

A Vast Array of Wonderful Bargains for Saturday. Unparalleled Reductions

Picture Sale Saturday
 615 1/2 Passepout Pictures—classy subjects, and 1520 photo mats—10c
 all go at
 25c Photo Mats, 13x15 at 5c.
 Large size Passepout Pictures—worth up to \$1.00—29c
 go at

BOSTON OMAHA STORE

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS.
 18 DOUGLAS

Sox Bottle Dickinson's pure double-distilled Witch Hazel..... 12c
 16-oz. bottle 23c—32-oz. bottle 48c
 Extra special for Saturday—double-extract Perfume—12c
 ounce.....

\$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 mid-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 soie, 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 straws, in all colors, hand made on wire frames, stylishly trimmed with silk ribbons, flowers, in black, white, pink, light blue, tan, green, etc.—every hat actually worth \$1 to \$5—on sale at **99c**
 Choice of 800 trimmed hats in plain and fancy straws, in all colors, hand made on wire frames, stylishly trimmed with silk ribbons, flowers, in black and colors—all of them hand made on wire frames—on sale at **25c**

\$1.50 Dress Shapes 25c—400 dozen new dress shapes in plain and fancy straws, 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, per pair **15c**

Lot 3—Ladies', men's and misses' fine imported hose, all full regular made, in plain and fancy lisle thread drop stitch effect, black boot patterns, silk finished lisle thread, others with white mace feet, spliced soles and double heels, great variety of styles—worth up to 75c—go at **25c**

PLANS FOR WATER POWER

City Engineer Rosewater Files Applications 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 electrical 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 junction 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.

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

ater, "beyond this, that it is a question of relative advantage of different reservoirs with reference to their storage capacity, waterfall, cost of construction and nearness to the points where the power is to be delivered. I believe either one of the plans I have figured out will give better results, at the same or smaller cost, than the Fremont canal project. And, what is more, each of the new schemes is entirely independent of one another, so that both could be built, if desired, immensely increasing the power available."

It is learned that, according to the computations based on the filing, the increased fall would be 30 per cent as compared with the Fremont reservoir, thus increasing the effectiveness of the plant by at least one-third.

Promises More Reliability.
 The maximum of the Fremont plant has been figured 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 minimum in the neighborhood of 30,000 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 assurance that a cheap water power is not only practicable, but with the certain demand for it in Omaha, Council Bluffs, Fremont and Lincoln, will bring long after an opportunity so tempting to investors that the capital will be forthcoming.

Details Recorded in Lincoln.
 LINCOLN, June 14.—(Special.)—Two new and extensive plans for 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, city engineer 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 Lincoln, in Butler county, and extend in an easterly direction parallel to the river to a point about two miles north of Cedar Bluffs in Saunders county, where the course will change to a southeasterly 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 \$5,200,000. 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, SYRUP OF FIGS, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinal 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, effectually dispelling colds, headaches and fevers, gently yet promptly and enabling one to overcome habitual constipation permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance, and its acting 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 remedy are obtained from senna and other aromatic plants, by a method known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. only. In order to get its beneficial effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the Company printed on the front of every package.

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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 new 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 lawn 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 Waists at 35c—On second floor, thousands of dozens of ladies' shirt waists, plain and Hamburg embroidery trimmed, in lawns, percales, etc., all on sale at **25c**

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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 15c—go at 15c
Lace pins, fine imitation ruby and pearl settings, in wreaths, emerald and turquoise settings—worth 35c—at 10c
Ladies' opera chains with locket for two pictures—worth \$1.00—only 39c

Secret order lockets & charms in gold plate, all hand enameled and worth up to \$1.25—go at 25c
Pearl sleeve buttons, both ladies' and gents' 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' and gents' sleeve buttons in matrox and one-piece pearl, 50 styles to select from, worth 50c, 75c and \$1, go at 25c
One lot ladies' belts in velvet, gold and silver, beaded, with beautiful buckles, both oxidized and gold plate— 25c

\$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 on bargain counter—worth up to \$5.00, at **1.98**

Drugs at Special Cut Prices

35c Bottle Castoria 25c 25c Bromo Quinine 15c
 \$1.00 Listerine, bottle 75c 25c Carter's Pills 15c
 \$1.00 Bottle Pe-ru-na 75c 25c Menner's Talcum Powder 15c
 25c Hu-Can Belladonna Plasters 8c
 25c Hu-Can Belladonna Capsicum Plasters 8c
 Sugar of Milk (pure) per pound 25c
 Phosphat Sodium (pure) per pound 25c
 Boracic Acid (pure) per pound 25c
 Compound Cathartic Pills, dozen 5c
 \$1.00 West's Nerve and Brain Treatment 19c

Great Sale of Suits and Skirts

Ladies' Fine Tailor-Made Suits, \$10 values—In etons, boleros, etc., new flare and flounce skirts, nicely trimmed, go on sale Saturday at just a fourth their value. Considering the quality of the suits and the extremely late styles, the price we offer them at is truly remarkable **\$2.50**
 —come and choose from the lot for



Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits worth \$15 for \$5—This is another sensational offer that will tend to increase Saturday's crowds and induce great buying. The qualities and styles are the best. The lot includes every fabric and mode and none are worth less than \$12 **\$5.00**
 —all go at

98c for wash pique jacket and skirt, made to suit regular for \$3.50 a suit.
 Dress skirts made of heavy all wool black chevrot, separate flounce, with the new stitched trim— **\$3.98**
 our regular \$3.98 skirts, at

We have just received another lot of the finest golf shirts ever offered for the price, made of all wool golf materials, with fancy stitched faced bottoms, at **\$4.98**
 We are also showing some new ideas in summer skirts, made of Sicilians, chevrots, etc., unlined and well tailored, at \$3.98 and up to \$12.50.

Surplus Stock of Underwear

We bought all of the surplus stock of two of the leading underwear mills in New York, at 50c on the dollar. All of them fine goods.
One immense lot of ladies' jersey ribbed summer underwear, low neck, sleeveless and wing sleeves, handsomely silk trimmed, fancy ribbed and lacey open work, drop stitch effects—worth regular up to 35c, in this sale at 12 1/2c



Ladies' finest cotton and lisle knit summer underwear, sleeveless, long and short sleeves, high and low neck, with silk ribbon trimming and silk crochet edging on neck and arm holes, many styles of silk mercerized vests, worth up to 50c, in two lots at 25c, 15c
1,000 misses', children's and boys' Nazareth style knit waists, all sizes, at 10c

There are several clubs among the girls for reading, story telling and a chorus class is in prospect. Considering the necessity of a piano at the mission, the work of almost all the classes, the union voted \$10 for the rental of a piano for the coming three months, and in the fall when plans for the work are more definitely settled a piano will probably be bought. Mrs. E. B. Towle was appointed representative of the Omaha union on the committee to arrange the program for the state convention in Omaha next fall.

Woman's Work in Club and Charity

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 for the position, but industrial 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 Laughlands upon the regulation of domestic labor. Miss Gregg emphasized as the unanimous action of the convention, the resolution condemning the state regulation of vice 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 bazar fund of \$5,000.

A souvenir of this year's convention and one 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."

Yesterday was Flag day and a large representation of the Daughters of the American Revolution met in Buffalo for its celebration. The exercises there were in the Temple of Music of the Pan-American Exposition and included the address of welcome by Mrs. M. N. Thompson, regent of Buffalo chapter, and an address by Mrs. Charles Fairbanks, president general of the national society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The subject to be "Patriotism in the Americas." The program also provides for other addresses, with national music interspersed.

BIRTHDAY OF THE FLAG

No Special Demonstration in Celebration of Anniversary Locally.

The center of national interest yesterday was an antiquated house in Philadelphia once known as the home of Betsy Ross, the maker of the first American flag. It was a day of consideration for that event June 14 has come to be known as flag day. In many cities formal ceremonies were observed in commemoration of the birth of "Old Glory," but in Omaha the day was well advanced before people were reminded of the recurrence of the anniversary. During the forenoon, however, the flags at the city hall were hung to the vigorous breeze, a few being hung on the outer walls and a great many smaller ones being disposed upon the chandeliers and at other conspicuous points.

The Woman's club of Jacksonville, Fla. has sent out a circular letter, under date of June 4, to the clubs of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in behalf of the 1,400 families of that city rendered homeless by the fire of May 2. An extract from the letter reads: "In this extremely the Woman's club of Jacksonville appeals to her sister clubs of the general federation for assistance for her philanthropic department to supply the needs of the destitute." Money, clothing and bedding are asked for, to be sent to Dr. Malvina Reichard, chairman of the philanthropic department of the Jacksonville Women's club. The letter is signed by Mrs. Alice Ely Doty, corresponding secretary.

The three essays for which the Woman's Reform League awarded prizes to club women last winter are being distributed among the woman's clubs for general reading. They are: "Civil Service Reform" by Marion Couthour Smith of the Woman's club of Orange, N. J.; "Some Sallent Points in Civil Service" by Miss Abbie Pease of the Ladies' Literary club of Ypsilanti, Mich.; and "Equal Rights for All and the Greatest Good for the Greatest Number," by Mrs. T. B. Rice of the Worcester Woman's club.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were granted yesterday:

Name of Residence. Age of Groom. Age of Bride.
 Peter Donavan, Greeley Center, Neb., 21. Nora G. Anthony, Bridgeport, Conn., 21.
 Abraham Katteman, Omaha, 21. Fannie W. Peterson, Clintonville, Wis., 21.
 John R. Hays and H. J. Caulfield of Norfolk, N. Y. Hall of Valentine and E. W. W. Lincoln are registered at the Bier Grand. Nebraska at the Merchants. T. J. Brown and Josephine, both of Norfolk. Thomas A. Miller, Madison, La. V. Haskell, Waverly, W. W. Wood, Rushville; G. E. Thompson, Big Springs.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

T. H. Miller of Crete, C. E. Lathaw of Lincoln, J. M. Thompson of Norfolk, R. Q. Stewart of Hastings, W. D. Southwick of Fremont and M. B. Bentley of Red Cloud are state guests at the Murray.

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Your grocer returns your money if you don't like it.

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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 given and included an interesting account of the Minneapolis 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 meeting with Dr. Helen Alsworth, 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