

# A Vast Array of Wonderful Bargains for Saturday. Unparalleled Reductions

**Picture Sale Saturday**  
10c  
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25c Photo Matts, 13x15 at 5c.  
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Large size Panespartoon Pictures—classic subjects, and 15x20 photo matts—all go at . . . . .

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63 DOUGLASS

**\$12.50 Trimmed Hats at \$3.50**



For Saturday we offer a special purchase of trimmed hats at practically one-quarter their real value.

All the handsomely trimmed hats for summer wear—every hat in this lot is worth from 4 to 8 times the price we ask.

500 choice new trimmed hats in leghorns and other neat midsummer hats, all of them artistically trimmed with chiffon, mousseline de sole, flowers, ostrich tips, ornaments, etc.—every one guaranteed \$12.50 value—on sale at . . . . .

\$3.50

Choice of 800 trimmed hats in plain and fancy straw, in all colors, hand made on wire frames, stylishly trimmed with silk ribbons, flowers, ornaments, in black, white, pink, light blue, tan, green, etc.—every hat actually worth \$4 to \$5—on sale at . . . . .

99c

**\$1.50 Dress Shapes 25c**—400 dozen new dress shapes in plain and fancy straw, chiffon and straw combinations, every one new and up-to-date, black and colors—all of them hand made on wire frames—on sale at . . . . .

25c

## Sale of Surplus Hosiery Stock

We secured the entire surplus stock of Wesendonck, Lorenz & Co., 44 Leonard street, New York City, one of the leading importing firms of fine hosiery, at a price that makes it one of the best purchases we ever made. Buy all the hosiery you will need for some time as we will give you special bargains.

**Lot 1** contains ladies' plain black, tan and fancy colored full seamless hose, fine gauge, also boys' fast black heavy and fine ribbed hose, and men's extra fine black and fancy half hose, worth up to 25c—choice . . . . .

10c

**Lot 2**—Ladies', misses' and children's and men's plain and fancy hosiery, in black, tans, stripes, polka dots, drop stitch and lace striped—choice of this lot at . . . . .

15c

**Lot 3**—Ladies', men's and misses' fine imported hose, all full regular made, in plain and fancy lace thread drop stitch effect, black boot patterns, silk finished lace thread, others with white mace feet, spiced soles and double heels, great variety of styles—worth up to 75c—go at . . . . .

25c

## PLANS FOR WATER POWER

**City Engineer Rosewater Files Application with Irrigation Board.**

**PROPOSED ENTERPRISE IS SIMPLIFIED**

**If Idea Materializes Capitalists Will Have Tempting Opportunity for Making Investments in This Immediate Vicinity.**

The filing by City Engineer Andrew Rosewater, Wednesday, with the State Board of Irrigation, at Lincoln, of two applications for water rights indicates that there are more canal and power-plant projects in prospect to furnish Omaha and neighboring cities with cheap electric power.

The two applications referred to cover water power, reservoirs and the drawing of water from the Platte river—one in another basin near the Fremont proposed power plant and the second near the juncture of the Elkhorn, with a power plant brought right into Douglas county.

City Engineer Rosewater is reticent in speaking of the papers he has filed, but it is learned that his attention had been called to the topography of the country which promised improvements in the way of storage capacity and waterfall over the proposed Fremont canal.

**Not Ready to Talk.**

"I do not wish to say anything about the matter for publication," said Mr. Rose-

water, "but I am sure that there is more to the story than what is now known."

**Promises More Reliability.**

The maximum of the Fremont plant has been fixed at 30,000 horse-power, on a ten-hour schedule, with a reserve of about fifteen days' water supply, while the new project would give a maximum in the neighborhood of 36,000 horse-power, with a thirty days' reserve water supply, a much more reliable water supply as a safeguard against exhaustion or low water during the dry season of the year.

There is no idea, of course, that more than one of these water powers will be developed for the present, but a more careful study of the resources with better assurances that a cheap water power is not only practicable, but with the certain demand for it in Omaha, Council Bluffs, Fremont and Lincoln, will before long offer an opportunity so tempting to investors that the capital will be forthcoming.

**Details Recorded in Lincoln.**

LINCOLN, June 14.—(Special)—Two new ways of utilizing the water of the Platte river for power purposes have been brought to light through applications for water rights, which have been filed with the secretary of the State Board of Irrigation by Andrew Rosewater of Omaha. Both contemplate the construction of a canal and reservoir near the river, and the amount of money involved reaches up into the millions. The power plants are to be located at points convenient for supplying power to Omaha, Lincoln, Fremont and other cities in the same section of the state. Secretary Dobson of the irrigation board will give the applications immediate attention and if they do not conflict with prior claims the rights will be granted.

One of the proposed canals will tap the Platte river about three miles northwest of Linwood, in Butler county, and extend in an easterly direction parallel to the river to a point about two miles north of Council Bluffs in Saunders county, where the course will change to a southerly direction and extend to a point about eight miles south of Fremont, where the reservoir and power plant will be located. The total estimated cost of this system is \$2,000,000. The dam will cost \$1,000,000, the canal \$1,000,000, the machinery a like amount and the buildings \$200,000.

**Another Tap Near Gretna.**

The other plan is to obtain water from both the Platte and Elkhorn rivers about three miles northwest of Gretna and run it through a canal to a reservoir three miles west of Springfield in Sarpy county. The two rivers flow parallel near Gretna and at this point it is proposed to build a dam through both. This dam would form the outlet for a reservoir of twenty square miles, extending north almost to Waterloo. It would be used for storing water, but the power plant would be located at the outlet of the reservoir near Springfield. The estimated cost of the dam is \$700,000, the machinery \$1,000,000 and the buildings \$200,000. The canal and a necessary tunnel would cost \$700,000, making for the entire plant a total of \$2,600,000.

## An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, California Fig Syrup, illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinally laxative and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strengthening laxative, cleansing the system effectively, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers, gently yet powerfully removing one to two habitual constipation, permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance, and its action on the kidneys, liver and bowels, without weakening or irritating them, make it the ideal laxative.

In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste, but the medicinal qualities of the fruit are obtained from some other other aromatic roots by a method known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only. In order to get the beneficial effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the company printed on the front of every package.

**CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.  
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.  
Bottled by all Druggists—Price 50c per bottle.

Four hundred Nebraska educators will attend the fortieth annual convention of the National Educational Association, to be held at Detroit July 8 to 12, and other western states promise to have as large a delegation. Officers of the association are confident that the meeting at Detroit will be even more largely attended than the Denver meeting, which was the record-breaker in point of attendance.

Many routes have been arranged which will enable teachers to visit Detroit on their way to the Buffalo exposition and to make delightful excursions on the great lakes and the St. Lawrence. Rates have been offered on trips which combine water and land travel and offer a variety of points of interest which excursionists may visit if they so desire. Western lines will sell tickets which may be used in connection with steamship lines operating between Chicago and Detroit. Tickets will also be offered which are good for a railroad passage to Detroit and a water trip to the Buffalo.

The program of the Detroit meeting shows that the middle west has more than its share of speakers. Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri are well represented among the well known educators who have been asked to address the association. William K. Fowler, state superintendent of public instruction in Nebraska, will lead the discussion in the general session of the association, at which primary education is to be considered. William M. Davidson, superintendent of the Topeka (Kan.) schools, will also take part in this discussion.

William H. Smiley, principal of the Denver High school, will lead the discussion of higher education, which is to be had at a general meeting the morning of July 12. President R. H. Jesse of the Missouri State university will read a paper on "The Function of the State University."

"The Relation of Physical Geography to Other Sciences" will be discussed by W. H. Norton, president of the Iowa Academy of Sciences and professor of geology in Cornell college, Mount Vernon, Ia. C. H. Parsons of Des Moines will discuss "The Relation of State Legislation to Modern

## A Gigantic Shirt Waist Deal and Sale

15,600 beautiful waists bought from Rosenthal Bros. & Co., 46 Greene street, New York City, for a small fraction of their actual worth. The entire half of our second floor, also four of our main floor bargain squares are devoted to this great purchase. The lot comprises a great assortment of everything that is now in shirt waists, all this season's goods, and will be on sale for the first time today, Saturday.

**Table No. 1 \$1.25 Shirt Waists** in beautiful striped patterns, in the finest quality of shirting cloths, also plain materials, many of them with the new sailor collar, white lace tucked shirt waists, all with Bishop sleeves, perfect fitting, all sizes, on sale on main floor . . . . .

69c

**Table No. 2 Many \$1.50 and \$2 Fine Lawn Shirt Waists**—made of a fine quality of sheer lawns, both white and colored, many stripes, with circular sailor collars, all of them beautifully trimmed with Hamburg embroidery, many of them tucked back and front, Bishop sleeves with neat band cuffs, all on sale on main floor at . . . . .

98c

**Table No. 3 75c Shirt On second floor, Waists at 35c**—These are all made of standard percale, neat stripes, also plain colors, including black, new sleeves, all sizes, on sale on main floor at . . . . .

35c

**On second floor**, also the greatest assortment of novelty shirt waists, made of Mercerized chambray, fine lawns, many of them model Shirt Waists, copies of Paris novelty waists—on sale at . . . . .

1.50, 1.98, 2.50 up to 4.98

## A Sample Stock of Jewelry on Sale Saturday

Ladies' lace pins, set with turquoise, opals and garnets, in all the new designs—worth 50c—

15c

Lace pins, fine imitation ruby and pearl settings, in wreaths, emerald and turquoise settings—worth 35c—

10c

Ladies' opera chains with locket for two pictures—worth \$1.00—

39c

**\$5.00 Parasols and Umbrellas \$1.98**—We purchased the entire sample line and surplus stock of parasols and umbrellas from a noted manufacturer at less than half price, and will place on sale Saturday the entire lot; including all styles of novelty parasols, coaching parasols, carriage parasols in plain and fancy, ruffled and chiffon parasols, also an immense line of fine silk umbrellas, all go on bargain counter—worth up to \$5.00, at . . . . .

1.98

Secret order lockets & charms in gold plate, all hand enamelled and worth up to \$1.25—

25c

Pearl sleeve buttons, both ladies' and gents' and dumb bell and lever, worth 25c and 50c pair, go at . . . . .

10c

Ladies' and gents' stick pins, one mixed lot—some are worth 50 cents—your choice . . . . .

10c

One lot ladies' belts in velvet, gold and silver, beaded, with beautiful buckles, both oxidized and gold plate—

25c

Drugs at Special Cut Prices

5c	Bottle Castoria	25c	Bromo Quinine	15c
\$1.00	Listerine, bottle	.75c	Carter's Pills	.15c
\$1.00	Bottle Peu-na	.75c	Mennen's Talcum Powder	.15c
25c	Hu-Car Belladonna Plasters	.8c		
25c	Hu-Car Belladonna Capsicum Plasters	.8c		
Sugar of Milk (pure) per pound		25c		
Phosphati Sodium (pure) per pound		25c		
Boracic Acid (pure) per pound		25c		
Compound Cathartic Pills, dozen		25c		
\$1.00 West's Nerve and Brain Treatment		19c		

In future the members of the Young Women's Christian Association Tennis club will meet Tuesday and Friday evenings, from 6:30 to 8, for instruction.

The Sunshine club of the south branch is to have a special meeting this afternoon from 3 to 4:30. The mothers of the girls have been invited and there will be an exhibition of the year's work. A short program has been arranged and refreshments will be served by the girls. The Margaret Fuller Literary club is studying Tennyson's "Elaine," which will be finished next week. The club class will complete the outline of the life of Paul in another lesson.

The Omaha Equality club had its closing meeting of the summer Tuesday night in the banquet room of the Paxton hotel. The adjustment of considerable business and the report of the Nebraska state organizer of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association convention recently in Minneapolis attracted a large attendance. As a committee to arrange the program for the coming year, which will probably consist of the course of study outlined by the national association, Mrs. Tilden appointed Mrs. C. S. Damon, Miss Laura A. Gregg and Dr. Eleanor Dailey.

As chairman of the committee for the revision of the by-laws, Mrs. Damon reported the following recommendations, which were accepted:

Article 1—The meeting of the association shall be held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month, a special meeting to be held at any time at the call of three members.

Article 2—Officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting, which shall be held on the second Monday in May. Nomination from the floor, from the floor and majority vote of those present shall constitute an election.

As the time of the annual meeting conflicts with the provisions of the constitution notice of the annual meeting shall be given of its amendment at the next meeting of articles 3, 4, 5 and 6. These changes will be slight and made to admit of a little more convenient working.

The resignation of the president, Miss Francis Nevius, was accepted. Miss Nevius will be unable to attend all of the meetings and resigned that the office might be filled by some one who could be present to attend to all of its duties. Owing to recent orders from the national committee to take up extensive field work, Miss Gregg resigned her position as recording secretary, as she will be out of the city much of the time during the fall and winter.

Miss Gregg's report of the national convention was a full and interesting account of the Minnesota meeting, with answers to questions of the various members. Miss Anthony's speech was given in full, with many of the comments of the prominent suffragists and expressions from members of the convention who hope that in this address Miss Anthony and the cause that she represents may be better understood. In speaking of Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton's communication to the convention, Miss Gregg said that the association generally did not endorse her views and the majority of the members considered it unfortunate that she had thrust these religious

opinions upon the convention. The recommendation of Miss Kate Gordon of New Orleans for the office of corresponding secretary, by Mrs. Catt, was not an evidence of the preference of the new and younger president, but rather the embracing of an opportunity to combine ability and advantage, for Miss Gordon is not only one of the best fitted women in the organization, but influential in the south, which is one of the most hopeful fields, and Mrs. Avery, having refused to hold the office longer, Miss Gordon was the wisest choice. An extract was also read from the address of Miss Gale Laughland upon the regulation of domestic labor. Miss Gregg emphasized as the dominant action of the convention, the resolution condemning the slave trade of vices in the Philippines. The report of the financial condition of the national organization was another interesting feature, showing a large increase over any previous year aside from the suffrage bazaar fund of \$8,000.

A souvenir of this year's convention and that caused general amusement and interest, was a collection of autograph letters from the leading anti-suffragists of the country, declining to debate equal suffrage with Rev. Anna Shaw at the convention. They offered a wide variety of excuses, but the convention considered it a significant coincidence that all should be unable to accept the challenge. This circumstance accounted for the title of Anna Shaw's address, "An Invisible Foe."

A paper on Mary Wolcottcroft, by Miss Mary Fairbrother, followed Miss Gregg's report. After which the association adjourned to meet on the second Monday of September at a place to be decided upon by the executive committee, which will meet some time during the week.

The Woman's club of Jacksonville,