

ON account of our securing the Matthews Piano Co. large stock of Fine Pianos, together with daily shipments that have been ordered for May delivery, we have decided to rent 50 choice new pianos for a term of six months without cartage charges.

We bought the Matthews stock at our own price and are closing out beautiful high class pianos at 1/3 to 1/2 their regular retail value. Don't neglect this sale, go at once to 1515 Harney Street.

THE BENNETT COMPANY Piano Dept.—Third Floor.

Embroidery Bargains At Kilpatrick's Wednesday

In the month of April we purchased all the sample pieces of Swiss and Nainsook Embroidery from one of the largest importers in this country. The entire purchase goes on sale Wednesday, April 6th, at 10:00 a m.

Thos. Kilpatrick & Co. These, we believe, are the best values in clean, perfect, new embroideries, which you will see this year. To be early is to get a pick.

Miller, Stewart & Beaton

113-15-17 South Sixteenth Street Large Gurtain Bargains

We are closing out the entire surplus stock of one of the largest NEW YORK LACE CURTAIN IMPORTERS. This stock was purchased at from 33 1/2 to 50c on the dollar and we will give our customers the full benefit of this purchase.



OH DON'T Refuse Her She is pleading for you to order that Summer Suit—and do it NOW.

MacCarthy-Wilson Tailoring Co. 304-306 SOUTH 4TH ST.

SAY FARMERS WANT TOO MUCH Railroad Employees Denounce Tillers of Soil for Their Demands. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., May 5.—(Special.)—At a mass meeting of railway employes, at which about seventy-five of the 800 residents here were present, the Omaha resolutions against the further reduction of freight rates by the State Railway commission were passed by unanimous vote.

NO MORE STOCK WATERING

State Railway Commission Lays Down Rule on Street Railway.

BOARD ASSUMES JURISDICTION

Nebraska Odd Fellows Are Pushing Candidacy of Joseph S. Hoagland of North Platte for Deputy Grand Sire.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 5.—(Special.)—In approving an issue of stock of the Citizens' Street Railway company, only on condition that the physical value of the property be increased a certain amount, the State Railway commission has taken upon itself the control of the issuance of stock of all common carriers in the state.

Odd Fellows Have Candidate.

The Nebraska delegation to the sovereign grand lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which convenes at Denver in September, is actively promoting the candidacy of Hon. Joseph S. Hoagland of North Platte for the position of deputy grand sire of that order.

Woodmen Here in Force.

Members of the Modern Woodmen of America have taken possession of Lincoln and the city fathers have asked them to spare nothing, but take everything in sight just so they have a good time.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder, between putting on and taking off your shoes, and it instantly takes the sting out of corns and blisters.

Burlington Looks into Assessment. E. D. Pollard, tax commissioner of the Burlington, and his assistants, who are assessing, have been going through the reports of the county assessors to see how the assessors took the railroad report.

Ryder Talks to Laborers. Labor Commissioner Ryder spoke at a meeting of the Carpenters' union tonight, saying among other things:

The state bureau of labor and industrial statistics will never measure its full possibilities for the future until it becomes equipped with the facilities for doing the work laid down for it by law.

Suit for Breach of Promise.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Ella Canfield today filed suit for damages in the sum of \$2,000 against Henry Fretz for breach of promise.

One License Granted at Norfolk.

NORFOLK, Neb., May 5.—(Special Telegram.)—One liquor license was granted today to the Gund Brewing company, which wholesales out of here.

A Life Sentence.

of suffering with throat and lung trouble was quickly removed by Dr. King's New Discovery, 50c and \$1.00. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Disturbed the Congregation.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. All druggists.

Nebraska News Notes.

NEBRASKA CITY.—Miss Clara Kipper, the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kipper, who ran away from home and was captured at Lincoln, was brought back by her mother last evening.

NEBRASKA CITY.—The case of the state against Grant Shelby, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. E. D. Tibbitts, has been on trial in the county court for the last two days.

NEBRASKA CITY.—There was a meeting of the stockholders of the Nebraska City Water and Light company held in this city last evening and the old officers were re-elected.

NEBRASKA CITY.—Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Neff, who reside in this city, have decided to move to Denver, Colo., to make their future home.

NEBRASKA CITY.—William Ryder, one of the best posted fruit men in this section, says he has examined the fruit crop and is inclined to the belief that about one-half of the peach crop is killed, while the apples and other fruit are injured but little.

BEATRICE.—G. L. Cole Tuesday celebrated the fifty-sixth anniversary of his arrival in Nebraska. He has been a resident of Beatrice for over thirty years.

BEATRICE.—A heavy rain visited this section last evening and during the night. The rainfall is estimated at over an inch and the moisture will be of great benefit to crops.

BEATRICE.—The annual field and track meet of League No. 1, comprising the towns of Beatrice, Fairbury, and Wilber, will be held here next Friday afternoon.

BEATRICE.—W. D. Flower of Kansas City, traveling representative for the Federal Tailoring company, is at Fall's sanitarium suffering from an injury to his back which he sustained by jumping from a train at a station in Kansas.

BEATRICE.—Bertha Goodin was taken to the Lincoln hospital at 47. She was convicted yesterday of stealing dresses from Mrs. Eleanor Brundage.

BLUE HILL.—C. F. Gund has commenced the tearing out of the front of the First National bank, and W. C. Primm has also started the work on his new building, adjoining the bank.

CHAPPELL.—The Chappell ball nine went up against the Little Rock team yesterday and trimmed them up to the tune of 2 to 2. Chappell has one of the strongest teams in the league and will play every team that wishes to match a game with them.

CHAPPELL.—The Chappell band of twenty pieces under the leadership of Prof. Whaley of Hyannis, Neb., is making rapid strides, and after three weeks of practice spent on the streets Saturday evening and gave a nice concert.

YORK.—At a business men's meeting held in the city hall Monday night, the members unanimously decided to celebrate July 4th, Alfred B. Christian, chairman of the meeting, was requested to make the address and already work is commenced to commemorate the celebration of July 4th in the grand old York way.

BENEDICT.—The prohibitionists lost in the saloon fight. Two of the members of the town board receiving the same number of votes decided to roll straws. One was for license and the other was for no license and the no license man lost.

YORK.—The little dinner at Dever's cafe, given by Mayor Collins to members of the city council in honor of retiring officials, was a most delightful occasion.

Elite Cloak Co. 1517 FARNAM ST. Ladies Suits at HALF PRICE. THIS WEEK WE ANNOUNCE THE MOST RADICAL REDUCTIONS ON OUR STRICTLY HIGH-CLASS MEN TAILORED SUITS FOR WOMEN AND MISSES.



Goodyear Raincoats "Reign" Supreme SMOKED OUT. Our Atlanta, Ga., Branch Store, located at 51 and 53 Whitehall street had part of its immense stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Cravenettes and Raincoats.

Destroyed by Fire, Water and Smoke. And with the smoke up went the lease of the store. Unable to renew it for the sale of that part of stock which has not been damaged, the board of directors ordered it to the Omaha Branch for distribution, which we now offer at this store at LESS THAN COST OF CLOTH.

GOODYEAR RAINCOAT CO. THE EXCLUSIVE RAINCOAT STORE IN OMAHA, S. E. Cor. 16th and Davenport Sts.

Special Announcement! The public is cordially invited to our store at 1311 and 1313 Farnam St., Wednesday evening, May 6th, at 8 P. M., when the distribution of the four grand prizes, including the magnificent \$400 Steger & Sons upright piano, will take place.