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FOR MONDAY Our Price, **43c**
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ONE LOT NIGHT GOWNS
Turned yoke, rambler ruffle, also Skirts, wide embroidery, worth 50c our price 43c.

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Lace Trimmed
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During This Sale.
At 77c
120 pieces 36-inch Wool Suitings, Habit Cloth, Tilet and Summer Flannel. Sold all over the city at 77c.
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Henriettas.
1 case 40-inch Henriettas, best quality, in Old Rose, Blue, Green, Navy, and other colors. Regular price 50c, sale 25c.
At 39c
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60 pieces Albatross, all wool, 41 inches wide, very fine quality, all new summer styles; regular price 45c, sale 39c.
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2 cases 42-inch French Serges, summer weight, all nice colors, worth 75c, sale 50c.
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Regular \$1.25 goods at 65c.

SALETEENS.
2000 Pieces
SHORT LENGTH English Saleteens. **6c**
All lengths contain dress patterns, and are made of very fine quality, for Monday only, at reduced prices. Only one size pattern to a customer.
150 Pieces
American Saleteens, **12c**
As sold by our competitors at 15c; our price 12c.
120 Pieces
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80 Pieces
Genuine Imported French Saleteens, **29c**
A superb lot of choice novelties just opened. Rare designs not to be found elsewhere; regular value 50c.

MUSLIN
Goot Bleached **5c**
Yard wide. Will sell yard or bolt. Regular 9c quality.
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All colors and all size check. Regular 5c quality.
Very Good Quality of Wide **15c**
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Take the new entrance through Shoe Department, elegant 10 foot wide promenade, only 7 steps.
5 Bales All Colors Mosquito Netting, **3c**
Or 24c per bolt.
SPRING Shade Rollers, **25c**
500 best quality Window Holland, 3 1/2 yards long, good spring rollers, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c.
Lace Scrim, **4c**
100 pieces very wide, assorted patterns.
Lap Robes **25c**
Linen Lap Robes, Assorted colors.

INDIA LINON.
At 6c
Yard wide very good quality, sold elsewhere at 15c; Monday's price 6c.
At 12 1/2c
Nainsook.
We offer Checked and 21-stippled Nainsook, regular 15c quality. Monday's price, at The Fair, 12 1/2c.
At 15c
SATIN PLAIDS.
We offer fancy Satin Plaids, regular 35c goods for Monday's sale 15c.
At 20c
We Offer Plain India Linon.
Extra fine quality, regular 37 1/2c goods, for Monday 20c.
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OPEN WORK LACE EFFECTS.
We offer very fine imported open work lace effects, real value 50c, for Monday 25c.

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WITHOUT EXCEPTION MARKED WAY DOWN!
A Black Beaded Wrap in all sizes, marked down from \$3.50 to \$2.
A Black and Colored BEADED WRAP, \$3.50
open worked sleeves, silk lined, reduced from \$3.50 to \$3.
A Beautiful BEADED WRAP, \$5.00
All silk lined with lace, open worked sleeves, reduced from \$5.00 to \$4.
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Fine Open Work Crochet Silk Wrap \$7.50
All silk beaded. Can be worn all summer.

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THE LOCAL FIELD OF SPORTS

Resume of the Base Ball Situation and Prospects.

THE DEATH OF A FAMOUS FLYER.

The Wheelers and Their Wheels—Tournaments and Rumors of Tournaments—Challenges and Counter Challenges.

Results of the Four-Ball Rule.

Among the Ant-ten Wheelmen.

The Following Runs are called for the month of May and June:

One of the Greatest Running Horses of the Age.

DIED AT THE BLUFFS.

On the slope of the Car was considered the finest and most promising three-year-old in the world.

Rose and three others. At San Francisco, November 13, he carried 115 pounds and won the Equity for three-quarters of a mile, after running a dead heat with the Wanderer, Kiss-Me-Quick gelding. The time was 1:14 1/2; 1:16; Flood Tide, 1:15 pounds; Jack Pot, 1:16; Gammon, 1:15 and Callent, 1:20 pounds, also started. His two starts this spring made him a formidable candidate for the coming American Derby. April 23, at the Hay District track, San Francisco, he won the Tidal stakes, one mile and a quarter, in 2:19 1/2. His stable comrade, Don Jose, was only head behind and a neck in advance of Godfrey. Lorenzo was an indifferent fourth, and Flood Tide, Joe Hodge, Louis Ann and Wild Oats as named. The performance which established him as a leading candidate for the American Derby was his victory in the Pacific Derby, one mile and a half, run April 22. In this race he defeated Lorenzo, Wild Oats, Joe Courtney and Godfrey, and ran the Derby distance in 2:36, which was the best record for an event of the kind until Spokane's 2:34 1/2 was hung out at Louisville, a week ago last Thursday. His death takes from the American Derby in 1888. His breeding on both sides was first-class, his sire being by Lexington and his dam by Malcomin out of Maggie Mitchell, by imported Yorkshire.

The great side-days' race bicyclists against equestrianism opens up at the Coliseum one week from to-morrow afternoon. Work on the turf track in the big building commences to-morrow, and by Friday evening everything will be in readiness. Marve Beardsley, who will manage the horsework, expects them here by Tuesday, and will keep them training continuously until Sunday evening. These riders are Miss Lizzie Williams and Miss May White, of Los Angeles, Cal., and are both well and favorably known. Miss Williams recently won a splendid five-mile match race for \$500 a side from Miss Myrtle Peck, the champion lady rider of America, at Los Angeles, Time, 9:57. She is a great rider and confidently expects to beat the fair wheelers easy. May White is also quite a celebrated long distance equestrienne, and has run some notable races. They will have twenty thoughtful runners here from the Crystal Lake, Kan., stock farm, and expect to give a grand exhibition of their wonderful ability as champion riders. The bicyclists are Beauty Baldwin, Kittie Brown, Jesse Wood and Jesse Oakes, who will return here from New York about Thursday. This quartette is riding in splendid form and assert that they can easily beat out the Californians. The race is for \$1,000 a side and the gate receipts, and will be an event well worth witnessing.

The fifth annual of the Omaha Fair and Exposition association will be held at the fair grounds, this city, September 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. This is the great annual agricultural exposition of the state, and in which every business man and every farmer should take a lively interest. It is also the greatest live stock show held west of the Missouri river, and as such is becoming famous all through the western states. The racing programme this fall is confidently expected to eclipse that of any previous year, as the list of entries will be decidedly larger than ever before. All the well-known horses in the western country will be here, and there will be some very interesting special events. The management have also determined to add many new features to the list of attractions, and will spare neither pains nor expense to make the occasion commensurate with the importance of our great and growing state.

At the sale at Cleveland last Tuesday, Church Howe & Son, of Auburn, this state, purchased the following fine horse flesh: Swanson, blk. f., by Prophet Wilkes, dam by Holden's Hambletonian, for \$350; Fannie Holden, blk. m., by Holden's Hambletonian, dam by General Harris, \$100; Pearl, br. f., by Middleton Chief, dam Genna, \$30; Dynamite, b. m., by Hylan, dam a Morgan mare, \$30; Gendine, b. m., by Jay Gould, dam Nancy Claret, \$100. In addition to these, they also bought a couple of yearlings.

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On the Osakis. Messrs. W. G. Albright, Jeff. W. Bedford, George Ames, J. E. McCormick, Marsh Kennard, C. W. Radd, E. T. Duke and W. J. Hahn are encamped on Lake Osakis, which lies about one hundred and fifty miles north of Minneapolis, Minn. It is a fishing party and they expect to be out until the end of the week in June. Lake Osakis is a beautiful sheet of water, embedded like a silvery gem in the heart of an emerald forest, and is fairly alive with the choicest varieties of the ichthyological family—black, rock and yellow bass, pickerel, muskellunge, croppies and trout, all about here in great numbers, and furnish the most exhilarating and exciting of sport. The woods, too, round about are full of deer and grouse, and smaller game, but anything will be done in this line, but the whole time devoted to the fishy tribe.

Lorene Shows Up Well. Marve Beardsley drove Charlie McCormick's black mare, Lorene, on the fair ground track one day last week a mile in 2:24, and one-quarter of a mile in 33 seconds, a 3:12 clip. The mile was the best that has been shown this spring, and Beardsley says that Lorene is as fast, if not faster than she ever was. McCormick's horses are all showing up magnificently under Beardsley's expert care, and during the coming summer campaign more than one of them will be heard from.

The fifteenth annual tournament of the Nebraska State Sportsmen's association will be held at Norfolk, commencing next Tuesday, and continuing until Friday, inclusive. It is to be held under the auspices of the Norfolk gun club. The grand championship medal shoot takes place Wednesday. This medal, which belongs to the association, was won by the Lehigh team in 1883; by the Takamah team in 1884, and by the Omaha team in 1885, 1886 and 1888. Parmelee and Budd also shot a 100 bird match for \$500 a side on this day. The Plateau silver cup will be shot for Saturday. This trophy is now held by the Omaha team.

The Senator on His Ear. CHICAGO, May 17.—To the Sporting Editor of THE BEE:—In your Sunday's issue I noticed a large paragraph to the effect that Miss Williams the Omaha so-called bicycle "wonder" would shortly engage in a match with Miss Lotta Stanley who is now in the east in the New York race and bids fair to be beaten, 100 miles. Do Miss Williams and her backers and numerous managers wish a soft mark for a match? It seems so in soliciting Miss Stanley for a race. I take exception to the title Miss Williams arrogates to herself as "champion of America." The champion of America (and the world) is Miss Jessie Oakes, of London, who won the Chicago race, would have won the Omaha race, but for her fall, as everybody knows, and is now winning and beating all the time by Holden's Hambletonian, dam by General Harris, \$100; Pearl, br. f., by Middleton Chief, dam Genna, \$30; Dynamite, b. m., by Hylan, dam a Morgan mare, \$30; Gendine, b. m., by Jay Gould, dam Nancy Claret, \$100. In addition to these, they also bought a couple of yearlings.

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Lottie Stanley Coming. Lottie Stanley, who holds the title of female bicycle champion of the world, will arrive in this city about Thursday, together with the Tom Eck combination. It is quite probable she will have a race or two on her hands before she gets away from Omaha.

Flashes from the Diamond. Denver will release Healy. Cleveland still has his eye on the ball. To-day's game will be called at 3 o'clock. Omaha plays at Sioux City May 28, 29 and 30. Kansas City is turning out great ball crowds. Dalrymple is doing about all of Denver's heavy battling. Like Joe Quest, Davy Force is proving a factor in the previous season's success. St. Paul says that Omaha is her only rival for the pennant. Willis and Naale will be Omaha's battery this afternoon. The Omahas have good utility players in Messitt and Cooney. Big George Wilson, of last year's Omahas, is catching for the Jersey Citys. The Omahas were a trifle weak in their stock work on their recent trip. If Willis had a little better control of the ball he would be as effective as the best of them. Andrews is playing an unusually fine game at first, but he does not seem to be hitting the ball. "Jockey" Flynn, who was with the Omaha last season, has joined a semi-professional team at Halifax. Norfolk has signed the Louisville battery, Edgerton and Wilson, with whom they hope to tuck out Grand Island. Milwaukee has released Kiusman, and Denver has signed him, and he is playing a fine game for the Mountain City team. The four ball rule has hit the nail on the head. This is proving one of the greatest battling years in the history of the game. Minneapolis will probably get Hurdick yet, but what she wants with him, is the question puzzling Omaha base ball connoisseurs. Next Wednesday will be ladies' day at the ball park, and a great crowd of the fair sex are confidently expected to be on hand. Kirby, released by the Philadelphia, has signed with the Milwaukee. He will prove a power for the unfortunate beer jerkers. Cleveland has settled down to splendid work. His playing in the last few games has been brilliant. He is the most reliable batter on the team. The Sioux Citys say that Canavan is playing the best game of any outfielder in the Western association. He is not fielding very well, but he is hitting hard. Hank Luck still pursues the Milwaukee, but it is dollars to doughnuts that they will get together themselves together and hustle the leaders in the race. Walsh is doing yeoman service at short, but as yet has not got his optics squarely on the ball. When he does look out for three-baggers and home runs. The Corn Huskers again this afternoon and Monday. Then come the St. Jos. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and Denver Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Kid Nichols has his first game yet to lose for the Omahas. He has been hit pretty hard a few times, but is using excellent judgment at critical times. Hence his success. Des Moines says she will positively vote against any increase of the salary limit—that her expenses now are as much as she

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