminating public prefer to travel by the Burlington Route. Its Vestibule Express, with dining car, free chair cars, and Pullman Palace cars leaving Omaha at 3:50 p. m., arriving Chicago 10:00 a. m., is the best train for the east. It is the only line running 3 daily express trains to Chicago, Peoria, St. Louis and the east, 3 daily express trains to Lincoln, Denver and the west, and 2 daily express trains to St. Joseph, Kansas City and the south, direct from its own depot in Omaha. Ticket office, 1223 Farnam street.

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**Look at This.**

All kinds of merchandise and personal property wanted in exchange for improved farms and wild land. Foreign Emigration Co., r 2 & 3 1502 Farnam st.

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**Burlington Route.**

NEW TRAIN TO THE WEST.

Commencing January 1st the B. & M. R. R. will run a train from Omaha at 4:30 a. m., connecting with the vestibule express from Lincoln and the west, arriving at Denver and Cheyenne the same evening.

Ticket Office—1223 Farnam street.

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Sleighs for sale cheap; your own terms; mortgage paper taken. Paul, north of postoffice.

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**Ice, Ice, Ice.**

Himebaugh & Taylor respectfully invite the attention of ice dealers to their complete line of ice tools. Catalogues mailed on application. 1405 Douglas st., Omaha.

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Cedar blocks for fuel; nothing better. Mount & Griffin, 213 S. 14th st.

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**Bennison Bros.**

Special inducements for Monday and next week. 10 cases best brands 36-in. bleach muslins, such as Lonsdale, Barker and Golden Wedding, Monday 12½ yards for $1.00. 1 case Comforter calico 4c yard. 1 case white Shaker flannels 6c yard. 1 case Pepperel 10-4 bleach sheeting 19c yard. Heavy red twill flannels 15c yard. A lot of ladies' fine leather hand bags, worth up to $3.50 each, your choice Monday to close 75c each. A special lot of all-wool 40-in dress goods, worth from 75c to $1.25 yard, all at 48c yard. Our special sale on table lines still goes; 58-in. bleach table damask 39c yard; 60-in. table damask 48c yard; 64-in. table damask 59c yard; others at 69c, 89c and 95c that beats the world. Monday we will let out 1 case fine, large size white bed spreads at 98c each, that you can't buy anywhere less than $1.35. Fine bleach huck toweling 4½c yard. 100 fine beaver shawls $1.69 each, worth $3.50. Ladies' and children's toboggans 15c each. Our basement is open and we are adding new novelties every day. A big line house fournishing goods at ½ regular prices. Don't fail to visit our basement when down town. Fine candy 8c pound.

CLOAKS, CLOAKS.

Still a deeper cut; if you intend buying a cloak of any kind now is your time. Ladies finest seal plush sacques, 42 inches long, finest satin lining, during this sale $25.00, reduced from $40.00; ladies seal plush wraps, coat sleeve, tight fitting, trimmed all around with plush ball fringe, at $18.00 each, was $30.00; ladies seal plush jackets at $12.00, reduced from $20.00. Bargains in Misses fine newmarkets. You can take your choice Monday of Misses extra fine newmarkets at $10.00, regular price $15.00, $18.00, $20.00. Children's cloaks at half cost.

BENNISON BROS.

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**ENORMOUS BARGAINS.**

**In All Departments at Heyman & Deiches.**

A new assortment of cambric and muslin underwear of the best material, most refined taste and superior workmanship.

Night gowns with lace or embroidery, 55c, 65c, 75c, 85c, 90c, $1, etc.

Drawers, plain and embroidered, 25c, 50c, 60c, 65c, etc.

Chemises, 23c, 60c, 70c, $1, etc.

Skirts, 50c, 60c, 75c, $1, etc.

Corset covers, 25c, 35c, 45, 60c, etc.

French hand embroidered underwear lowest prices.

Imported knit skirts $1.

Great bargains in dress goods.

All wool Henrietta cloth, 40 inches wide, at 43c, regular price 75c.

Evening silks $2.50, regular price $4, etc.

HEYMAN &DEICHES,
1518 and 2520 Farnam st.

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**Christmas in a Factory.**

The employes of the Kinney Tobacco company of New York, manufacturers of cigarettes, etc., undoubtedly wish that Christmas came more than once a year. They received as a present last week over $8,000, divided according to the salary or earnings of each person, some getting $81 apiece.

The season of Peace on Earth, Good Will Towards Men, was thus practically illustrated.

The Kinney Tobacco company evidently believe that good work from their employes deserves good treatment in return, a principle in business that, it is to be regretted, has not obtained general recognition as yet.

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Kerr's thread the best. Hayden Bros.

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Carpets below New York wholesale quotations at Hart Carpet Co.'s. See their adv. on page 15.

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**Men.**

All who have been trying in vain to be cured of weakening, complicated, delicate and nervous complaints, and impurities of the blood, should consult with the remarkably successful specialists of the Liebig World Dispensary of 756 West Jackson street, Chicago, Ill. Branch office and parlors for free consultation at Metropolitan hotel, corner Twelfth and Douglas streets, Omaha, Neb., from January 12 to 20, 1889.

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**THE WORLD'S SPECIALISTS.**

**Drs. Liebig & Co.,**

The renowned, leading and most successful California specialists, whose cures in the past quarter of a century has astonished everyone, will visit Omaha and consult free with all who desire, January 12 to the 20, 1889.

At Metropolitan hotel, corner 12th and Douglas sts., Omaha. Residents of Council Bluffs and all parts of Iowa and Nebraska should visit the greatest living specialist while in Omaha. The latest improvements in all curative agents, magnetism, electricity, and every new invention known to modern scientists or specialists.

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I wish to borrow $500 to $1,200 on first mortgage. Good security. D. D. Smeaton, Room 43, Barker block.

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**Auction Sale Extraordinary.**

The furniture of one of the finest 12-room flats in Omaha, new and of first class quality, will take place Thursday, Jan. 17th, at 10 a. m., at No. 317 South Tenth street, for particulars, to parties who desire to inspect furniture or purchase at priyate sale, whole or part, with lease. House full of first class roomers, paying well. Owner leaving the city. Inquire of J. L. Rice & Co. No traders need apply. Business cash.

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**Attention K. of P.**

A special meeting of the executive and other committees of the anniversary celebration will be held at Nebraska No. 1 hall at 10:30 a. m. (sharp), January 13. A full attendance is requested.
H. A. PORTER, Secretary. W. S. SPENCER, President.

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**Removal Notice.**

James Morton & Son, the well known hardware merchants, will remove on February 1, from their present location, No. 116 South Fifteenth street, Creighton block, to No. 1511 Dodge street, first door west of postoffice, where their facilities for handling their rapidly growing business will be greatly increased.

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Furniture upholstered at 214 N. 15th.

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Kerr's thread, black fast dye. Hayden Bros.

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All talented ameteurs wishing to join the Massy Howard's Opera club, for the study of grand English opera, apply at once to room 307, Paxton block. In rehearsal—"Martha."
F. MASSY HOWARD.

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J. L. Brandies & Sons will not fire mail orders at their great fire sale Monday.
THE FAIR,
502, 504, 506, 508 and 510 S. 15th st.

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F. W. Hilditch, expert accountant and auditor, 25 Barker block. Merchants' books balanced and audited. Complicated accounts adjusted. Auditor to incorporated companies.

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**ELECTRICITY VS STEAM.**

**An Electric Motor to Take the Place of Steam Power.**

The Midland Electric company have put in an electric motor at the McBride & Ryan job printing establishment, at 1516 Dodge street, which bids fair to do away with a large number of stationery steam engines in this city and surrounding cities where there is an electric light plant. This little electric motor is the most compact affair in use. It can be placed entirely out of the way, needs no oiling, and is neat, clean and simple. But the one great feature of the engine is that its operation costs about 40 per cent of the money necessary to run a steam engine of equal power. There are several kinds of these motors, and all claim to be the best, but the Baxter, for which the Midland Electric company are sole agents for Omaha and Nebraska, is as perfect a machine as can well be made. The one in use now is only a one-horse power, the electricity being supplied by the Thompson, Houston Electric Light company, through one of their circuits, running three medium sized job printing presses with perfect ease, and could run two more just as easily as the electric light folks have no day circuit at present. The motor is only in operation from 4 p. m. to 10 p. m., but it is understood that as soon as a sufficient number of the motors can be placed a day circuit will be put up. Two of these motors were used for hoisting stone at the state capitol building in Topeda, Kan., at a rental of $40 per month. With a steam engine this $40 would not have paid the fireman, to say nothing of coal and other expenses.

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**HAYDEN BROS.**

**Colored Dress Goods.**

Just received, 30 pieces 38-in all wool Tricot in tan and light and dark gray, our prices 25c, regular value 45c.

36-in cashmere in the leading colors, 29c.

40-in Racha cloth, all wool, 39c, 42-in Heather mixtures, all wool, 35c; these are durable goods and reduced from 65c.

New style, stripes and combinations 42-in goods, special value 45c, are worth 65c.

48-in Henriettas, all colors, only 45c, better grade 55c, 59c, 65 and 79c equally cheap, worth double our price.

Rips a Long, Rayetime wool Velour and other popular weaves in 44-in goods, only 65c and 69c, regular price from 85c to $1.25 per yd.

44-in wool Damasee, 85c, 95c and $1 yd; these goods include the finest French dress goods and were imported to sell for $1.50 per yd.

In high grades of dress goods and novelties we are now prepared to show an extensive line at the lowest price.
HAYDEN BROS.,
Dry Goods.

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**CONDENSED NEWS.**

**Items of Interest From the Saturday Evening Bee.**

Weaver has ceased his filibustering tactics.

There was a destructive fire at Fairbury last night.

Montana cattle men say this is a splendid winter for cattle.

James Gordon Bennett has raised over $400,000 by mortgage recently.

While alighting from a cab, in Washington, Friday, Walker Blaine fell and broke his leg.

Bills to establish normal schools at Aurora and Holdrege have been introduced in the house.

Paul Vandevoort has been appointed assistant secretary of the national republican committee.

Rumor has it that Vice President Holcombe has been called to Boston on important business.

At the close of the bicycle contest Friday evening Knapp fell from his wheel and had to be carried to his tent.

Senor Lorilla has left Paris for England, from where he intended, with two vessels, to go over to Spain and raise a revolt.

George L. Bean, who has been in custody for sending dunning postals through the mail, was discharged Saturday afternoon.

A woman was found in Covington, Ky., near the freight depot, with her head completely severed from her body by the cars.

John L. Sullivan is feeling as lively as a colt and works off his surplus energy in 100 yard dashes, high kicking, and other frisky pastimes.

Mrs. W. H. Holcombe, wife of the vice president of the Union Pacific, started for New York Saturday, whither she will undergo medical treatment.

It is not unlikely that in the near future Assistant General Manager Mellen, of the Union Pacific, will tender his resignation and sever his connection with the road.

Rumor has it that Charles Francis Adams is to resign the presidency of the Union Pacific to become chairman of the newly organized Inter-state Railway association.

Two men, while blasting on an excavating ditch on the San Miguel river, seventy-five miles from here, were killed yesterday by the accidental explosion of giant powder.

Saturday morning the Republican company filed an answer to the claim of O. H. Rothacker, amounting to $695, for editorial services rendered, and the matter will be tried by jury.

This morning a large delegation of general railway baggage agents arrived in Omaha over the Burlington, enroute to San Francisco, where the annual assembly is to be held the 21st of January.

A large steamer has been wrecked off the Islands of Sissaraga, a group twenty-five miles southwest of Coruana. It is supposed that a hundred persons were drowned. Thirty survivors have arrived at Coruana.

Robert Blickensderfer, ex-superintendent of the Union Pacific, was presented with a costly metal vase by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Christmas. Engineers Fonda and Johnson made the presentation.

James C. Tuttle, the letter carrier, whose extensive robberies have been fully printed, was Saturday morning sentenced to the United States penitentiary at Dakota for a term of one year, sentence to date from October 29.

President William H. Cotterill, of the Electric Sugar Refining company, claims that the electric process is the greatest ever discovered; that the talk of fraud is all nonsense, and that everything will be all right in a few days.

A New Haven, Conn., married woman was in the habit of making engagements with her lovers by telephone. Her husband had the wire tapped, and hired a stenographer to take their conversation, which is now being utilized for a divorce.

Cardinal Taschereau and his clergy were invited to attend the provisional parliament at Montreal, he being assigned the first seat on the floor. His eminence resented this and demanded a seat on the throne, claiming, as a prince of the Catholic church, precedence over even the representatives of the queen. After consultation his demand was granted.

Jens Peter Peterson, of 2650 Chicago street, is in hard luck. Less than a year ago he came to this country, and has lost a wife and two children, but managed to save money enough to buy a team. He purchased them on Saturday, and Sunday night they were stolen, and now he is willing to pay all the money he has—some $35—for their return and the arrest of the thief.

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Among the notable social events of the week was the grand masquerade given by the Omaha Nonpareil Athletic club at Hascall's hall on South Thirteenth street, on Thursday evening. Some of the costumes were strikingly handsome and very appropriate. Fully a hundred masked couples and nearly as many spectators enjoyed themselves immensely until the small hours of morning.

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**HAYDEN BROS.**

**Have Winter Goods Any Value—See For Yourself.**

Blanket, comfort and flannell sale. Owing to the past mild weather we have been able to purchase several large lots of comforts, blankets and flannels at a great sacrifice and can sell them at less than cost to manufacture. Comforts at 39c, 75, $1, and $1.25, worth 85c to $1.75; blankets at 69c, 85c, $1.39 and $2, worth $2.50 to $3.75. All wool red blankets, $2.50, worth $4; all wool white blankets, $3.75, worth $5; horse blankets 98c, $1.25 and $1.40, worth $1.50 to $3; all wool red flannels, 15c, 19c, 25c and 27c, worth 25c to 50c per yard, pink flannels 12½c, worth 20c; shaker flannels 7½c, 8½c and 10c, worth 12c to 15c; grey mixed flannels 15c and 20c, worth 25c to 30c.

Fine bleached linens 50, 60, 65c and 75c per yard, worth 75c to $1.25; linen towels, 5c, 7c, 10c up to 25c, would be cheap at 15c to 65c; crush toweling at one-third off regular prices.

We are showing the most complete line of dress style ginghams, all new designs; also prints and shirtings at special low prices for this sale. We ask special attention to our special sale of brown and bleached muslins in all widths.

Our great sale of notions, trimmings, laces and embroideries begins Monday morning, as advertised. Look out for bargains.
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J. L. Brandies & Sons will not fire mail orders at their great fire sale Monday.
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**GREAT OPENING SALE**

**Of Hamburg and Swiss Embroideries at Heyman & Deiches.**

Our new importations of edgings, insertings and flouncings will be on special sale for this week only. They are goods of marvellous beauty of design and superior finish.

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**Personal Paragraphs.**

Mrs. Dr. Kelley, of Norfolk, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Joyce the past week.

Mr. F. C. Durr, who is now connected with the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad at Kansas City, is at home on a visit.

At the Murray: J. F. Heyward, Baltimore, Md.; A. W. Davis, Philadelphia; G. W. Wheeler, Chicago; G. Weingreen, New York; H. A. Warner, Philadelphia.

At the Millard: S. H. Overholt, wife and daughter, St. Louis; C. J. Phelps, Schuyler; C. C. Munson, Lincoln; J. B. Riggs, St. Paul; A. S. Maswell, Grand Island.

P. H. Brennen, formerly editor of the Burchard News, who is about to establish a paper at Brownville, Neb., was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ella.

At the Barker: J. Clayton, United States army; M. S. Bartlett, West Point; H. Dallegge, David City; Fred Smith, Pekin, Ill.; George Krug, St. Louis; Adam Ickes, Sidney.

At the Paxton: F. H. Hammond, Chicago; Samuel Dalton, Chicago; M. D. Cannon, Schuyler; H. L. Kinkman, New York; M. J. Boyle, St. Paul; Benjamin Tuck, New York.

Mrs. Harry B. Lord, who for the past two months has been visiting her parents at her old home in the south, returned last week with her husband and is stopping at the Hotel Barker. Her many friends will be glad to welcome her back.

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**Surprised by Their Friends.**

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Murphy, of 1126 South Twenty-ninth street, were agreeably surprised on Wednesday evening last, at the numerous callers who assembled from 8 to 9 o'clock, took possession of the premises and indulged in cards, dancing, music and lunch. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. John McGovern, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rhul, Mr. and Mrs. E. Amorette. The Misses Heelans, Cleary, Mullen, Millett, Dwyer, Kosters, Truckeys, Haydens, Miss Ebbert of Indianapolis and Dailey of Chicago. The Messrs. Lenahan, Mullen, Weeth, Duncan, Weber, Downey, Scannell, Thompson.

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**Cane Presentation.**

After the adjournment of the federal grand jury yesterday, their chairman, H. B. Strant and clerk, J. R. King, were presented with a gold headed cane and pen and holder respectively. Both gentlemen were taken by surprise but managed to respond to the presentation speeches.

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**Gaining in Numbers.**

"It is remarkable how rapidly the Pennsylvania society is growing in numbers," remarked Mr. W. C. Griffiths yesterday. The society is only a month old, and it has already a membership of nearly two hundred and fifty.

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**South Amaha Notes.**

St. Martin's choir was organized Friday afternoon by Prof. Saxby of Omaha. The choir will meet every Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

George and John Parks, builders for the Armour-Cudahy company, have returned from Chicago.

The mayor and city council and Mr. Rowley visited the new jail and police court rooms yesterday and agreed on the necessary changes and arrangements.

Division No. 3, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will meet in Hunt's opera house Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Michael Doran, of Gretna, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John J. O'Rourke.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Van Sant, a boy.

Hereafter the EVENING BEE will publish the South Omaha morning stock markets.

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**The Young Married Folks.**

The select party to be given by the Young Married Folks' club at Goodrich hall on Thursday evening, January 24 promises to be a very enjoyable affair. A tasty and well arranged programme is prepared for the occasion, and good music will be in attendance. During the intermission supper will be served in the banquet room. As this is a special party aside from the regular series given by this club, unmarried folks that are friends and can be vouched for by the members will be allowed to participate. Tickets may be had from the following charter members: J. H. Schmidt, G. B. Hengen, G. J. Sternsdorff, W. G. Shriver, A. M. Kitchen, F. V. Wasserman, C. J. Canan, W. B. Taylor, Bruce McCulloch, J. J. Gibson, G. A. Ostrom and J. P. Guth.

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Wanted—50 cash boys; apply this morning or Monday morning at The Fair, 13th and Howard.

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All members of Local Assembly No. 2122 are respectfully requested to attend an important meeting to be held Wednesday, January 16, at Kaspar's hall, 1423 South Thirteenth street.

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**AMUSEMENTS.**

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