

# ENTIRE NEBRASKA CITY STOCK OF DRY GOODS AND CARPETS AT HALF PRICE.

Saturday will be a day of amazing special bargains in the Nebraska City Stock. The stock was much to large to be broken by a week's selling—Many of the very greatest opportunities of the entire sale await you today. Prices always half or less than half the Nebraska City price.

**Ladies' Shirt Waists** from the Nebraska City Stock

Hundreds of stylish new wash waists bought for this season's trade—on sale at HALF PRICE and Less.

All the pretty 78c Shirt Waists in the Nebraska City stock—all new and clean, plain white and dainty figures, pleated and trimmed neatly, at..... **39c**

All the dainty \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shirt Waists from the Nebraska City stock—lace and embroidery trimmed and tailor pleated at..... **69c**

Highest class wash waists from Nebraska City stock, exquisitely trimmed with lace yokes, worth as high as two dollars and fifty cents each, at..... **95c**



**BRANDEIS "BOSTON STORE" & SONS**

## Six Special Saturday Bargains

1000 Ladies' All Leather Wrist Bags—Fitted with card case, smelling bottle and mirror in the leading colors with Vienna handles—worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, at..... **59c**

Dumbell Cuff Buttons—Park Bros. and Rogers' link and dumbell cuff buttons, every pair warranted to wear one year—worth fifty and seventy-five cents—Saturday sale..... **15c**

Ladies' Shirt Waist Jewelry—Fifty styles in mother of pearl and fancy designs—three on a card—worth twenty-five and fifty cents—at..... **10c**

All Leather Music Rolls—Solid leather or muslin rolls, twenty styles to select from, worth up to one dollar and fifty cents, at..... **39c**

Ladies' White Kid Belts—With fancy silk centers, all the latest regular price fifty cents, will go at..... **25c**

Stick Pins—5,000 stitch pins, fifty styles to select from, made to retail at twenty-five and fifty cents—choice..... **10c**

**All the Ladies' Untrimmed Hats**

Some Slightly damaged by water—from

**M. SPIESBERGER & SON, 1205-7 Harney St. OMAHA**

Thousands of the newest and most stylish untrimmed shapes ever seen in Omaha—Milans, Tuscan and Chip Straws—only a few slightly soiled by water—Sailors, Turbans, Sugar Scoops, Dress Shapes, etc.—all ready to trim. The last and greatest sale of these hats.

These shapes are positively worth as high as \$2 each—on sale in Basement at **5c-10c-25c**

**Ladies' Silk Shirt Waist Suits**

The style leaders for this summer's wear—all the newest and most favored colors—the shirred waists and sleeves—new pleats—all round blouses, reefers and longer effects—the coolest and most popular suits this summer **6.98**

Shirt Waist Suits of Beautiful Silk—All the newest style features—handsomely trimmed and shirred, also the most tailored, pleated waists and skirts, at..... **8.90**

Silk Waists at \$9.98—Scores of novel effects, many of them are samples and worth double the amount we ask—special at..... **9.98**

Ladies' Tailored Skirts

New Ideas, expressly designed for summer and outing wear, light weights, new materials, at..... **2.50**

Ladies' Linen Coats

The White Linen Garments that are so dressy and popular for summer evening and day time wear, at..... **2.98**

**Wash Shirt Waist Suits at \$1.98 @ 2.98**

Pleated waists and skirts—made of cool white and tiny figured fabrics that launder perfectly—the best summer suit for all round use and comfort—**1.98-2.98**—a score of pretty styles, at.....



**Ladies' New Oxford Ties**

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

An entire new spring stock of ladies' brown, tan and chocolate ties, Blucher oxfords, Gibson ties and Christy ties—newest summer styles.

A great showing of low shoes in all correct shades—Cuban and Military heels, at..... **1.59**

Ladies' light and dark tan shoes in welt sole, Military or Cuban heels, at..... **1.98**

These styles at \$2.50 and \$3.00 have the new extreme Spanish Cuban heels, all the new shades, at per pair..... **2.50-3.00**

**Tan Oxfords and White Canvas Shoes**

FOR CHILDREN AND MISSES.

A showing of all the popular styles for misses, little girls and boys—all shades of tan that are new this spring—the cool and comfortable white shoes for the children—very special prices.

**BRANDEIS "BOSTON STORE" & SONS**

**LATEST STYLES, New Lasts**

In Ladies' High Tan Shoes.

Including all the newest and swellest ideas—the Potay last, etc.—hand turn and welt sole—exclusive models—Including Patina and Solima kids—specialty priced..... **3.50**

**Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords**

The most beautiful style for summer and outing wear—their popularity will far exceed that of last season—the lasts are extremely light and comfortable—the styles are in \$1.59-2.25-2.50 and welt sole shoes, at.....

**Barefoot Sandals**

Infants', sizes 1 to 5, at..... **59c**

Child's', sizes 5 to 8, at..... **85c**

Misses', sizes 5 to 11 and 12 to 2..... **\$1**



**Summer MILLINERY**

Everything is fresh and new in our great millinery department—Correct summer style is shown in a hundred bewitching models at Brandeis'. We especially mention for Saturday

Ladies' Smart Street Hats at \$1.50

New sailors, jauntily trimmed with bright sashes, velvets, etc.—the ideal suit hats for all summer wear..... **1.50**

Street and Outing Hats at \$2.50—Charming new ideas, every one of them popular this season—centering entirely about the present, and tip tilted ideas..... **2.50**

Stunning Summer Models

The dressy and cool tailored Outing Hats—the flower trimmed turbans—the daisiest and most becoming ideas—a score of dashing styles at Brandeis' popular price..... **5**

**10c COTTON CHALLIES at 3 1/2c**

Cotton Challies in beautiful Persian designs, Nebraska City price 10c a yard, at a yard..... **3 1/2c**



**HOMESTEADERS TELL STORY**

Osborn and Wife Testify in Federal Court Against Krause Brothers.

**TELL OF LAND FENCING IN THE WEST**

Court Declares Man with One Cow Has Same Right as Ranger with Two Thousand Head of Cattle.

The hearing in the land fencing cases was resumed Friday morning, with Mrs. Bessie Osborn still on the witness stand in cross-examination. Asked if certain homesteads were located and fences were not taken down in 1904 instead of 1903 the witness said: "I am sure it was not in 1904, because it was in 1903."

In her re-direct examination she said: "If certain persons had moved into the Krause brothers' enclosure since 1902 and made improvements I would have known it."

Mr. Noleman wanted the answer stricken out as not being responsive, but the court overruled the motion.

Mrs. Osborn then proceeded to describe the winding roads and gateway openings across the enclosed Krause tract, also the cattle brands of the Krause brothers and number of cattle owned by them, approximately 1,500 or 2,000 head that ranged at intervals upon the winter and summer ranges within the enclosure. These cattle were not herded, but were permitted to roam at will over the ranges enclosed.

Judge Munger said: "A man with one cow has the same right to the public range as the man with 2,000 steers. The man with 2,000 steers has no more right to enclose the public lands than a man with one cow. A man may, however, enclose his own land, but not the public land."

**Saw Cattle on the Range.**

Mrs. Osborn further testified as to having frequently seen the Krause brothers driving their cattle about the range. Other cattle also was on the range, some belonging to the Jesse brothers and others. It frequently happened that strays got into the range herds. She had talked with John Krause at various times. On May 4, 1903,

he told the witness: "This government land is mine; this fence is mine and these cattle are mine." She also told of the impounding of the Whetstone cattle at one time. "The fences in question are of common barbed wire and some of them are of two and others of three strands of wire."

The matter of the contest made by her husband against the reservoir filing of John Krause adjacent to her husband's land was gone into at some length in the re-cross-examination and it was shown that the reservoir filing was a part of the original entry of her husband, but had been cancelled because of certain presumed water reserve rights. The contest had been undertaken to restore this forty-acre piece to Osborn's original entry, made in 1902, for a full 160 acres, his present holding being but eighty acres because of the segregation for alleged reservoir purposes of the other eighty acres of his original filing at the instance of the Krauses. No reservoir had been built on the tract and hence Osborn held the right to contest to complete his original filing. The contest is still pending.

**Theodore Osborn on Stand.**

Theodore Osborn was the next witness. He testified that when he entered upon the settlement of his homestead, which was inside the Krause enclosure, May 3, John Krause came to him on the morning of May 4, 1903, and said to witness: "I have filed on this land and own all this land about here and use it for range purposes. We own seventy-two sections of decided land, besides lots of leased land, and you people will have to move out. We couldn't get to our homestead without going through the Krause enclosure from any side. John Krause rode up to my place May 6, 1903, when I was plowing, and said, 'You are plowing it up, are you? This is our range and we don't want it broke up.' On July 22, 1903, John Krause, John Fisher and another party came over to our place, while my wife and I were going out to our garden, and tried to ride us down. Their horses brushed against me. John Krause wanted to know what we were doing here and charged us with trying to run his cattle off the range. I denied it and he called both me and my wife 'liars' repeatedly and said we would have to get out of this. The next time I saw John Krause he talked to him in the spring of 1904, when he told me that my fence was in the way of his cattle going to water. I told him they could go around the fence without any trouble. Then he asked me how much I made since

I had been there. About a week afterward he asked me if I was going to fill out my homestead right. I said I would if I was allowed to. He said he would make it cost me as much as he could to let me live there.

**Offer to Pay Filing Fee.**

"I next saw him in July, 1904, when he asked me to file on a section for him adjoining my land, under the Kinkaid law, and said he would pay all the expenses and me to deed the land to him when I completed the proof and that he would give me \$50 to do so to boot. I refused to do so, as it was not businesslike. I next saw him at my place on July 23, 1904. He said to me, 'I guess we will have to fight this thing out.' He then stepped up behind me and struck me in the face. I turned on him and we wrestled around a while and then I got on top, throwing him down and kicked him a time or two. He asked to be let up and promised to go down to the house and apologize to my wife and be my friend. I went down to the house with him, but before we got there he said he had stood all that he was going to and would kill me. However, he went on to the house and his wife and children, he was not as pretty then as he is now, and apologized to my wife. I have had no conversation with him since that time."

**Noleman's Motion Overruled.**

Theodore Osborn was on the witness stand but a short time Friday afternoon. The general drift of his concluding testimony was in reference to the Krauses driving their cattle upon his homestead by his corn. His cross-examination was very brief and elicited nothing of importance. Mr. Noleman made the usual motion to have Osborn's testimony stricken from the record, but the motion met with the usual fate of being overruled.

Albert Cardwell of Alliance testified that he had filed on a claim inside the Krause enclosure in December, 1902, and that the defendants wanted him to file in there so that they could have the use of his land for pasture. The witness made the filing and the defendants told him that they would pay for what improvements he made for the use of the land. The witness had three quarters of land and lived there, or his family did, from September, 1903, until April, 1904. Witness said: "I told John Krause that I didn't think I would let him have the land as I would fence it myself. Later I relinquished the land. When I made my filing under the Kinkaid law, it was John Krause who pointed out the lands to me as public lands and when I went to locate we passed through a gate and he said to me, 'here is your land.' The fence belonged to the Krauses. John Krause gave me the money with which to make my filing before I went on the lands. He also gave me the numbers. A woman whose name I do not remember filed about the same time. Her claim was close to mine. He told me there was a shanty on the land, but we did not find it at first, but did find it later. The shanty was afterwards removed from the land I filed on. After I had relinquished my claim John Krause wanted me to pay him his money back."

**Filed for Own Use.**

In his cross-examination the witness said: "I filed on the land for my own use and subscribed to that statement when I filed on it. I sold the relinquishment to John Snoddy. I do not know that the land was ever relinquished back to the government."

Mrs. Wiker of Alliance, formerly Miss May Morris, testified that she had met John Krause in Alliance in June last; saw him two days afterward at her home in Alliance and asked him why she could not file on some land for him? Some days afterward she went out to the Krause ranch, with a Miss Harding and her friend and Miss Morris' affianced husband, John Krause gave the witness \$5 to file on land for him. He gave her the money in the dining room of his house, and, continuing the witness: "I did not know about the law then or what I was doing. I was going

to see a lawyer about it, but did not as I was soon convinced that I was violating the law, and I returned the money to Mr. Krause. I did not know where the land was, but that I was to file on it, but I understand it was to be near Miss Harding's land and that she would be a near neighbor to me."

The usual motion by Mr. Noleman to have this testimony ruled out was overruled by the court.

**Land as Private Ranges.**

Another witness of the afternoon was John W. Frazier, who testified as to the Krause fence lines and that the Krause lands were held as private ranges. He also knew that public lands were inside the Krause enclosure. He testified also to the fact that the entry of Miss Clara Hargis was inside the enclosure east of his land.

Albert D. Currie testified to living in the vicinity of the Krause enclosure for fifteen years. He had a half mile of fence on part of his range that he took down at the instance of Special Agent De Pree in November, 1903. He knew of the Krause enclosure and that there was considerable public land inside of it. Leonard D. Burrows testified as to the Krause fences and as to public lands being enclosed therein.

**Obstruction to Fences.**

William A. Bissell, a United States mail carrier between Long Lake and Alliance, told of the obstructions by these Krause fences to the public highways, and that he had to pass through the gates of the Krause fences. He had a homestead adjacent to the Krause enclosure and when he filed there four years ago the Krauses told him that he had no business to file on government land there, as it was their government land.

"I asked him when did he, John Krause, go into business with Uncle Sam?"

The witness told of his early troubles with the Krauses and of their driving cattle onto his hay lands. Matters had finally been smoothed over between them and he had no further trouble. They tore down his fences a few years ago two or three times, but they had finally decided peace.

The witness was on the stand at the hour of closing at 5 o'clock and his cross-examination will take place this morning.

**Richards Case Deferred.**

The trial of the indictments against the Nebraska Land and Feeding company, of which Bartlett Richards is president, for the illegal fencing of public lands has been continued to the November term of the federal courts. This continuance was granted from the fact that the two indictments against this company have been consolidated, and the defendants claim that they cannot get ready for trial at this term of court owing to the consolidation of the indictments.

The case against Charles C. Jamison, secretary of the company, has been nolle prossed. The indictment, however, stands as to Bartlett Richards and William G. Comstock.

**Richards Gets Continuance.**

The attorney for Bartlett Richards and others of the Richards Cattle company, under indictment for illegal fencing of the public lands, applied to Judge Munger Friday morning for a continuance in their case. Judge Munger granted a continuance until the November term of court.

**Sues for Policy.**

Mary Cary is suing the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company for \$2,000, alleged to be due on a policy of life insurance granted to her by Michael M. Grady in 1901. The Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company from the Northwestern Life Insurance company. Grady died in November, 1904, but they had finally decided peace to collect the insurance money which she claims is due her. The case hinges on a question of payment of the premium.

**Building Permits.**

The city council permits to W. T. Graham for a \$1,750 frame dwelling at Twenty-fifth and Biundo and a \$1,500 frame dwelling at Twenty-third and Sprague streets, and to C. W. Pollard for a \$1,500 addition to his frame dwelling at 262 1/2 Pacific street.

**GIRL DROWNED AT MANAWA**

Small Rowboat Run Down in Lake by Electric Launch.

**ESCORT RESCUED BY MAN IN SAILBOAT**

Body Has Not Been Recovered Though Large Force is Engaged in Dragging the Lake Near Scene of Collision.

Miss Clara Winslow, who resides at 1128 North Seventeenth street, was drowned in Lake Manawa Friday evening about 9 o'clock by the upsetting of a rowboat, in which she, in company with Garret Prange of 1138 North Nineteenth street were riding. The boat was upset by the electric launch at Manawa running into the rowboat.

The couple were riding in a boat which they had hired at the lake early in the evening, and were enjoying the cool breeze over the lake. The boat in which Miss Winslow and her companion were riding was about in the middle of the lake when the electric launch came towards them, directly in front of the approaching launch. The latter struck the skiff almost squarely in the center, and when Prange saw that an accident was imminent he made an attempt to get his companion out of the boat, but she fell into the water, going out of sight, and was never seen again.

Workers at once began dragging the bottom of the lake, but at a late hour no trace of the body had been found.

**Efforts at Rescue.**

John Short, who was operating the electric launch, when he saw a collision was likely, reversed the current, but it was too late. In passing he made a grab for Miss Winslow just before she sank, but missed her, and was never seen more.

F. A. Kindall, who was in a sail boat a short distance from where the accident occurred, hastened to the rescue and succeeded in getting Mr. Prange out of the water, but saw nothing of Miss Winslow. Prange was in a state bordering on collapse over the tragic ending of the outing, and repeatedly cried, "My God, my God, why didn't I pull the other out." He was badly drenched, but not seriously injured by the accident.

Both Mr. Short, who was operating the launch, and the passengers started the launch was going at slow speed and that the signal bell was sounded, but Prange evidently was confused by the noise and the lights. The occupants of neither the launch or the rowboat saw each other until they were close together and the accident was imminent.

**Daughter of Fireman.**

Miss Winslow is the daughter of H. L. Winslow, a fireman at the station located at Sixteenth and Izard streets, and has been boarding with her father at 1128 North Seventeenth street for several months past. She has been employed for some time in the office of Dr. W. H. Ramsey. The dead girl is 15 years of age. Her mother died about four years ago, and since that time she and her father have lived alone in this city. Friday morning Miss Winslow was given a holiday and she decided to spend it at Lake Manawa, which has but recently opened for the summer, and in company with her escort they started for the resort about 5 o'clock. This was the last time anyone who knew the young woman ever saw her alive.

Mr. Prange returned to Omaha a little

before midnight and was almost frantic with grief over the accident.

**SEARCH FOR THE HOLY GRAIL**

Beautiful Illustration is Presented to the High School by Elaine Society.

Friday afternoon the Elaine society of the high school presented the school with a beautiful series of pictures by Charles Abbey, illustrating the "Search for the Holy Grail" by Sir Galahad. An elaborate program was given prior to the presentation of the holy grail, was read by Miss Julia Nahl. Miss Jessie M. Towne played "The Grail Music," from "Parsifal," in an exquisite manner. Miss Lillian Shears gave an explanation of the pictures presented to the school. The titles of these pictures are: "The Vision—The Oath of Knighthood," "The Round Table of King Arthur," "The Departure," "The Castle of the Grail," "The Lovely Damsel—The Seven Sins—The Key to the Castle," "The Castle of the Maidens," "Blanche Fleur—The Death of Amfortas," "The Deliverer" and "Solomon's Ethos—The Golden Tree." Following this was the presentation speech by the president of the Elaine society, Miss Adelaide Clark. She presented the gift on behalf of her society to the school Principal Waterhouse, on behalf of the school, accepted the gift by a few well chosen remarks.

Harry B. Davis, undertaker, Tel. 125.

**Riddle for Judge Troup.**

Judge Troup and half a dozen lawyers are busy with several phases of the troubles of Robert B. Carter, growing out of the erection of the new engine house at Eleventh and Jackson streets, for which Carter had the contract. A dozen or more suits of different kinds have been filed or tried in this matter, and the end seems a long way off yet. The testimony before Judge Troup has brought in the features an alleged over-

payment by Carter to a subcontractor and a receipt which Carter alleges was changed after he signed it. From all appearances the court will have something of a problem to work out when the various features of the litigation are submitted.

**SMOKER AT COMMERCIAL CLUB**

Members Hold Reunion and Talk Over the Recent Excursion to South Platte.

Members of the Commercial club were out in large numbers to the smoker last night at the clubrooms. It was a social affair, held mainly as a reunion for those who went on the recent trade excursion through the South Platte country. General business conditions were discussed also. Edward Rosewater talked about the cities visited and the country traversed on the trade excursion and noted the great improvement and growth in wealth in recent years. H. C. Brown discussed railway rate discrimination against Omaha. Other speakers were F. W. Judson, George Costello, western sales agent for the Carter White Lead company, and E. A. Benson. The trio of colored minstrels who were with the club on the excursion were present with their guitars and mandolins for entertainment. The smoker was voted by the club members one of the most enjoyable given for a long time.

**Marriage Licenses.**

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

Name and Residence.	Age.
John E. Boland, Omaha.	25
Clara Jackson, Omaha.	18
Harry R. White, Omaha.	28
Ethel McKay, Omaha.	22
Andrew C. Fink, Omaha.	23
Grace L. Nields, Omaha.	24
18-K wedding rings Edmon, jeweler.	

**Silk Ribbon Day for Newbores.**

Omaha newbores are requested to meet at 9 o'clock this morning corner of Fifteenth and Farnam streets. A neat silk ribbon, donated by merchants, will be given each boy. They will then call on Mayor Moore, to whom they will be introduced by Colonel Hogeland, who is expected to respond to the address of the mayor.

**Walk-Over Shoe Store**

Has just received a new supply of the "Spud" Wax Calf Oxfords and the Russia Calf Oxfords on same last.

They **\$3.50 PER PAIR** Are

**Walk-Over Shoe Store, 1521 FARNAM.**



**MENTER & ROSENBLUM CO.**

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**CREDIT Buys Summer Clothing**

Man or Woman—Boy or Girl We Clothe them all and Clothe them well

No matter where you go, you won't find choicer summer styles, lower prices or easier credit than here.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' Shirt Waist Suits, Shirt Waists, Silk Skirts, Raincoats and Oxfords.

MEN'S AND BOYS' Suits, Hats, Shoes.

MEN'S Raincoats and Topcoats.

**47 Stores—Factory to Wearer**

One-third Reduction on Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

\$12 Suits, now \$7.75 \$20 Suits, now \$13.75  
\$15 Suits, now \$9.50 \$25 Suits, now \$16.50

