ATISFIED ITS DEPOSITORS

raska Savings Bank of Lincoln Easily Weathers a Small Panic.

VERAL THOUSAND RECEIVED YESTERDAY

cials of the Institution Highly Pleased with the Manner in Which the Run Was Met—Solvency of the Bank Proved.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The run on the Nebraska Savings nk had apparently exhausted itself this rning. There were but few people clam- ng for their deposits, and there was an tire absence of the intense excitement at characterized the scenes about the nk yesterday. The withdrawals up till closing hour today amount to a little r $29,000. During Tuesday and Wednes- y the withdrawals amounted to about ,000 and yesterday to $16,000. Yesterday ternoon several deposits were made, and day the tide turned in favor of the bank d the deposits received up to the closing ur amounted to $7,300. The banking cials are highly pleased that the crisis s passed, and the solvency of the institu- n fully proved.

District Court News.

Gorham F. Betts will be tried before dge Strode on Monday, May 29, on the ree indictments recently returned by the nd jury. Subpœnas were issued today Eugene Moore, Bartley and other state icers, with instructions to bring along all oks and vouchers relating to the coal con- ct with Betts & Weaver. The case will ing to the immediate attention of the urt the question raised by Attorney urtney as to the validity of the present nd jury. It is said now that the county torney has unearthed a statute which lows the court to substitute another man r any juror whose disability is discovered fore the grand jury adjourns.

Mary J. McClelan asks $10,000 damages om the Lincoln Street Railway company r injuries received by falling into an open- g in the car floor made by the motorman r the purpose of examining the machinery, it which was carelessly left unguarded. he accident occurred last June.

Mary Smith asks for a divorce from ichael Smith on the ground of extreme uelty. She also wants a liberal slice of imony, with $500 with which to carry on e suit. Smith is a wealthy farmer living ear Woodlawn.

The sad memories of the old election con- sts of the winter of 1890-91 were revived day when P. E. Beardley, one of the five enographers who reported the testimony, es Potter, Waring & Boyles for $400, his are of the amount they received from the gislature. Nellie Beardsley also sues the ewriting firm for $650 for services ren- ered in that case. Writs of attachment ainst Waring were issued.

City in Brief.

George Stone, a scavenger, reported to e police late last night that an attempt to old him up had been made by two men at enth and P streets by the aid of a big ife. Two men answering the description ere arrested, but this morning it developed at one of them had merely asked Stone for me money, and he ran for the police. The air were sent up for thirty days for vag- ancy.

Mrs. H. A. West returned to her home in Mount Vernon, Ia., today, having concluded hat she doesn't want to marry George chlater, the afflicted notion peddler, whose cquaintance she made by means of a matri- monial paper. They corresponded for awhile, and when George proposed marriage he agreed and came on here to meet him. When she saw that he was afflicted with St Vitus dance she hesitated, and after discus- ing the matter for several days decided that the fact that George is well-to-do would not suffice, and went home.

The announcement is made that the Cooper Radiating company of this city has decided to suspend business until the money market becomes less stringent, and the capi- al necessary for carrying on business can be secured on better terms.

The State Dental association adjourned last night, after electing the following of- ficers: Dr. Skeede, Seward, president; Dr. Diffenbaker, vice president; Dr. McCreery, Beatrice, recording secretary; Dr. W. C. Davis, Lincoln, corresponding secretary; Dr. Cole, Norfolk, treasurer.

Fremont News Notes.

FREMONT, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—M. K. Turner, editor of the Columbus Journal, was in the city yesterday.

E. W. Kinney, formerly one of the firm of the Fremont Milling company, and family left today for a visit to their old home in Wisconsin.

Deputy Collector Wiggins of Omaha was in the city yesterday and issued certificates (of citizenship) to the five Chinese residing in this city. Sam Lee speaks English, can read and write. He employs in the laundry business Jim Jo, George Tung, Chang You and Maw Fo. They all furnished photo- graphs when they registered.

The annual commencement exercises of the Fremont Business college were held in Loves' opera house this evening. D. V. Stevens, county superintendent of schools, presented diplomas to the following named persons: Fern West, Lottie M. Story, W. J. Smalley, Emma Johnson, H. G. Ham- mang, Laura Cochran, Carrie W. Arnold, Charles W. Mulloy, Matilda Johnson, Ger- trude Hurlbut, Myrtle L. Braucht, Cornelius Kelly and Ralph A. Beardsley.

Drowned Herself in the Elkhorn.

WEST POINT, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The whereabouts of Miss Minnie Shademan is no longer a mystery. The body was discovered on the banks of the Elkhorn river northwest of this city. She left her home the latter part of April. In the morn- ing before she disappeared she prepared breakfast as usual and unceremoniously left the place. It is reported that unpleasant words passed between her and her father, this causing her to leave home. She in- formed her sister before she left that when once gone they would never see her again. With this information the jurors decided that Miss Shademan came to her death by drowning herself in the Elkhorn river.

Suit of a Grain Firm.

RED CLOUD, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Suit has been commenced in the county court of Webster county by H. Gund & Co., grain dealers at Blue Hill, against the B. & M. There are five counts in the petition. The first four are unimportant. The fifth alleges that on the 7th of August last the plaintiff had at different stations on the line of the defendant's road 5,000 bushels of corn for shipment, worth at that time 45 cents per bushel, but that the defendant refused to re- ceive and ship said grain for nearly a month, and the plaintiff was compelled to sell the same for 35 cents to the damage of the plain- tiff in the sum of $500.

West Point Happenings.

WEST POINT, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Otto Pfieffer, who is employed by the Western Tinware Manufacturing com- pany at Omaha, was in this city this week visiting old-time friends.

The reservoir of this city received a thorough cleaning this week by Frank Boyer.

Gus Drahos has sold the property upon which his ice houses are situated to the Lemp Brewing company of St. Louis, Mo. This company intends moving the frame structures from the present location and erecting instead a large brick ice house and vault for storing beer.

Vincent Galley's Funeral.

COLUMBUS, Neb., May 19.—[Special Tele- gram to THE BEE.]—Vincent Galley, son of J. H. Galley, who was crushed to death in an elevator in Omaha Wednesday, was buried this afternoon, Rev. Mr. Elliott offi- ciating. The city council, Sons of Veterans and all the High school children attended in a body. Young Galley was born and raised here, was highly respected and the entire community mourns his sad fate.

Preparing for Business.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Beatrice Canning company is preparing to do a large business this fall. Thomas Yule has been elected president to take the place of H. W. Parker, deceased, and C. M. Root has been engaged to look after the 2,000 acres of corn and tomatoes that are being raised for the factory. J. C. Miller will have charge of the packing de- partment.

Burglars Blow a Papillion Safe.

PAPILLION, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Burglars broke into the store of J. P. Spearman at this place last night. They blew open the safe, which contained a small amount of cash which was taken along with some valuable papers. Four suspicious characters were arrested this morning in a box car and locked up.

His Wound Fatal.

STUART, Neb., May 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Newton Turpin, who was shot a week ago by Lew Gosche in a diffi- culty over some cattle belonging to the lat- ter, which had been detained for trespass- ing, died last night from the effects of his wounds. Gosche has not yet been placed under arrest.

May Change His Location.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Prof. A. A. Reed, county superin- tendent of schools, has been elected super- intendent of the Crete city schools. It is probable that Mr. Reed will resign his pres- ent position to accept the latter offer this fall.

Narrow Escape of Two Children.

PENDER, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—A house two miles north of town be- longing to D. N. Wheeler and occupied by Charles Pierson burned this forenoon. Two small children narrowly escaped being con- sumed. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Niobrara's First White Woman Dead.

NIOBRARA, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Margaret Bingham, one of the first white women who came to this county in the fall of 1857, died at her residence near here yesterday noon, aged 88 years.

Coleridge Drug Store Closed.

COLERIDGE, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The drug store here belonging to L. E. Baxter was closed last Saturday by vir- tue of a chattel mortgage. The entire stock will be sold at auction.

Niobrara's Newspaper Change.

NIOBRARA, Neb., May 19.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Niobrara Tribune, democratic, again changed hands today, W. M. McClin- tock selling his interest to Zaph G. Sherman.

WHERE IS THAT MONEY NOW?

Result of Economy at Norfolk Vanishes Completely at Lincoln.

Dr. H. S. Summers of West Point, ex- superintendent of the asylum at Norfolk, is in Omaha. In conversation yesterday with a BEE reporter Dr. Summers revealed quite an interesting chapter in the record of the State Board of Public Lands and Buildings. Dr. Summers did not talk like a man who has a grievance. The statements he made came more in the form of a casual conversation than in the guise of a growl.

"I see that the State Board of Public Lands and Buildings has been posing as a very much overworked body of men," said the doctor at the outset. "It may be true that they worked very hard," he continued, "but they must have put in a good deal of their time visiting other institutions than the asylum at Norfolk if that is the case, for during my term of thirteen months not a member of the board ever set foot in the in- stitution. They did not even write any let- ters of inquiry to learn how the institution was getting on. I will say to their credit, however, that when I wrote to the board about matters pertaining to the institution my letters were always promptly answered.

"THE BEE claims that certain funds appro- priated for putting in a new boiler at the asylum were spent for other purposes. I can easily explain that matter. When I took charge of the institution I found by the able assistance of Mr. Patterson, who is recog- nized as one of the very best engineers in the state, that the shell of the old boiler was perfectly good, although some of the flues were worn out. We also discovered that the high pressure boiler was in a similar condition. I sent to Sioux City for an experienced boiler maker and had him examine the old boilers. He said that for $385 he could make the old ones as good as new. I found that I could have the old boilers repaired and have money enough left out of the boiler fund to repair some of the floors, which were completely worn out, and provide some needed appa- ratus for the laundry. Before turning a hand, however, I went to Lincoln, taking the engineer with me, and laid the matter be- fore the board. Mr. Hastings said they did not want to make a public record of the mat- ter. Allen told me to go ahead and carry out the plan I suggested with regard to re- pairing the old boilers and they would see that the bills were paid. I did so, and in spending the money for repairs in- stead of buying new boilers I was simply carrying out the instructions of the board. I certainly was not guilty of misapplying the funds, for I laid the whole matter before the board and waited for instructions. I have no apology to make for the suggestion, either, for I believed then and I believe now that it was the best thing to do under the circumstances. The only thing I care to say in connection with that matter is that the board should not blame me for the manner in which that money was expended when the plan was approved by the board and I simply carried out instruc- tions.

"When I took charge of the asylum, after Governor Boyd had been declared a citizen and had again been restored to his rightful position as governor, Dr. Wilkinson, my pre- decessor, had expended, between April 1, 1891, and February 15, 1892, a little over $8,000, leaving me with less than $7,000 to run the institution for nearly fourteen months. I soon discovered that I was likely to come out with a deficiency and set about planning to have money in some way, so that I could pull the institution through on the money appropriated for the two years, $15,- 000. My engineer told me that if we could get Rock Springs coal instead of Newcastle we could save several hundred dollars. I asked him if he could give substantial proof of this statement. He showed that he could get 20 per cent more service out of the Rock Springs coal than out of the Newcastle coal. I had him make a statement of this and I wired Mr. Allen not to let the contract for any more coal until I could see him. I went to Lincoln a few days later and found that the board had let the contract for Newcastle slack coal right in the face of the evidence that I had furnished. I told the board that if they would give me Rock Springs slack in- stead of Newcastle I could pull the institu- tion through on the appropriation, but I could not do it if they persisted in furnish- ing me with Newcastle coal. Instead of do- ing as I suggested, they sent me a lot of Newcastle lump at $4.05 per ton in- stead of slack at $3.85. It happened that I ran out of Newcastle coal one time because the company having the contract had none on hand. I wired Mr. Allen ask- ing him what I should do and he answered me, stating that I had better purchase from some of the local dealers. I laid in a good supply of Rock Springs coal and saved over $500. Last January I told Mr. Allen that there was going to be a deficiency in the entire appropriation, but if the board would permit me to buy coal as I wanted to I could save several hundred dollars on the coal ac- count and probably bring the institution out pretty nearly even. They agreed to let me follow that plan and between January 1 and April 1 I saved $1,927. That is, I expended that much less than would have been ex- pended if the board had persisted in purchas- ing Newcastle coal. Now I would like to know what has been done with that money.

"It might have been spent for coal, but I saved it in the way I have explained. In the statement of the expenditures I fail to find what has become of the $1,927, and that is the thing I want the board to explain. It ought to be accounted for in some way, and I expect to be in Lincoln in a few days and then I am going to find out if the board can tell me what became of that money and why it has not been accounted for. I requested the board at one time to have some of the money shifted to the accounts that were running low, but the auditor would not do that. He suggested that I go ahead and save all I could in the coal account. Now I want to hear some satisfactory statement of how the money was finally gotten out of the coal account and where it went to."

Piles of people have piles, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.

SATURDAY.

FROM 9 TO 10 A. M.

Another lot of those 12½c Dress Ginghams,

4c.

500 Egyptian Rugs,

$1.59

Exquisite Designs, Oriental Colorings.

Sample line of Parasols, new spring colorings,

$2.00

They are special value.

Children's fine embroidery Mull Caps,

25c

Large 12 quart heavy tin Dish Pan,

16c

Sold usually at 35c.

SATURDAY

A fine line of Boys' Shirt Waists,

12½c

From 9 to 10 only.

SATURDAY

200 pairs boys' all all wool extra quality Short Pants, Choice Saturday

50c

Grand Dress Goods Sale.

No stagnant spots in that great collection.

When a stuff begins to lose step it gets a price whack that sets it jumping.

The dress goods man doesn't often wait for a sort to lag; he swings the blue pencil very much as a good driver the whip—and off they go.

We have gone through our dress goods stock, pruning knife in hand. We have decided to close out all broken lots of spring dress goods, and here is your opportunity.

They are divided into 5 Lots, and go on sale Saturday.

If you are going to need a dress within 6 months be sure and attend this sale.

Lot 1 embraces the balance of our spring cheviots and suitings of all wool and ½ wool goods which have been sold at 25c, 35c and 50c. We bunch them all for this sale at

→ 19c.

Lot 2 embraces some choice all wool Scotch cheviots and fancy mixtures which are reduced to half prices and single dress patterns. We wish to close them out quickly, and have cut them from 75c and $1.00 to

→ 50c.

Lot 3 embraces some very choice effects in high grade goods in spring colorings and novelties, a pattern or two of a style, not a thing marked less than $1.25. To close them out.

→ 75c.

Lot 4—35 pieces of assorted goods in jacquard effects, plaids, vegoureux mixtures, crepons and novelties, goods that sold for $1.50 and $1.75. To close them out.

→ $1.00.

Lot 5—15 pieces of elegant spring suitings in silk and worsted effects and neat plaids, a fabric that brings $2.00. Price to close for this sale,

→ $1.25.

We ask our friends to remember these values and take advantage of them.

About 50 boys' 2-piece suits that have sold from $3.00 to $6.00 from 10 to 12 only,

$2.15.

SATURDAY

Ladies' Mousquetaire Kid Gloves, 8 button,

$1.47

About 50 boys' 2-piece suits that have sold from $3.00 to $6.00, from 10 to 12 only

$2.15.

SATURDAY

Extra heavy Cream Damask, 66 inches wide,

40c

Special value.

SATURDAY.

FROM 10 TO 12 A. M.

Ladies' Kid Gloves

39c.

CAPES and JACKETS.

One lot of ladies' capes, 25 in all, an assortment of styles, and are made of all wool material. The regular price is $7.50 Special low price to close out the lot

→ $5.00

Children's Reefer Jackets—In this lot you will find just what you have been paying $1.50 for. Saturday our price is

→ 98c.

One lot of ladies' fine jackets, in the new styles, both in cut and materials, that are worth $16 each. Our price to close

→ $9.98

We have about 35 jackets, made of all wool material in the latest styles. These jackets are well worth and sold everywhere for $7. Our price to close

→ $5.

Saturday we will put on sale 50 silk waists in cardinal, navy, black and polka dots, that were bought to sell for $5. We will close this lot Saturday at

→ $3.50

→ You cannot afford to buy a jacket, cape or in fact anything in the top coat line without first looking through our large and choice stock of new goods in the latest styles.

A lot of Ladies' Drawers, trimmed with embroidery and tucking,

35c

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs,

9c

At this price the lot is not guaranteed to last after 12 m.

Large white granite Slop Jars,

69c

Actual value $1.25

From 9 to 12 o'clock Pears Unscented Soap,

9c Cake

Ammonia 6c bottle

HERE'S FOR SATURDAY'S SALE.

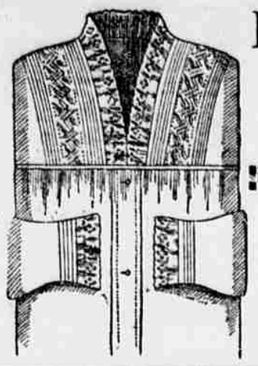
THE Morse Co DRY GOODS

WE ARE SURROUNDED BY BARGAINS.

SATURDAY at 87c

Saturday we will place on sale a lot of Ladies' Robes at

87c.



Night Robes like this that you pay $1.25 for, Saturday at

87c.

SATURDAY.

As long as they last.

Children's fine guage hose,

9c.

This is a lot of odd pairs. Many surprises for you. Take them quickly.

Elegant glass sets—butter dish, pitcher, sugar bowl and spoons, the outfit for

13c

Lace Stripe Zephyrs,

19c

Try to match these for less than 35c. They will surprise you. On sale at white goods counter from 10 to 12 a. m.

One lot of Laces, your pick until 12 m. at

1c

Ladies' knee length Jersey Ribbed Drawers,

25c

Ladies' Night Robes, yoke of insersion and tucking

50c

Try and match them for less than 75c.

SATURDAY.

Two Grand Sheeting Bargains.

8-4 at 14½c.

9-4 at 16c.

Real value 18c and 20c.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

P. F. Britt, "An Old Man Out of Money," Attempts Suicide and Fails.

FOUR SHOTS FIRED AT THE FAST MAIL

Enterprising Burglar Still Aburgling—Much Sickness in the Magic City—Judge Fowler Ill—Notes and Personals.

"I'm an old man out of money," was the only excuse P. F. Britt gave last evening for cutting his throat with the intention of com- miting suicide.

Britt is about 65 years of age. Yesterday afternoon he went into the alleyway be- tween Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh and M and N streets and with a penknife made a bungling job a determined effort to take his life. The blade of the knife was very small and did not go in deep. The windpipe and jugular were not touched, but one open- ing was made from just below the chin through to the mouth. He was standing in a stooped position with the blood gushing out in a stream when discovered by Peter Johnson and some boys who were playing ball. The police were notified and Britt was taken to the police station, where Dr. Kelley sewed up the gashes.

Unless blood poisoning should set in the wounds are not considered necessarily fatal. Early last evening Britt was taken to St. Joseph's hospital. He had nothing to say ex- cept that he did not cut deep enough.

Britt is the name Peter Mitchell and other acquaintances knew the man by, al- though he had letters in his pocket ad- dressed to "S. P. Breck." He was originally from New York City, where years ago he was considered a wealthy man. He lost his wife, children and money and came west. Three years ago he went to work at Cudahy's, and, with the exception of a few months that he was in Kansas City, has worked there steadily until a few days ago, when he was discharged. Those who know him consider him to be insane. For years he had been a hard drinker, but some months ago was cured of the drink habit and has not touched liquor since. Britt was a quiet man and never bothered any one.

Burglars Still Aburgling.

Burglars blew open the safe in C. K. Spear- man's store at Papillion last night, but as there was no cash in it the fellows took nothing but a few postage stamps. The South Omaha police received a description stating that one of the burglars had a crooked finger on his left hand, but that was all.

There are still some light-fingered in- dividuals at large in South Omaha. Thurs- day evening between 6 and 7 o'clock $50 was stolen from D. Davidson's store, just west of the Q street viaduct. Davidson has a double store, handling hardware and groceries. The clerk was alone and while waiting on a customer in the hardware de- partment a thief stepped into the grocery side and lifted $50 in bills from the money drawer. There is no clew whatever to the robber.

Fired at the Fast Mail.

Some lunatic or drunken person fired four pistol shots at the Union Pacific fast mail train as it passed the Summit Thursday night. The bullets went through the windows, but fortunately did not strike any individuals. What the man's object could have been is not known as he stood off on the bank and fired at random.

The police have been unable to locate the man, but it is thought he is insane, who- ever he may be.

Magic City Gossip.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Mendenhall, a boy.

Mrs. T. B. Scott is visiting friends in Indianola, Ia.

Four more of the microscopists were re- tired yesterday.

The father of Rev. H. G. Sharpley died at Perry, Ia., yesterday.

David Rush and Phillip Smith are new recruits on the inspection force.

An old fashioned Fourth of July celebra- tion is being agitated in South Omaha.

Mrs. F. Yockle, aged 39, died at her home in Albright yesterday morning. The funeral will take place today from the Albright Christian church to Laurel Hill cemetery.

A four-foot brick sewer 1,400 feet long is being placed in the southern section of the stock yards.

Some of the High school boys have organ- ized a ball club and will play at Plattsmouth on Decoration day.

Mrs. Thomas Slattery entertained a party of friends at her comfortable home, Twenty- fifth and O streets.

Tom Whitberg of the Cudahy force left for New York yesterday to attend the funeral of his brother, who was drowned there.

Building permits were issued yesterday to Frank Blaha, Twentieth and O, frame cot- tage, $500; Anna Corrigan, Logan Place, dwelling, $2,000.

Another case of scarlet fever was reported to the police by Dr. Slabaugh last evening. It is at the home of George Boyer, Twenty- fifth and L streets.

Judge Fowler is ill. He sentenced one fellow to fifteen days in the county jail, first and last five days on bread and water, for drunkenness, then himself went home and went to bed.

James Maher is in hard luck. He was run in in Omaha as a suspicious character, and after being discharged came to South Omaha, when he was promptly arrested on a similar charge.

Herman Lamott, an employe in the tin shops at Cudahy's, is minus his right index finger. While at work his finger was caught in a machine and was so badly mashed that amputation was necessary.

The funeral of the late Walter Whit- man yesterday morning was largely at- tended. Members of the Modern Woodmen attended in a body in uniform. Bishop Worthington conducted the services.

There is a great deal of sickness in South Omaha just now, and adults seem to be in the majority of the victims. They all seem to have about the same complaint, cold in the head, slight fever, ache all over and more or less cough. Seven men out of ten seem to be afflicted and several have taken to their beds. The sickness is similar to la grippe.

A Famous Medicine.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of throat and lung dis- eases. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping coughs, and is the most effectual remedy known for these dis- eases. Mr. C. B. Main of Union City, Pa., says: "I have a great sale on Chamber- lain's Cough Remedy. I warrant every bot- tle and have never heard of one failing to give entire satisfaction."

OMAHA'S BIG SHOW.

Exhibitors Busy Preparing to Have Every- thing on Hand for the Opening.

The committee on exhibits of the Manu- facturers association spent a good share of yesterday in calling upon the manufacturers who are to make exhibits at the exposition, which opens Monday evening, so that there would be no failure on the part of any one. The exhibitors who have not already com- menced work at the Coliseum are preparing their exhibits in their factories and will set them up during the last two days of the week. The committee reports as their be- lief that every one will be ready with their exhibits on the opening night, but in order to leave no opportunity for any delay they will keep after the slow ones and give them no rest until the exhibits are in place.

Lincoln sent word yesterday that they would like to have a little more space, as they would make a larger showing than was at first intended. Lincoln has quite a num- ber of very good factories and they know how to exhibit their wares, as was demon- strated at the local exposition held in that city this spring.

The Institute for the Deaf was granted a space yesterday in which to show the work of its pupils.

President Page of the Manufacturers asso- ciation says that everything so far indicates that the coming exposition will be far better than the one last year and that the manu- facturers have profited from their experi- ence.

The "No. 9" Wheeler & Wilson, with its perfected tensions, upper and lower, is the only lock-stitch machine that makes an elastic seam. It is the dressmaker's favorite on that account. Sold by Geo. W Lancaster & Co., 514 South Sixteenth street.

Fish for Nebraska Waters.

Fish Commissioner Blair states that the commission is now engaged in distributing 15,500,000 wall-eyed pike and 1,000,000 rain- bow trout in the waters of the state. They were hatched at the state hatcheries at South Bend and are now, at the age of two weeks, nearly three inches in length. The distribution of carp and bass will not take place until fall. About 2,500,000 brook trout were distributed during February. It is the intention of the commission to enlarge the hatchery pools this year, so that next year it will be possible to make a distribu- tion of nearly 3,000,000 trout. The greater number of the fish thus distributed will live, although it is always counted that a certain small percentage of them will die, as the larger fish in the lakes and ponds where they are planted will dispose of them before they grow to sufficient size to take care of themselves. The young ones are placed in the shallow places and behind the rushes and reeds, where they are afforded some protection, and, as they grow very rapidly during the earlier period of their existence, are soon out of the way of the danger that menaced them at first.

Before breakfast Bromo-Seltzer Acts as a bracer—trial bottle 10 cts.

COMMERCIAL CLUB MATTERS.

Enthusiastic Meeting of the Executive Com- mittee—Six Hundred Members Enrolled.

The executive committee of the Commer- cial club meeting at the Board of Trade rooms Thursday evening was an en- thusiastic one. The unavoidable ab- sence of Mr. Utt was a source of much disappointment, but Chairman Gib- bon announced that the new commissioner would reach Omaha next Monday and that he would at once assume his official duties.

Messrs. Gibbon, Knox and Brady were ap- pointed a committee to entertain Mr. Utt upon his arrival.

Secretary Fowler reported that the mem- bership of the club now numbered 600.

Mr. John Brady believed it to be the duty of every good citizen of Omaha engaged in a business capacity to join the club. The cost of membership was only $20 per year. He was in favor of perfecting plans to increase the numerical strength of the club to 2,000 members.

The committee decided to heartily co- operate in the entertainment of the dele- gates to the State Business Men's associa- tion on the 29th inst. and the matter was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. Gibbon, Coe, Payne and Ayer. The committee in executive session de- cided to give Mr. Utt full control and hearty support. The question of appointing a per- manent secretary for the club was post- poned. The committee will meet again next Tuesday evening, when Commissioner Utt will be present.

Ex-Senator Ingalls will discuss the Chinese exclusion act in THE SUNDAY BEE. He says the lofty dread of Chinese contamination shown in some sections of this country is a touch of humor that makes the whole world grin.

Nothing to Be Desired

Every Flavor made by Dr. Price has the peculiar taste characteristic of the fruit from which it is obtained, and im- parts to cakes, puddings, sauces or creams such a delicious and grateful flavor that their use really leaves nothing to be desired. We have yet to see the housewife who has used Dr. Price's Delicious Flavoring Extracts of Lemon, Orange, Nectarine or Vanilla, who was not de- lighted with them. THE PURITY OF DR. PRICE'S FLAVORS is en- dorsed by the leading chem- ists and heads of the great universities of this continent.

Women Will Vote

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