

WHITE LAW & GARDNER ANNUAL SUMMER CLEARING SALE

This sale includes every item in summer goods, and continues until the entire stock is sold. The unseasonable weather has left us with heavy stocks in every department, which must be sold during this sale. Our loss is your gain. Fall goods arriving daily. The time is short, and to have quick results we have cut prices regardless of cost or value.

SALE BEGINS TODAY, SATURDAY, JULY 19.

Nothing represented in this sale which has not been cut from 25 to 50 per cent. Read the list of bargains quoted. Better still, call and examine for yourself.

MILLINERY HALF PRICE.

Wash Goods Sale

71-2c—Double fold Zephyrs and 30-inch Madras, former price 12 1/2c and 15c—on sale **7c**

All our imported Wash Novelties ranging in price from 39c, 45c, 50c, 60c, consisting of Grenadines, Foulards and Silk Mulls, in one lot—on sale..... **33c**

10c—Fine Batiste and Irish Dimities, full 22 inches wide, over 100 styles to select from; formerly retailed at 15c-19c; on sale..... **10c**

5c—A choice lot of Dress Gingham, in plaids, checks and stripes, colors guaranteed, and usually retailed at 8c and 10c; on sale **5c**

A 30-inch Dimity and Batiste, large assortment beautiful patterns, and sold all season at 12 1/2c; on sale **7c**

19c—A large assortment of our 25c, 33c and 35c Scotch Gingham and Mercerized Zephyrs, very desirable for waists; only **19c**

Millinery Sale

Ladies' and misses' trimmed hats, creations of our own work room, same goods we sold for \$2.50, \$3, \$4 and \$5. In one lot, on sale **95c**

Our entire stock of exquisite trimmed hats, equal to imported patterns, very exclusive, worth from \$5.00 to \$10.00—on sale at **2.50**

Over 300 ladies' street hats, every conceivable shape, trimmed with sash, pom-poms and drapes, worth up to \$2.00—on sale **50c**

Choice of balance on hand, including our fine Paris patterns in pattern room, former value, \$10, \$15, \$20 and \$25—on sale **5.00**

Ladies' street hats, all this season's styles, and retailed as high as \$2.50, in one lot, at **1.00**

Ladies' street and sailor hats, odds and ends, sold as high as \$1.50, in one lot **25c**

Parasols and Umbrellas

5c—Children's Colored Parasols, former price 10c, on sale **5c**

10c—Children's Ruffled Parasols, formerly sold for 15c, on sale..... **10c**

25c—Children's Colored Parasols, plain and ruffled, former prices 35c and 45c, on sale..... **25c**

33c—Children's Colored Parasols, former price 50c, on sale **33c**

50c—Children's Parasols, worth 75c and 80c, on sale **50c**

1.48—Ladies' Colored Umbrellas, former price \$2.00, on sale **1.48**

1.25—Ladies' Black and Colored Parasols, formerly sold for \$2.00, on sale **1.25**

75c, 89c, 1.25, 1.75

For special numbers for this sale in Ladies' Umbrellas.

Ladies' Underwear Sale

15c—Ladies' Ribbed Vests, lace yokes back and front, regular price 25c, on sale **15c**

5c—Ladies' Ribbed Vest, fancy colored stripes, former price 5c, now half price, 3c, 2 for **5c**

29c—A Ladies' Union Suit, nicely made umbrella pattern—sold for 50 cents, on sale **29c**

50c—Ladies' Out Size Vest, low neck and shaped, former price 75c on sale, 17c cents, 3 for **50c**

7c—Ladies' Colored Vests, pink and blue, sold all season at 12 1/2c and 15c, on sale **7c**

69c—Ladies' Union Suits, Umbrella Pattern, lace trimmed, usual retail price \$1.00, on sale **69c**

1.00—Ladies' White and Colored Union Suits, Mercerized lisle, tight knee, low neck and sleeveless, sold all season at \$1.50, on sale **1.00**

39c—Ladies' Ribbed Out Size Umbrella Drawers, nicely trimmed, former price 60c and 45c, on sale **39c**

Boys' Waist and Shirt Sale

10c—BOYS' WAISTS, light colors only, sold usually for 15c, on sale..... **10c**

16c—BOYS' BLOUSE WAIST, sizes 4 to 13, mostly light, former price 25c, on sale..... **16c**

15c—BOYS' LAUNDERED WAIST, collar attached, sizes 6, 8, 10, 12, formerly retailed at 25c, on sale..... **15c**

25c—BOYS' AND YOUTHS LAUNDERED SHIRTS, with collar attached, nice range of patterns, former retail price 35c, on sale..... **25c**

50c—BOYS' AND YOUTHS PERCALE SHIRTS, two collars to match, cuffs attached and detached, entire new lot just received..... **50c**

15c—YOUTHS AND BOYS' SOFT SHIRTS, 12 to 14, regular price twenty-five cents—on sale..... **15c**

Men's Underwear Sale

10c—MEN'S UNDERSHIRTS, large sizes only, odd lot to close, worth up to 50c—on sale..... **10c**

18c—5c or 35c Suit—MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, good halbrigan, double-seated drawers, sold formerly for 25c, on sale..... **18c**

39c—5c or 75c a Suit—MEN'S FINE BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR, good, usually retailed for 50c, on sale..... **39c**

25c—MEN'S FINE COLORED LACE MESH UNDERWEAR, full range of sizes, special price..... **25c**

79c—MEN'S RIBBED UNION SUITS, light blue stripe, usual price \$1.00 and \$1.25, on sale..... **79c**

1.15—MEN'S FINE BALBRIGGAN UNION SUIT, self-finished and retailed in other stores as high as \$2.00, on sale—a suit..... **1.15**

Lace and Embroidery Sale

10c—A big lot of Lace and Insertions worth up to 25c, in one lot for..... **10c**

5c—A piece of 4 yards Torchon Lace, several widths, worth double, for this sale..... **5c**

7c—A Dozen—A big lot of Valenciennes Lace, worth double, on sale..... **7c**

15c—A large line of all kinds of Lace, worth up to 25c, in one lot, on sale..... **15c**

5c—Lot 1—Large lot of Embroideries..... **5c**

12c—Lot 2—Big range of Embroideries and Lace..... **12c**

19c—A large assortment of Embroideries and Lace..... **19c**

Five Extra Special Glove Items

35c—Silk gloves, patent finger tip, two clasps, black and colors, regular retail price 50c, on sale **35c**

25c—Ladies' Berlin lisle lace gloves, very scarce and desirable for hot weather, regular retail price, 35c—on sale **25c**

33c—Ladies' washable fabric gloves, two and four button—the very latest fad, look like undressed kid, actual value 50c, on sale **33c**

10c—A lot of odds and ends in ladies' misses' and children's colored infants' gloves, former price 25c, on sale **10c**

75c—Ladies' Milanese silk gloves, double tipped finger, three pearl clasps, white, black, slate, former retail price \$1, on sale **75c**

Great Values in Hosiery

1.00—5c, 3 for 10c—Ladies' high-grade, fancy colored hosiery, sold for 60c and 50c—on sale **1.00**

50c—3 for 50c—Ladies' fancy and black imported hosiery, plain and lace effect, formerly sold for 75c, 50c and 40c—on sale **50c**

25c—3 for 25c—Ladies' black lace and fancy hose, former retail price 35c and 30c—on sale **25c**

15c—Infants' hose in silks, lises and cottons, sizes 4 to 5 1/2 only—former retail price 25c, 25c, 50c—on sale **15c**

25c—3 for 25c—Children's 2x1 ribbed hose, 6 1/2 to 9 1/2, former retail price 35c—on sale **25c**

25c—Our entire stock of infants' soft soled shoes, all colors, former retail price \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50, on sale **25c**

2.95—Ladies' waists, compose all our exclusive novelties, white only, elegantly embroidered, and retailed formerly at \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00, in one lot for sale **2.95**

1.98—Ask to see silk waists in black and colors, worth up to \$5.00, on sale **1.98**

Shirt Waist Sale

35c—Ladies' colored shirt waists, light, medium and dark, former retail price 50c and 35c, on sale **35c**

69c—Ladies' white and Madras waists, nicely trimmed, all sizes, regularly retailed at \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale **69c**

1.50—Ladies' waists, the very latest Madras and Gibson effect, made from imported Madras, English corded weaves and figured Marcellines and always sold for \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50, on sale **1.50**

95c—A large table of waists, both white and colored, latest effects and designs, retailed formerly at \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50, in one lot **95c**

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Men's Shirt Sale

65c—Men's Shirts, light patterns, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, attached collars, former price \$1.00 and \$1.25, on sale **65c**

75c—Men's Madras Shirt Waists, choice patterns, correct make, latest improvements; former price \$1.25, on sale **75c**

69c—Our entire line of Wachuset Soft Shirts, plain and pleated, choice patterns, always sold for \$1.00, on sale **69c**

19c—Men's light and dark Shirts, with and without collars, former price 30c, on sale..... **19c**

50c—Good line of men's Percale Shirts, two collars to match..... **50c**

Undermuslin Sale

39c—Ladies' Tucked Cambric Gowns, plain but neck and sleeves, sold for 50c, on sale **39c**

52c—Ladies' Muslin Pants, three styles, finished, collar and cuffs, fancy drawn work, worth up to 50c a pair, on sale..... **52c**

19c—Ladies' Corset Covers, three styles, trimmed with lace, embroidered and hemstitched, ruffles, formerly sold for 25c, 25c and 30c, on sale..... **19c**

42c—Ladies' Ruffled Muslin Skirts, made from good muslin and three rows of tuckings, sold for 50c, on sale..... **42c**

69c—Ladies' Muslin Skirts, tucked and lace trimmed, formerly sold for 90c—on sale..... **69c**

89c—Ladies' Nainsook and Long Cloth Gowns, low neck, nicely trimmed, just the garment for hot weather, regular price \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale..... **89c**

98c—Ladies' Gowns (slightly soiled) worth up to \$1.75, nicely trimmed with insertion and embroidery, on sale..... **98c**

Sale on Corsets

15c—Summer net corsets, every pair guaranteed, all sizes, former price, 25c, on sale **15c**

35c—Summer Batiste corsets, light weight, straight front, lace trimmed, white only, all sizes, 18 to 30, sold for 50 cents, on sale **35c**

25c—Ladies' corset, straight front, lace trimmed, drab and white, sizes 18 to 25c, formerly sold for 50c, on sale **25c**

50c—Her Ladyship corset, which we formerly sold for \$1.00, black, white and drab, guaranteed not to break over the hips, on sale **50c**

Children's Cap Sale

18c—Children's Muslin Caps, eight different styles, sold from 25c to 35c—on sale, in one lot, on sale **18c**

30c—Children's Embroidered Caps, formerly sold for 45c—on sale..... **30c**

35c—A big line of children's Caps, embroidered and tucks, nicely made, former price 50c to 60c—on sale, in one lot **35c**

45c—Children's fine French Tucked and Embroidered Caps—sold for 60c and 50c—on sale for **45c**

15c—Children's Straw Hats, white and colored Duck Hats, Corded Washable Hats and Mull Hats, formerly sold for 25c, 35c and 50c, all in one lot, for this sale..... **15c**

WHITE LAW & GARDNER COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

HAS A VARIED EXPERIENCE

Dr. Donald Macrea Passes a Stronous Night, but Lands All Right.

LIGHTNING STUNS HIS COMPANION

Winds Up by Playing Heckman and Driving Himself and Belated Passengers Home Through the Rain.

Dr. Don Macrea, jr., of this city had an exciting time of it during the storm Thursday night and yesterday was thanking his stars that he reached home safe and sound. He had been called to Malvern to assist Dr. Scott of that place in attending a patient who lived about five miles east of the town. While driving back to Malvern in a buggy the storm broke. The lightning flashed and the rain poured down in a perfect deluge. About one mile from Malvern there was a terribly wild flash of lightning. Dr. Macrea's companion, Dr. Scott, was knocked insensible and the horse they were driving

was thrown to his feet. Dr. Macrea was almost stunned by the shock himself for a few seconds. With the rain pouring down, the lightning flashing incessantly, an unconscious man by his side in the buggy and the horse foundering on its knees in the dark road, Dr. Macrea had his hands full for a time.

He left the horse to regain its feet as best it could while he attended to Dr. Scott, who was nearly five minutes in coming to. The lightning had not struck him, but evidently struck the barb wire fence close alongside of the road, and the force of the shock had been such as to not only throw the horse off its feet, but to render Dr. Scott unconscious. He was still feeling the effects when they managed to reach Malvern, both wet to the skin.

Dr. Macrea took the Burlington train home to Council Bluffs, but his troubles were not ended. Owing to the storm the train was late and did not reach the city until past 1 o'clock yesterday morning, when the motor cars had ceased running for the night. There happened to be a back at the depot, which Dr. Macrea and three other rain-soaked passengers at once commandeered. The driver, Ed Deeds, was found inside the back, fast asleep, and all efforts to awaken him proved unavailing. Officer McKinley happened along and undertook to arouse the sleeping Jehu and succeeded. Deeds, rudely awakened from his slumbers, resented thus being aroused and landed his right fist square in the face of the officer and followed this up by clinching. The officer tried to explain matters, but Deeds, who was evidently suffering from nightmare, continued to fight until the officer had to lay him out. McKinley then escorted Deeds to the city jail and charged him with being intoxicated.

Dr. Macrea, being provided with a raincoat, while the three other belated passengers were not, offered to act the part of the Jehu and, mounting the box, drove the other three to their respective homes, but omitted to collect any fare, then drove himself home and telephoned to the owner of the back to send a man and get it.

MORE CANDIDATES DEVELOP

Prospects Democrats Will Have Good Field to Choose From.

Many of the Council Bluffs delegates to the democratic county convention went to Neola last evening as to be early on the ground and work in the interests of the local candidates. Louis Zurnmehlen, jr., who wants the nomination for clerk of the district court, was among those who went to Neola last evening. A large delegation from here, it is said, will go this morning on the 7:30 train on the Rock Island. As the convention will be called to order at 10 o'clock, it is believed that its work will be completed in time to permit the delegates to return on the afternoon train.

Several new candidates appeared in the field yesterday. J. M. Kelley, cashier of the State bank at Macedonia, is said to be an aspirant for the nomination for recorder of the district court. C. R. Reels of Reels is said to want the nomination for recorder and A. A. Lonecker of Oakland is after one of the nominations for member of the Board of Supervisors. John Gordon of Hancock and Tim Ryan of Rockford are also mentioned in connection with the supervisor nominations. There is some talk of Henry Atkins being named for county chairman, to succeed Brooks Reed.

Plumbing and heating, Sixty & Sen.

Puck's Domestic soap is best for laundry.

Rates for Reunion.

Secretary Knox of the Iowa Society Army of the Philippines, received notice yesterday that the railroad would grant a rate of one and a third fare for the round trip for the reunion of the national society in this city in August. It is understood that this rate is to apply to all points. The local committee had hoped for a better rate than this and will take the matter up again with the railroad.

Davis sells paint.

Puck's Domestic soap is best.

Switchman Has Peculiar Accident.

A. E. Marble, a switchman in the employ of the Milwaukee railroad, met with a peculiar and painful accident at an early hour yesterday morning. While switching cars

alleged that at Hall's camp he offered to sell the horse and buggy, but failed to find a purchaser. When he returned the night before he had no funds with which to pay for his hire. Whether Kelley sold the whisky he disposed of at the different camps is not known, but the attention of the local authorities will be called to the case.

Keep clean. Use Puck's Mecoatic soap.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250.

Section Hand Loses an Eye.

Chris Carlson, a section hand in the employ of the Milwaukee railroad, living at 1808 South Sixth street, met with a serious accident yesterday afternoon, resulting in the loss of his right eye. He was driving spikes, when the end of one broke off, flew up and struck him in the face about an inch below the right eye. The piece of metal ploughed its way through the cheek, cutting the eyeball to pieces and destroying the sight. Carlson was taken to the Woman's Christian Association hospital at 1150 F street, where he is being treated by the company's surgeon, Dr. Macrea, where the eye was removed in the hope of saving the other.

Passes Fine Around.

The neighborhood quarrel between the families of Charles and Edward Burke, colored, and William Holder, white, was fully aired in police court yesterday morning and the judge decided that not only were both sides equally to blame, but that the witnesses introduced by the Holder faction were also partly responsible for the trouble and sentenced them one and all to five days on bread and water and in the same breath suspended all sentences during good behavior.

Gives Knepper a Judgment.

Justice Bryant yesterday decided that the city of Council Bluffs was legally indebted to William H. Knepper in the sum of \$150 for repairs to the bridge over Indian creek on North Tenth street, less the cost of the lumber supplied by the city, which amounted to \$4.35, and ordered judgment in favor of Knepper against the city in the sum of \$145. It was said yesterday that the city would appeal the case.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.

Stockell sells carpets and rugs.

Leffer, eyesight specialist, 228 Broadway.

Dr. Stockdale, First Nat. Bank building.

Picture framing, C. E. Alexander & Co., 333 B'way, Tel. 506.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jensen are visiting friends in Milwaukee.

Miss Ella Williams has gone to Syracuse, N. Y., to visit relatives.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Newton Martin, 39 Williams street, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Brandt Crocker, 129 Avenue B, yesterday, a son.

Take home a brick of Metzger's ice cream. Vanilla. 5c; Neopolitan, 3c.

Officers will be met this evening at the meeting of White Rose Rebekah lodge.

The case against Allington & Hansen, proprietors of the 8 1/2 bath, charged with violating the city ordinance regulating the repair of frame building within the fire

ROADS MAKE SPECIAL PLEA

Each Company Argues There Are Special Reasons for Low Assessment.

GOVERNOR ASKS SOME MORE QUESTIONS

Unable to See Why Percentage of Expense to Earnings is More in Iowa Than in Other States.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, July 18.—(Special.)—The hearings of the executive council of Iowa on the railroad assessment question related today more to the special interests of each company as compared with other companies. The roll was called of the companies and their representatives were given a chance to speak. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul was represented by Judge Carr and Mr. Dudley and the Northwestern by Fred Crandon and Judge Stevens. There was a presentation of the views of the two companies as to the peculiarities of their companies which should be considered. In the course of the discussion Governor Cummins sought to find out why, for instance, the cost of doing business on the Northwestern per mile is greater in Iowa, or so reported, than in any other of the states, and why the receipts are less than on the system as a whole. He also asked inquiries as to the method of the accountants in making a division of expenses as between the states. The railroad representatives could not state what proportion of the expenses charged to Iowa in their reports are actual expenses and what portion is merely an estimate based on mileage or gross earnings. Estimates of the proportion varied greatly. Mr. Crandon repudiated in its entirety the theory that value might be obtained by considering gross earnings. In regard to the Northwestern he insisted that its transcontinental business had much to do with the relatively small net earnings and for the Milwaukee, Judge Carr also insisted the same was true with that company. The discussion of the day re-

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Owing to circumstances entirely beyond our control, and upon the solicitation of our friends and patrons, we have concluded to continue in the Jewelry Business in our present location at No. 428 Broadway. Our recent clearing sale was a great success, and we will immediately place in stock a new and up-to-date goods. We will also state that in addition to the complete new stock we intend to make some interesting prices. The store will be thoroughly remodeled and an optical room and jewelry manufacturing department added.

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