

## THIRD CONTEST WELL OPENED

Ten More Trips to St. Louis Exposition to Go This Week

WILLIE KAVANAUGH OF DAVID CITY LEADS

Making Banner First Day Record Since Contests Began—Good Opening Scores All Around.

While the number of contestants is yet few the scores are exceptionally good for a first-day record, so The Bee's third contest for ten trips to the St. Louis exposition may be said to be launched with better prospects of developing a lively contest than any preceding. Mr. Willie Kavanagh of David City began with a score of over 4,300, making the banner first-day record of all since the contests first began. It looks now as if it were to be more of an open combat than the two contests just closed.

The score at 3 p. m., Monday, May 16, was:

Willie Kavanagh, David City.....3,704  
Sadie Walker, South Omaha.....487  
W. S. Derbyshire, South Omaha.....592  
William Ross, Omaha.....1,200  
Jack B. Dunn, Omaha.....35

## FANNING WATTLES' AMBITIONS

Fontanelle Patriots Already See Him Riding a Barrel into the Senate as Millard's Successor.

Fontanelle club gossip since the primary last week has centered around a new political star in the prospects and aspirations of Gordon W. Wattles, the drift of the talk being that Wattles is exactly the find the "anti-booster" have been looking for. What the anti-booster wanted most has been a barrel to tap, and Mr. Wattles' lavish generosity in his sport for the national convention has satisfied them that he is just their man. How to keep his ambitions fanned into flame and hold the door of the bank open for the cashing of drafts are questions that are already engaging the Fontanelle club patriots.

"Wouldn't Wattles be a crackjack as a senator in Millard's place?" suggested one of them over the lunch table.

"He can be senator, or anything else he wants, if he only stays with us," was the rejoinder.

That explains also why Mr. Wattles was put on the committee to arrange for transportation for the delegates to Lincoln. A special train is a fine thing, only the freight rates are usually heavy, but the committee is expected to attend to that.

## STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION.

Have at Last Fallen Victims to Mighty Science.

Thousands have given up in despair after having doctored for years.

To those we make the following offer: Cut out this advertisement and send it to us, together with your name, address and particulars of your case. On receipt of your letter, we will send you an order on our druggist for a full size bottle of Milks' Emulsion, free.

Remember this is not the usual small sample bottle given out by medicine companies free, but our regular full size 50-cent bottle.

After taking the first bottle, you will then be able to judge for yourself of the merits of Milks' Emulsion. We will then give you a written guarantee, backed by your druggist, that Milks' Emulsion will cure you of stomach trouble or constipation. Can you ask for more, knowing that you can have your money back for the asking if Milks' Emulsion fails to cure you.

If you have never tried this wonderful remedy, cut out this ad today and mail it to the Milks' Emulsion Company, Terre Haute, Indiana.

## OMAHA THIRD IN RAPID RACE

Surpassed by Only Two Cities in Per Cent of Gain in Building.

According to the Construction News Omaha ranks third among twenty-three leading cities of the country in the gain in building operations for April over the same month a year ago. Omaha's increase is 22 per cent, being exceeded only by Brooklyn, with 126 per cent and Cincinnati, with 114 per cent. Kansas City had a falling off of 8 per cent as did St. Paul. Speaking of the situation generally the News says:

The vitality which the situation shows since the season has started is remarkable in its significance. Operations have gone on in most cities at a pace far in excess of expectations of the most hopeful. In the leading cities this is no more remarkable than in the small cities, from which it is impossible to obtain reliable statistics. It is believed that the activity will not only continue, but in all likelihood will increase in volume from now on.

Permits have been issued to George C. Mann for a \$1,000 frame dwelling at 1615 Elm street and to John Wachter for an 800 frame dwelling at 2714 South Twelfth street.

## FORMER WIFE CLAIMS DOWER

Woman Asks Court to Award Her Part of First Husband's Estate.

Mrs. Nellie J. Mallory has filed a petition in the probate court asking that the will of her husband by her first marriage be set aside and that she be allowed the sum of \$1,000 from the proceeds of the estate. The facts, as recited in the petition, show that the petitioner was married to Joseph C. Ernst more than twenty years ago. She claims that upon the birth of a son about a year after the marriage her husband ordered her to give the child away or to dispose of it, and that upon her refusal to do so he left her and has never lived with her since or contributed to her support or that of the child. The petitioner

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## Embroidery Sale

THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF EXTRA WIDE EM-25c  
BROIDERIES & FLOUNCINGS, worth 75c, yd

Beautiful embroideries in finest Swiss and cambric—widths up to 20 inches, specially adapted for corset covers, children's dresses, etc.—scores of handsome new designs—actually worth up to 75c yard, at, yard

50c Pillow Covers at 25c Finished pillow tops and backs—with new hemstitched borders—all colors and hundreds of new designs—just the thing for summer porch and hammock pillows, at

## Extraordinary Silk Sale

75c and \$1 A brand new shipment comprising 10,900 yards of the most fashionable silks—pongees, messaline, foulards, for shirt waist costumes, etc.—also five lots of 45-inch voile chiffon cloth—worth 75c and \$1 yard, at

## Special Sale of Bonnet Black Taffetas

\$1.00 Quality Dress Taffetas 59c  
—at, a yard  
\$1.25 Dress Taffetas— 75c  
—at, a yard  
\$2 Quality, full yard wide, Taffeta, at, yard 1.29  
Special Weave Guaranteed Taffetas, yard 93c

## Dress Goods, Worth up to \$1.50 at 95c

Silk crepe chiffon—voile chiffon—fine French etamine and voile—Sicilians—brilliantines, etc.—worth up to \$1.50, yard, at

## SILKOLINE AT 1 1/2 A YARD

Special in Basement Tomorrow.  
10,000 yards of silkoline in mill lengths, regular price is 12 1/2c yard—tomorrow these mill lengths go in the basement, at, per yard

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## Take No More Chances!

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TEH YEARS' REPUTATION.

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further declares that for fourteen years she took in washings and did other manual labor to support herself and the boy, and that during this time her husband procured a divorce without her knowledge and by fraud and misrepresentation. Some years after she learned of this action on his part, the petition states, Mrs. Ernst married again, being "worn out and in ill health from overwork."

**TALKS TRADE TO LOCAL ANTIS**  
Samuel Binkner Seeks Support for C. B. Dempster as Delegate-at-Large to Convention.

Samuel Binkner of Beatrice, one of the Gage county republican leaders, was in the city conferring with the anti delegation to the state convention in the interest of C. B. Dempster, who was unable to secure endorsement in Gage county for district delegate to the national convention and now wants to delegate-at-large. It is hoped by the Binkner-Dempster men that some kind of a trade can be fixed up with the Douglas county anti that will help give Dempster a footing at Lincoln Wednesday.

**Victor Swanson Killed.**  
Victor Swanson of Beatrice, the 16-year-old boy who was accidentally killed last Thursday evening by his brother, Conrad, was buried Sunday afternoon. The interment was at Mount Hope cemetery. Rev. Mr. Swanson of the Swedish Lutheran church conducted the service at the home. The funeral was an exceptionally sad one, owing to the circumstances of the younger brother's death. It is said by those who have known the boy for years that they were thoroughly devoted to each other. They were always together and their inclinations seemed to blend with unusual harmony.

**Mortality Statistics.**  
The following births and deaths have been reported to the Board of Health during the forty-eight hours ending at noon Monday:  
Births—Henry N. Stoltenberg, 3234 South Twelfth avenue, girl; V. W. B. Buehling, 2117 Webster, girl; Allen Houck, 1223 North Twenty-second, boy.  
Deaths—Ella Johns Weigel, 423 North Twelfth, 31; Iver Shrenk, died in St. Joseph's hospital, Vail, Ia., 42; Cyr. Howard, 1807 Center, Dr. Victor Swanson, Beatrice, 16; John H. Bell, 294 Vinton, 48; Lawrence John Dillont, 305 Ohio, 3; Rebecca Roberts, 301 Ninney, 66.

# BENNETT'S

Because of the Rain....

Good for the soil, but bad for business—our "Tally-Ho" of bargains advertised in the Sunday edition of this newspaper will be continued in all departments Tuesday—no exceptions are made as long as the goods hold out. The 'way down prices will hold good, and wherever there are Green Trading Stamp Sensations these will hold good also Tuesday.

If the roads are too soggy, use the 'phone. You are no further from these rousing money saving opportunities than you are from the receiver.

Our wagon deliveries cover the entire city and include Council Bluffs, South Omaha, Walnut Hill, Orchard Hill, Clifton Hill and Benson.

Mail order buyers can have the advantages of the Sunday advertised sales—while the goods hold out—up to Thursday noon.

**New York World**  
Cut out the coupon and get \$1.00 worth of Little Green Stickers for it. Stationery Dept., 5c

**Wall Paper**  
The latest artistic ideas in Wall Paper. Tuesday is Remnant Sale Day. Bargains galore.  
Third Floor.

**British Woolen Mills Co.,**  
BIG TAILORS.  
1408 DOUGLAS.

**READS LIKE A FAIRY TALE**  
Crossing the Rockies on a 43 foot grade, light, easy curves, 80 pound steel rails, a perfectly ballasted roadbed, gigantic embankments of disintegrated granite, through tunnels bored in solid granite, over stone and steel bridges, is now an accomplished fact.  
A FASCINATING PANORAMA OF MARVELOUS ENGINEERING  
Be sure your ticket reads over the  
**UNION PACIFIC**  
SHORTEST LINE FASTEST TIME SMOOTHEST TRACK  
INQUIRE AT  
City Ticket Office, 1324 Farnam St.  
Phone 316.

## MAYOR BREAKS UP BAD HOUSE

Swears to Complaint and Causes Arrest of Keeper and Two Inmates of Place.

On complaint of Mayor Moores that a disorderly house was being maintained at 1817 St. Mary's avenue, Miss E. Morris, Anna Watson and E. J. Wilkins were arrested, the first mentioned on a charge of keeping the place and the other two as inmates. They were all released on bonds, which they forfeited by nonappearance in police court for trial.

## Grocery!

The biggest, freshest, cleanest and complete grocery between Chicago and Denver—that's a fact, too!

Largest varieties, freshest goods, newest food products. Because of our persistent advertising of groceries the SCORE CARD is in our hands. Competitors take their cue from Bennett's.

## Tuesday Special

Roaring Green Trading Stamp Sensation for Tuesday Only!

Mail orders from out of town will be allowed "in" on this sensation, but these must be received not later than Thursday.

Eight dollars worth of Green Trading Stamps with this given purchase of \$1.00 first-class new Canned Goods—tip-top values at the price quoted opposite them—values that are not duplicated by any competitors in Omaha—and yet there's \$3.00 of Little Green Stickers with this little purchase of \$1.00.

13-lb can solid packed tomatoes...10c  
12-lb can Early June Peas...10c  
12-lb can Fancy Corn...10c  
12-lb can Sliced Peas...10c  
12-lb can Fine Raspberries...10c  
12-lb can Fine quality Pineapple...10c  
12-lb can Peaches in syrup...10c  
12-lb can Potted Ham...10c

**Eggs! Eggs!**  
New laid eggs—strictly fresh eggs—  
17c 17c  
And 50c worth of Green Trading Stamps thrown in. No limit—no deliveries.

# HAYDEN'S

Don't Fail to Attend Our Silk Sale

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Handsome trimmed with embroidery and lace, and made of the finest quality of long cloth and raincoat—all sample garments, no two alike—  
worth \$1.50 to \$3.00—your choice Tuesday 98c

500 DOZEN, 25c to 50c. Men's fancy life thread hose, all the newest patterns—  
Tuesday, choice, pair 10c

500 DOZEN, \$1.00. Quality men's fine shirts, new designs—a great jump—at 49c

One lot ladies' and children's black and fancy colored hose—  
\$1.00 LADIES' UMBRELLAS, 80c.

Extra quality Gloria silk umbrellas, large variety of handsome handles—worth \$1.00—at 98c

## Great Silk Sale

14,000 YARDS FINE SILKS, purchased from the LIBERTY SILK CO., of N. Y., purchased at a great bargain, enables us to offer you the best values in strictly high grade silks, ever offered in the city.

FOR LADIES' PRINTED TAFETAS, PERSIANS, Fancy silks of all descriptions, worth \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 on sale 39c

SILKS FOR SUITS—the popular styles so much in favor this season—most fashionable shades, at 59c

DOUBLE WIDTH BLACK GRENADINE, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00 and \$2.00 values—at 75c

FANCY SILKS FOR WAISTS AND SUITS—worth up to \$2.00—at 75c

**Fine Black Silks from the Liberty Silk Co.**

27-in. wide BLACK TAF- 59c  
FETA, at 85c  
\$1.50 yard wide BLACK TAF- 85c  
FETA, at

27-in. wide BLACK PEAU 75c  
DE SOIE, at 1.15  
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## Thread Sale

Full 200 yards sewing thread, black or white, Nos. 3 to 40, 1c  
Belding Bros' sewing silk, on 20 5c  
100 yard spools, 100 yards for 5c  
Brooks' silky crochet cotton, 2 for 5c

## Wool Dress Goods

Be Sure and Attend Our Famous Wool Dress Goods Sale

From 9 A. M. to 12 M.

We will sell 75c henriettes, 64-inch mohairs, 64-inch Sicilians, \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00 voiles, 42 voiles etamines, 64-inch all wool suitings—and an entirely new line of spring dress goods that sell from 75c to \$3.00 per yard—in lengths from 2 1/2 to 7 yards, and only one pattern to a customer—at, a yard 25c

**Wool Chally Sale from 2 to 4:30 P. M.**

We will sell imported challies, in all wool and printed henriettes, in all wool, that sold at 75c and \$1.00 per yard only 10 yards to a customer—at, a yard 25c

## Sensational Bargains in Domestic and Linens.

At 75c a yard, extra wide satin finish Irish bleached table damask.

At 80c yard, heavy double satin damask, table linen.

At 80c dozen, all linen bleached napkins, 6-8 size.

At 10c each, large double warp, bleached and unbleached Turkish towels.

At \$1.00, Tuesday, 12 yard fine English long cloth.

At 50c yard, imported French percale, 36 inches wide, all colors.

At 75c yard, high dimities, lace stripe muslin and organizes.

At 50c yard, standard calicos, plain and fancy.

At 10c yard, big table sheer white goods, worth up to 25c a yard.

At 60c yard, heavy all linen Scotch table damask.

## Grocery, Hardware and Crockery

PRICES THAT SWEEP ALL COMPETITION.

DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS WITH EVERY PURCHASE IN GROCERY DEPARTMENT, TUESDAY.

4-lb. sacks high patent Minnesota flour.....12c  
Large sacks cornmeal.....12c  
Hand picked navy beans, good rice, tapioca, sago, barley and farina, lb. 25c  
3-lb. can solid packed tomatoes, 75c  
8 bars White Russian, Diamond C. Best, 'Em-All, Swift's Pride or Armour's laundry soap.....85c  
2-lb. cans Boston baked beans.....85c  
1-lb. cans Potted and Deviled ham.....35c  
Force, Victor, Vim, Malta Vita, Nutritra or Egg-O-Bee, pkg.....75c

CRACKER SPECIALS—Fancy soda, oyster, butter or milk crackers, lb.....65c  
Fancy crisp ginger snaps, lb.....40c  
2-lb. pkg. breakfast oatmeal.....60c  
TEA AND COFFEE SPECIALS—Fancy Golden Rio Coffee, lb.....125c  
Fancy Maricabo, a good coffee for family use.....15c  
Choice teas sittings, from finest teas.....125c

FRESH FRUIT SPECIALS—Large juicy seedless lemons, doz.....10c  
Large juicy sweet Highland oranges, doz.....12c  
Fancy Colorado White Clover honey, per rack.....15c  
Fancy Halloween dates, lb.....50c  
CROCKERY SPECIALS—ODDS AND ENDS IN DECORATED WARE, VALUES FROM 10c TO 50c—YOUR CHOICE THIS SALE.....30c

HARDWARE SPECIALS—12 fine axes, each.....15c  
Garden hoses, each.....15c  
Steel spades, each.....15c  
Lawn sprinklers, each.....15c  
Garden hose, per foot.....50c  
Poultry netting, per square foot.....30c  
2-burner gasoline stove.....\$2.99  
Adjustable benches, each.....20c  
WE ARE SELLING STAMPS.....20c

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## HAYDEN BROS.

World's Fair Hints

"Follow the Flag."

Purchase round trip tickets—rate from Omaha, \$18.00.

Corresponding cheap rates from all points.

Take as small amount of baggage as possible.

Avoid checking small pieces, such as telescopes, grips, etc.

Have your name and address printed plainly on your trunk.

If you have anything to check have same checked to World's Fair Station.

Reserve sleeping car space as far ahead as possible.

Secure rooms or hotel accommodations at early date.

Select the shortest and quickest route thus avoiding unnecessary delays and saving time.

Leave the train at World's Fair Station which is five miles from Union Station. This saves time, annoyance and much confusion in big crowds.

If you are traveling East or South purchase tickets through via the Wabash which allows ten days' stop at St. Louis on all tickets.

Get a Wabash World's Fair folder giving maps of Grounds, Buildings, City of St. Louis and other reliable information. For Rates, Maps, Sleeping Car Berths, call at Wabash City Ticket Office

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