

KELLEY, STIGER & COMPANY WE INVITE INSPECTION. WE URGE COMPARISON.

Winsome Wash Goods at Winning Prices

Words are weak to tell of the dress charms here. The best of foreign products are shown side by side with the inexpensive but newest of domestic styles, and there is that indescribable something in every piece that is different from what is shown elsewhere.

32-inch Fine Lawns—

In dark blue and black grounds, polka dots and other neat effects, at 10c yard.

32-inch Kilmarnock—

Arnold and Hambro dimities, also queen and holly batties, all in the most up-to-date styles, 15c a yard.

32-inch Embroidered Pineapple and Plumet Swisses—

These are absolutely fast colors and will not wilt by sea air or dampness. They come in beautiful figured and stripe designs, 25c a yard.

St. Gaul Swiss—

In new and stylish designs, also solid colors with mercerized cable rope stripe, 25c and 35c a yard.

45-inch Embroidered Tissue—

In exclusive styles and very latest weaves, 60c a yard.

36-inch wide and pink round thread suiting linen, 50c a yard.

30-inch Mercerized Etamine Linen—

For waists and suits, selling most everywhere at 75c, our price 60c yard.

45-inch Plain Silk and Linen Batiste—

Also 32-inch embroidered pearl stripe silk and linen batiste, worth \$1.25, 60c a yard.

Imported St. Gaul Swiss Patterns—

We are showing the most extreme styles and best line ever seen in Omaha, from \$5.50 to \$20.00 a pattern.

56 pieces 32-inch Anderson's madras gingham in assorted styles, absolutely fast colors and were sold by us at 18c a yard. We have decided to make a special run on them at 8 1/2c a yard.

Household Linens

10 Cases Russia Crash—

Worth 10c a yard, on special sale at 5c a yard.

68-inch half bleached homespun table linen, 47 1/2c a yard.

72-inch full bleached Irish table linen, the \$1.10 quality, 75c a yard.

72-inch extra fine unbleached Irish table linen, the \$1.35 quality, \$1.00 a yard.

One case 2 1/2x2 1/2, ready-made sheets, the 70c quality, 59c each.

One case of Berkshire cambric, fine quality and sold at 12 1/2c, special price, 8 1/2c a yard.

Mercerized White Goods for Waists and Dresses

The demand for white goods is already great. Our stock is rich and complete, and the various styles shown are charmingly pretty. Everything that smacks of richness, beauty and individuality will be found here, and the lowness of price is a powerful attraction.

32-inch Oxford Cheviots—

Plain white, 15c and 18c a yard.

Pure White Marseilles Cloth—

For waists, skirts and suits, in handsome designs, 25c a yard.

Black on White English Imported Oxfords—

32 inches wide, large assortment, 35c a yard.

Mercerized Sea-Moss Madras and Damask Madras—

All exclusive styles, 45c and 40c a yard.

Lace stripe, embroidered pique; these goods are light weight and the demand for them is exceeding the supply. Nothing more popular for waists, 50c a yard.

Irish Lawn—

In hand drawn effects, 50c a yard.

Imported Lace Stripe Swiss—

With dotted stripes, 75c a yard.

Imported Hungarian Madras—

32 inches wide and made from round thread mercerized yarns, \$1.00 a yard.

India Linens—

22c quality for this week, 15c a yard.

36c quality for this week, 25c a yard.

40c quality for this week, 25c a yard.

Persian Lawns—

At 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 60c and 75c a yard.

Opera Batiste—

48 inches wide at 20c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c and 70c a yard.

Wash Chiffon—

48 inches wide at 40c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c and 85c a yard.

Dotted Swiss—

At 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 65c, 70c, 75c and 85c a yard.

New Corsets—

\$1.00—Straight front, for medium figures, fairly low-busted, medium hip, made of sterling jean; also linen batiste.

\$1.50—Erect form, white batiste only, for medium developed figures, extra long over hips and abdomen.

New Laces, Veiling and Embroideries

Correct Styles. Reasonable prices

45-inch Black Fillet Mesh Costume Nets—

Special values, 85c a yard.

Black Chantilly and Escorial Galleons—

Elegant serpentine and medallion effects, extraordinary values, at 9c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Irish Crochet and Venetian Point Laces—

White, cream and ecru edges, galleons, insertions and all-overs to match, at prices that will please you.

Point de Paris Laces—

Elegant bow-knot design, very serviceable for trimming underwear, etc., various widths to match; special values at 7 1/2c, 10c, 15c and 20c a yard.

Fine Torchon and Midge Laces—

Excellent designs and durable qualities, the correct thing for trimming the new chamber and gingham skirts; special 30c, 12 1/2c and 15c a yard.

Latest Novelties in Veilings—

Plain, fancy and dotted Tulle, dotted chiffons, extra values at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Fine French Chiffons, Mousse-de-Sole and Liberty Gosses—

In all the new shades.

Novelties in Embroideries—

A perfect collection of fine nainsook and Swiss matched sets, edges, founching, insertions, heading and galleons to match in elegant Irish point, hand drawn and dainty effects.

12 and 15-inch Swiss and Nainsook Embroidered Flingings—

Just the thing for the new corset covers. 1 1/2 yards will make a corset cover; extra values at 40c, 45c, 55c and 75c a yard.

New Shirt Waist Materials—

45-inch fine French veerings, have the effect of high grade all-overs, 1 1/2 yards will make a waist; special values at 75c, 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 a yard.

Novelties in Neckwear

Elegant Chiffon and Liberty Ruffs—

In white, black and white and all black. Excellent values, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.50, \$6.50 to \$15.00 each.

Novelty Automobile Ties—

Exquisite effects, in taffeta, moire, satin, Liberty, etc., at 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.00 each.

Silk Department

It will pay you to anticipate your wants in this department. Hundreds of bargains for Monday's sale.

Shantung Tussore Silks—

In great variety, plain, figured, hem-stitched and embroidered, the latest fad, all widths, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 per yard.

Black Taffetas—

Guaranteed to wear, the guarantee woven in the selvage of every yard, 65c, 60c, 75c, 85c a yard.

27-inch black taffeta, reliable, 55c, 27-inch black taffeta, guaranteed, \$1.00, \$1.15.

36-inch black taffeta, guaranteed, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

Colored Moire Silks—

Moire velours and all silk moire antiques, plenty of the scarce navies, brown, grays, reids and white, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 per yard.

Black Moire Silks—

For long and short coats, waists and dresses, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25 per yard.

New Fancy Ribbons—

44-inch, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

New fancy ribbon striped grenadines, 44-inch, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.

Special for This Sale

Changeable Taffeta Silks—

All colors, some are slightly soiled, fancy stripes, silks, good shades, \$29c.

Fancy Hemstitched Waist Silk—

In shades of rose, red, blue, navy and white, regular \$1.00 quality, \$49c for this sale.

Black Dress Goods

Don't select your black dress for spring until you have seen the latest novelties on display here, for never have we shown such an array of attractive materials.

44-inch Presella Cloth—

These materials are dressy and very durable, especially adapted for tailor gowns and separate skirts; special price, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard.

45-inch All Wool Crash—

A new weave of hopacking, very fashionable this season, \$1.50 per yard.

52 to 58-inch Chevots—

An exclusive showing of black chevots, one of the most popular weaves for suits and shirt waist skirts, "sponged and shrunk," from 85c to \$3.00 per yard.

44 to 46-inch Etamines—

Voiles, grenadines and all the new weaves of the opera sort, so popular this season; an unusually large assortment to select from at all prices, from 75c to \$2.25 per yard.

Unparalleled values in black dress fabrics for Monday at \$1.00.

44-inch silk and wool crepe de chine, \$1.00.

44-inch wool grenadine, \$1.00.

44-inch all wool veiling, special, \$1.00.

46-inch melrose, 44-inch striped etamine, 54-inch cloth and 56-inch sicilian cloth, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Colored Dress Goods

Our line of Spring Dress Goods is now complete.

We are confident that we are showing the best and most complete line of lightweight fabrics in all the newest and most stylish weaves and colors.

Flake Etamines, \$1.00 per yd., 44 inches wide—

A new light weight weave, having a flaked and crepe effect, which is very new, in latest shades.

Iron Frame Etamine, \$1 per yard, 42 inches wide—

The popular weave of the season, a light weight fabric, to be made up over silk or other suitable linings, very dressy and stylish, in a fine choice of colors.

Voiles and Eolennes, \$1.50 per yard, 46 inches wide—

Bollesne, sheer and transparent, something in a cheviot and up-to-date weaves. Voiles, the clinging kind, a soft, silky fabric, which is much used. A large showing of colors.

\$1, \$1.25 a yard Dress Goods—

French basket cloth, broadcloths, English presella, chevots, meltons, granites and canvas cloth, are among the many weaves at these prices, 45 to 50 inches wide.

White Wool Goods

This is to be an unusual season for white goods. Accordingly by careful buying we have one of the finest offerings possible in all the new weaves in light weight white and creams, woolen fabrics.

Belts, Bags, Fans

Ladies' Real Seal Leather Belts

Warranted real seal leather, covered buckle, excellent finish, 50-cent value; special, 25c each.

Ladies' Soft Silk Crush Belts—

New silks and new buckles, black, white and ponce, correctly made, only \$1.50 and \$1.65 each.

Novelties in Wrist Bags—

Fine leathers and fine mountings, at \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$4.50 to \$10.00 each.

Novelty Japanese Fans—

Choice new designs, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c each.

Ready to Wear Garments Ready for Your Inspection.

Up-to-date, man-tailored suits, made of the most popular materials—etamines, mistral, canvas cloth, chevots, etc. The jackets are all silk-lined, skirts silk and percaline lined—also unlined.

Ladies' Jackets

Silk etons, cheviot blouses and long, silk Raglans, separate dress skirts and walking skirts.

Misses' Reefers, blue and reds, age 6 to 14, with Peter Thompson embroideries, army and navy colors.

We have on display a very choice selection of man-tailored shirt waists in white, oxford, chevots and canvas effects.

Now is the time to make your selection, while the assortments are complete and you can secure exclusive styles.

White lawn waists, Gibson styles, handsomely trimmed with lace and embroideries. Shirt waists in colors, all the new creations in chevots, madras, dimities and lawns. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Women Tailor Made Shirt Waist Suits

Gibson waist and flounce skirts in plain colored oxfords; also blue and white and red and white stripes.

Shirt Waist Suits

In plain colored madras, handsomely trimmed in embroideries and white braids, \$5.00 to \$7.00 for entire suits. An early inspection solicited.

Underwear and Hosiery

Women's and children's spring and summer hosiery and underwear. The recent mild weather puts one in mind of lighter under garments. We expect to sell a great many women's vests of good quality, cotton or lisle thread, at a special price tomorrow. Sale on "Munsing" Union Suits.

15c-2 for 25c Women's Reticelles Ribbed Vests—

Silk tapes, pure white or ecru. A line of 25c and 35c vests are included in this lot for Monday's sale.

Women's White Ribbed Vests—

Very nicely finished, silk tapes, pearl buttons, long or short sleeves, also a superior line of lisle thread, low neck, sleeveless, umbrella ribbed drawers, with lace trimming to match all sizes, Monday, 25c each.

We Offer Tomorrow Women's—

Voga silk ribbed vests, with fancy lace trimmings, hand crocheted neck, also a special make in bodies to wear with low-neck dresses; white, pink and sky. One of the best bargains offered this season, only 50c each.

The "Munsing" Union Suits—

For women and children cannot be equaled. The fit is perfect, much better finish and material than ever before. Women's union suits, very nicely made, low neck, sleeveless, knee lengths, the "Munsing," only 35c per suit.

Our 50c "Munsing" are beautifully finished, pure white, fully worth 75c per suit; our price only 50c—all sizes.

Misses' and Boys' "Munsing" Union Suits—

The only suit that is made just right for children; all styles and sizes for all ages—Monday, 50c per suit.

Women's Best Black Seamless Fing Cotton Hose—

Plain or fancy drop stitch, double sole, heel and toe, worth 25c—our price, 15c 2 for 35c.

35c, 3 pair \$1.00, Women's New Patterns in Fancy Hose—

Black, drop-stitch, lisle thread, fine black cotton; also black gauze lisle thread, for our Monday's sale.

Just Received, 100 Dozen of Children's School Hose—

Fine ribbed fast black, double knee, heel and toe, never retails at less than 25c pair—our price, 5 to 9, only 15c a pair.

Women's Silk Umbrellas—

Black, blue, red, green, handsomely finished with case and tassels, fine imported handles, a remarkable offering, \$1.50 each.

Children's School Umbrellas—

Black silk cover and tassels, natural wood handles, most strong, steel rod, Paragon frame, \$1.00 each.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO., Corner Farnam and Fifteenth Streets.

OBJECT TO RYAN'S FINDING

Real Estate Exchange Asks to Have Supreme Court Reverse the Referee.

MISREPRESENTATION OF NEBRASKA

Statements Circulated in East About Amount of Land Now Being Irrigated Are Grossly Misleading.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, April 12.—(Special.)—The realtors in the Omaha tax mandamus case, through their attorney, H. P. McIntosh, have filed objections to the report of Referee Ryan and have moved the supreme court for a new trial of their suit. They contend that the referee erred in the admission and exclusion of evidence, that his decision is not founded on law and that the proceedings before him were irregular. The motion and the objections will come before the court for consideration at the next sitting of the court, which begins Tuesday, April 15. The documents were filed late this afternoon, just before the office was closed.

Misrepresents Nebraska.

Some figures grossly misrepresenting the irrigation interests of this state have been given publicity in connection with the discussion regarding the irrigation measures now pending in congress. One instance is known where the charge was made that Nebraska has only 145,000 acres of land cultivated under irrigation. Secretary Dobson of the State Board of Irrigation declares there are upward of 1,500,000 acres of land under irrigation. In Dawson county alone there are eleven irrigating canals, aggregating 175 miles.

"We have no positive data as to the number of acres irrigated in Nebraska, but we can make an estimate that is very nearly correct," said Mr. Dobson. "The records of this office show that water has been granted by the State Board of Irrigation for nearly 4,000 miles of canal, covering about 1,700,000 acres. I would estimate the number of miles constructed at about 2,500, covering about 1,900,000 acres of land. The number of acres actually cultivated under irrigation may be less than the figures given, but is still much greater than has been charged.

"In the North Platte valley water has been appropriated for nearly 500,000 acres of land. The last report of the state engineer shows that in Scotts Bluff county between 50,000 and 60,000 acres have been irrigated, and this is one of the new counties of the state. Following along down the North Platte and Platte rivers a large portion of the valley is under irrigation, in some places reaching a width of twelve or fifteen miles, and extending through Deuel,

Keith, Lincoln, Dawson and Buffalo counties, a distance of about 300 miles. Especially in Lincoln and Dawson counties has the irrigation development been greatest and many thousands of acres of land have been brought under the influence of irrigation. A great many canals have been taken out on the Loup river. The Great Eastern canal, taken from the Loup a short distance above Genoa, has about seventy miles of canal and last year irrigated about 2,500 acres successfully. There are other cases too numerous to mention where large tracts of land have been successfully irrigated. There is absolutely no truth in the report now being circulated to the effect that we have only 145,000 acres under cultivation by irrigation, as anybody can readily determine for himself by examining the records of irrigation going over some of the irrigation districts in the western part of the state."

Male Teachers Alarmed.

The Nebraska Schoolmasters' club, an exclusive organization of forty of the leading educators in the state, is beginning to view with some alarm the rapid displacement of the male members of their profession. This passing of the rural schoolmaster was the sole topic of discussion at the meeting of the club in this city last night, and figures were presented to show that women teachers are taking the places of men, not only in Nebraska, but throughout the United States. State Superintendent Fowler, who read the principal paper of the evening, said:

"Not only has the schoolmaster crowded out of his position to a great extent, but it should be noticed also that the early colonial schools were organized principally for himself exclusively for boys. The curriculum was adapted to the needs of the boys, and it has not been changed materially, but that the girls in the grammar grades of our public schools now outnumber the boys about four to three; in the high schools about three to two and in the senior class in the state, is beginning to view with some alarm the rapid displacement of the male members of their profession. This passing of the rural schoolmaster was the sole topic of discussion at the meeting of the club in this city last night, and figures were presented to show that women teachers are taking the places of men, not only in Nebraska, but throughout the United States. State Superintendent Fowler, who read the principal paper of the evening, said:

"The National Tontine Savings company, Grand Island, capital stock, \$100,000; incorporators, R. O. Adams and W. O. Tallman; for buying and selling farm implements.

The Mutual Oil Tank Line company, Omaha, capital stock, \$10,000; incorporators, J. L. Lamproct, Frank B. Fretter, J. H. Hendrick.

The Midland Realty company, East Orange, N. J., capital stock, \$125,000.

The report of Chief Oil Inspector Hays for the month of March shows that during the period of collections of his department amounted to \$858.60. Over 8,500 barrels of oil were inspected. The balance turned into the treasury was \$19.95.

SAVAGE ASKS RESIGNATION

Governor Requests Superintendent of Woman's Industrial Home to Vacate Place.

LINCOLN, April 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Savage this afternoon gave out the information that he had requested Mrs. Amanda Edwards, superintendent of the Industrial Home for Women at Milford, to tender her resignation, but declined to say why he had taken the action. "I have reasons that are good and sufficient," said he, "but further than that I have nothing to say."