

# Heavy Weight Clothing

At One-third to One-half Real Value.

With unabated vigor and increasing interest our great clearing sale of Men's Heavy Weight Garments proceeds. Every promise made by us has been carried out to the letter. Early buyers were convinced that they saved 33-1/3 to 50 per cent on all goods bought during this sale. Buyers yet to come have many desirable patterns to select from. What are left of the 10,000 pairs of men's All Wool Pants we told you about last Monday, go on sale Saturday at \$5, \$12.50, \$20 and \$25. Many of these pants are left from broken suits, which sold at prices ranging from \$7.50 to \$25.00.

Our entire stock of Overcoats and Ulsters must go regardless of cost. We make it a point not to carry a single coat from one season to another. \$18.00 and \$20.00 Overcoats and Ulsters will be closed out at \$12.50. \$15.00 Overcoats at \$9.00. \$12.50 Coats at \$7.50. \$7.50 and \$10.00 Coats at \$5.00. \$5.00 and \$6.00 Coats at \$2.95 and \$3.95.

Over 25 patterns of Men's Fine Suits will be closed out at \$3.75, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00. We tell you frankly and candidly that in spite of all florid offerings that are made, we do not believe that there has ever been such an opportunity to purchase a stylish suit at so little cost. Come and examine the make-up and quality of these goods and be convinced that we will save you 33-1/3 to 50 per cent on your purchase.

Bargains in Boys' Knee Pants Suits in the basement. 50c Knee Pants at 25c.

## Hats and Caps

We have about 40 dozen Men's Derby and Fedora Hats, in broken sizes, taken from our \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 lines. If you find your size, you can have one for 75c. All the broken lines of our Men's All Wool Cloth Caps that have sold as high as 75c—your choice Saturday for 25c.

## Furnishing Bargains In the Basement.

Ladies' heavy fleece lined Vests and Pants, worth 50c, at 12 1/2c

Ladies' and children's Mittens, regular 25c quality, at 5c

Ladies' Fur Boas, worth up to \$2.50, at 50c

Ladies' Fast Black and Seamless Hose, worth 12 1/2c, at 5c

Men's Collars, slightly soiled, worth 12 1/2c, at 5c

Men's Silk Ties, in hand and child size, worth 12 1/2c, at 5c

Men's Red Bandanna Handkerchiefs, the regular 10c quality, at 2 1/2c

Men's Working Shirts, in dark colors, worth 50c, at 15c

Men's and Boys' Heavy Wool Mittens, worth 25c, at 5c

Men's Black and Brown Fancy Sox, worth 12 1/2c, at 5c

Men's Underwear, slightly soiled, worth 50c, at 25c

## Piano Bargains

For the purpose of making room for 1899 Pianos, that are arriving daily, we are compelled, owing to lack of space, to place on sale a number of first-class Pianos at from 50 to 75 per cent less than factory cost. Note prices that follow, viz:

1 Fine Upright Rosewood Case	\$70.00
1 Fine Upright Rosewood Case	\$85.00
1 Fine Upright Ebony Case	\$100.00
1 Fine Upright Mahogany Case	\$125.00
1 Fine Upright Walnut Case	\$135.00
1 Fine Upright Oak Case	\$150.00
1 Fine Upright Walnut Case	\$165.00
1 Fine Upright Mahogany Case	\$175.00
1 Fine Upright Oak Case	\$185.00
1 Fine Upright Walnut Case	\$195.00

### COURT ORDERS THE SALE

#### Assets of German Savings Bank to Go at Auction.

#### DECISION IS REACHED BY JUDGE FAWCETT

#### Argues from Bench that Money is Looking for Investment and Now is a Good Time to Dispose of Real Estate.

Judge Fawcett of the district court has ordered a sale of the assets of the German Savings bank, the affairs of which have been in the hands of Receiver McCague for a number of years. The order was made Thursday, and in passing upon the case the judge said:

"Perhaps the most important matter that I have to decide this morning is the application on the part of the depositors for an order on the receiver to proceed at once to sell all of the assets of the German Savings bank so as to get matters in shape to proceed against the stockholders. There has been quite an elaborate showing made by the depositors in support of these motions and a rule was entered for the bank to show cause, if any, why the order should not be issued, but no such showing has been made, counsel for the stockholders and the bank claiming that upon the record as it stands the court ought not to order the assets sold.

"As I said the other day, it does not seem to me as though the question of what has happened in the past should influence the court in passing upon this particular question. If it has been expensive in the past to run this receivership, it is something that happens with all receiverships. In twenty-five years' experience I never knew a receivership that was not expensive, but I want to take occasion to say that I think the receiver in this case has shown an excellent ability. I believe he has been very faithful to his trust. I know that he has been for the last year, during the time I have had charge of this docket, and I think he has while Judge Keyser had charge of it. I think he has handled the assets of this estate as well as any man could have handled them, and much better than a majority of men could have done. He had had experience before as a banker and real estate man, and he brought the benefit of that experience, together with marked energy, into this work. I think he has done it well. At any rate, as far as I am concerned, as the one who has to supervise his work, I am well satisfied with the manner in which he has conducted it.

Good Time to Sell.

"But the only question to be considered, I think, is as to the advisability of selling the assets at this time—whether the receiver, so far as the handling of the assets is concerned, should not be wound up in order that matters may be so shaped as to permit proceedings to be instituted against the stockholders for the balance remaining due to the depositors after the assets of the bank are exhausted. This is a question that midwinter is not a good time to sell real estate. The bulk of the assets of the bank consists of real estate, there is very little personal property. Of course there

## Remember the Basement Bargain Counter.

Never such bargains in Omaha before. Every department has loaded the basement bargain counters with goods, at a mere fraction of their value. Be on hand Saturday. New bargains every hour.

The great January clearing sales are in full blast all through the house. A saving of one third to one half on all winter goods.

### Agents for the Butterick Patterns,

## Grand Bargain Sale in Furniture.

### Notions 1c.

Pins, Box Hair Pins, Aluminum Thimbles, 45 yards Silk Floss, Darning Cotton, Marking Cotton, 200 yards perfect Machine Thread, etc., your choice for 1c.

### Notions 3c.

Linens, Towels, full 200 yards; Horn Dressing Combs, Heavy Elastic, Hose Supporters, Hair Nets, Tooth Brushes, six Bunches Tape, Needle Books containing 4 pins, Needles, 14 Darning Needles, 5 Hat and Veil Pins and 80 Pins, etc., your choice 3c.

Velvet Dress Binding, 3c a yard.  
Laces 1c, 3c and 5c a yard.  
Embroideries 2c, 3c and 5c a yard.  
Dress Trimming 1c, 2c and 5c a yard.

### Special Sale

On Double Thick French Plated Hand Mirrors, regular prices 25c and 35c, on sale, only 9c each.



### Flannel Dept.

5,000 yards Twale Down at 10c yard.

Roman Placed Flannel and Flannellette at 10c yard.

Outing Flannel, complete assortment of checks and stripes, in both light and dark colors at, yard, 5c and 8c.

63 pieces of Silkoline, 36 inches wide, at, yard, 5c.

Full line of Cretone, 10c and 12 1/2c.

12 1/2 Canton Flannel at, yard, 6 1/2c.

Complete line of Art Ticking at, yard, 15c, 20c and 25c.

### Hams! Hams!

One carload just received to choose from

No 1 ham, sugar cured, 7 1/2c.

No 1 California ham, 5c.

No 1 Cottage ham, boneless, 8 1/2c.

New England balled ham, 10c.

Select Br Bacon, sugar cured, 10c.

Fresh pork sausage, 7 1/2c.

Pickled pork, 5c.

Bologna sausage, 5c.

3-lb. cans best Wrd, 19c; limited.

Pickled pig feet, 4 1/2c.

Fresh dressed chickens on sale Saturday.

## Stoves Stoves.

We are bound to sell the few heating stoves we have on hand and will make prices that will surprise you. Come if you need anything in the stove line. Heating stoves from \$2.75 up.

## Hardware, Stoves and Housefurnishing Dept.

### Special Saturday Sale

Watch 'em. Watch 'em. They pay.

No. 8 extra heavy all copper Boiler, \$1.40.

Large tin water pails, 9c.

Nickel plated No. 8 tea kettle, 49c.

10-quart granite dishpan, 29c.

3-quart granite coffee pot, 27c.

Large granite wash basin, 9c.

50-pound flour cans, nicely decorated, 49c.

10-quart japanned chamber pails, 16c.

Folding lunch boxes, 11c.

Nickel plated cuspidors, 15c.

### See our new 5c counter

On it you will find Doves egg doublets, 2-quart covered pails, coffee pots, button knives, Japanese cuspidors, large scrub brushes and hundreds of other things, all worth 10c and over. Come and look it over.

### Groceries.

#### Eggs Are Down.

Strictly fresh new-laid eggs, 17 1/2c. We guarantee them to be strictly fresh.

#### Butter is Down.

Buy county butter now, we have more than 4,000 pounds to choose from. Rolls or prisms, 12 1/2c.

#### Coffees Are Down.

Sanitas coffee, fresh roasted, 10c.

Genuine old Java, Java and M., 1b. 25c.

Finest high patent flour, per sack, 95c. 3-lb. cans tomatoes, 5c. 3-lb. cans baked beans, only 5c. 10c pkg. Schapp's coconut, only 5c. 10 lbs. ammonia soap, 25c. 3 bars castile soap, toilet, 5c. Tomato catsup, large bottle, 7 1/2c. Cold water starch, worth 10c, 5c. Tall cans blood red salmon, 10c. 3-lb. cans golden pumpkin, 5c. 22 pounds C sugar for \$1.00.

### Curtains.

Grand special sale of all kinds of draperies.

8 1/4 yards lace curtains, 64-in wide, 75 pairs left, at \$1.00 pair.

8 1/4 yards lace curtains, 60 in wide, very fine net, pairs left, at \$1.25 pair.

2 1/2 yards lace curtains, 60 in wide, an extra fine article, 125 pairs on sale at \$1.50.

Silkoline, any quantity you want, at 5c yard.

10 curtains scrim at 5c yard.

36-in. Curtain Swiss, 8c.

Special prices on all portieres.

# HAIRDEN BROS.

## The Greatest and Grandest Clearing Sale Ever in Omaha.

Now going on in our cloak department—Every garment must be sold no matter what the loss.

Choice of any cloak in the house for \$7.50. This includes all our fine sample jackets in all the new shades goods that sold as high as \$30, for \$7.50.

At \$5.98 we are selling jackets worth \$15 in blues, tans, browns and blacks, satin lined throughout. A grand collection.

At \$3.98 we will sell kerseys in modes, kerseys in blues, kerseys in blacks, boucles, caterpillars, friezes, nearly all silk lined.



Our \$1.98 line includes all our beavers and meltons, half silk lined.

At 75c we will sell 25 dozen ladies' skirts, flannel lined throughout—goods that are sold as high as \$2.25 and \$2.50.

41c our finest and children's jackets in three lots at \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98.

Ladies' Fur Collarotes at 98c that sold at \$7.00 and \$8.00.

Ladies' plush Capes, \$1.50. Ladies' plush Capes, 30 inches long, silk lined throughout, \$10.00 quality, at \$1.98.

100 Indian silk Wools, worth \$6.00, for \$3.98.

75 silk Wools in all the new shades, worth \$5.00, at \$2.98.

Ladies' fleeced lined Wrappers, in dark colors, extra wide at 68c.

40 dozen ladies' Wrappers, worth \$2.25 for 98c.

Closing out millinery at half price.

## Saturday's Special Silk Sale.

200 pieces fancy silk, all kinds, all colors, worth \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, sale price 49c.

150 pieces 10-inch Taffetas, in both plain and changeable, excellent quality, on sale at 69c.

Black Taffeta on sale, 27 inches wide, Saturday 98c.

500 pieces finest grade Japanese silk in creases, black and all colors, on sale at 29c.

Black Taffetas, warranted to wear, the famous Antus Guinet French make, only at Hayden's.

Hayden's is the only store showing wide Window Taffetas. The best silk on earth, and the price is only \$1.00.

## The Leading Dress Goods House in the West.

Still bearing down on prices. Winter goods reduced each day until all are gone.

A few crepons left at 95c, \$1.45, \$1.95.

Extra heavy novelties sold at \$1.25, only 75c. All novelties that sold at 50c, 75c, will go at 39c. All novelties up to \$1.00, will go at 49c. Plaids that sold for 39c, only 25c. All wool dress goods that sold for 39c, will go for 19c.

## Basement Silk Dept.

CROWDED WITH BARGAINS.

50 pieces changeable silk, all colors, 17 1/2c.

Striped checks, all silk, light shades, 19c.

600 pieces India, Japanese and China silk in remnants from 5 yards to 20 yards, all colors, worth 50c and 75c, on sale at 29c.

Velvets in remnants, all colors, all lengths, worth \$1.00 and \$1.50, on sale at 49c.

And thousands of other bargains. Sale commences promptly at 8 o'clock.

## Basement Sale of Dress Goods.

Worsted novelties that sold for 29c on sale in the basement at 10c.

English cashmere that sold for 25c and 30c will go for only 19c.

All wool flannel dress goods that sold for 35c will go at 15c.

## Big Sheet Music Sale

Tomorrow we will place on sale some of the most popular selections we have ever had at 15c per copy—such well known hits as "Down in Poverty Row," "Mother Was a Lady," "I Loved Her First," "When Sweethearts' Vows Are Broken," "Miss Phoebe Johnson," "Happy Day," "I Want Back My Own Back," "My Girl is a High Born Lady," "Mammy's Coon Betta Keep Dem Chickens Home," "Take Good Care of My Little One," "A Hero All for Love," "Elaine from Chelsea," "Only Memory's Pictures," by Pritikov, composer of "Take Back My Gold," "Prancing Step," "Step," "Omaha Silks' Two Step," "German Quartette March," "Omaha Turner Wheel Club" and a hundred other selections, only 15c per copy.

## Wash Goods Bargains In Basement.

You will find real value greater than the prices.

30 YD.—for Plain Dress Goods—30 YD. Standard apron check gingham, (blue and white)—35c yard.

Dress ghinghams, worth 12 1/2c, good styles, 5c yard.

Percales, (1 yard wide), dark colors, worth 12 1/2c, 5c yard.

Dark dress prints, (the very best grade), 3 1/2c yard.

Silkolines, full yard wide, worth 12 1/2c, 5c yard.

10-yard pattern of cotton novelty dress goods, 69c each.

These patterns are all 2-toned fancy designs and worth exactly \$1.25 each.

district court pass upon and there was no need of going over the same ground twice. Under the circumstances the bank was allowed a judgment so that the city could appeal and raise the questions intended.

On behalf of the city it was shown that J. K. Saunders had become the owner of the property condemned at the time the street was opened, although some warrant had been issued to Barker the month previous. As to how Barker had come into possession of the warrant, however, was a minor point. Judge Dickinson held that J. K. Saunders had become the owner of the property that he holds, that he had been the rightful owner. The main point was as to whether the plaintiff could bid and will try to do justice between the parties.

Several decisions were quoted by Judge Dickinson in his opinion. He said that in all cases were found in suits against the cities of New Orleans and San Francisco. The court held that the warrant showed on its face that it had been drawn upon a special fund and had been received with bonds to be returned. Although the plaintiff could not go into court and get a judgment which would operate against the city generally, because the logical effect of that would be to transform a special warrant into a general warrant. He accordingly reversed the judgment of the lower court and decided for the defendant.

### SHE SOON TIRES OF HER HOME.

#### Drucht Alleges a Desertion Ten Days Subsequent to Marriage.

In the Drecht divorce case, both husband and wife are asking for the matrimonial bonds to be dissolved. They were married here September 29, 1897. Drecht was employed by a South Omaha lumber company. He states in his complaint that shortly after his marriage he furnished a comfortable cottage in South Omaha, but about ten days thereafter he went home from his work to discover that his wife had left him. Then, according to his story, he found her at the Cambridge hotel, Thirteenth street and Capitol avenue, and she refused to go back and live with him. He made several innuendos reflecting upon his wife's character in his petition. The ground he set up was extreme cruelty.

Mrs. Drecht has filed an answer and cross-complaint, asking for a divorce on the same ground, charging the husband with having assaulted her two months after their wedding and also with having written letters to her parents, derogatory of her character. In her prayer for alimony she said she receives \$55 per month salary.

Judge Fawcett's alimony order directs Drecht to pay to his wife \$75 suit money and \$5 per week pending the determination of the case. Last Friday Drecht testified that he received his pay for November last \$40, and for December only \$35; that it cost him \$20 per month to live and it is necessary for him to send the balance of his mother to help support her. An admission was forced from him that he did not send any money away. His wife says he received over \$100 for the two months mentioned.

### STIPULATION STANDS AS A RECORD.

#### Shields Attempts to Overturn Agreement Entered into by Baldrige.

The day before the new county attorney, George W. Shields, came into office, James O. Baldrige, county attorney, had entered into a stipulation with the retiring county attorney, Mr. Baldrige, joined with the attorney for Frank E. Moores in a stipulation for the submission of the court for decision all the claims of Mr. Moores against the county upon the leading of Baldrige. There are sixteen of these cases and they aggregate \$10,000 worth of claims for services performed by Mr. Moores as clerk of the district court. The stipulation was in a test case.

Mr. Shields went before Judge Dickinson and asked for the withdrawal of the stipulation from the records, stating that he was not familiar with the matter and desired time to look into it. The court refused to allow the withdrawal of the stipulation itself, but allowed the submission of the matter to be withdrawn. This leaves the case where it was prior to January 4, but with the stipulation standing as one of the records.

At the time Messrs. Herring and Morrow agreed to submit Judge Dickinson said he would not go to the trouble of going through all the records of the clerk of the district court to ascertain whether the claims were supported by evidence of that character. Mr. Baldrige's deputy said there was no dispute as to the services rendered—it was simply a question of law that was to be determined. Accordingly a demurrer was at the time formally overruled and the county was given leave to answer instanter and the plaintiff to reply likewise, and in that shape the matter was then submitted.

### ACTORS NOT COMMON LABORERS.

#### That actors, singers and musicians are not "common laborers" within the meaning of the Nebraska statute according to a supreme court decision of this state was reiterated by Judge Dickinson in overruling a demurrer of the defendant in the suit of the "Calhoun Trio" against Mink Wirth for \$1,625 for breach of contract and damages.

Victor B. Alfred F. and Mabel C. Calhoun were engaged by the Wirths in March last to sing at the resort of the defendant for five months beginning June 1. They say their contract was suddenly terminated at the end of July. Their board was stopped and they were barred out of the place. They allege that Frederick Wirth assaulted one of them and state other grounds of complaint. The Wirths in their demurrer set up the objection that the contract called for Sunday labor and was therefore contrary to public policy and sound morals. Judge Dickinson held that actors, singers and musicians and that class of labor cannot be considered "common labor" under the law and the demurrer could not hold in their case.

### RAISES POINT ON CITY WARRANTS.

#### Judgment Cannot Be Secured to Operate Against the City Generally.

A decision was rendered by Judge Dickinson that will affect the salability of a large number of city warrants on special funds.

William K. Potter, as receiver of the Nebraska Savings and Exchange bank, has sued the city to recover on a warrant for \$285.75, alleged to have been issued December 26, 1891, to Benjamin Barker, for the condemnation of property for the opening of Canton street from Thirteenth to Fourteenth streets, and which warrant had come into the possession of the bank by means of conveyance. In its answer the city set up two points, first, that Barker had come by the warrant in an irregular manner, not being the owner of the property at the time, and, second, that the warrant was simply an order on a special fund and not a general obligation of the city.

The case was an appeal from the county court. No defense had been made by the city in the lower court, so it was then said there were several important legal propositions which it was desirable of having the

### IN SUPPORT OF ANOTHER TRIAL.

#### Affidavits Filed in Case of Ezra Doty Against the City.

After Ezra Doty secured a verdict of \$1,000 against the city for personal injuries, caused by running into a water barrel on Sherman avenue at Sherwood avenue, when alighting from a street car at the time the street was being paved, City Attorney Council obtained affidavits from Jeremiah T. Jefferson and Charles E. Ring, two of the jurors, in which they asserted that the verdict had been influenced by the talk of another juror, Elmer E. Woodcock. Jefferson and Ring charged that Woodcock roundly abused the reputation of Hugh Murphy, the paving contractor, and prevailed upon the other jurors with an argument to the effect that any verdict would come out of Murphy and not the city. There was also an affidavit from Mr. Murphy, in which he stated that he had

### Leaves from the Docket.

The hearing of the Scott injunction case against the Hamilton National Bank and Terrace company has been set for Tuesday before Judge Fawcett.

Anthony George Karpis has asked the court for permission to change his name. He says it is hard to pronounce, difficult to remember and may be a handicap to him in business. Judge Fawcett gave him thirty days, which to give public notice of his application.

The demurrers of the defendant have been overruled in the case of the Hamilton National bank against the defunct American

### One Week More for Testimony.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The War Investigating commission will probably close the taking of testimony, save that of Surgeon Daily, who is still in the latter part of next week, and the report is expected to be finished by the last of this month or early in February.

BROWN'S Bronchial Remedy  
Relieves Hoarseness, Croup, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc.  
"I recommend this to be public speaking."  
—REV. C. H. CHAPIN, New York.  
The Genuine has the "B" on every bottle.

THAT DULL FEELING  
after eating relieved by  
Horsford's Acid Phosphate  
Take no Substitute.