

BERG'S GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

SATURDAY—THE BANNER DAY. Ours are the choicest bargains in the city, at POSITIVELY THE LOWEST PRICES.

- \$8.00 Dress Skirts, special, \$3.98
\$8.00 Silk Petticoats, all shades, \$3.98
\$12.00 and \$15.00 Ladies Coats, novelties or plain, \$3.98

Thousands of other garments sacrificed in our effort to reduce our stock before spring goods arrive, at prices LESS THAN COST

SATURDAY—THE BANNER DAY S. Fredrick Berger & Co. The New Cloak Shop. 1517 Farnam Street.

BRIAN RECEIPTS FOR CASH

Former Treasurer Mortensen Turns Over \$7,640,021.96 to Successor.

LIST OF SECURITIES IN SCHOOL FUND

Brian Also Formally Takes His Place as Member of State Normal Board—New Buildings Wanted at Kearney.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Treasurer Brian has formally taken charge of the office of the treasurer and yesterday afternoon he received to Treasurer Mortensen the securities and cash in his office.

Table listing securities in school fund: Adams county bonds, Banner county bonds, Boone county bonds, etc.

sale of supreme court reports upon which the state owned the copyright. The amendment Mr. Thompson desires to make is in line with the opinion recently handed down by the court...

New Officers at Work. Governor Shelton and the other new state officers took charge early this morning of the offices to which they were elected...

Prisoners Overpowered Sheriff. KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—While being fed by Sheriff Sammons this evening, Jack Martin and George Mathews...

Coal Found in Gage County. HUMBOLDT, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Dr. J. L. Gandy of this city, one of the most extensive land owners of southeastern Nebraska...

News of Nebraska. BLUE HILL—The roads in this vicinity are so rough that it is hardly possible to travel over them...

BEATRICE—The motor car operated by the city of Beatrice has been running on schedule time the last few weeks and is giving good service.

BEATRICE—Three children in the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walker are ill from the smallpox. Strict quarantine regulations are in force in order to prevent the spread of the disease.

BEATRICE—George Arnold, an employe of the Beatrice Cigar Mills, was severely cut and bruised about the body by being caught in the machinery of a factory...

BEATRICE—Mrs. Sophia Miller, for the last ten years a resident of Beatrice, died at her home on West Court street yesterday, aged 72 years.

BEATRICE—The Union Pacific surveyors are completing their survey of the new line west and south of Blue Springs.

HUMBOLDT—The fire losses on the Carthage stock of general merchandise was yesterday settled by the adjusters of the insurance companies.

BEATRICE—Queen City council No. 76, a new association, installed its officers last night: J. C. Penrod, president; Miss E. E. Miller, vice president; J. R. Crandall, secretary; George Segvick, treasurer.

BLUE HILL—Fred Debois, who was recently caught in attempting to rob W. C. Frann's store of this city and placed in county jail, was taken before Judge Adams at Minden last week, pleading guilty to the charge and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

BEATRICE—Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Yale entertained the managers of the Dempster branch houses and traveling men who are attending the annual meeting of the smelter last evening.

BEATRICE—The Board of Supervisors convened yesterday. At the session the board of health was organized.

BEATRICE—Charles M. Allen, who was elected secretary of the year in the Aitchison last week, has had an operation performed. The doctors raised part of the skull and removed a part back of the ear that was pressing on the brain.

BEATRICE—A report reached Beatrice from Denver yesterday announcing the death of Miss Beulah Troxel of this city and a graduate of the Beatrice High school.

BEATRICE—News reached Tecumseh this morning of the death of Rev. W. F. Smith at his home in Beatrice, shortly after midnight this morning.

BEATRICE—Dudley Leslie No. 19, Royal Highlanders, installed the following officers last evening: H. J. Foyde, past illustrious protector; Samuel Carahan, chief counselor; W. R. McLaughlin, illustrious protector; Emory M. Savage, secretary; G. H. Horn, treasurer; O. L. Savage, second counselor; J. E. Smith, secretary; J. E. Smith, first presidential chief; L. H. Headley, second presidential chief; Elizabeth Leach, guide; Mrs. Fredrick, herald; Mrs. Fredrick, Farber, chief of archers; Mrs. George Krai,

FORMERLY OK SCOFIELD CLOAK & SUIT CO. ORKIN BROS. 1510 DOUGLAS ST. FORMERLY OK SCOFIELD CLOAK & SUIT CO.

Omaha's Greatest Clearance Sale

OF VERY FINEST WEARING APPAREL FOR WOMEN AND MISSES WILL BE AT ITS HEIGHT SATURDAY—THOUSANDS OF STYLISH COATS AND TAILORED SUITS At Just Half Price

Both Coats and Suits at Just Half Price

- The Coats at Half Price: \$45.00 Loose Fitting Coats, January Clearance Sale Price \$22.50
Tailored Suits at Half Price: \$55.00 Tailored Suits, January Clearance Sale Price \$27.50

DEAD BODY BESIDE THE TRACK

Indications Are that Dick White of Amherst Was Run Down by Train.

KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—The body of a man, which was identified as that of Dick White of Amherst, was found at 11 o'clock Friday afternoon just west of the bridge over the Pacific railroad by a little girl.

WORLEY IN DANGEROUS CONDITION

Injured Mail Clerk Still in a Stupor as Result of Wreck.

KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Gilbert H. Worley, a clerk in the United States railway mail service and formerly of this city, was among those seriously injured in the rear-end collision which occurred at Bruis, Neb., Wednesday night.

TENANT KILLS HIS LANDLORD

S. E. Harkness Shot by Man Who He Sought to Eject.

ALMA, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—S. E. Harkness of this city, was murdered this morning by Eugene Marisfield. The crime was committed just at the edge of the city.

HAVELOCK WORKMAN INJURED

White-Fred Cornell, a man thirty years old, was working at a press drill in the Burlington shops yesterday.

Much excitement prevailed in the city over the shooting and for a time there was talk of violence, but the sober and better judgment of the people prevailed and the prisoner will be given a fair trial.

Water Seeping at Fremont

FREMONT, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—The water in the lower part of city south of tracks is still up. Between nine and ten last night it reached its highest point and has been slowly falling since then.

Hyattsville Gets New Principal

PERU, Neb., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Mr. Earl Haddell, having completed the work of the senior class of the State Normal school, has just been elected principal of the public schools at Hyattsville, Neb., at a salary of \$600 per month.

Can't Convince

some persons that coffee causes their ails, till they stop drinking it and use

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STEIGER SPECIAL Piano Values. You can get greater value for your money at our store than any other, because we are manufacturers and sell direct to the consumer.

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Amending Suit Against Journal.

Attorney General Thompson late this afternoon filed with the supreme court a motion to be allowed to amend the petition in the case against the State Journal company for \$35,000, alleged to have been collected by the Journal by the

Clearing Sales J. L. BRANDEIS "BOSTON STORE" & SONS Clearing Sales

HOSERY Underwear. Misses', children's and boys' hosiery, in medium and heavy weight—plain or fleeced—all sizes—some with garter top, at pair 10c-15c

CLARING SALE OF Lace Curtains and Draperies. Saturday in our new curtain department we will place on sale: 600 pair of lace curtains, worth up to \$2.00 a pair, will go at, each 49c

Rapid Clearing in the ART GOODS DEPT. 50c Lithograph Pillow Tops—Clearing Sale price 25c

WE CURE MEN FOR \$7.50 10 DAYS' TREATMENT \$1.50 By the Old Reliable Dr. Seear's & Seear's