

Everything Is Ready for the Great Holiday Rush



An Xmas Special Suits and O'Coats for Men at 14.75

A most impressive offering in Men's high grade clothes. Maintaining at highest pitch sterling quality, original styling, integrity of wool materials and faultless modes. Styles and patterns in Men's highest type Suits and Overcoats that leave nothing to be desired. Supremely \$18 and \$20 values are here tomorrow at the very special price 14.75 of

NOTE

All the energy of this organization concentrated to please you. Unparalleled incentive to buy now.

The store has been changed into a great glorious holiday bazar within the past ten days. Enormous stocks of Christmas-time merchandise have been put in place—many departments have been doubled in size, beautiful yule-tide decorations lend the first floor a Xmas atmosphere—scores of additional salespeople have been employed and the delivery service has been greatly augmented. Hence there is not a single reason why gift buying should be put off another moment.

Buy Men's House Coats and Bath Robes

Here tomorrow. Show your thoughtfulness for his comfort by giving "him" a bathrobe or house coat. Biggest assortment—swellest garments—and lowest prices are strong reasons why you should buy here.



House Coats, Dressing Gowns and Bath Robes

\$6.00 House Coats \$4.75 Men's heavy wool plaid faced melton coats, silk trimmed, pockets, fronts and cuffs light and dark combinations, size 35 to 44, \$6.00 values..... 4.75

\$10.00 House Coats \$6.75 Men's fine quality fancy plaid fleeced melton cloth and broadened silk matalassa, in blue, brown, black and Oxford gray, all silk trimmed, sizes 36 to 44, \$10.00 values..... 6.75

\$12.50 House Coats \$7.90 Men's extra fine quality of imported silk matalassa and broadened velvet, with heavy satin linings, silk cord trimmings on front, pockets and cuffs, with large silk frogs, cut round or square corners, solid green, navy, brown, black and fancy combinations, regular \$12.50 values..... 7.90

\$6.50 Bath Robes \$4.50 Men's fine quality double faced broadened cotton elderdown robes, light and dark colors, also light striped Terry cloth, pretty patterns, \$6.50 values..... 4.50

\$12.50 Dressing Gowns \$7.90 Men's extra heavy all wool doubled faced elderdown dressing gowns, beautiful new and swell patterns, new and fresh from the largest eastern importer, tans, red, grays—many exclusive designs, \$12.50 values..... 7.90

Christmas Suggestions in Our HABERDASHERY

Here's lots of suggestions grouped together that will help you to a decision—what to give father, husband, brother, also from nephew to uncle and vice versa. Our division wherein all the essentials of men's dress is a safe port in the storm of Christmas buying.

MUFFLERS

Men's Fine Worsteds "Way" Muffler, plain black, white, fancy patterns, greatest neck protection..... 45c
Men's New Stylish Scarfs, Oxford or silk squares—all colors, also plain white and black..... 50c-75c
Men's well styles of Quilted Oxford—hemstitched scarfs and broadened silk squares—heavy, stylish patterns—all colors..... \$1.00
Men's extra fine Full Dress Shirt Protectors and Oxford—most beautiful qualities—plain black, gros grain, Barathea or satin..... \$2.50-\$3.00-\$3.50

NECKWEAR

Men's new fancy colored or plain black Silk Tecks and Four-in-Hands—hundreds of light, pretty colors, at..... 25c
Men's fine quality extra wide silk lined or French sape Four-in-Hands—finest imported silks—every desirable color—also solid black or white..... 45c
Men's extra fine rich imported silks—most beautiful holiday styles—light and dark colors..... 75c-\$1.00

GLOVES

Men's fine quality Imported Golf Gloves, solid and fancy colors, at..... 50c-75c
Men's good quality holiday Kid Gloves—pretty shades of tans and browns—silk lined, fleece lined and unlined..... \$1.00
Men's fine Cape, Kid and Mocha Dress or Street Gloves—tans, grays and black—lined or unlined—perfect fit and satisfaction guaranteed..... \$1.50

SUSPENDERS

Men's fancy Suspenders, single boxes..... 25c-50c-75c
Men's fine holiday Silk Suspenders—beautiful light and dark colors—also plain black or white satin for embroidering..... \$1-\$1.25-\$1.50-\$2
Boys' fancy web Suspenders—pretty separate boxes..... 25c



Six Hundred Boys' Suits Reduced, 2.39

This great clothes store is continually breaking away from precedent and doing the unusual. No occasion this year for waiting till Christmas is over for Boys' Suit prices to drop. They have dropped already. We've selected exactly six hundred boys' fine suits that sold all season to \$4 and placed them on separate tables for easy selection. Extra salespeople will be here to give you immediate attention. These suits comprise everything that is new and nobby this season—cheviots, cassimeres, tweeds, in the styles that are most popular with boys. They are from broken lots that have been our best sellers. You will find all sizes, 6 to 16. These suits will and must be closed out before our inventory starts in the first of January. We have named a price that won't let them linger long

Worth up to \$4.00, at 2.39

Indisputable Headquarters for Appareling Boys

Boys' Suits and Overcoats Worth to \$7.50 at \$3.69

The Above Price Bears Strong Testimony.

The magnificence of the grand assortment of Suits and Overcoats for the little chaps and their older brothers cannot be adequately described in words—therefore, we are extremely solicitous of your early inspection. These Suits and Overcoats are a special lot closed out by us from several manufacturers of great note, and we positively claim that they are the best values that ever appeared over our signature.



BOYS' SHOES make sensible Christmas presents.

BOYS' CAPS are much appreciated for Xmas.

BOYS' SWEATERS and waists are very desirable for Xmas.

Nebraska Clothing Co

FARNAM & 15TH

OMAHA MAY GET IOWA FIRMS

Stands Good Chance for Union Transfer and Sterling Companies.

BOTH HOMELESS BY THE RECENT FIRE

Local Capitalist Offers to Erect Building in Omaha and It is Being Considered in Council Bluffs.

Omaha stands a good chance of securing two additions to its list of implement jobbers, the Union Transfer company and the Sterling Manufacturing company, both of which were rendered homeless by the fire on the Council Bluffs implement row Tuesday evening. The Commercial club of the city across the river is endeavoring to find room for the two concerns, but seemingly without success, while the jobbers on the Omaha side say it will be possible to provide temporary quarters here. A local capitalist has offered to erect a building in Omaha for the Union Transfer company, and Manager Southard is said to be considering the proposition.

Whether or not the Union Transfer company comes across the river, the Sterling Manufacturing company probably will come. It is unable to find warehouse room in Council Bluffs and has been offered quarters in Omaha. A decision will be made in a few days.

STERLING SILVER—Frenzer, 15 & Dodge

CHECK CROOK IS CAUGHT

H. W. Laing, Exposed in The Bee, is Arrested at Shreveport, Louisiana.

H. W. Laing, the enterprising man from Missouri who tried to work the Paxton hotel for \$25 and Browning, King & Co. for \$50 by means of a bogus check several weeks ago, has come to grief at Shreveport, La., where he tried in vain to work the same game.

The article in The Bee detailing Laing's operations in Omaha put the hotels throughout the country on their guard and Mr. Laing was looked for. He did succeed, however, in working off a number of checks in St. Louis and then struck out for pastures new, landing finally at Shreveport, where he came to grief. Mr. Laing now resides in the Shreveport jail awaiting transport to St. Louis.

Laing failed to realize on the checks he issued in Omaha, except insofar that the Paxton will hold his check for \$25 in addition to a board bill for which the check was offered, but which was not cashed by the treasury department of the Paxton. In the Browning, King & Co. matter that firm hesitated to accept the check and thus lost the sale of a valuable suit case, while telephoning over to the Paxton to inquire about Mr. Laing's goodness. The reply was such that the sale was called off.

and Mr. Laing took his check and the next that was heard from him was in the Shreveport jail.

HOTEL PLACED UNDER BAN

Lyons' Proprietor Charged with Aiding Delinquency of Boys and Girls.

On a charge of permitting the Lyons hotel to be used by young boys and girls for immoral purposes a warrant has been issued from juvenile court for John Weber, the proprietor. The technical offense charged is in the delinquency of juveniles. Probation Officer Mosey Bernstein and Assistant Probation Officer Carver have been doing considerable detective work on the case and as a result they declare they have unearthed enough evidence to warrant the arrest. When they have found several instances where girls under 16 years of age accompanied boys to the hotel, the couple registering as man and wife. One of the girls is now in the custody of the juvenile court and she is expected to furnish the bulk of the evidence when the case is heard. The offense charged in the complaint is said to have happened November 17.

NEW WATER COMPANY TAX

By Mutual Agreement Assessment in South Omaha Will Be Relieved.

By agreement of City Attorney Fidelity of South Omaha, and attorneys for the Omaha Water company, the personal assessment of the latter for city taxes has been reversed and remanded to the tax commissioner and Board of Equalization for a new assessment. The order was signed Thursday by Judge Troup at the request of attorneys for both sides. The water company asserting its personal assessment in South Omaha was too high, appealed to the district court. The city authorities now concede there was error in the proceedings and that the board acted without proper evidence and information and are willing the matter should go back again to the board.

P. W. LYNCH BURIED TODAY

Funeral Services Will Be Held at St. Patrick's Church Early in Day.

Patrick W. Lynch, who died Thursday afternoon at his home, 206 South Twelfth, will be buried Saturday morning at Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Services will be held at St. Patrick's church at 9:30 a. m.

Mr. Lynch was born at Ithaca, N. Y., March 5, 1859, and moved to Omaha with his parents in 1862. For twenty years he was in the Union Pacific service as freight check clerk in the local department. For twelve years before death he was United States storekeeper at the Willow Springs distillery. Mr. Lynch was identified in politics as a democrat. In 1882 he ran for the

office of sheriff of Douglas county and was defeated by David Miller.

A wife and four children survive. The children, James, William, Ben and Mrs. John Mattin, reside in Omaha. One brother, James H. Lynch, and three sisters, Margaret Clary, Mrs. C. O. Michaelson and Mrs. E. P. Morearty, also live here. Mr. Lynch will be buried beside his mother and father.

START ON GRADE CROSSINGS

Bruecker Asks City Attorney to Define Rights of Council to Make Demands.

Councilman Bruecker has taken hold of the grade crossing matter and for a starter, asked Assistant Attorney Rhine to define in an opinion just what rights and authority the city council has in the way of compelling railroads to place flagmen or other forms of protection at grade crossings. When that opinion has been received Mr. Bruecker, who is chairman of the council railways committee, will proceed to see what protection is needed at the various crossings.

Announcements of the Theaters.

A matinee and evening performance today brings the bill on this week, the Orphium to a close. Next week's bill is declared one of the very best offered this season. The headline attraction will be no less a favorite and celebrity than Papina, the most famous of telephonic queens. Another feature lauded much as a headliner is the four Bard brothers, the most original gymnasts on the stage. Violet Dale, impersonator and vocalist; James Cullen, Emmet Devoe and company, Fred Watson and the Morrissey sisters, Emilia Rose, known as "the dainty lady athlete," and entirely new kindred pictures.

"The Squaw Man" is one of those stories that tell a tale of tense life in a straight line. It is made into a play of virtue force and of deep dramatic interest. Messrs. Liebler & Co., who are putting it out, gave it an adequate production in New York last season, where it was a tremendous success. It is sent on the road with the same cast that marks the Liebler production, only the best being engaged. It is a big play, with fifty speaking parts in the cast, and each is in the hands of a capable actor. Henry Jewett, a young English actor, who has made much success in other strong roles, plays the leading part, that of a young Englishman who comes to America to find him for a bleeding heart and becomes a "squaw man." The incidents flow naturally and the situations are the logical outcome of the action. The engagement begins at the Boyd theater on Sunday evening and includes Monday and Tuesday evenings with a special matinee on Tuesday afternoon.

The closing performance of "Northern Lights" will be given at the Woodward Stock company today. On Sunday the new bill will have its performance at a matinee. "Chippie" has been chosen for Miss Elliott's closing week, and the rehearsal indicate a fine production.

It is always a comedy event when Jolly George Sidney comes this way, as he is about to do, starting Sunday at the Krug. This time he comes with his half-hundred merry companions as guests, that is, he has christened his vehicle of fun "Busy Izzy's Vacation." Everything is novel and up-to-date, plenty of girls to keep the elegant customers to the rhythm of the bright, catchy music and dashing song novelties.

WIFE BEATER GOES TO JAIL

Carl H. Hubner Placed in Prison and Under Restraining Order, Too.

If Carl H. Hubner violates a restraining order issued Thursday by Judge Troup at the request of his wife, May Hubner, he will have to break out of county jail to do it. Hubner was sent to jail from police court a few days ago for thirty days for beating his wife. Thursday she began suit for divorce charging cruel treatment and nonsupport and in order to be doubly sure he would not repeat his assault upon her secured a restraining order to keep him from visiting her and in any way annoying her or their four children. She asks the custody of the children.

Frederick A. Silverling has begun suit for divorce from May Frances Silverling charging extreme cruelty. The files were withdrawn.

Alfred F. Borsheim demands a divorce from Nellie E. Borsheim. His attorney removed the files for the clerk's office.

BALDRIGE WILL BE ABSENT

Attorney for Sunderland Not to Return and Latter's Trial is Deferred.

Instead of J. A. Sunderland either George P. Cronk or Ed E. Howell probably will be placed on trial in the alleged Coal trust case before Judge Sutton Monday morning. County Attorney Shaughton had intended trying Sunderland next, but H. H. Baldridge, his attorney, is absent from the city and may not return until the middle of the week.

RECEIVER'S \$70,000.00

Piano Stock being Sold to Satisfy Creditors. Nothing Reserved

Everything Goes. \$20,000

Our Loss Is Your Gain

The receiver's invoice on these 160 beautiful Pianos is just \$125 less than manufacturer's cost. We are determined that no dealers will not remain long at these prices. Thousands of our satisfied customers and patrons all speaking of the high-grade quality of these goods. In the past is surely a recommendation that any child could buy a Piano with safety. We still have a fairly good assortment of the larger and finer styles yet to be sold, but this sale cannot last always, and we would urge these thinking of buying a Piano to be sure and attend the special features of this sale.

New and second-hand organs will be sold at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00, \$20.50, \$21.00, \$21.50, \$22.00, \$22.50, \$23.00, \$23.50, \$24.00, \$24.50, \$25.00, \$25.50, \$26.00, \$26.50, \$27.00, \$27.50, \$28.00, \$28.50, \$29.00, \$29.50, \$30.00, \$30.50, \$31.00, \$31.50, \$32.00, \$32.50, \$33.00, \$33.50, \$34.00, \$34.50, \$35.00, \$35.50, \$36.00, \$36.50, \$37.00, \$37.50, \$38.00, \$38.50, \$39.00, \$39.50, \$40.00, \$40.50, \$41.00, \$41.50, \$42.00, \$42.50, \$43.00, \$43.50, \$44.00, \$44.50, \$45.00, \$45.50, \$46.00, \$46.50, \$47.00, \$47.50, \$48.00, \$48.50, \$49.00, \$49.50, \$50.00, \$50.50, \$51.00, \$51.50, \$52.00, \$52.50, \$53.00, \$53.50, \$54.00, \$54.50, 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