

# Most Extraordinary Offers in new Fall Goods.

Never have we been better prepared to fill your wants and never have we offered you greater values. This is an unusual opportunity, be sure and profit by it. Come tomorrow and partake of these remarkable bargains.

**\$1.50 Cheviots 75c yd**  
 As an extra leader in our black goods department we place on sale 25 pieces reversible cheviots, Scotch wool, steam spawned and strong, guaranteed not to spot, worth regular \$1.50 on special sale at, yard.....

## BOSTON OMAHA STORE

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS  
 161 DOUGLAS

**Golf Cloths.**  
 Our assortment of this very desirable fabric is without doubt the largest in the city, and the best selected, including the latest styles in color and pattern. The striking color combinations to be found. Prices range from \$2.00 down to, yard.....

### Marvelous Dress Goods Values New French Sensational Silk Selling--Velvets

Six grand special lots, every one new and choice at prices absolutely beyond the touch of competition.  
**\$1.25 and \$1.50 Dress Fabrics 69c**—Black and blue broadcloth, 32-in wide, now being sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50, corded poplins, albatross, satin, sateen, black and colored homespun cheviots, 36-in wide blue oxford and brown covert cloth, many silk and wool high art novelties, every yard of the above goods cost from \$1.25 to \$1.50—choice of all for Monday at, yard..... **69c**  
**\$2.50 Dress Goods 98c yard**—Monday we place on special sale 200 pieces new black pleated and cretons, in all the latest designs and rich lustrous blacks, also a complete assortment of new reversible cheviots, venetians, broadcloths, meltons and camels hair, these goods are being shown elsewhere as high as \$2.50—Monday they go on special sale at \$2.50—choice of all for Monday at, yard..... **98c**

**75c Dress Goods 29c yard**—300 pieces of new strictly all wool mixed suitings, silk and wool plaids, merized novelties, two-toned gingham, Bourette Suitings, English Coverts, Scotch Plaids, fancy homespun, German henriettes and all wool serges in all the leading shades, including blacks. There is not a yard in this entire line worth less than 75c—Monday on bargain square, at, yard..... **29c**  
**\$2.00 Suitings 98c yard**—An extensive range of new tailor made suitings in all the popular weights, 52-inch French Venetian, 45-inch Zibelines, 50-inch English Meltons, 52-inch Kerseys, 24-inch new Panne Cloth, and 52-inch Broadcloths in every new and correct color. These goods are sold regularly up to \$2.00—Monday special price, yard..... **98c**

**New French Flannels**  
 New French Flannels in plain colors and polka dots, stripes and Persian effects. These are all the highest grade French Flannels and go at half what other stores ask, our price, yard— **49c**  
**Printed Cashmeres**  
 for waists, or house gowns, guaranteed 75c quality—on sale at, per yard..... **39c**

The following very meritorious offerings for Monday are dedicated to the ladies who appreciate the opportunity to buy the choicest of the choice at the usual Boston Store prices.  
**\$1.25 Taffeta 27-inch 69c yard**—Composed of the purest kind of silk in black and 16 of the newest up-to-date colors, very well suited for waists, suits or linings, and we guarantee that this quality of silk in this width was never sold for less than \$1.25 by any store in the city—our price, per yard..... **69c**  
**19-inch black Taffeta pure silk, regular price 75c yard, our price 39c yard**  
**For Evening Costumes**—A handsome robe of changeable crystal silk, the effect the same as insect velvet, in pink, light blue, cream and gray. This lovely robe contains 1875 yds. for entire robe, on sale at..... **1875**  
**Special sale of white and cream**  
 satin laces for ball costumes—on sale..... **1.00**

**Figured Crepe de Chine** for evening wear, in all the evening tints, polka dot effects, satin finished, actually worth \$1.50 yard—on sale at..... **98c**  
**The new Panne Velvet** in all the shades of the rainbow, the \$1.50 quality, on sale..... **98c**

**Extra Special**  
**75c Taffeta 15c yard**—One lot of Taffeta, about 200 yards, the best selected and please effects, in red, pink and light blue, 75c quality, on sale on main floor, yard..... **15c**

**Ladies' Fall Jackets**  
 Your choice of a large assortment of fall jackets in covert, venetian and cheviot, navy browns, tans and black, silk lined, etc., \$3.98 box and fly front styles, all new, Monday, at..... **\$3.98**  
 This lot includes a big purchase of odd jackets for fall wear in all the stylish materials and cuts of the season, taffeta and satin lined, all colors, made to sell for \$10.00, and \$12.50, our price, Monday, only..... **\$6.98**

**French Flannel Waists**  
 French Flannel Waists, in all the new colorings, including rose, violet, gray, mode, golf, etc., etc., in this sale, \$3.95 and \$5.00 at..... **\$3.95 and \$5.00**  
 Monday, we continue the sale of those fine silk waists, many of the best ones are still left, \$5.00 and \$10 values for..... **\$2.98**

Tomorrow is the beginning of the great  
**Sensational sale of**  
**Lace Curtains**  
 from the Railroad Wreck

Entire railroad wreck shipment goes on sale tomorrow in several lots.  
**Lot 1—\$3.50 Curtains 29c each**—1,000 fine Nottingham, Fish Net and heavy Cable Net Curtains—some odd, some two of a kind—they are worth up to \$3.50, pair, on sale Monday..... **29c**  
**Lot 2—\$6.50 Curtains 49c each**—1,000 of the very finest curtains in the city, including beautiful Cable Net, imitation Battenberg, fine imitation Brussels, etc., etc. Not a curtain in the lot worth less than \$6.50, pair, and some worth up to \$10.00, pair, on sale Monday, each curtain..... **49c**  
**Lot 3—Half Curtains 49c each**—Among the best of the curtains in this city, a large lot of half curtains, in all the most expensive grades of Nottingham, Brussels, Battenberg, Irish Point and Arabesque designs, in fact for the most part, and most elaborately patterned, that you can think of. The lot contains 2,000 pairs of half curtains, on sale Monday, at, each..... **49c**  
**\$1.00 Ruffled Swiss Curtains 29c pair**—500 pair of fine Ruffled Swiss Curtains, regular width and length, never sold for less than \$1.00, pair—take your choice of this entire lot at, pair..... **29c**  
**\$5.00 Imported Curtains at \$1.98 pair**—1,000 pair elegant Nottingham Lace Curtains, fine Embroidered Swiss, beautifully Ruffled Swiss and Ruffled Net Curtains, full size and every pair a bargain, worth up to \$5.00, your choice for, pair..... **1.98**  
**\$3.00 Nottingham Curtains \$1.25 pair**—650 pair of fine Nottingham Lace Curtains in all the latest designs, nice light lacy goods, every pair full size and worth up to \$3 pair, your choice of the lot, pair..... **1.25**  
**\$7.50 Imported Curtains \$2.98 pair**—800 pair all the very finest curtains in the lot, including the latest designs in fine imitation Brussels, elegant Point de Calais, called net, imitation Battenberg and handsome Cable Net Curtains, worth up to \$7.50, choice, pair..... **2.98**

**Ladies' Tailored Suits**  
 Specials for Monday.  
 Sample suits—a lot of extremely nobby, this season's ideas in up-to-date suits, made to sell for \$17.50 and \$20.00—in a big assortment of materials and colorings, 50 different patterns to select from, at..... **\$12.50**  
**High grade novelties of this fall's** creations in imported broadcloths, venetians, coverts, vicunas, pebble cheviots, etc., some all silk lined throughout, any style of jacket, new face skirts, many tulle skirted, and made to sell at \$30.00, \$32.50—seventy-five, all different—Monday only..... **\$19.00**

**Women's Silk Skirts**  
 Pure taffeta skirts, of the best quality, according plated flounce with bias ruffle or with the umbrella flounce, in all colors and black, on sale at..... **\$7.50**  
 Fancy silk skirts, brocaded silks, elaborately trimmed with lace and ribbons, on sale at \$9.98, \$12.50 and..... **\$15.00**

#### SCHOOLS ARE READY TO OPEN

Smart Masters and Deainty Misses Begin Climbing Hill of Knowledge.

#### NOT MUCH CHANGE IN TEACHING FORCE

Two New Schools, the Beal and the Saunders, Named for Representative Nebraska, to be Opened for First Time.

"Tomorrow's the first day of school," are the words that are being uttered by 15,000 pupils of all ages in Omaha. To the army of small boys who chafe in captivity this announcement is about as pleasing as a jail sentence on bread and water. The little girls who always wear clean, white aprons and have a stand-in with the teacher are dancing with glee. Were it not for the prospective last day of school, which is excelled only by the Fourth of July, boyhood could not tolerate the continual grind that prepares young America to tread in the footsteps of James A. Garfield, Abraham Lincoln and other idols whose virtues appeal particularly to grade teachers of uncertain age.

High diving and mud pies will give way to long division and the multiplication table. Barefoot boys will squeeze into shoes that irritate stone bruises and rub nailless toes. New trousers will replace the seamless wrecks that have done valiant service for the little shiner waist men. New hats and new frocks will make glad the hearts of the proud women beautiful of the future.

The 400 teachers who enter upon their labors have returned from vacations spent in Europe, in the Rockies, along the Great Salt and at the Atlantic coast resorts. At 9 o'clock tomorrow morning order will be rapped in thirty-five schools in Omaha and the work discontinued in June will be resumed with increased vigor.

**How Weather Delays Opening.**  
 The schools open two weeks later than usual this year, the change having been made on account of the extremely hot weather in early September and repairs on different buildings which were not completed September 3. On account of this delay the vacations will be shortened that the thirty-eight weeks of school may end before midsummer. The holiday vacation will begin December 22 and continue until December 31, terminating March 31 there will be a vacation of eight days and school will close June 1.

Although the school attendance for last year was greatly in excess of 15,000 at different times, that was the number of pupils who were enrolled at the opening in June and Superintendent Parson believes that the enrollment for the first few weeks will not exceed that figure.

The corps of teachers is practically the same as last year and but few changes have been made in the work. The only real innovation in the course of study is the change in the commercial department of the High School. A special commercial course of four years will be offered. Students will be trained in business practice and will be equipped for responsible positions in the commercial world.

Two new schools will be opened tomorrow, Saunders school at Forty-first, Forty-eighth and Walnut streets. The Saunders building is a handsome new brick structure containing ten rooms, but only five of these will be used this year. Miss Mary A. Reid, formerly principal of Sherman school, will have charge of the building. The Saunders school will decrease the attendance at several other schools

and as a result one room at the Columbian and two rooms at the Walnut Hill building will be closed. There will be no eighth grade and no kindergarten at the Saunders school.

Beal school was formed by the consolidation of Amber, West Side and Eckerman schools. Three two-room frame buildings which formerly were used by the old schools have been removed to the new site, Miss Franc Eaton, principal of the old West Side school, will be in charge of the new school. It is probable that only four rooms will be used at this school for the present.

**Named for Distinguished Nebraskans.**  
 In naming the two new schools the Board of Education followed the precedent established by former boards. The school stands as monuments to Governor Saunders and S. D. Beal, two representative Nebraskans here. In other cities the names of famous men are given to school buildings regardless of any local associations. In Omaha an effort has been made to name the buildings according to their locations or in honor of men who have been associated with Omaha. A few of the buildings bear the names of prominent statesmen, such as Lincoln or Sherman, but the schools were given these names because they are located near Lincoln boulevard and Sherman avenue.

Train school was so named because it is located in a portion of the city which formerly belonged to George Francis Train. Long school was named in honor of Eben K. Long. Saratoga school stands on the site of the old village of Saratoga and hence its name. Clifton Hill, Central Park, Druid Hill and many other schools take their names from the additions in which they are located. Omaha schools have not been named indiscriminately in honor of famous men, as is the case in most cities.

Vinton school has been enlarged this year by the addition of a two-room frame building moved from the Columbus site. The additional rooms will be used to relieve the crowded condition of the grades. The annex which formerly stood on the old Davenport site has been removed to the Dupont school and converted into one large room, which will be used as a kindergarten.

#### TRUST BORROWERS FURTHER

Public Library Board Considering Issue of Two Books on One Card.

#### BOOKS IN BYRON REED ROOM CATALOGUED

Steel Cases Provided for One Thousand Volumes Which Had Been Stowed Away Wherever Space Could Be Found.

The public library board is considering whether it would be wise to put more trust in book borrowers—to double the power of the yellow library card. The plan is to issue two books on one card if the patron so desires, each governed by the usual time limit and privilege of renewal. An important provision, however, is that only one of the books issued shall be from the fiction shelves, the other to be of a more sober sort. It is believed that in this way the reading of more substantial works will be encouraged and the public taste directed to higher things.

Just now a large share of books in circulation are fiction. The librarian and her assistants have many applications from patrons who want two books, but are only supplied with one card. For a time the attendants were in the habit of lending their own cards to such applicants until finally such a beneficent allowance was made to accumulate which she steadfastly neglected to pay. Such indulgence is now against the rules. The practice of lending two books on one card is common in most large libraries and the reading of high class literature has been stimulated. The project is now in the hands of a committee of the library board, which will report at the next meeting.

A plan has been agreed upon between the librarian and the chief of the fire department which will put a book into the hand of every young man with a red shirt. A catalogue will be placed in each engine house and a fireman will be delegated to carry the lists to the library in working hours, so that none of the firemen's abbreviated "offs" may be affected. The books will be charged to each company and may be kept from the shelves for one month. Chief Redell is strongly in favor of the idea and believes that the 106 firemen in the service will find better occupation for their time than in sitting idly in front of their company quarters. The librarian has written to the captain in charge of each house and has received encouraging responses.

The library attendants have finished the exhausting labor of cataloguing each book in the Byron Reed room and have virtually opened up to the public that rare fund of information. The collection is especially strong in data pertaining to the great northwest territory. There are also antiquarian gems published at the beginning of the century and within the decade prior to 1890. These mostly pertain to travels in western America, and while the information is sometimes inaccurate, the works are priceless as an index of the times. The department of numismatics is also well stocked, as is natural in the library of such a collector as Mr. Reed. The catalogue cards are made out in duplicate, one set being deposited in the Reed room and the other in the large catalogue case on the main floor.

Such additions as the record of the Byron Reed collection has made it necessary to

#### PASTORS ARE ENCOURAGED

Churches of Omaha Facing Conditions That Are Full of Promise.

#### PREACHERS BEAR WITNESS TO PROSPERITY

Debit Are Being Paid and Finances Generally Are in Excellent Shape—Plans Making for Big Union Revival Meetings.

No more positive proof of the material prosperity of a community can be cited than when its churches are found to be in a flourishing condition. Clergymen, who are prone to disagree upon questions of dogma and creed, never fall apart upon such a point of common knowledge and that is, that the church is the first to feel the blight of business stagnation and hard times and, reversely, it takes on new life and vigor when business conditions are on the up grade. Omaha ministers are a unit in expressing their belief that affairs pertaining to the churches were never more satisfactory than at the present time and there is not one of the wearers of the cloth in this city but who readily admits he could preach a sermon with the text chosen from Cardinal I of the republican platform and it would be the single word, prosperity.

Because of the flattering condition of affairs Omaha ministers are already outlining their plans for the coming year. They propose that it shall be marked by still further advancement along all lines, material and spiritual. New churches will be built and many of the splendid religious edifices of which Omaha is justly proud will be repaired, improved and enlarged. Hand in hand with the promotion of these temporal affairs will be the exertion of effort toward a spiritual awakening and the union revival meeting is one of the possibilities of the coming winter.

The opening of the church year is now about here. With the passing of the sultry days of summer when the average churchgoer and contributor has no longer the heart to offer as an excuse for his non-attendance and lack of interest in ecclesiastical affairs, the church doors swing in with a seeming quickened movement and stagnation gives way to renewed interest and activity. It is at this time that the pastor prepares to start actively into his duties for the winter's work and the parishioner makes ready to do penance for a summer marked by tithal interest in religious matters.

**Improvement in Church Affairs.**  
 "I have noted a marked improvement in the affairs of Omaha's churches since I have been here," said Rev. Edward T. Treffe, pastor of Kountze memorial, "and I have talked with many of the ministers of the city, all of whom agree that the outlook for the coming year could not be better. One of the most pronounced characteristics of the affairs of all the churches is the splendid financial condition in which they all find themselves at this time. Many of the churches have paid off their mortgages and two large new churches are being built, Calvary Baptist and a splendid Catholic edifice out in Kountze place. Another agreeable feature to the ministers which has come about directly by reason of the improved financial conditions is that many of them have received important increases in their salaries. This does not mean any complaints now about the churches being back upon their financial feet."  
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#### JAMES FOX'S APPOINTMENT.

James Fox, when Governor Crane has just appointed a judge of the superior court of Massachusetts, in place of Judge Blodgett, resigned, was graduated from Harvard in 1871 and from the Harvard Law School in 1875. He was one of the three men who signed the original call which resulted in the mugwump movement in 1874 and is what may be called a "Cleveland democrat." He has been a frequent contributor to law magazines and has prepared numerous tariff pamphlets for use in political campaigns. He is and has been for the last two years a lecturer on the law of evidence at the Boston University Law school. His appointment will cause his resignation from the faculty—a source of regret both to himself and his present associates.

#### RECEIVED FROM THE PASTOR.

I had a running sore on my leg for several years," writes Mrs. Jas. Forest of Chicago Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." Myers-Billon Drug Co., Omaha; Dillon's Drug Store, South Omaha.

#### ABOUT NOTED PEOPLE.

It is related of President John Adams that on one occasion when he was taking some guests down to dinner in his own mansion one of them noticed a portrait of the father of his country over the door and remarked: "You have a fine portrait of Washington there." "Yes," replied Adams, "and that old wooden head made his fortune by keeping his mouth shut."

#### THE LATE KING HUMBERT GOT THROUGH MUCH

of his work while the majority of his subjects were still asleep. Even in winter the well-loved monarch was up at 6 and after a cold shower bath, followed by a cup of coffee, he settled down to his work. His confidential secretary having already marked the more important letters and telegrams arrived during the night.

#### JOSEPH FLORY, REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

governor of Missouri, was waiting for a train at Salisbury the other day and held an informal reception, being introduced by an admirer as "the next governor of Missouri." A sturdy democratic farmer, Missouri took him for Mr. Dockery, the democratic candidate, and grasping the republican's hand said: "Howdy, Mr. Dockery? I'm powerful glad to see you, an' hope you'll give Joe Flory a lickin' that'll last him for good."

#### JAMES R. HOWE, WHO HOLDS THE OFFICE

of register of Kings county (Brooklyn), was the only republican elected to any important office at the last election. When he found that the fees of his office would probably reach the large amount of \$40,000 a year he studied the possibilities by declaring that so much money was exorbitant, that the office should not pay him, nor any other incumbent more than \$1,000 a year, and that even that was too liberal. Mr. Howe has accordingly given all the money he received over \$4,000 to charity.

#### STENITZ, THE CELEBRATED CHESS PLAYER, SAYS

the Jewish Chronicle, was descended from a rabbinical family, his grandfather having been a celebrated Talmudist. His grandfather's brother, Floren Stenitz, was rabbi of Altona, and many of his descendants are to be found today scattered over various parts of Germany. The name of Stenitz's uncle, Lazarus, is to be seen on many of the Caphosimim published in Prague, where he was the chief official corrector of the Jewish press. Stenitz himself was originally educated for the rabbinical profession.

#### SENATOR VEST HAS A STORY HE SOMETIMES

relates to illustrate Arkansas character. It is the famous moosebark type. According to the narrative the senator, in the days following the civil war, was on a wild country road, which had been blocked by a huge tree. The natives were trying to drag it out of the way as a whole when Senator Vest arrived at the scene, looked at it, and at the helpless crowd of Arkansas natives, and then said: "Why don't you cut the tree to two at the middle, a' had the ends out of the way?" There was a moment of silence, broken suddenly by a shout from the crowd, who roared and exclaimed: "Yankee, by gum!"

#### TRY IT. ONCE USED IT TAKES THE PRECEDENCE

of all other uses—Cook's Improved Dry Champagne. It has a most delicious bouquet.

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