

TELEPHONE 694

See, Jan. 20, 1905.

Hosiery Sale Saturday

Every pair of cashmere hose in stock for men, women and children (infants not included) will be marked at great reductions in prices for Saturday. The lines are broken, that is, we have not all sizes left—but altogether there is a good quantity to select from. Those who come early will have best choice. As we expect to close out every pair on Saturday, this hosiery cannot be returned or exchanged.

- WOMEN'S \$2.00 HOSE SATURDAY \$1.00.**
Black cashmere hose plain.
Black cashmere with rib tops.
Black ribbed cashmere.
WOMEN'S \$3.00 HOSE SATURDAY \$2.00
OR THREE PAIRS FOR \$5.00.
Plain black cashmere with natural wool feet.
Plain black cashmere with natural split sole.
Oxford cashmere, natural wool cashmere, black ribbed cashmere, cotton tops with natural wool feet; a few sizes in out size black cashmere.
- WOMEN'S \$1.25, \$1.50 AND \$2.00 HOSE SATURDAY \$1.00.**
Oxford length cashmere, sold at \$1.25; plain black cashmere, sold at \$1.00; embroidered cashmere, sold at \$1.50; plain black cashmere, sold at \$2.00.
- CHILDREN'S \$2.00 HOSE SATURDAY \$1.00.**
All our women's \$2.00 black fleeced Saturday \$2.00 or 3 pairs for \$5.00.
All of our women's \$2.00 black fleeced Saturday \$2.00 per pair.
- FLEECE LINED HOSE.**
The balance of our fleeced cotton hose at the same reductions.
All our women's \$2.00 black fleeced Saturday \$2.00 or 3 pairs for \$5.00.
All of our women's \$2.00 black fleeced Saturday \$2.00 per pair.

Saturday Any Cloth Coat in the Store \$5.00 Each

The assortment is not large, but think of the price. If we can fit you, you will get a bargain—Saturday morning. We are making room for the balance of our Vest and all Fall Waists. We have only about two dozen altogether, but we do not even carry that many over.

ALL OUR CHILDREN'S COATS AT HALF PRICE—10 year sizes we have quite an assortment.
\$10.00 coats for \$5.00; \$8.50 coats for \$4.25; \$9.00 coats for \$4.50; \$7.50 coats for \$3.75.
FUR NECK SCARFS—Natural squirrel four-inch Hand Scarf—regular price \$10.00—clearing sale price \$5.00 each.

Special Sale of Buttons

We have taken many lines of both fancy and plain buttons out of stock and Saturday will see them at just one-half price. We are making room for the new goods that are coming in. In this lot are all kinds of buttons—just what you need for the new dress. On sale at notion counter.

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enactment of such a law. I shall expect opposition from certain quarters, but believe the great majority of the legislature is friendly to this proposition. Since the introduction of my bill yesterday prominent men outside of the legislature have come to me and promised their support.

Party on Trial.
"Putting the matter down upon the somewhat lower plane of party politics, this or some similar bill should be passed. The republicans of Nebraska are on trial this year. We have absolute control. If we are to acquit ourselves as the people who placed us in power and have a right to expect we must show that we mean what we say on this paramount issue of trust."

The Junkin bill has been referred to the committee on manufacture and commerce, composed of these members: Chairman, Glenn of Red Willow, merchant; Hogrove of Richardson, merchant; Ferrar of Hall, superintendent of the Oxnard beet sugar factory; Dodge of Douglas, attorney and real estate man; Fife of Douglas, Smith of Hart, merchant; Jones of Polk, farmer (rur.).

It is believed the majority of this committee is friendly toward anti-trust legislation. In the house and senate there are fifty-seven farmers, counting live stock men as such, and many merchants. Mr. Junkin counts on support from both these classes.

The railroad lobby, which is here with its usual quota, if not as demonstrative as in some other sessions, will be joined and strengthened soon by special lobbyists for the packers, whose interests in their relation to this sort of legislation will be identical with those of the railroads, and the talk is that the combined forces will put up a hard fight to defeat the Junkin bill or any other of a similar character. Mr. Junkin and his friends, however, are looking for this sort of thing.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS OF HOUSE

Morning Session Completes All Business Ready.
(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The house held another short morning session today, adjourning at noon until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. It wound up all the available business and adopted a motion that when it adjourns Saturday at noon it be until Monday at 2 p. m.

The house adopted a report of the printing committee awarding the contract for 1,000 copies of the governor's annual message to the State Journal company, which was the lowest bidder. The price was \$125 a page. The message will contain about thirty-five pages.

H. R. 18, by Kyd of Gage, a bridge bill, was read a special order for Tuesday, when the house goes into committee on the whole. The idea of this measure as explained by Kyd is to make all contractors bid to plans drawn by the county commissioners for the construction of iron bridges. The bill was put over and made a special order largely upon the request of Dodge of Douglas who presented it was an important matter and one that he and other Douglas county as well as other members desired to thoroughly consider. Therefore, he argued, more time should be granted.

H. R. 17, by Chasber of Gage, was reported.

to make a living out of the office. The bill was passed by a vote of 15 to 10. The bill was passed by a vote of 15 to 10. The bill was passed by a vote of 15 to 10.

DOINGS OF THE LEGISLATORS
Number of bills of general importance introduced.
(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—S. F. 75, introduced by Thomas of Douglas county this morning, applying to notes and negotiable instruments, is the same bill changed two instances, as that introduced by Nelson of Douglas two years ago. It was defeated by passage at that time. The bill as it now stands has been introduced by the American Bar association and the State Bar association. It is in effect in twenty-one states and the object of it, as explained by its introducer, is to get Nebraska in line with these other states on a uniform law.

There were two strong objections to the bill prepared by Nelson two years ago which have been eliminated. The first was that it provided that attorney fees could be taxed as a preliminary step. The second objection was to section 87, which provided that it be paid at a bank it should be paid by the bank when due, providing the maker had sufficient money on deposit to pay it. This bill provided the bank had the right to do without notice to the maker of the note. The banks objected seriously to this arrangement and that was one reason the bill failed of passage two years ago. The bill codifies the law on bills and notes as determined by adjudication by all the courts in the state.

The people of Elmwood, on the Missouri Pacific railroad, want the depot at that place kept open at night and their grievance was taken up by the legislature. A petition signed by fifty or more citizens of the village, addressed to the State Board of Transportation, brought to Lincoln this morning, contains the dates and the number of passengers who had to stand out in the cold on many occasions because the depot was not open at night. Inasmuch as the State Board of Transportation has long since been defunct the matter will be presented to the legislature.

Senator Wall of Sherman county has in preparation a bill that will become a law, welcomed by many farmers of the state as well as others interested in the opening up of new roads. The proposed bill grants the right to appeal to the district court from the decision of a county board in the establishment, vacating or altering of any road or to any petitioner for an election living within five miles of the road. At present the law does not grant the right of appeal, leaving the persons affected no redress from the decision of a county board except that he may recover damages. It is understood there is quite a demand for the enactment of such a law, especially in the rough counties of the state. At present a county board, should it be so disposed, has the right to shut a farmer out from all public roads.

Senator Thomas of Douglas county introduced his voting machine bill this morning and the Douglas delegation, it is understood, will urge its passage. The bill amends the law for a voting machine commission, to be composed of the governor, the secretary of state and the state auditor, who shall have charge of the matter. These have the right to employ or appoint three deputies to have supervision of the machine.

Unless the house takes advantage of its constitutional right and introduces more appropriation bills the senate will take into consideration this morning a bill appropriating \$3,000 to construct additional fish ponds, constructing a fish car house and making general improvements on the grounds and buildings at the fisheries. The bill provides that all appropriation bills must originate in the house.

It was reported here today that a number of Seward county politicians were making a right kind of a demand for a bill in the shoes of Rev. Joseph Freese, who is at the head of the Soldiers' Home at Milford. The appointment has to be made by the Board of Public Lands and Buildings. A number of the old soldiers who have been in the army and when altered objections to placing a man at the head of such an institution and likely a merry war will yet follow before the commandant is finally named.

The committee on public lands and buildings of the house spent yesterday afternoon inspecting the state penitentiary. Many of the members of the committee were accompanied by their wives and children. Some members of the committee were of the opinion that the penitentiary and the change in the appearance of the penitentiary made during the last two years had created considerable favorable comment.

THE FRIEND MAKER
Food-Drink That Does That.
"In the 9 years Postum Food Coffee has been on the market it has made many thousands of staunch friends but apparently none better than the Clerk of Courts at Toledo, British Honduras, who has sent a list of names of people in Central America who have been cured by Postum in place of coffee, explaining in detail their cases. He says: "Have much pleasure in writing you this letter for the good Postum has done myself and friends in this District. The attached list of persons to whom I have recommended Postum will, I think, give you great satisfaction. I have given the names and addresses so anyone can verify my statement by writing to them" (full particulars with names and addresses will be sent by mail to anyone.) "On the list the persons marked from 1 to 11 were confirmed tea drinkers and when I spoke to them about drinking Postum they laughed at the idea of giving up tea. But I insisted on their giving Postum a trial before condemning it and went so far as to give some of them a package. They all use Postum now and nothing else."

"From No. 12 to 19 were coffee denials, my wife included, and they all also thought it absurd to try to replace coffee by any other drink but after some persuasion I got them to try it and now they all use Postum."

"I, 20, 21, 22 and 23 suffered from nervous prostration and sleeplessness when they drank coffee. No. 10, Mr. Lucas, had been ordered by doctors not to use tea or coffee and had been experimenting to find something to drink. Postum is now used by him and he not only orders it for himself but for sale. Some of these people did not like Postum at first because they did not know how to make it, but I invited them to my house and gave them Postum, making it according to the directions on the package, and they all found it delicious. Now, I will tell you how I came in contact with Postum. Mr. Wells, living at Toledo District, mentioned Postum and gave me a package for trial, he was so sure it would help me as I suffered from coffee drinking, some time I became content and thought I could not do without it."

"I am also Assistant Collector of Customs at the port of Punta Gorda and I know how the popularity of Postum is increasing. Names given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Wages Are Increased.
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 20.—Announcement was made today at the Schoenly plant of the Pressed Steel Car company that the wages of the employees at that department had been advanced 10 per cent. The increase is to take effect from the first day of the new year. Five hundred men are affected.

Koch Jury Disagrees.
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 20.—The jury in the case of Dr. G. H. Koch, charged with the murder of L. E. Koch, on the night of November 1, came into court today and announced a disagreement. The jury had been out since Wednesday afternoon.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.
Helsing, Blind, bleeding protruding piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAGO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 14 days. 50c.

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FAIR WOMEN EVERYWHERE HERALD PRAISES OF PE-RU-NA. Three Women of Culture Saved From Distressing Catarrhal Troubles by Aid of Pe-ru-na.

Pe-ru-na Completely Cured Catarrh of the Nose.
Mrs. Andrew Thorborn, 86 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, N. Y., Vice President West Side Social Club, writes: "I want to give credit where it is due. I was a great sufferer from catarrh of the nose and although I tried many remedies, the only one that gave me more than temporary relief was Pe-ru-na. "I was very miserable, my nostrils were obstructed, my sense of smell affected, my breath very offensive, and the dripping from the back of my nose often caused nausea. I took Pe-ru-na for four months and the disease was completely effaced. "My physician tells me that there is no doubt that I am permanently cured. I concur with him in the matter, for it is over a year since I quit taking Pe-ru-na and I have not had a single symptom of the recurrence of the disease."

Catarrh of the Eyes Cured by Pe-ru-na.
Mrs. Cora Whitney, 106 S. Division St., Buffalo, N. Y., Vice President East Side Prohibition League, writes: "Let me add my testimonial to the many thousands of grateful persons who have been cured by Pe-ru-na. "For a long time I suffered from catarrh of the eyes. My eyes were red, the lids were thick, my vision was blurred at times, and my eyes watered. They felt as though there were sand in them all the time, and the suffering greatly inconvenienced me. "Upon the recommendation of a friend who had been greatly benefited by Pe-ru-na I gave the medicine a thorough trial, with the result that I was perfectly cured and my eyes are now as strong as ever. "Dr. Hartman's widely known remedy, Pe-ru-na, is the most efficient specific for catarrh ever produced by the medical profession. There is probably not a man or woman, boy or girl in the United States who has not heard of Pe-ru-na. The great majority of them have used Pe-ru-na at some time or other. A multitude of girls have preserved their beauty through the aid of Pe-ru-na. Many a matron has lengthened the days of her comely appearance by taking Pe-ru-na. To be beautiful, the body must be kept clean internally as well as externally."

Severe Cold Yields to Pe-ru-na.
Mrs. Katherine Mann, 655 California St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "About three months ago I contracted a severe cold which went on a trial. I did not pay much attention to it until it had gone through my entire system. I coughed every few minutes and would have several severe spells of coughing at night until I was completely exhausted. "I used plasters, took Turkish baths, and tried many remedies until I staked out of it all. Pe-ru-na proved my one relief. An occasional dose taken when the coughing spell came on afforded immediate relief and within eight days I was well. "I shall not be without Pe-ru-na in my home, for I find it a valuable household remedy. Pe-ru-na produces clean mucous membranes, the basis of facial symmetry and a clear, healthy complexion. The women have not been slow to discover the fact that a course of Pe-ru-na does more toward preserving and restoring youthful beauty than all other devices known to science. While it is true that Pe-ru-na cures catarrh of a chronic nature, yet it is advisable to take Pe-ru-na as a preventive and not wait until it has fastened itself in some part of the system. Pe-ru-na acts quickly and beneficially upon all the inflamed mucous membranes lining the various organs of the body. Thus it cures catarrh wherever located."

Pe-ru-na a Natural Beautifier
No woman suffering from catarrh can be beautiful. The effect of this ravaging disease produces red, watery eyes, swollen and twisted noses, dry, cracked lips, and a host of other deformities. Dr. Hartman, has, without doubt, done more than any other physician toward popularizing a means of escape from such deformities. He has made a lifelong study of catarrh, in all its various phases and stages.

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NO CHOICE IN MISSOURI
Legislature Adjourns Until Monday After Taking One Fruitless Vote.
NIEDRINGHAUSEN LOSES ONE MORE VOTE
With Six Votes Less Than Enough to Elect Joint Session Dissolves with Democrats in the Lead.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 20.—Thomas K. Niedringhaus, republican caucus nominee for United States senator, lost another supporter at today's joint session of the legislature, which held but one ballot, after which both houses adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday forenoon. Today's ballot was the fourth cast in joint session, and was without result in determining the choice for United States senator. Representative Shaw of Dade county, who has heretofore supported Niedringhaus, today voted for R. C. Kerens. Representatives Kirkham and Hatfield, who yesterday voted for Dr. A. C. Pettibone, cast their votes today in favor of Kerens. F. M. Coker's strength, as shown yesterday, remained undiminished.

The ballot today resulted: Niedringhaus, 8; Coker, 8; Kerens, 9; Pettibone, 1. After the adjournment Mr. Niedringhaus and Mr. Kerens held a brief conference, after which Mr. Niedringhaus made the following statement: "We talked together simply as gentlemen and personally and briefly touched upon the senatorial situation. Colonel Kerens told me it had been his ambition for twenty years to go to the United States senate. I replied that I had nothing to do with his ambition. He then stated that he was not me and was one for the consideration and determination of the republican party. I feel today that I am virtually United States senator from Missouri. I was nominated by the republican caucus and the nomination was made unanimously. The action was ratified by the two branches of the general assembly in separate session and in joint session lacking but two votes. I consider that further action of the general assembly is mere formality. Asked if he had anything to say, R. C. Kerens replied: "Only this: I would like for all of Tom's friends to vote for me," and, smiling, turned away."

"We will have a sixty-day session," said Speaker Rouse today when someone asked him how long or how short the term would be. The speaker is responsible for the house conducting its business with order and dispatch and he proposes that when the session comes to the time for adjournment everything in the house shall be done, and that without the aid of the traditional sitting committee. While the house will hold its first Saturday session tomorrow, the senate adjourned today at noon until Monday at 2 p. m.

Representative Earn's bill for the creation and maintenance of a binder twine plant at the state penitentiary has been endorsed by the several agricultural and live stock associations holding meetings in Lincoln this week.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate embodies all the strengthening qualities of the choicest cocoa, together with that of high grade sugar. This combination scientifically blended gives it its delicacy of flavor and rare strengthening virtues. Always fresh in patented hermetically sealed cans.

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About 120 Children's and Girls' Coats, ages 2 to 16, warm and stylish garments, worth \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, at 2.95
About 10 Coats, for ages up to 14 years, worth up to \$10.00, at 3.95
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