



The Great Mill and Factory Sale

Will enable you to procure the wearables you need for the Fourth at a mere fraction of their worth. We cannot impress upon you too strongly the importance of attending this sale. The values are far beyond the ordinary. Some goods are sold for less than one-third their actual value.

BOSS OMAHA STORE

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS
412 DOUGLAS



Wonderful Millinery Bargains



Trimmed sailors, jumbo braids, latest blocks, also trimmed ready-to-wear hats, shirt waist hats, all worth \$1.50, sale Saturday **25c**

600 \$5 hats, black and colored, handsomely trimmed with chiffon, fancy silks, flowers and ornaments, in this Mill and Factory sale—choice at **98c**

Trimmed leghorn hats, stylishly draped, trimmed with flowers and ornaments, on sale at **1.98**

\$8.50 for swell up-to-date trimmed hats. These are all newly trimmed for this sale. Little regard has been shown for cost of material used in making these elaborate hats. We are particularly desirous of reducing our stock, and place on sale these beautiful trimmed hats, with plain and tucked chiffon, white breasts, French flowers, at **35c**

Beautiful Gainsborough hats, both white and black, most fashionable hat today, on sale at **\$5**

Mill and Factory Sale of Underwear



Thousands of dozens of all kinds of underwear for ladies, misses and boys, bought from some of the largest mills in the country at 1/2 and 1-3 price, enabling us to give you some big bargains.

Ladies' and misses' plain and fancy ribbed vests, with taped necks and crochet trimmed, all sizes, worth 15c, go at **6c**

Hundreds of dozens of ladies' fine knit undershirts with high and low neck, wing sleeves and sleeveless, handsomely silk trimmed, all sizes, worth 25c, go at **10c**

Ladies' fine lisle thread undershirts, drop stitch and lace effect, also crepe lisle, worth regular 40c, in this sale at **15c**

500 doz. ladies' and men's simple handkerchiefs, made of all pure linen, Irish linen, neatly hemstitched, also many lace and embroidered edged handkerchiefs, worth 25c, go at **10c**

Ladies' and men's plain white and fancy colored border hemstitched handkerchiefs, made of fine sheer cloth, worth up to 15c, go at **3 1/2c-5c**

Mill and Factory Sale Waists, Suits at 1/2



BUY your shirtwaists where you can do the best—that's here. We bought a manufacturer's surplus stock at a great reduction and are thus enabled to offer you such remarkable bargains. Note the prices and description of the waists we advertise for Saturday's sale.

350 for Ladies' Tailor-made Suits—worth up to \$12.50. Is there a woman in Omaha that is willing to let an opportunity like this slip? Come and see how excellent the fabrics are and what splendid styles are in the lot. They are most recent fashions. It's a rare bargain.

Assortment No. 1—Contains Ladies' Waists made of percale, gingham, chambray, in solid colors, stripes, etc., many of them with soft cuffs, on sale on bargain counter at **25c**



750 for Ladies' \$17.50 Tailored Suits—made of summer weight chevrons, tuxedo jackets, taffeta stitched and lined neck collar. Skirts with wide flare flounce. This is a very special offer, resulting from a fortunate purchase.

Assortment No. 2—Contains Ladies' waists made of French gingham, lawns, percales in all the latest colors, full fronts, pleated backs, bishop sleeves, exceptional bargain at **59c**

298 for Wash Frocks and Costumes—worth up to \$12.50. All the latest styles—very choice fabrics and patterns, beautiful novelty effects.

Assortment No. 3—Contains Ladies' waists—made of fine white and colored lawns, trimmed with insertion, percales, dimities, gingham, many of them beautifully tucked and hemstitched, new sleeves—on sale at **75c**

25c for Wash Skirts—worth up to \$2—made of duck, P. K., etc., strap and braided trimmed.

On second floor a full assortment of everything that is new and swell in waists, including the sailor collar waists, dimity waists—go at **98c, \$1.50, \$2.50 and up to \$5.00**

Mill and Factory Sale of Bed Spreads

WE recently made arrangements with one of the largest manufacturers of all kinds of crocheted, maraiselles and mitchellen Bed Spreads, by which we take what are known as over-orders. When the wholesaler places an order with the mill it is generally for a given quantity. The mill puts these in the works and many times produces more than the contract calls for. These are put to one side and are called over-orders, and at the end of the season they are sold at a discount. Under these circumstances we take an immense quantity of these odds and ends. In some cases there are 10, 25 and 50 of one kind, and in other cases only one or two of a kind. They comprise everything in the Bed Spread line, fringed, unfringed, crocheted, maraiselles, mitchellen and white and colored. We bought them at about half what we would have to pay for them if we bought them in the regular way. All the week we have displayed some of them in our window to give you an idea what they are and what bargains you can expect Saturday.

We will sell all the best Bed Spreads that generally sell at 75c, for **39c**
All those that generally sell at \$1.00, we will sell at **49c**
\$1.25 bed spreads at 59c
\$1.50 bed spreads at 75c
\$2.00 bed spreads at \$1.00
\$2.50 bed spreads at \$1.25

All the best grade bed spreads, worth up to \$5.00—including satin embossed, satin derry, and in fact all the very best quilts made—go at **1.98**

This is the biggest quilt sale Omaha has ever known, and furnishes an excellent opportunity for boarding houses, hotels and private families whose bedding needs replenishing.

OVER A MILLION INCREASE

Board of Equalization Determines to Raise Corporation Assessments.

FORMAL ACTION SATURDAY MORNING

County Commissioners Declare it is Time to Make the Rich Contribute Their Share in Proportion with the Poor Man.

As a result of the agitation of the subject of tax shirking in The Bee and subsequent investigation by the Board of Equalization the county assessments against the big corporations are to be raised \$1,112,562. The members of the board have practically agreed on the amount each corporation is to be raised, as follows:

Assessors' Equalized	Assess-ment	Increase.
Omaha Gas Co.	\$135,000	\$102,446
Omaha St. Ry. Co.	215,000	108,292
Omaha Water Co.	192,500	62,500
Nebr. Telephone Co.	149,000	205,000
New Om. T. H. Co.	41,800	22,400
Cudahy P. Co.	29,000	11,200
Armour & Co.	68,700	211,200
Omaha P. Co.	23,400	62,000
Swift & Co.	12,000	121,400
Hammond P. Co.	28,100	35,000
Union Ry. Co.	22,000	10,000
E. Omaha bridge.	4,000	7,500
Am. S. & Ref. Co.	7,500	10,000

Totals **\$791,248** **\$1,904,000** **\$1,112,562**
The greatest increase is that of \$211,200

A NIGHT STRUGGLE

Woman's Fight with a Demon.

It is remarkable, the curious and different ways coffee will affect the human body. A little lady in Herkimer, N. Y., had an experience that may happen to others, but it is not common.

"She says, 'I am impressed with the desire, not only to thank you personally for relief, but realize that others may have the same distressing symptoms without thinking of the cause.'

"When I would drop asleep I would seem to receive a perfect electric shock from feet to head through every nerve of my body. It was dreadful. I would finally become so feverish and exhausted with this horror repeated over and over each time I fell asleep, that I was obliged to force myself to stay awake, actually not daring to think of rest."

"After one such horrible night, which I shall never forget, I arose completely worn out with my night's battle, but with a firm resolve to set aside my morning cup of coffee, as I began to believe that was the cause of my trouble."

"I had some Postum Food Coffee made according to directions. I took another cup at tea time. At night, to my great surprise, I fell quietly asleep and rested well all night. It seems incredible after only one day's use, but it is positively a truthful statement."

"I have persisted in the use of Postum until my nervous system is in perfect condition."

"Husband showed some signs of coffee poisoning, such as stomach trouble and other symptoms, so he left off the coffee and drinks Postum with me. This has improved his health, and he says he likes Postum better than he did the old fashioned coffee."

"We might have been saved our trouble if we had known the truth about coffee, but we were ignorant as are thousands of others, and had to learn by experience."

"Please do not use my name in public. My name can be given upon application, by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich."

on the Armour packing house, the next

is that of \$176,195 on the Cudahy plant, the next is that of \$142,805 on the Union stock yards and the next is that of \$131,420 on Swift & Co. The street railway company, the gas company, the electric light company and the telephone company assessments are more than doubled, while the water company gets off with an increase of \$62,600.

Even with the big raises which have been decided upon the packing houses and stock yards are assessed lower, relatively, than similar properties are assessed in Kansas City, as is shown by the following authentic figures:

Omaha	Kansas City	
Armour	\$240,000	\$364,000
Cudahy	148,000	211,000
Swift	125,000	475,000
Stock Yards	225,000	492,000

Trying to Equalize.

The only purpose of the Board of Equalization in raising the assessments of the corporations is to bring them up to something near the percentage of actual value at which property in this county is generally assessed.

"We think it is about time," said a member of the board, "to make the millionaire corporations pay taxes in proportion with the owners of small homes. They have been shirking their taxes long enough and the raises we have decided upon are fair and just."

"In making these raises against the corporations," said Chairman Connolly, "we have been guided largely by the information on the subject published in The Bee during the past two weeks. We investigated the figures published in The Bee and found them to be substantially correct. We might have made a total raise of \$3,000,000, but I think the advance of \$1,000,000 is pretty good work for one year."

The raising of the corporation assessments was decided upon at an executive session of the board, which lasted from 7 o'clock until nearly midnight Thursday. The county commissioners had expected to conclude sitting as a Board of Equalization Thursday night, but finding it impossible to finish their work they extended their time to Saturday.

View the Property.

Yesterday the commissioners viewed the packing house and other properties upon which the assessments are to be formally raised today.

The total of the equalized county assessment, without counting in the advances that are to be made on the corporation assessments, amounts to \$22,250,000. When the \$1,112,562 increase on the corporations is added to this sum the total county assessment for this year will amount to \$23,362,562, which is an increase of \$1,614,562 over last year's total assessment.

WHEN BELLEDSTEDT GOES AWAY

Festival Committee Will Keep on with the Entertainments for the Next Week.

The June festival, during which the Belledstedt Concert band has given fifty-three concerts, will terminate this evening. A juvenile program will be offered this afternoon. All the numbers appeal particularly to the children. This evening Belledstedt and his band will give their 26th concert in this city within the brief period of two years. Belledstedt has arranged a particularly fine program for this occasion. The band will leave on a late train tonight for Kansas City, where it opens an engagement tomorrow afternoon for four weeks.

Miss Grace Cameron will sing "The Inflammatus" tomorrow evening at the pavilion. She will also sing Bach-Gounod's "Ave Maria," which she has sung in this city about two and a half years ago. For her encore she will sing "Annie Laurie" and "Home, Sweet Home." She will be

supported by an orchestra under the direction of F. M. Steinhilber.

A number of the latest and most popular pictures were ordered from New York by telegram and will arrive by express Sunday and be presented Sunday evening for the first time.

The Musical Festival committee made arrangements by telegram yesterday for the appearance in the pavilion, commencing Monday evening and continuing for six nights, of the celebrated contralto singer, Miss Mabelle Crawford of Chicago, a well known oratorio and operatic singer who has many friends in Omaha.

DEMOREST MEDAL CONTEST

Youthful Orators Hold Forth on the Evils of Intemperance for a Prize.

Under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance union, four young women and one young man contested for the gold medal, which is the highest honor in the Demorest series in the North Side Christian church last evening. The contestants were: Misses Elizabeth Kelpin, Susetta Whitehead, Jessie Calder, Ruth Shirook and Mr. Ross Bates.

Following the contest, and while the judges were making next and deciding the children of the Sunday school, assisted by Miss Ora Shirook, presented "The Mother Goose Convention," in which the famous dame of the nursery rhymes with the Old Woman Who Lived in the Shoe, Bo Peep, Little Red Riding Hood and a number of other well known characters figured as having visited the drugrader's home and expressed their grief as the conditions that they found.

Mrs. Shadel of Odell, Neb., president of the Demorest work of the state, was present and made a brief address after which the decision of the judges was announced in favor of Miss Elizabeth Kelpin.

The contest was well attended, Miss Magee being present with a number of the small boys from Tenth Street City mission.

WELCOME FOR THE BISHOP

Former Congregation of "Chaplains" Giving Him Absence in South.

Bishop Charles C. McCabe, formerly stationed in this city as bishop of the Methodist church, will be entertained in Omaha next week after a long absence in South America. A reception will be tendered the bishop on Friday evening at the First Methodist church. Dr. J. W. Jennings, presiding elder of the Omaha district, being in charge of the exercises. Dr. A. C. Hirst will deliver an address of welcome in behalf of the Methodist churches of the state, many of which will be represented. Bishop McCabe will give a brief outline of his episcopal tour in South America, during which he traveled 19,000 miles.

Seven Years in Bed.

"Will wonders ever cease?" inquire of the friends Mrs. L. Pease of Lawrence, Kan. She knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debility; but "Three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed by Kuhn & Co., only.

DIED.

SILVIA Calvin S., June 28 at 6 a. m. aged 34 years.

Funeral this evening at 8:30 p. m. from late residence, 180 California street. Interment at Troy, N. Y.

South Omaha News

Hon. B. E. Wilcox, local representative of the American Bond and Trust company, received word yesterday that the bonds of most of the city officials had been accepted by the company and were now on file with the city clerk. Those who have not yet filed bonds in this company are: Police Judge King, City Attorney Lambert, City Engineer Beal and Building Inspector D. M. Click. All of these officials are, however, under personal bonds which hold good until the surety company acts upon their applications.

Security of Labor.

Contractors and others are complaining about the security of labor. Men cannot be found to perform work and no idle men are to be found on the streets. Carpenters are in great demand just now, as well as teamsters and ordinary laborers. Dealers in material are compelled to skimpish every day for teams and there is a steady hunt for carpenters and masons. At the packing houses work is progressing nicely and very few employees of these great institutions are found idle. Good prices are being paid for labor, by contractors and the packers are, of course, paying the scale of wages agreed upon some time ago.

Magie City Goats.

Dr. C. W. Johnson of Chicago is visiting friends in the city. Real estate dealers report business just a little slack just at this time. Councilman August Miller leaves for Iowa today to stay until Monday. Manager Renner was busy yesterday making out contracts for concessions. Several religious societies are holding tent meetings in various parts of the city. The horse sales at the stock yards this week attracted a great deal of attention. Major Cross, inspector of weights and measures, is making his annual inspection. Grading at the east end of Missouri avenue for a road to the river is to commence shortly. A petition for the grading of Twenty-seventh street from B to G street is being circulated.

Amphitheater Completed.

The amphitheater at Twenty-fifth and O streets, where the Street Fair company will hold entertainment of various sorts, has been completed. According to the estimate of the structural artist the seating capacity will be about 8,000. The flower parade will be held in the ring, as well as the coronation of the carnival queen.

One of the incidents of yesterday was the withdrawal of Miss Eunice Enzor from the race for queen of the carnival. Dr. Enzor said that his daughter was not strong enough to participate in the affair and he had requested her to withdraw her name.

The demand for the removal of the drays from Twenty-fifth and N street continues.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Prosser, 1526 North Twenty-third street, announce the birth of a daughter.

W. S. Babcock has returned from Lake Superior, Minn., where he spent a couple of weeks fishing.

It is reported that Cudahy will appeal from the assessment as returned by the Board of Review.

John Flynn, one of the letter carriers at the Post Office, has gone to Wisconsin to spend his vacation.

Miss Eunice Enzor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. Enzor, has withdrawn from the carnival queen contest.

A number of vagrants were before Judge King yesterday and they were given an hour in which to leave the city.

Since the flushing the streets downtown are in first-class condition and Mayor Kelly proposes to keep them so during the fair.

Mrs. W. H. Hayes of Toledo, Ia., and Mrs. J. B. Purinton of Neola, Ia., are the guests of Judge and Mrs. F. A. Agnew, Twenty-third and N streets.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kelly has so far declined to make a decision in the matter.

The Scenic Route to California.

Don't make a mistake and select any other route than the Burlington when you go to California at the time of the Epworth league meeting in July.

The Burlington with its connections forms the Scenic Line of the World. It takes you through the very heart of the Rockies, past all the glorious mountain scenery of Colorado and Utah.

Come back by way of Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Billings. Costs a few dollars extra—and it is worth it.

Beautifully illustrated folder giving full information about this, the greatest holiday opportunity ever offered, on request. Tells what there is to see on the way to the coast, where to stay in San Francisco and the places in California which you cannot afford to miss.

Tickets, 1502 Farnam street.

Sweltering in Beatrice.

BEATRICE, Neb., June 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The thermometers today are registering from 102 to 105. No fatalities were reported up to 1 o'clock.

THIRTY-TWO ACQUIRE ANTLERS

Elks Initiate Large Class Into the Mysteries of the Best People on Earth.

Over 300 members of the order of Elks assembled at the rooms of the local lodge last night to confer the obligations and explain the mystery to a class of thirty-two candidates, and after the test had been applied in the demonstration of fortitude of the novitiates refreshments were served to a gathering that filled the parlors. Just as the exemplification of the ritual "Old Glory" by Judge Lee Estelle, concert closed and Director Belledstedt and his men repaired by invitation to the strolling quarters of the antlered fraternity. A social session followed the formal ceremonies, during which selections were played by Belledstedt's band, alternating with other entertaining diversions. There was a recitation by George Cronk, a piano solo by Mr. Campbell of Victor, Colo., a violin solo by Mr. Nettleton of Tabor, Ia., songs by Jo Barton and Lew Dale and a recitation, "Old Glory," by Judge Lee Estelle.

The candidates who were inducted into the order were: Charles E. Hutchinson, J. B. Watkins, W. P. McFarlane, W. S. King, George H. Cook, Asel Steere, Jr., Nelson C. Pratt, W. C. Nelson, H. E. Iwle, John P. Stout, F. A. Tucker, James Richardson, Jr., Clinton R. Miller, B. F. Griffin, H. W. Howells, DeWitt C. Lewis, George McBride, Thomas F. Swift, John A. McShane, Thomas A. Minier, E. L. Dodder, H. S. Emery, W. T. Wynne, Charles L. Duple, C. W. Downs, H. F. Roberson, W. J. Fawcett, N. L. Maloney, John V. Brennan, Thomas Kilpatrick, A. B. Jacquith and Stillman G. Lund.

WHAT CAUSES DANDRUFF.

Greatest European Authority on Skin Disease Says It's a Germ.

The old idea was that dandruff is scales of skin thrown off through a feverish condition of the scalp. Prof. Unna, Hamburg, Germany, European authority on skin diseases, says dandruff is a germ disease. The germ burrows under the scalp, throwing up little scales of cuticle and sapping the vitality of the hair at the root. The only hair preparation that kills dandruff germs is Newbro's Herpicide. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Not only cures dandruff, but stops falling hair and causes a luxuriant growth. Delightful hair dressing.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been granted to the following:

Name of the bride.	Age.
William A. Lewis, Bancroft, Neb.	23
Elizabeth Thirte, Douglas county.	27
Stuck B. Hill, Omaha.	26
Linnie L. Mack, Omaha.	19
Lois E. Johnson, South Omaha.	19
Miss J. Donaldson, South Omaha.	40
Meyer Taxman, Rock Island, Ill.	22
Mary Schaefer, Omaha.	13
Edward Carlson, St. Joseph, Mo.	25
Agusta Hoffman, Omaha.	22
William J. Miller, South Omaha.	25
Mary Hoffman, Omaha.	22

Balzac's Rival.

Balzac no rival but George Sand; some critics consider them twin stars.

This woman, acknowledged by all the world as the second, if not the first, of French novelists, was certainly the most remarkable woman of her age and the greatest authoress in the world's history.

The story of her own life is as romantic and eventful as that of any of her heroines; the revelations made in her Histoire de ma vie would furnish material for a dozen novels of the present day. An interesting pamphlet giving outline of her life will be sent on request.

AGENTS WANTED.

GEORGE BARRIE & SON,
2313 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.

Mill and Factory Sale Muslin Underwear

Ladies' fine muslin and cambric drawers, handsomely trimmed, great variety of styles, worth up to \$1.25, in lots at, pair.

25c, 35c, 49c and 75c

Ladies' skirts, made of fine muslin and cambric, with deep ruffles, trimmed with dainty lace and wide embroidery flouncing, worth up to \$2. go at

49c, 69c and 98c

Ladies' fine gowns and skirt chemise, all nicely made, full sizes, trimmed with neat and showy laces and embroideries, worth in the regular way up to \$2. go in lots at

49c, 69c, 98c

Mill and Factory Sale of Hosiery

All the ladies' and children's fine imported French and German lisle-thread hose, plain and fancy, gauze, drop-stitched lisle, also fine maco cotton hose with white soles, including a variety of fancy colored hose, worth up to 75c a pair—

in this sale, **25c** choice

Ladies', misses' and boys' fine regular made hose, some with double soles, spliced heels, double knees, all sizes, worth regular up to 25c a pair, go at **10c**

Ladies' and misses' fine full regular made hose, some with double soles, spliced heels, double knees, all sizes, worth regular up to 25c a pair, in this sale at **25c**

Great Sale Parasols and Umbrellas

Hundreds of fine all silk plain and fancy parasols, some are hemstitched, others fancy ruffled, chiffon and lace trimmed, all colors, including black and white, worth up to \$4, go at **\$1.49 and \$1.98.**

\$1.49 Hundreds of silk umbrellas, 26 and 28 inch, for ladies and men, made of silk serge, silk taffeta, with plain and fancy sterling silver, white metal and pearl handles, worth up to \$4.00, in this sale at **\$1.49 and \$1.98.**

THE BEST OF EVERYTHING



\$16.75
Milwaukee and return
July 29, 31, 33.

\$12.65
St. Paul and return
June 13 to 20.

Cincinnati and return
\$22.50
July 4, 6, 8.

Detroit and return
\$22.00
July 4, 6, 8.

Chicago and return
\$14.75
July 23, 24, 26.

Hot Springs and return
\$18.40
June 13 to 20.

Very low rates to the Buffalo Exposition

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