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We will sell all his \$15 Suits, at . . . **750** \$30.00 Suits, at . . . **\$15**  
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All of Shelley's \$50 Opera Coats, just the thing for the horse show—on sale in old store, on second floor, at . . . **\$25**

### LADIES' WAISTS

All of Shelley's \$3.00 to \$5.00 Waists, in French Flannels, albatross, mohair and novelty cloths on sale on main floor, old building, at . . . **150-250**  
All of Shelley's \$6.00 pure silk Waists, all colors, on sale in old store, main floor, at . . . **2.98**

### SKIRTS

Shelley's \$5.00 Dress Skirts, on sale in cloak dept., in old store, 2nd floor, at . . . **250**  
All Shelley's \$10 Skirts, at . . . **\$5**

### CLOAKS

Shelley's \$10 winter weight, long, loose Coats, novelty patterns and plain cloths, on sale at . . . **\$5**  
All of Shelley's early fall coat jackets for exactly half price.

### RIBBONS

All Shelley's 25c Wide Taffeta and Maline Ribbons on sale at new store, per yard . . . **12 1/2c**

All Shelley's 50c Ribbon—Very wide and the highest grade of millinery ribbons, all on sale in new store—at, per yard . . . **25c**

### HAIR GOODS

Shelley was known to carry the largest and most complete stock of hair goods, natural hair switches, etc.—which will be on sale in new store at exactly half price.

### UNDERWEAR

All the Fine Egyptian Cotton Union Suits—Silk ribbon and crocheted trimmings—at, each . . . **69c**  
All the ladies' fine ribbed vests, pants and union suits, nice soft fleecy lined, medium and heavy weights, all sizes, at . . . **39c**  
All the infants' fine 50c wool vests—at, each . . . **25c**



### VEILS AND VEILING

All Shelley's 50c veillings on sale in new store at . . . **25c**  
All Shelley's 25c veillings on sale in new store at . . . **12 1/2c**  
All Shelley's 75c pure silk veillings on sale in new store; also silk veils with silk dots and velvet spots—all at . . . **35c**  
All Shelley's \$1.00 drape veils, silk chiffon quality—on sale in new store, at . . . **49c**  
Automobile veils that sold from \$1.00 to \$2.50—on sale at . . . **98c**

### LACES

All Shelley's 50c laces, bands and galoons—from the stock—go on sale at the new store, at . . . **25c**  
All Shelley's \$1.00 laces, including black, white and cream silks, Venise Irish crocheted laces, Chantilly laces, medallions and edges in various widths, all on sale in new store at . . . **50c**  
20c quality of silk crepe lace ruching on sale, new store, at, yard . . . **10c**

### HOSIERY

All of Shelley's \$1 quality of allwool lace and plain hosiery, on sale at new store, per pair . . . **49c**  
All of Shelley's 50c fine cotton and lisle thread imported hosiery on sale in new store at . . . **25c**



### MILLINERY

All of Shelley's \$10 Pattern Hats, on sale in old store Millinery department, go at . . . **\$5**

Shelley's \$5.00 Ladies' Hats, elaborately trimmed with velvet, fancy feathers, ostrich plumes, ribbons and ornaments, on sale in millinery department, old store, for . . . **250**

All of Shelley's Lower Priced Hats, trimmed and ready to wear, on sale in new store, aisle No. 1, at . . . **175**

All of Shelley's \$1.00 and \$2.00 Ready-to-Wear Hats, trimmed with breasts, ribbons and quills, on sale in new store, aisle No. 1, at . . . **50c**  
All of Shelley's Untrimmed and Fur Felt Shapes that they sold from 50c to \$2.50, on sale in our basement millinery dept., going in two lots—10c to 75c each, from . . . **10c to 75c**

All Shelley's Ostrich Plumes that were sold at \$2.00, \$5.00 and \$10.00, in blacks, whites and all colors—on sale at new store, aisle No. 2—will go at . . . **100-250-\$5**

All of Shelley's fancy feathers, that he sold from 50c up to \$5, including breasts, birds, wings, and novelties, will go in one lot—new store, aisle No. 1, at . . . **25c**  
Choice of all Shelley's velvet flowers and foliage that he had marked from \$1.00 to \$5.00; new store, aisle No. 1, choice . . . **25c**

### AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Burglars Ransack the Residence of M. W. Grist, but Get Little.

### SUIT AGAINST OFFICIALS THREATENED

Stock Yards Officials Have Meeting to See if They Can Untangle the Sewer Construction Mixup.

The residence of M. W. Grist at Seventeenth and N streets was ransacked yesterday afternoon by burglars. Grist is a tinsmith and bicycle repairer by trade, having a shop at Twenty-fifth and N streets. While at his work and during the absence of the family someone broke into the house in daylight and took a gold watch, some bracelets and ammunition and some money, though it was a small amount, being some old coins. The house was ransacked and thrown into great confusion. There appears to be little clue to the identity of the burglars. The police are working on the case. Detective Shields visited the place, but gained little evidence. The entrance was forced through the back door, in the usual manner. The work was similar to quite a list of other burglaries within the past summer.

### Threatens Trouble for Officials.

Charles Cummings and other citizens visited the city hall yesterday to gain some information as to the Missouri avenue situation. They were bent on seeing if anything might be done to bring the city officials to account for their acts in connection with the proposition. What conclusion they came to is not clearly known. Cummings is said to have volunteered the remark that he was departing for Omaha to consult legal authority and expected to bring action against the officials of the city on one ground or another. He seemed satisfied that he had a good case.

### Stock Yards May Take Hand.

There was a meeting of the board of directors of the Union Stock Yards company yesterday afternoon in the Paxton hotel for the discussion of the affairs of the company. This was the regular business session of the body. It is understood that the board discussed the tieup in the South Omaha sewers, with plans for a solution. It has been rumored persistently that the Union Stock Yards company was about to take a hand in the sewer contract itself.

It is said such a plan was proposed at yesterday's meeting and that the same was referred to P. A. Valentine of Armour & Co. to await an opinion as to its feasibility. City Engineer E. M. Rohrbough stated yesterday that in case the yards company might wish to take up such a proposition it would cost them at least \$20,000 to carry out the present plans. If this were provided by the big corporations the plan might be feasible, costing about \$5,000 each.

### Permit for Elevator.

The Gate City Malt company took out its building permits yesterday, amounting to \$65,000, for the construction of an elevator and a plant at Twenty-ninth and B streets. The elevator was valued at \$5,000 and the malt house proper was placed at \$60,000. The foundations of these structures have already been laid and the company is now at work raising the walls. The elevator is to be used simply for storage purposes to supply the needs of the malt manufacturing plant. With the addition of this plant South Omaha has another assured improvement.

### Magie City Gossip.

Chief Briggs goes to Lincoln today. Chastel and salary loans, 200% N St. All business confidential. Joe Porja is building a new residence at Twentieth and Q streets. Three modern wonders at the high school auditorium tomorrow night. William Breyer was seriously hurt last night by falling on a walk while intoxicated.

### Radium, Liquid Air and Wireless Telegraphy Tomorrow Night at the High School Auditorium.

The Magic City King's Daughters meet Thursday with Mrs. M. G. Acker, 1514 North Twenty-third street. Mrs. Dennis of Mount Hope, Wis., has returned to her home after several weeks' visit in South Omaha. Mrs. Henry Driscoll entertained a company of friends yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. J. Roberts. Mrs. P. J. Johnson has been entertaining Mrs. and Mr. Simon of Age, also Miss Bowden and Calmer Simon of O'Neill. J. H. Ryan of Macomb, Mo., and Mrs. M. C. Ryan of Afton, Ia., were here and attended the funeral of Mrs. L. E. Pierce. J. S. Simpkins of Greeley Center and T. R. Torgerson and son of Gilmer have been paying a visit to relatives in South Omaha. George A. Saunders and Miss Anna Oliver were married by Rev. George Van Winkle at the parsonage Monday afternoon.

### The Inquest over the Body of William Niles will be held this morning at 10 o'clock.

Niles was killed Monday afternoon in the South Omaha yards. The funeral of James McLeod was postponed from yesterday until today at 2 P. M. on account of the absence of an expected brother who is in Chicago. The Swedish-Norwegian Republican club

will meet in regular monthly session at Lehigh hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All members invited. James W. Coy was fined \$25 and costs yesterday for assault and battery. W. P. and Jeff Dixon were also sentenced for small amounts for misdemeanors. Carded Thanks—We wish to thank our many friends, neighbors, police force and Clover Leaf camp No. 8 of the Royal Neighbors for their kind and beautiful floral gifts in remembrance of our beloved wife and mother, L. E. Pierce and family. The following births were reported yesterday: J. E. Briggs, 408 North Twenty-second, a boy; Walter Buckworth, 904 North Twenty-eighth, a girl; Steve Hunter, 72 North Twenty-seventh, a girl; Bernard Goldfarb, 181 South Twenty-second, a boy. Tonight the Young Men's Christian association will hold the first grand rally of the year for the purpose of raising the membership and increasing the number to 900 within the month. The goal is not hard to reach. There will be an entertainment, not too long, of some good things. There will be music and a trifle to eat, in all probability.

### HOLDUP MAN TRIES PRINTER

Knocks Him Insensible and Seizes Five Dollars from His Pockets.

Clarence Fogelstrom, 647 Capitol avenue, a young man employed as a printer on the World-Herald, last night reported he was attacked, overpowered and robbed by a holdup man in Turner park, near Farnam street, Tuesday evening and for two hours he said he lay on the ground unconscious from a blow on the head and cuts on the wrist before he came to and tried to make his way home. He had only proceeded as far as Turner street, however, when he fainted and after recovering was discovered by a man on a bicycle, who notified the police.

### Fogelstrom found he had been robbed of a little more than \$5. He was taken to the police station, where Surgeon Harris dressed his wounds, which were not serious.

The police are unable to find any clue to this holdup and think Mr. Fogelstrom may be mistaken about being the victim of a footpad altogether. They could not locate the marks of injury on his head, much less the assailant.

### RECEPTION TO CHOIRMASTER

Kenneth Memorial Makes New Musical Director Feel at Home.

### The reception tendered Prof. Blakeslee, the new organist and choirmaster of Kenneth Memorial church, and his assistants, Messrs. Hedloff, Shank, Cover and the beautiful choir, Earl Prohl, who at 12 years possesses a remarkable voice, proved to be one of the most delightful social occasions in the history of the church. Each one sang so acceptably that an encore was demanded. Master Prohl being called twice.

The revelation of the evening was the magnificent voice of Prof. Blakeslee, of such vibrant strength and quality as to place him among the best singers of the great west. Miss Hazel Livingston recited two selections in her best vein. Mr. Handlin sang in his best voice two selections. Miss Tabina accompanying, and Mr. Ed Stevenson never played the violin with better expression, with Miss Holton at the piano. Light refreshments were served by a bevy of young girls.

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### CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Heim-Pollock-Parmele Telephone Franchise Ordinance is Passed.

### LIVELY DISCUSSION PRECEDES VOTE

Councilman's Payment of Reward of \$500 for Arrest of the Murderer of Miss Rummelhart.

Tuesday evening the city council voted to submit the Heim-Pollock-Parmele telephone franchise ordinance to the voters at the November election. The vote stood 7 to 4. Bridges, Hansen, Funkhouser, Jackson, Johnson, Sheldon and Zimmerman voted yes. McGovern, as reported yesterday, voted against the measure. When the telephone matter was brought up about 9 o'clock there was a general stir in the council chamber, which was well filled with citizens and men interested in telephone matters directly. An inkling of what was coming was offered earlier in the evening when the telephone committee reported favorably on the Heim-Pollock-Parmele ordinance. Zimmerman led the debate for the passage of the ordinance, while Elvaser, McGovern, Davis and Bedford were on the opposition.

### Fight Starts Promptly.

The fight began when Councilman Zimmerman moved the ordinance he read the third time, which motion was promptly seconded. Mr. Elvaser was at once on his feet with an amendment, providing that nothing in the ordinance shall authorize the Heim company to use its conduits for any purpose other than to maintain its wires and cables. Besides contending that such a provision was included in the ordinance Mr. Zimmerman accused Mr. Elvaser of bad faith in offering an amendment.

### Other Amendments Shut Out.

When the roll was called Elvaser explained his vote by saying he had several more amendments he wanted to make to the franchise, those relating to the city's right to buy the plant, that the company shall guarantee at least 300 telephones in South Omaha and that the city shall have the right to move poles and conduits at will. But as Mr. Elvaser's day for offering amendments had passed he voted nay. When asked where he received those amendments, Mr. Elvaser said he found them at home.

### During the protracted Mr. Bedford declared that a dual telephone system would be more expensive to the citizens than the single or present system. He asked to have the Gate City franchise ordinance taken up, but that proposition was not considered, as the telephone committee had not reported on that ordinance.

The rates specified in the Heim-Pollock-Parmele ordinance are that until \$600 telephones have been established the rental for each full portable circuit long-distance business telephone shall not exceed \$4 per year, and \$30 per year for each similar residence telephone; and the two-party business telephones shall not exceed \$30 each per year, and the two-party telephones not to exceed \$24 each; four-party residence, \$15 each; eight-party residence, \$12 each; the maximum rental for business telephones is placed at \$50 per year and residence at \$30. The Heim company offers 2 per cent of its gross earnings as a royalty and agrees to make no charges until 3,000 telephones shall have been in operation.

### Reward for Murderer.

Upon recommendation of Mayor Dahlman, Councilman Funkhouser offered a resolution, which was adopted, that the city offer a reward of \$500 for the apprehension of the murderer of Miss Josephine Rummelhart Saturday night.

### A communication was received from Comptroller Loback in which that official made mention of charges entered against the comptroller's office by John M. Gilchrist, expert accountant, who checked up the city treasurer's office. Inasmuch as Gilchrist's report had not reached the council, the comptroller's letter was referred to the committee on finance and claims for action when the mayor sends in the Gilchrist report. Mr. Loback, in his letter, entered a general denial of the charges made by Mr. Gilchrist and inferred that

to the ordinance at the eleventh hour, which would have the effect of necessitating another amendment of the ordinance and preclude the offering of it at the November election. Funkhouser declared the whole quibble a plan to defeat the ordinance. Mr. Zimmerman showed the councilmen their recent platform bearing his signature and referred to the telephone clause. Then Mr. Bridges entered the breach and declared, "Let us bring this matter to a vote at once and see who are men and who are not. Let us take a stand one way or another and show where we are at."

### Mr. Sheldon urged the third reading of the ordinance and Davis and Elvaser charged their conferees with trying to railroad the measure through.

Mr. McGovern said he wanted to see a deposit of \$50,000 as a guarantee from the Heim company. Elvaser then made bold to assert that if the ordinance would be put up to the people the people would vote for it because they would vote for anything, which remark brought a general hiss from the spectators.

### DR. MILLER STANDS BY GUNS

Reiterates that Fire and Police Board Cannot Enforce the Execution of Law.

"I did not know that I was being interviewed Monday about the Civic Federation's renewal of the war for a complete Sunday closing of the saloons in Omaha until I read what I had been saying to a reporter for The Bee over the telephone," said Dr. George L. Miller, member of the board of fire and police commissioners. "It is all the same. I said what I meant and meant what I said. But I wish to make a correction. I did not write to the chief of police that there was no law fixing conditions in licenses issued to saloons, but to Governor Mickey."

"For the hundredth time let it be said that it is not the business and the fire and police commissioners have no power to enforce the execution of the law for the government of the city. This question was long ago settled by the decision of Judge Estelle, and it has been upheld by every city attorney. It is adjudicated law, and

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### SIXTY GREEKS AT DINNER

Pan-Hellenic Association Holds its First Function of a Winter Series.

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### Baby Mine

Every mother feels a great dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of misery. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of Mother's Friend. "It is worth its weight in gold," says many who have used it. \$1.00 per bottle at drug stores. Book containing valuable information of interest to all women, will be sent to any address free upon application to BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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