

FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO. BUY

Treads Rule Because of Faith in Omaha and Will Build.

OWNS PROPERTY IN NO OTHER CITY

Company Will Erect Five or Six-Story Building at Ninth and Harney, on Northwest Corner.

Fairbanks, Morse & Co. closed a contract Saturday for the purchase of the lot at the northwest corner of Ninth and Harney street, 6x132 feet, 2x132 feet of which was owned by the Omaha Realty Co. and 4x132 feet by Elizabeth W. David of Philadelphia.

W. F. Norman, local manager for Fairbanks, Morse & Co., says this is the first piece of real estate the company has bought in any city among all of its branch houses in the larger cities throughout the country, which shows faith in the future of Omaha.

It is the intention of the company to construct a five or six-story building on the property as soon as its present lease expires.

GIGANTIC IRRIGATION PLAN

Million Dollars Are to Be Expended on Project in the Buffalo Basin.

A new irrigation project is assured for the Big Horn basin county which will irrigate a vast area. J. W. Gregory, a banker from St. Joseph, has undertaken to finance the project and the work will be begun immediately.

The Buffalo basin project, as it is called, will involve an outlay of about \$1,000,000 and will reclaim about 130,000 acres of the finest agricultural land in the west. This vast tract lies directly south of and contiguous to the town of Meeteetse, and will make that place one of the flourishing cities of northwestern Wyoming.

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WOMAN BEATEN BY HUSBAND

Wife Charges Assault and Battery and Man Pleads Guilty in Court.

John McDonald of 1819 Izard street, expressman, pleaded guilty when arraigned before Police Judge Crawford Saturday morning on the charge of assault and battery on his wife, Wilfred. The police magistrate wanted to hear the evidence before passing sentence. The man was sentenced thirty days in the county jail.

Mrs. McDonald testified her husband broke in her door, grabbed her by the wrists and then threw her on the floor, where he tried to choke her. She showed finger marks on her wrists and throat. The woman's daughter also took the stand. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald have had domestic trouble for a year. McDonald is now under a bond to keep the peace. He has had several brushes with policemen and has been considered one of the toughest men in the city from a police standpoint.

LAST CHANCE FOR TAXPAYERS

June's Final Day Finds Long Lines of Citizens at the Treasurer's Office.

Taxpayers stood in lines reaching to the sidewalk at the city hall Saturday morning in the desire to fork over the municipal titles before the last day of the taxpaying period expired and the interest penalty started to operate. Although it was the last day of June and the taxes become delinquent July 1, the doors of the treasurer's office were closed at noon and no more citizens allowed within, although the people inside were allowed to procure their receipts. During the week the taxes came in at the rate of from \$5,000 to \$60,000 a day and the total amount is well up to the percentage usually paid before delinquency.

PLAN OF EXCHANGE BUILDING

Draft of Proposed Structure Makes Favorable Impression on Members.

Herman Cohn and John Latenser were on the floor of the Omaha Grain exchange Saturday morning with preliminary plans of the building which Mr. Cohn proposes to erect for the exchange at Sixteenth street and Capitol avenue. The plans showed a four-story building, the entire length of the block between Capitol avenue and Davenport and of the same outward appearance as the Hoagland block. Many of the members expressed themselves as pleased with the general arrangement. The plans have not been submitted to the board of directors.

BUSINESS DEMANDS SPACE

Racine-Sattley Implement Company Will Add Two Stories to Present Building.

The Racine-Sattley implement company is having plans prepared for the addition of two new stories to its building near the Tenth street viaduct. This concern has houses in all the leading cities of the west and the Omaha house is outgrowing its present quarters, so something had to be done to give more room.

Sterling Silver-Frenzer, 15th and Dodge.

Excursions. On July 6 and 7, to Chautauque Lake, N. Y., and return at \$4.00 good 30 days; and daily June 1 until September 30, at \$3.00 via ERIE RAILROAD from Chicago; stopovers also permitted on all tickets to New York, Boston, Niagara Falls, etc. Apply to your local ticket agent or J. A. Dolan, T. P. A., 255 Railway Exchange, Chicago, Ill.

Reasonable Rates at Fine New Hotel.

"Comfort without extravagance" at the new Greproof Hotel Woodstock, on Forty-third street, near Broadway, New York. Try the new Hotel Woodstock and you will come again and bring your friends. There is no better hotel in the world and the prices are moderate.

No trouble to find lost articles if you advertise for them in the "Lost" column on the Bee Want Ad page.

DIAMONDS-Frenzer, 15th and Dodge sts.

FALL MERCHANTS' MEETING

Autumn Dates for Retail Dealers of Omaha West to Visit Omaha Are Fixed.

The usual fall merchants' meetings in Omaha have been arranged, and the retail merchants of the west will have a chance to visit the "market town" at reduced rates in August and September. The low rate applies to practically all the states in the west, embracing what is known as the Western Passenger association territory. Tickets will be sold at full fare to Omaha, a one-fifth fare rate being granted on the return trip upon presentation of proper endorsement by the Omaha Commercial club.

Tickets will be sold as follows: Dates for buying, August 4 to 11, and dates for returning, August 12 to 19, inclusive; dates for buying, August 18 to 25, and dates for returning, August 26 to September 4, inclusive; dates for buying, September 1 to 8, and dates for returning, September 9 to 16, inclusive.

Best typewritten letters, Mangum & Co.

Very Low Rates Tuesday.

Every Tuesday, balance of the year, the Chicago Great Western railroad will sell homeseekers' tickets to Minnesota, North Dakota and Canadian northwest at about 10 cents per mile, and return limit Tuesday. Write H. H. Churchill, third Tuesday, 1512 Farnam street, State number in party and when going.

WATCHES-Frenzer, 15th and Dodge sts.

A New Train for Fort Dodge.

The Chicago Great Western railway is now running a train leaving Omaha Union station at 3:30 p. m., arriving at Fort Dodge at 7:35 p. m. An excellent train for Minden, Harlan, Manning, Carroll, Lohrville, Somers, Fort Dodge and intermediate stations. For full information apply to H. H. Churchill, general agent, 1512 Farnam St., Omaha.

DIAMONDS-Edholm, 15th and Harney.

\$12.50 to St. Paul and Minneapolis and Return.

From Omaha, via Chicago Great Western Railway. Tickets on sale daily after May 21 to September 20. First return limit, October 31. Equally low rates to other points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Wisconsin and lower Michigan. For further information apply to H. H. Churchill, general agent, 1512 Farnam street, Omaha.

The Day We Celebrate.

Usual holiday excursion tickets will be on sale via Missouri Pacific Ry. Ticket offices S. E. Corner 15th and Farnam, or Union station.

Fishing and Camping Rates to Madison Lake, Waterville and Elysian, Minn., via Chicago Great Western.

For parties of ten or more, one fare and one-third for the round trip, good for ten days. Tickets on sale daily until September 20. For further information apply to H. H. Churchill, G. A., 1512 Farnam St.

Low Rates to Okoboji and Spirit Lake via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

Round Trip from Omaha.

\$2.00, on sale Friday or Saturday, good returning Monday.

\$3.00, on sale daily, return limit 30 days.

\$5.00, on sale daily, return limit Oct. 31st.

An ideal spot to spend a summer vacation. Write for Okoboji folder.

F. A. NASH, Gen'l Western Agent, 1534 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.

Men's, boys', children's clothing, hats, ladies' suits, skirts, millinery, etc., cash or credit. People's Store, 15th and Farnam.

Wertz, Dentist, 604-Faxton block.

Have Root print it.

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TO ORDER \$20.00 AND UP

Regent 205 SHOE & S. 15th ST.



Made for Africa.

It's a new fabric called Soudan Serge. It was first imported into this country just two months ago. It's been worn by Englishmen in South Africa for the last four or five years. Nothing has been found its equal for real torrid weather.

We're the first of all the tailors in Omaha to show this fabric. The first tailors to give you an opportunity to wear the coolest fabric that any summer ever saw.

Made to your measure in coat and trouser suit style for \$30.

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\$4.00 for the FOURTH

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Drexel Shoe Co. 1419 Farnam Street.

Well soles are more comfortable than the thin turn soles. The feet never get hot from the pavement, and the foot always rests on the sole.

These Oxfords have a light, flexible sole that at once shapes to the foot; wide, foot-form last; low, flat and military heels; hucher and regular lace, medium round dress toe; patent sole and kid.

We have six different styles of these Oxfords, in widths from AA to E.

50c Hinds' Honey Almond Cream.....20c

50c Hinder Flower Cream.....25c

50c Orange Flower Skin Food.....25c (Monday only)

50c Majestic Creme Perles.....35c (Not greasy or sticky; all the rage in dear old London.)

50c Poissoni Powder.....27c

50c Java Rice Powder.....25c

Haubergut's Ideal Powder.....\$2.00

R. & G. Delices Powder.....\$1.25

FOR MEN. YOUR CHOICE OF STYLES. FITTED RIGHT AT THE Walk-Over Shoe Store 1521 Farnam St.

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THE AMERICAN EAGLE will scream on Wednesday next.

Are your shoes in condition to enjoy a comfortable Fourth?

Can't your very well have much pleasure unless your feet are well taken care of.

We've everything that's cool and easy in footwear for men, women and children. Oxford Ties of all sorts. Pumps, Slippers, Canvas Shoes (in white or colors) in a great variety.

\$2.00 to \$5.00

It's up to you to say which style you prefer.

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Good in every part. Materials and workmanship are the best.

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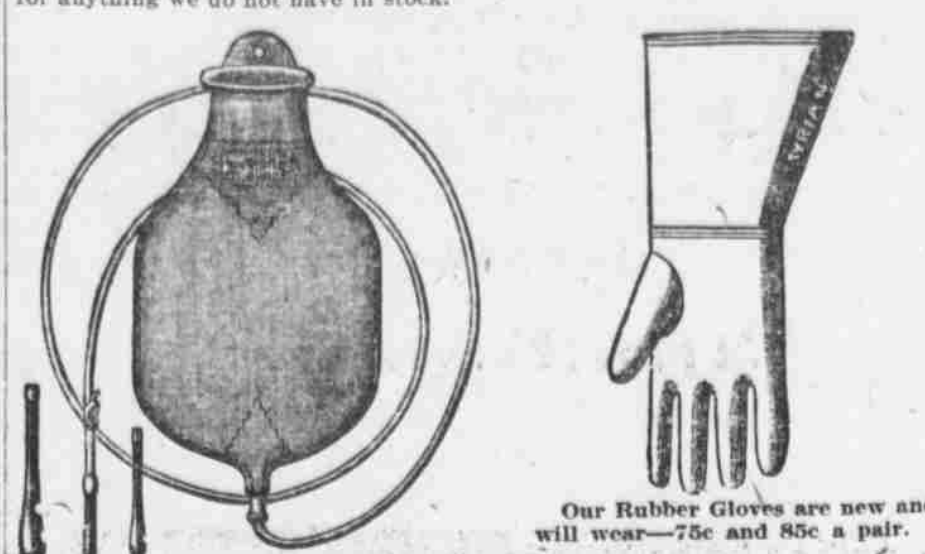
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Rubber Goods That Wear

From a view of our front window one would surmise that ours was an exclusive rubber goods store. While this is not the case, yet it is true that our line of "medical rubber goods" has so enlarged that we seldom receive a call for anything we do not have in stock.



Our Rubber Gloves are new and will wear—75c and 85c a pair.

FOUNTAIN SYRINGE. We sell Fountain Syringes in sizes from 1 to 4 quarts—a very good one for 50c; 62c postpaid. Write for catalogue.

BULB SYRINGE. We sell a good Bulb Syringe for 50c; by mail, 60c. Write for catalogue.

Remember Where and Who—SHERMAN & MCCONNELL DRUG CO. Corner 16th and Dodge, Omaha.

We have Supporters for men and women, in sizes from 22 to 60 inches, that work—35c to \$2.00. We can \$1.50 to \$3.00. Write for catalogue, please you.

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1-pound flat cans Fancy Alaska Salmon.....12 1/2c

4-pound can Breakfast Cocoa.....7 1/2c

1-pound package Magnolia Starch.....7 1/2c

Worcester Sauce, per bottle.....7 1/2c

Long bar Castile Toilet Soap.....7 1/2c