

SHAREHOLDERS WANT LIGHT

Demand Explanation of Status of Nebraska Home Builders Company.

MEETING CALLED FOR FRIDAY EVENING

Former President, Judge Baxter, Secretary, Harry Nott, and Receiver Are Invited to Explain Where Money Went.

What has become of the Nebraska Home Builders' company?

That is a question which about 300 shareholders of this concern are asking themselves and preparing to submit to former officials of the company. In order to get at the matter in some tangible form the shareholders have invited a general meeting of the former officials, themselves and the receiver of the company, the meeting to be held Friday night at 8 o'clock in the office of Elmer E. Thomas, 811 New York Life building. A call for this meeting is signed by A. D. Fetterman, N. P. Plant, E. L. Potter, W. R. Watson and others, all interested shareholders.

Projectors from Kansas City.

The concern was projected and for awhile promoted by Kansas City parties, who were succeeded in its management by Irving F. Baxter, judge of the district court, as president, and Harry Nott, then in the county court office, as secretary. The shareholders relied upon the advice and judgment of their president for the reliability of the project.

The concern established regular offices and for about five months all the shareholders seemed to keep in tolerably close touch with movements, but after that time, according to a shareholder who signed the call for this meeting, conditions changed. Judge Baxter and Nott resigned their official positions, since which time nothing has been known, definitely, by the shareholders. The offices were finally closed and letters sent to the various parties interested that the company had become involved in litigation and hoped for a favorable decision from the supreme court upon the receipt of which the company would resume operation.

The shareholders rested upon this advice, vague as they considered it, for a while, but finally the disposition of the matter manifested itself stronger than ever and it was determined that something must be done. The supreme court decision was never received, so far as the members knew.

Receiver is Appointed.

Edmon Rich of the law firm of Rich & Clapp, being a shareholder, at length had a receiver appointed for the Nebraska Home Building company in the person, it is understood, of his partner, Charles E. Clapp. Mr. Clapp is therefore invited with Judge Baxter and Mr. Nott to meet the shareholders Friday night and explain the status of affairs.

"They may be all right," said a shareholder, "if we want to be assured of it and if not, then we want to know that and be in a position to resort to whatever recourse is necessary to protect ourselves."

These 300 shareholders own about 700 shares on which \$7,000 has been paid in and about half returned. Now, what they wish to know is, what has become of the other half?

At the time this concern was organized the old building and loan association resisted it and charged that it was a lottery. They organized to fight the new company in the courts, but so far as anybody is aware the onslaughts of these old companies was not the force which crushed their alleged illegitimate competitor.

EIGHTY-FOUR IN POLICE COURT

Greater Portion of Prisoners Are of the Class Against Which Campaign is Directed.

Eighty-four persons were arraigned in police court yesterday and the greater part of these were colored men and women. While a large number of these were discharged—thirty—the city is still benefited to the extent of \$12,500. It is the avowed intention of Chief Donahue to rid the city of the women who have been guilty of the numerous thefts in the Third ward and also of their male companions, who are usually the recipients of the proceeds of these crimes. It has been comparatively easy to deal with the women, but the men have so far escaped and, while frequently arrested, have usually been released without sufficient proof of gambling and other misdemeanors to convict. Chief Donahue said yesterday that these men and women would continually be arrested until they left the city, or until the men were able to show satisfactory evidence that they were working at some legitimate employment.

Of the colored women arrested the following were fined \$5 and costs: Eva Tyler, Leola Smith, Florence Owens, Joe Rogers, Luella Peterson, Nellie Miles, Emma Jackson, Louise Cohen, Daisy Scott, Daisy Shannon, May Woodford, Mamie Riley, Lula Singletree, Mary E. Brown, Myrtle Pope, Frankie Wells, Lillie Fisher and Mary Bell. The men arrested for conducting gambling houses, for gambling and as vagrants were all discharged.

Al Loyde was given twenty days for the theft of a brass lubricator from a telephone building. Floyd Van Winkle drew a similar period for vagrancy; Frank Brooks, \$50 fine on charge of petit larceny; Jacob Wald, thirty days for being drunk and disorderly; William Schneider, \$4 and costs for assault and battery; John Kraft and John Budney disturbed the peace to the extent of \$4 and costs, and J. W. Kelly and Joe Murphy put up \$5 and the expense of prosecution each for a friendly fight Tuesday.

Raddison on the Chippewa.

A new town in Sawyer county, Wisconsin, on the Omaha road, located on both the Chippewa and Coudrey rivers, in the center of a most fertile and promising hardwood district. Good muscullonge bass and pike fishing in both rivers. Exceptional opportunity for land seekers. If looking for a new location don't fail to see this new country. For map and full particulars write to Postmaster, Raddison, Sawyer County, Wis., or to T. W. Treadwell, General Passenger Agent, C. St. P. & O. Ry., St. Paul.

Dr. P. W. Slabough, dentist, 215 N. Y. Life.

John Hudney, 2709 Hancock street, and John Kraft, 2723 Hancock street, were arrested by Officer Indis Tuesday night in making the street the officers were ordered to use his club on Hudney, who had a battered head when he was taken to the station. It is alleged by the police that the two men arrested, together with others, have been plotting to kidnap the mayor and give him a pounding, and it is said that last night was chosen as the time to put the plan into execution. But if such a scheme existed it proved a dismal failure.

BRANDEIS BOSTON STORE & SONS Thursday's Bargain Events

Ladies' 75c Undermuslins 29c. All the ladies' fine muslin and cambric drawers and corset covers, handsomely trimmed with very fine embroideries and laces, clusters of tucks, all sizes. This is the greatest muslin underwear opportunity of the year. Many worth 75c, at each 29c.

25c Handkerchiefs at 7c. Ladies' and men's all pure linen handkerchiefs, all widths of hemstitching, also ladies' embroidered handkerchiefs. All on bargain counter, worth up to 25c, at 7c.

All the ladies' summer underwear, embroidered and lace turn over collars, mercerized stock collars, up to 50c, go at 25c and 10c. All the odd lots of ladies' wrappers made of fancy percales, worth up to \$1.00, go at 39c.

\$1 Summer Wash Goods at 7c. Tomorrow we will place on sale our entire stock of summer wash goods. These goods were formerly carried in our dress goods department on main floor; they ranged in price at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 a yard; they consist of silk embroidered crash suitings, fine mercerized oxfords in white and all colors, imported piques in white and fancy printings, lace groundlines, in fact, all the 1903 high grade summer wash goods novelties; all go as long as they last on one big bargain square, at a yard 10c.

25c Wash Goods at 5c a Yard. One big table of 15c and 25c embroidered Swiss novelties, in long mill lengths, go tomorrow, as long as they last, at a yard 5c.

SWELL SUMMER FELT HATS. The fashionable ladies' hat for late summer and early fall, trimmed and untrimmed, in all the smart light shades—at great bargains for Thursday.

Ladies' \$4 Walking Skirts at \$1.98. Swell walking skirts in correct weight for early fall wear. They are made of meltons and basket weaves, novelty plaids, also all over pleats—worth \$3.00 and 1.98 \$4.00 each—Thursday special at 1.98.

ADVANCE NOTICE. We announce for special Saturday's sale extraordinary purchase of twelve cases of CUT CLASS together with a fine collection of HAND PAINTED CHINA. We bought these wonderfully cheap and will place them on sale Saturday, August 22, at the greatest bargain figures ever heard of for high grade cut glass and hand painted china. We solicit your attendance at this great Saturday's sale.

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WANTS NASH TO EXPLAIN. Real Estate Exchange Desires Information on Proposed Ten-Year Lighting Contract. President Nash of the Omaha Electric Light and Power company will be invited to attend the regular meeting of the Omaha Real Estate exchange next Wednesday and explain to the exchange the ten-year street lighting proposition which he has announced will be submitted to the city. The motion to invite him, made by W. H. Green and seconded by E. A. Benson, was not adopted without a lengthy discussion. It was opposed on the ground that Mr. Nash should not be asked to do any explaining until after his proposition is submitted to the city council, as he could not be expected to reveal his business before the proper time. W. G. Ure moved an amendment that the invitation be not extended until after the city has made a ten-year contract and this part of the opposition was knocked out. "Whether or not an officer of the Omaha Gas company should be invited to be present was next discussed and the motion was so amended that President Murphy or some other official of it will be invited to speak one week from next Wednesday, and officials of both companies will be invited to attend each of the meetings. G. G. Wallace was appointed a committee of one to prepare a showing of the advantages, especially to young people, offered by Omaha to prospective home owners. N. A. Kuhn, who has recently returned from a trip through Colorado, and N. P. Dodge, Jr., who has just returned from a trip to Boston, spoke on the present and prospective Omaha.

BACK GAINS LONE BALLOT

Finds One Vote He Missed in Race Against Stult, Who Contest Election. The ballots cast in the last city election in the first five precincts of the First ward were counted yesterday in the Stult Back contest. The result was a net gain of one vote for Back, with a dispute over one ballot, marked for him by an oblique line instead of a cross. The count will proceed under the direction of Judge Vinson-haler until all precinct returns are canvassed.

Goes from Bad to Worse.

Always true of constipation. It begins many maladies, but Dr. King's New Life Pills cure or no pay. Only 5c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

SPECIAL TRAIN

Via the Northwestern Line to Lake View, Iowa, and Return. Saturday, Aug. 23rd. From Omaha 7:30 a. m. back home same evening. Only \$1.50—Round Trip—\$1.50. Spend a day at beautiful Wall Lake. Fine groves, steamboats, bathing, rowing, fishing. Only \$1.50. \$1.50. City ticket offices 1401-1403 Farnam Street.

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We open accounts for \$1.00 or more and pay 4 per cent interest. Little home savings loaned free to depositors. J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS, Bankers. Checks on all banks cashed.

Toronto, Ont., and Return

The above rate via WABASH R. R. from Chicago sold August 15 to 22. All information at Wabash City Office, 1401 Farnam St., or address Harry E. Moore, G. A. P. D., Omaha, Neb.

Painters and Decorators.

Members local union No. 149 are notified that our picnic will be held at Barry Mills, Saturday, August 22. We are leaving at 9:10 and 11 o'clock a. m. Picnic private. For members and union's invited guests only. A. C. SMITH, Chairman Committee.

DIED.

M'BRIDE—Dana, aged 11 months, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will W. McBride, 113 North Twenty-sixth street. Funeral at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

HAYDEN'S SPECIAL BARGAINS THE RELIABLE STORE. Ladies' fine hosiery thread union suits—deep lace trimmed—worth \$2.00—at 50c. Ladies' fine cotton vests, low neck sleeveless, fancy trimmed—worth 1.50—at 50c. All the ladies' fine cotton and hosiery thread hose, in drop stitch and fancy black and colors—worth from 25c to \$1. on sale at 10c, 15c, 25c and 39c. All the children's fine hose, in all sizes—special value at 10c, 15c and 25c. All the men's hosiery from the Penney stock, worth up to 50c—on sale at 10c, 15c and 25c. All the men's underwear from the Penney stock worth up to \$1.00—on sale at 25c and 35c. Men's \$1.00 colored laundered shirts, with separate cuffs—worth 50c—at 50c.

HAYDEN'S Big Linen and Domestic Dept THE RELIABLE STORE. The prices we are making are the lowest: 9c SHEETS, 4c. Linen finish sheets, size 61x90—45c. 15c PILLOW SLIPS, 15c. Linen finish pillow slips, size 12x16—12c. 15c ENGLISH LONG CLOTH, 10c. Soft finish English long cloth, yard wide, 10c quality—10c. 15c BLEACHED MUSLIN, 10c. Extra heavy water worn bleached muslin, yard wide, serviceable and strong, 10c quality, at yard 7c. 15c HUCK TOWELS, 10c. Full bleached huckaback towels—19x40 size, 15c quality, at 10c. 15c TOWELS, 5c. Honeycomb towels, size 18x26, the 5c quality, at 5c. 15c LINEN CRASH, 9c. Extra heavy all linen Barnsley's crash, 19x26 quality, at yard 9c. 10c WHITE GOODS, 4c. One big table check and stripe nainsook, Leno stripes, etc.—10c value, at yard 4c.

HAYDEN'S Thursday in Omaha's Greatest Domestic Room THE RELIABLE STORE. 35c GOODS AT 15c YARD. Extra heavy awnings, in all the best shades, the heaviest and finest imported cotton goods made for winter wrappers, and sold everywhere at 35c—15c. 25c NEW FALL GOODS, 15c. The new fall goods—light and dark colors for new fall waists—made to sell at 25c, our price 15c. NEW FALL GOODS, 10c. Arnold's celebrated ECLIPSE FLANNEL—sold the world over for 15c, our price is only 10c, in dark and light colors, none genuine unless the ticket is marked "Arnold's Eclipse Flannel"—10c. 25c GOODS FOR 10c A YARD. The new mercerized French flannels, in dots and stripes, all dark colors, mercerized on one side and fleece lined on the other—a grand combination for fall and winter wrappers and waists, made to sell for 25c—also another line of fancy colored A SILK—on one side, a fine silky, mercerized finish and a heavy napp on the inside—also made to sell for 25c—all will go at yard 10c.

EXTRA SPECIALS. 15c Royal plaid, all dark colors, 5c. Extra heavy German blue calico, 25-in. wide, 85c. No dealers or peddlers sold at these prices.

Ribbon Sale Thursday. No. 5 and No. 7 satin and gros grain ribbons, at yard 35c. A big job of ribbon remnants, at each 40c. A big job of ribbon remnants, at each 50c. 25c fine ribbons, at yard 15c. 50c black satin ribbons, at yard 25c. 50c fine taffeta ribbons, at yard 30c.

HAYDEN BROS. 203 S 15th St Frank Wilcox Manager. \$2.50 and \$3.50. Our Monogram \$2 1/2. Our Sorosis \$3 1/2. There is a style about them obtained in no other shoe—and there's the fitting of them to your foot—much depends upon that—shape and comfort depend upon it. Sorosis \$3.50 always.

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The Best Shirt on Earth for the price. WORTH \$1.50—ON SALE 75c. The manufacturer was hard to convince that he should accept the price he did, and people who know good shirts positively claim they are worth \$1.50. Thursday you may select from the choicest collection of negligee shirts we have yet offered, at the price we have made famous this season—Seventy-Five Cents. The materials are the best used in shirt making, at the regular prices. The patterns are exactly those that tasteful men most admire. The variety is practically unlimited. Think of the best shirts you have ever seen at \$1.25 and \$1.50, and you'll not be disappointed in these at 75c.

Nebraska Clothing Co. CLOTHES FOR MEN AND WOMEN. Showing of New Ready-to-Wear Dresses Second Floor. Mixed gray and black Zibeline Suit—walking length—long skirt—jacket strapped with rows of taffeta—pretty cape effect—cheap at \$18.00—on Thursday only 10.90. Pretty Venetian Cloth Suit—jacket trimmed and shaped with taffeta—long coat effect—in navy blue—cheap at \$12.00—special—only 12.50. A very nobby Black Cheviot Suit—with double cape—jacket prettily trimmed and lined with a good quality of satin—very cheap at \$25.00—on Thursday only 15.00. A very swell Covert Suit—in pretty color and tan shades—jacket 27 inches long—lined with Skinner's white satin—turned cuffs and velvet collar—jaunty belt—looks like a \$50 suit—special sale 25.00. 300 pieces plain and fancy Ribbons—"all silk"—neck and sash widths—sold at light as sixty cents a yard—on special sale Thursday at 25c garment—on sale Thursday at 14c. 50 dozen boys' ribbed Cotton Undershirts and Drawers—all sizes—high neck with long or short sleeves and knee or ankle drawers—worth up to 25c garment—on sale Thursday at 23c. 100 ladies' short and long Undershirts—of cambric and fine muslin—with tucked ruffles, hemstitched ruffles, tucked ruffles with embroidery and lace trimmings—these are highly sought and formerly sold as high as \$1.50—we clean them up on Thursday at 79c.

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Groceries Grockery Department. High grade goods sold in our Grocery Department at low, popular prices. Investigate and save money. Lea & Perrin's Worcester Sauce—25c. 1/2 pint bottle. Cross & Blackwell Chew Chow—22c. 1/2 pint bottle. Lazenby's Pickled Walnuts—35c. pint. Bennett's Capital Preserves—22c. one pound jar. Cross & Blackwell's Malt Vinegar—quart bottle 22c. Bengal Chutney—35c. bottle. French Mushrooms—22c. can. Duke's Salad Dressing—25c. 1/2 pint bottle. Bayley's Tobacco Pepper Sauce—32c. tumbler. Bennett's Capital Jelly—22c. tumbler. Russian Caviar—30c. 1/4 pound can. Bishop's Preserved Fig—15c. can. Tropical Chops Ginger—12c. can. Bennett's Capital Marmalade—20c. one pound jar. J. Pouyat's White China Lemonade Jugs—especially for decorating—98c each. Beautifully decorated Royal Austrian China one hundred-piece Dinner Sets 14.98. Sugars and Creamers—nice German china—rose decorations—all new goods—to introduce them—15c per pair. Large plain white Water Pitchers—capacity 2 quarts—each 19c. Heavy Hotel Vegetable Dishes—doz. 60c. Another large shipment of White China or decorating just received.

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