

SOSNOWSKI CLOAK & FUR SALE

Today the Third Day of the Grandest Selling Ladies' Cloaks, Suits and Furs Ever Known in Omaha

Never Before Was There Such an Opportunity to Buy a Bargain in a Useful Holiday Present as This Fortunate Purchase of Ours.

Sosnowski's bankrupt stock of cloaks, suits, rainy-day skirts and furs of all descriptions, collarettes, muffs, fancy neckties, astrakhan jackets, astrakhan capes, electric capes, together with a fine New York bankrupt stock of genuine Alaska sealhats, parkies, sealskin capes, Persian lamb garments of all descriptions, continue to crowd our immense second floor with eager purchasers.

We will sell all of Sosnowski's \$15.00 tailored ladies' suits at \$5.00.

Misses' suits, in ages from 12 to 16, tailored, handsome cloth suits, trimmed with silk and velvet, in all the latest styles—many of them worth \$25.00—the most desirable Christmas present imaginable, on sale at \$5.00.

Children's and Misses' jackets from the New York stock at really 1/2 actual value, in long box coats, short and medium box coats, of mixed materials, tight-fitting jackets, etc. at \$2.50, \$5.00 and \$7.50, worth up to \$12.00.

Ladies' fur-trimmed jackets from the Sosnowski stock, worth \$25.00, your choice at \$5.00. A great variety of materials, all of them silk lined throughout.

Sosnowski's \$12.50 jackets, \$5.00. \$15.00 rainy-day skirts, plaid back, many rows of stitching around bottom, at \$5.00. Sosnowski's \$16.00 rainy-day skirts made in the latest style, on sale at \$2.50.

Greatest bargains in genuine Alaska seal jackets ever shown in Omaha, on sale at \$8.00 and \$10.00.

Electric seal and astrakhan jackets at \$15.00.

Collarettes at \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$5.00 in all imaginable varieties of furs—astrakhan, electric seal, opossum, beaver, imitation marten. Sosnowski's price on many of these was three and four times what we are selling them for.

Genuine Alaska seal collarettes, or Persian lamb and genuine seal combination, made of full skins, on sale at \$7.50, Sosnowski's price \$25.00.

CHILDREN'S SETS. Great variety of children's sets, all kinds, all sizes, on sale at 98c, \$1.50 and \$2.50 set.

Muffs—so well adapted for Christmas presents—Astrakhan suits, electric muffs, beaver, marten and seal skin muffs at greatly reduced prices for this sale.

French flannel waists, silk waists, all made in the latest style, Sosnowski's price up to \$12.50—on sale at \$3.50.

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA, N. W. Cor. 16th and Douglas Sts.

HAYDEN BROS. All Boys' Clothing at Half Price—Christmases.

With every boy's knee pants suit one extra pair of knee pants free.

\$3.50 double-breasted knee pants suits or fine vestee suits at \$1.75.

\$4.50 double-breasted or vestee suits, \$2.50. \$5 double-breasted or vestee suits, \$3.25.

\$3.50 fine covert-top overcoats at \$1.75; ages 2 to 16.

Men's smoking coats at \$1.95, \$2.75 and \$3.75, and men's fancy vests at \$2.25, \$2.50 \$3.50 and \$4.50. See them before buying.

HAYDEN BROS. NO WOODEN WALKS ARE LAID

Council Considers Whether Contractor Shall Be Forced to Carry Out His Agreement.

The council is in a quandary as to the construction of wooden sidewalks, a large number of which have been ordered down during the past year.

When the property owners have refused to comply with the notice served the city contractor, John E. Knowles, has been ordered to proceed with the construction.

Knowles, however, reports having made the contract, and takes no steps toward carrying it out. The work, now referred to him amounts to a considerable sum and the council is uncertain whether it will be worth while to bring suit.

Councilman Lobeck expresses the opinion that Knowles' reluctance is accounted for on the ground that the price of lumber has advanced sharply, making the contract a losing investment.

Several other councilmen believe that an effort should be made to force the contractor to carry out his agreement. The bond guaranteeing the execution of the contract was furnished by Bulard & Hosland, lumber dealers.

HAYDEN BROS. TOY PALACE.

Already Crowded with Shrewd Buyers Who Make Selections Early. It is astonishing how many are making Christmas purchases already.

The people of Omaha taking advantage of our special Christmas offering in silk department with unaltered vigor.

Exclusive Waist Patterns—\$5.00 waist patterns for \$2.98, \$7.00 waist patterns for \$3.99; \$10.00 waist patterns for \$5.98.

Exclusive black dress patterns, each containing 12 yards. \$12.50 black peau de sole for \$7.98, \$18.00 black satin de Lyon \$11.75; \$19.00 black gros grain \$11.90; \$18.00 black satin duchesse \$11.58.

Big, black, tailored suit on: 75 19-inch black taffeta \$10, \$19 27-inch black taffeta \$7; \$125 27-inch black taffeta \$5; \$130 30-inch black taffeta \$10.

DRESS GOODS SALE. We will sell you half wool dress goods, nice high shadings at 25c per yard, and defy any house in Omaha to duplicate them at 15c.

We will sell you a 42-inch serge at 15c—show us anything at 20c to equal it. A 44-inch extra heavy all wool serge at 25c—we defy any other house in Omaha to sell as good for the money.

William Edward Shepherd and Thomas Miles Davenport of Council Bluffs, who will burlesque the Hawaiian dance; Mrs. W. L. Croxton, who will give a monologue; Miss Lillian Emley, Marie Snow, Homer Dayton, W. E. Corawell, Louis F. Gerhardt, the Smith quartet and others.

Walker Whitesides will begin a short engagement Thursday night at Boyd's. The engagement includes a matinee Saturday. His latest success, "The Red Cockade," will be presented at all performances except Friday night, when he will give his famous impersonation of "Hamlet." This is the only Shakespearean role he is essaying this season.

The Chicago Sleeping Car For Omaha patrons EXCLUSIVELY, leaves on the "NORTHWESTERN LINE" limited train at 4:55 p. m. daily, arriving Chicago 7:45 next morning. There MAY be finer sleepers than these—in Europe.

Other LIMITED FLYING TRAINS leave daily at 6:40 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. City office, 1401 and 1403 Farnam street.

The ladies of the Kountze Memorial Lutheran church will hold a sale of Christmas goods and supper at the church parlors on Thursday afternoon and evening, December 14. All are invited.

Grand Trunk Canadian Excursions. Low rates! First class service! Long view! Tickets good leaving Chicago December 14, 15, 16 and 17, and for return from destination until January 6, 1900.

The California Limited Will take you from Kansas City to Los Angeles in only 24 days—52 hours. Pullman, Dining Car, Buffet Smoking Car (with barber shop), Observation Car (with ladies' parlor), vestibuled and electric lighted throughout. Four times a week—Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sundays—from Kansas City.

E. L. PALMER, Santa Fe Route, P. O. Box 1265, Omaha.

Commissioner Wilson's New Ruling. Internal Revenue Collector Houze is in receipt of new ruling on the cancellation of documentary and proprietary stamps, in which Commissioner Wilson of the department says that in all cases where the stamp of 10 cents or of larger denominations are used for affixing the tax imposed the person affixing the same shall, in addition to writing his initials and the date, cut three inches square from the stamp through the stamp, beginning not more than one-fourth of an inch from one end and extending to within one-fourth of an inch to the other end. Where the stamp is perforated or cut in any manner other than the existing regulations the mutilation herein provided will not be required.

The city attorney believes that the city is the gainer by escaping the wooden walks, which are, in his opinion, temporary and a constant source of expense. A claim for damages has just been filed in his office by reason of a fall on a wooden sidewalk. There was no defect in the walk further than that a new board had been put in place a fraction of an inch higher than the surrounding surface. The city attorney says that a four-foot brick walk is as inexpensive as a six-foot board walk, and where that is not practicable cinders would prove more satisfactory at a much smaller expense, with less liability for damages.

DeWitty's Little Early Risers purify the blood, clean the liver, invigorate the system. Famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles.

BURLINGTON ROUTE Holiday Rates to Points in Canada. December 13 to 17, both dates inclusive, the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets to Canadian points at unusually low rates—little more than one fare for the round trip.

Call at ticket office, 1562 Farnam street, (tel. 250), and obtain full information.

DIED—Groves, Charles R., Sunday evening, Dec. 10 at the Free Hospital, aged 61 years. Funeral will be held from the family residence, 1312 Chicago street, Wednesday afternoon, December 13, 12:30, after a brief service. Burial at Prospect Hill cemetery. Rev. Charles W. Savidge will officiate. Friends invited.

MURPHY—Helen Adelaide, youngest daughter of the late Rodney D. Murphy, died at 6 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, December 12, 1900, after a brief illness. Funeral, Thursday at 2 p. m., from residence, 221 Burt street.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO.

Bargains in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fine Shoes.

A Pair of Shoes Makes a Very Appropriate, Acceptable and Useful Christmas Present.

OUR BARGAIN COUNTER. Ladies' button or lace shoes at \$1.98, formerly \$2.25 and \$2.00.

Ladies' tan shoes at \$1.98, cut from \$2.00. Ladies' and misses' shoes in tan or black at \$1.50, former price \$2.15 and \$2.50.

Children's shoes in tan or black at 75c, worth \$1.00.

Children's shoes, odds and ends, your choice—50c.

Ladies' light weight rubbers, best quality, low cut, only 25c.

LADIES' FINE SHOES. Ladies' ideal kid shoes, just as neat as patent leather and does not crack, very stylish, only \$4.00.

Ladies' enamel shoes, mannish last, very swell, \$4.50.

OUR \$3.00 SHOES. Ladies' lace shoes, welt and sole, round toe, \$3.00.

Ladies' cloth or kid top shoes, welt sole, medium toe, \$3.50.

Ladies' 10-inch shoes in black for golf or skating, \$3.50.

THE BOYS' DEPARTMENT. Little boys' shoes, low heel, \$1.75.

Youths' shoes, sizes 13 to 2, at \$2.00. Boys' shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 6, at \$1.85; cut front, \$2.25.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO.

Special Sale on Cameras for Christmas.

Before buying a Christmas present call and see our line of Kodaks, Cameras and Photo Albums.

Our selection is unequalled, and we have cut the prices in some cases, one-half.

THE ROBERT DEMPSTER CO. 1215 Farnam St.

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GRAND SPECIAL BOOK SALE.

The Most Phenomenal Book Offering Ever Made in the West. BOSTON STORE WILL SELL TODAY Nearly half a million volumes of fine cloth bound books.

BOOKS IN SETS. Complete works of Shakespeare, J. Fenimore Cooper, W. Clarke Russell, Rudyard Kipling, Hawthorne, the Debowes, Hall Caine, Edna Lyall, G. S. Henry, Mary J. Holmes, Balzac, McCauley's History of England, etc. There are from 5 to 7 volumes in each set. We will sell complete sets for 75c.

10, 12 and 15 volume sets, Wm. A. Thackeray, Sir Walter Scott, Bulwer Lytton, at \$1.98 per set.

10,000 volumes of the handy 16 mo. books by all the standard and popular authors, in all the new up-to-date titles. These are regular 2ic books, at 7c each.

Immense bargains in children's juvenile and picture books at 5c, 10c, 15c and 20c each.

These are on sale in 3rd floor book department.

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Four Winter Tours. On Jan. 10, Feb. 14 and March 7 the Wabash will run excursions via New York and the steamer Denice to Puerto Rico.

Also on Feb. 15 a three-day tour of Orl Mexico. For rates, which include all expenses, and further information call on a writer.

G. N. CLAYTON, Room 206 Karbach Bldg., Omaha, N. B.

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Nebraska Clothing Co. CLOTHES FOR MEN AND WOMEN. HOLIDAY MERCHANDISE. The store pulsates with the Christmas thought. Every fixture and counter displays appropriate giveables. Special Sale 100 LADIES' TRIMMED VELVET HATS On Sale Today. Hats worth up to \$7.50 \$8.50 and \$10. Your Choice \$2.50. Two Dollars and Fifty Cents. Ladies' fall shape in golf and walking hats, worth up to \$2.50, for— 25c.

Christmas Suggestions. Why not select something useful? CHAFING DISHES, Beautiful new designs from \$3.00 to \$15.00. 5 O'CLOCK TEA KETTLES, In polished brass and copper and nickel, \$2 to \$10. Rogers Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons. Pocket Knives, Razors, Scissors, Star Safety Razors. Skates, Barney & Berry, Winslow's Skates and Klipper Club. Milton Rogers & Son, 14th and Farnam Sts.

HAYDEN BROS. Great Sale of Holiday Slippers and Shoes. Thousands of pairs of these beautiful and useful presents to select from in our big shoe dept. THE FAMOUS "ULTRA" SHOES FOR WOMEN—ON SALE. A pair of "these" beautiful "Ultra" shoes would be a very useful and pleasing present for the wife, daughter or sweetheart. We have them in the fine patent leather, vic kid and velour calf, with turn and welt soles and cushion cork inner soles, all sizes and widths—price \$3.50. Slippers on Sale. WOMAN'S FINE "CAPITOL" WOOL SOLES, for slippers, worth \$5, on sale at \$3.50. WOMAN'S FINE FLEET SLIPPERS—with single flexible soles and toe flaps, worth fully \$1.50, on sale at \$1.00. WOMAN'S FINE SATIN FAUST SLIPPERS—with hand turned soles and fine fleecy linings, in red and black, regular \$2.00 quality, at \$1.25. MEN'S FINE VELVET EMBROIDERED SLIPPERS—Everett and opera cut, worth everywhere \$1.50, on sale at \$1.00. MEN'S GOAT EVERETT SLIPPERS—Patent leather trimmed, worth \$1.00 everywhere, \$0.00 sale at \$0.75. MEN'S FINE VELVET SLIPPERS—opera cut and chenille embroidered and leather trimmed, regular \$1.50 value, at \$1.00. MEN'S FINE GOAT OPERA SLIPPERS—with hand turned soles and patent leather trimming, worth fully \$1.50, at \$1.25. Shoes on Sale. INFANTS' FINE KID SOFT SOLE SHOES—in colors, black tan and red, worth \$1, on sale at 75c. LADIES' FINE KID VELVET TOP SHOES—with single flexible soles, new coin toes and kid tips, regular \$1.00 value, on sale at 75c. CHILD'S FINE DONGOLA KID SHOES—with full double fair attached sides and kid tips, size 10 to 12, worth \$1.25, at \$1.00. MEN'S FINE SATIN CALF SHOES—with double stitched soles, lace and congress, worth \$2.00, at \$1.50. MEN'S SATIN CALF SHOES—worth \$2.50, on sale at \$2.00.

Krug Cabinet. Made of the best selected Bohemian (imported) hops and the finest quality of hops, with no other ingredient. FRED KRUG BREWING CO. Tel. 425. 1607 Jackson St., Omaha. BUY THE GENUINE SYRUP OF FIGS MANUFACTURED BY CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. NOTE THE NAME.

HAYDEN BROS. "We get Back at the spiteful dealers when they throw mud." We will compel every coal dealer in this city to furnish a city scale ticket free of charge with every load. You get it when you buy SHERIDAN COAL or hard coal from our yard. VICTOR BLACK, 1605 Farnam, TEL. 127

Burlington Route \$102,400 for New Engines. A couple of months ago the Burlington Route bought ten new passenger engines for use between Omaha and Denver. They cost \$102,400—\$10,240 a piece. The new engines are among the biggest in the country, their weight being 122 tons apiece. Their coal capacity is ten tons; water capacity 5,000 gallons. The driving wheels are six feet high and the guaranteed speed is 70 miles an hour. With such monsters as these to pull its flyers, the Burlington can be depended upon to maintain its old time reputation of being "on time all the time." Lincoln—Denver—Kansas City—St. Louis—Chicago. "TICKET OFFICE BURLINGTON STATION 1502 Farnam Street. Phone 250. 10th and Mason Streets. Phone 310.

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