

That Great January Linen Sale Continues. Friday's Extra Specials

Friday we will place on sale a few extra specials in Fine Table Cloths—Friday only. Table Cloths. Two hundred \$4.00, 2x2 yards, Cloths, Friday sale... \$2.25

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"A Man Tailored Skirt." Those very words carry an air of chic and charm. You will be all the more convinced of the chic and charm of our man tailored skirts if you will step into our dress goods section and see the many beautiful models we are showing.

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born faction of the democratic majority in the senate. That the people of Lincoln are surprised at the action of their senator, especially as he was elected by republican votes, solely by reason of his splendid record as a private citizen, only partially expressed by Mr. Miller's constituents.

The complete domination of the senate by Ransom and his lieutenants sounds the death knell of progressive legislation and there are democratic senators here who will say this same thing in private. They are afraid to do so publicly.

Some members of the senate are also opposed to a certain plank in their party platform, and that plank is providing for the election of precinct assessors. Especially are those senators who have had experience with assessment work. A democratic senator said today: "The election of precinct assessors means that the man who promises to keep down the valuation of property will be elected. I know our platform calls for the election of precinct assessors, but I know that plank in our platform is wrong. For that reason I shall oppose any bill which contains that provision. I am in favor of leaving the revenue law just as it is. We cannot afford to go back to the system in vogue previous to the enactment of the new revenue law."

MAKING ROOM FOR FAITHFUL. Howells Has Bill to Remove Limit on Senate Employees.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—It took so many promises to carry Douglas county for the democrats that now it becomes necessary to repeal the law limiting the number of senate employees to give the "boys" all a job. Senator Howell this morning put in a bill to do away with the measure introduced by Governor Sheldon, when senator in 1906, designating the number of helpers needed in the senate and fixing the number at forty-nine. Already there are sixty-five employees of record, though three have gone back to the dear old home folks.

The appearance of a bunch of Omaha men today with voices sounding like ancient toadstools may have had something to do with the bill of Senator Howell. The Douglas county member showed in the measure at the last of the order of bills on first reading, by which time the roar of the Omaha contingent had gotten above high C. After the senate adjourned and the men from the metropolis had had opportunity to tell what they thought of the Douglas county senator and the democratic party as a whole and in sections, there were grave faces about the chamber and glaring eyes looking over the lobby rail at the three who have been doling out the spoils. It was "Billie" Corrigan of South Omaha, renowned as the handler of the Irish vote and without candidate for police judge of Packington, who had the greatest difficulty in keeping his feelings within his manly breast. To have labored by the saw's early light and to have chased the electors to the polls in hacks, on horseback and on foot was his pleasure during the campaign, and when he came to seek his regard, Governor Shallenbarger wanted to hand him a minor place in the penitentiary—"in the penitentiary!"

"They wanted me to go out there and ne with a wife and child," said "Billie." "In the penitentiary!" he said as he bit

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE. Adjournment is Taken Until Monday Afternoon.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—There was no business in the senate today save introduction of bills and bills on second reading. The members easily agreed to an adjournment at noon until Monday at 2 p. m.

The long adjournment was taken without consulting the house and if Sunday is not counted, comes within the constitutional limitation of an adjournment of one house without consulting the other. Heretofore Sunday has not been counted. Following are the bills introduced during the day:

S. F. 81 by Randall of Madison—To provide for the participation by the state of Nebraska in the Alaska-Yukon-Seattle exposition, to be held in the city of Seattle, state of Washington, in the year 1909.

S. F. 82 by Fuller of Beward—Providing for the establishment of a fund to be known as the "Coburn" fund, to be used for the purpose of providing for the education of the children of the late John Coburn, deceased.

S. F. 83 by S. H. Buck of Otoe—Fixing the salary of the reporter and clerk of the supreme court at \$2,000.

S. F. 84 by Ransom of Douglas (by request of D. L. Johnson)—Gives widow right to elect whether to accept dower interest or share under will.

S. F. 85 by Ransom of Douglas (by request of T. F. Baxter)—To provide safeguards for the mortgaging of lands of minors and infants, controlling and investing the proceeds thereof.

S. F. 86 by Howell of Douglas—To repeal section 11, chapter 48, of the consolidated statutes, the act limiting number of senate employees.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS OF HOUSE. Committee to Confer With Other States on Demurrage Bill.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Speaker Pool appointed the following committee to confer with the legislatures of neighboring states regarding a uniform demurrage law and freight rates: Bowman, chairman; Gates, Second district; Lawrence, Third district; Ritchie, Fourth district; Lehigh, First district; Brown of Sherman, Sixth district.

The house decided to have typewritten two copies of the journal daily to be placed on the speaker's desk in lieu of printed journals.

The appropriations providing money for the incidental expenses of the legislature and for the pay of the members and their employees was passed over the committee to be engaged for passage tomorrow.

The house adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow, after an effort had been made to adjourn until Monday.

The following bills were introduced in the house:

H. R. 60, by Beggs of Gage—Appropriating \$10,000 for new building at the institute for the Feeble Minded at Beatrice.

H. R. 61, by Taylor of Cass—Providing for taxation of real estate mortgages.

H. R. 62, by Griffin of Burr—Giving county boards authority to create road districts.

TILLMAN TAKES FLOOR AGAIN. Further Denials and Explanations by Senator From South Carolina.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The Ananias club was discussed in the senate today by Senator Tillman, who declared that statements made by Attorney General Bonaparte and Postmaster General Meyer in reply to his reply to charges made against him by the president in relation to his contemplated purchase of Oregon timber lands made him eligible to membership in that organization.

He again defended his action and said in fighting the men who are determined "to destroy" him, he was "prepared for anything, even assassination."

He quoted the portion of Mr. Bonaparte's statement in which Mr. Tillman had told him of his desire to obtain some of the lands in question and flatly contradicted the head of the Department of Justice.

He declared that he had been entirely frank with Mr. Bonaparte and that Mr. Meyer had not been interested in his lands. He attributed the attorney general's attitude to a desire to "bolster up" the president.

Postmaster General Meyer was brought into the discussion because of a statement made by him regarding the investigation of the Dorr case. Mr. Tillman said that Meyer had not been made to appear at the inquiry but that it appeared that the inquiry had been directed originally against Dorr and not against Mr. Tillman and not against Dorr.

Mr. Tillman was also careful to bring to the attention of the senate that he had attempted to get a non-governmental land at all, but land granted as far back as 1858 under the condition that it should be sold at \$2.50 per acre.

Mr. Tillman closed with a renewal of his demand for an investigation. He said he was prepared for anything, even the knife of the assassin.

Postal Savings Bank Bill. The bill to establish postal savings banks and the omnibus claims bill were under consideration during the day.

Senator Carter offered a substitute for the section relating to the payment of interest on deposits. The new section provides for the payment of each year 2 per cent on deposits of not less than \$1 nor more than \$50 and accumulated interest.

Senator Fulton urged Mr. Carter to permit the bill to go over that the omnibus claims bill might be taken up. He ventured the belief that the measure would not be taken up.

Mr. Carter said that he had been unable to vote on the measure at the present session.

"All senators do not realize that," replied Mr. Carter.

"If what the senator from Oregon suggested," interjected Mr. Hopkins, "I hope the bill will be passed in session and out of session. It is a bill in the interest of the people and is favored by the president, the president-elect and by the postmaster general and it should pass."

Mr. Carter said that he would further present the measure at a later session and have an opportunity to speak he would ask that a day be fixed for a vote. The bill was then laid aside.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE. Proposition Regarding Renewal of Conflict With President Tabled.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—For a time today in the house of representatives it looked as though that body would further present the proposition of the members of congress and the civil service by ordering the printing of 2,000,000 copies of the proceedings of last Friday tabling his remarks. A resolution to that end was presented by Mr. Landis of Indiana, but so strong was the sentiment against it that it was laid aside.

The District of Columbia appropriation bill was passed, minus the major part of the appropriation of \$10,000 for playgrounds and the house at 6:20 p. m. adjourned.

DEVERESE MAY RECOVER. (Continued from First Page.)

ous wound. Clark received a bullet in each groin and in the abdomen.

Clark's bullet passed through the neck and rushed to the scene with the patrol wagon and both the wounded detective and the robber-murderer were taken as rapidly as possible to the Omaha General hospital.

Dr. Condon was called to assist in attending the wounded officer, while Clark's injuries were also dressed by a joint team of all members of the Army and Navy union, of which he is an honorary member.

Mr. Dawson's speech was on the subject of naval reorganization, in which he took occasion to swipe the present bureau system of the navy as it stands under existing laws.

He said that this magnificent navy of ours was entitled to a modern system of administration and that a proper co-ordination and correlation of bureaus should be secured by making them subordinate to the secretary of the navy.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. TAKE LAXATIVE BROMO QUINA TABLETS. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box, 25c.

Chief Prales Smith. Officer Smith was a comparatively young man, about 30 years of age, and had been in the police force for six years. He leaves a wife and a child. His home is at 5224 North Twenty-ninth street. His body was turned over to the coroner shortly after his death.

The time for the inquest has not yet been fixed, and it probably will not be held until Saturday morning, as the county attorney has advised Coroner Hickey to take all the time necessary. The principal witnesses in the inquest are, of course, unable to leave the hospital now, and time will be required for the police to gather complete information in the case.

Coroner's Physician Dunn made an examination of the body Thursday morning. A new home had recently been bought by Patrolman Smith, \$500 yet remaining to be paid on it. He carried \$1,000 worth of insurance in the Woodmen of the World, and the widow will receive \$500 from the Police Relief association. Smith belonged to the Eagles and the fellow lodgesmen will probably help in the funeral. The police will have charge of the services and escort the body to the grave.

The funeral will probably be held Saturday afternoon at the residence.

Detective Devereese has been on the force for almost fourteen years. He is married and has three children. His home is at 230 Leavenworth street.

Chief Prales Smith. Chief Donahue said Thursday morning: "During the six years Officer Smith had served on the force, charges had never been preferred against him for any cause, and he was considered one of the best patrolmen on the force. He was quiet, gentlemanly, careful and of good habits, and we all regret his death."

HERO FAILS TO SAVE TRAIN. Chicago Flagman Loses Life Trying to Avert Collision.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—An unidentified hero lost his life today in an unsuccessful attempt to prevent section 2 of the Chicago and Northwestern from crashing into section 1. His crushed and almost unrecognizable body was dug from beneath the wreckage. A signal flag identified him as a flagman who had stood on the rear platform of the first section probably endeavoring to signal the engineer of the onrushing second section. Engineer Virge and Fireman Johnson, who were taken before Assistant Chief of Police Schuetter, declared that fog shut out all view of the track ahead until too late. The flagman remained at his post too long and was killed.

The fast mail was split in two sections at Omaha last night. Section 1 was awaiting orders at Union and Kinzie streets when the crash occurred. The engineer of the second section ploughed through the rear car of the forward section. Windows were shattered in the first two cars of the second section and a number of passengers were cut by flying glass.

There was a wild scramble through doors and windows. The only persons seriously injured were Charles Johnson of Sioux City, Ia., who was on his way to Sweden, and Edward Jacobs, colored.

Our infants' hand made shoes that sell regularly for \$1.35 and \$1.50 on sale Saturday at 8c. Benson & Thorne Co. Lilliputian Bazaar.

Where to eat. Meal Tickets Free at Hansons. Every person who takes a meal at Toif Hansons' basement restaurant may choose the number who visit there during the day. Every day the nearest guess wins a meal.

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BURWOOD. Phone: Doug. 1506; Ind. A-1506. Mrs. Fisk's Great Drama "TESS" DURESS WILLIES. Next Sunday—"MR. BARNES OF NEW YORK."

KRUG Theater. Tonight—Matinee Saturday. GEO. M. COHAN'S MUSICAL PLAY THE HONEYMOONERS. SUNDAY, LOTTIE WILLIAMS.

AUDITORIUM. Skating All This Week Except Friday. Great Exhibitions by PROF. ALBERT WALTZ. Admission 10 cts. Skates 20 cts.

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WESTERGAM JESS WESTERGAM vs. LUNDIN. Red Hot Preliminary Between JACK KINNEY and LEWIS SCHWAGER. RESERVED SEATS 50c AND 75c. GENERAL ADMISSION 25c.

Palace. Attend the Great Sale Friday

Hundreds are taking advantage of the greatest price reductions that have ever been known in Omaha. You'd better come in tomorrow if you want to save ONE-HALF OFF ON ALL SUITS AND OVERCOATS IN THE STORE.

\$ 7.50 Suits or Overcoats... \$3.75. \$10.00 Suits or Overcoats... \$5.00. \$12.50 Suits or Overcoats... \$6.25. \$15.00 Suits or Overcoats... \$7.50. FANCY VESTS ONE-THIRD OFF.

Heavy Fleece Underwear, two colors, regular 60c value; clearance price... 29c.

A RARE SHOE BARGAIN. Men's fine black, tan and ox blood shoes, in calf, velour, vici and patent leathers; lace, button or Blucher styles. \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.25. \$5.00 values, now... \$2.45.

A GENUINE SLAT CLEARANCE. Men's fine soft and stiff hats, in black, brown and green colors, worth to \$2.50, now... \$1.45.

Men's worsted pants 75c, men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 wool pants \$1.45, men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 underwear 40c, men's \$1.75 sweaters 40c, black slaten shirts 30c, men's negligee dress shirts 30c.

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The St. Louis Salvage & Wrecking Co., at 1316-1318 Farnam Street, Are Making the Greatest Sacrifice on Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings That Has Ever Known in Omaha.

Ever since we started this sale last Saturday we have done a tremendous business. We have thousands of dollars worth of goods yet to get rid of. The St. Louis Salvage and Wrecking Co. of St. Louis are going to cut prices deeper in order to move these goods fast. The public has responded; they have not only got the biggest bargains they ever got, but they in turn have sent in the friends. To all those who have not been in to this sale we want to say that no matter what you need in wearing apparel for yourself or your wife, be sure and call here first. We find ourselves loaded up with certain things in enough cash to pay for what the garments cost to construct. We have on hand more than 250 dozen of men's shirts, cuffs attached, that sold for \$1.00 and \$1.50 that we are going to sell for 50c. We have more than fifteen dozen of men's black soft hats, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. 75c. This is only to give you an idea of how we are conducting business at this sale.

A FEW MORE PRICES. All wool black vicuna, venetian lined cravattes, \$20.00 values for \$7.95; \$25.00 pure Australian hand finished worsted suits, serge lined, \$30.00 men's black velvet overcoats, positively \$25.00 values, at \$12.95; men's \$25.00 suits, \$24.95; \$20.00 coats, \$12.95; \$15.00 shoes, \$2.45; \$1.75 sweater coats, 70c; Martin-Cott's \$3.50 hats, \$1.95; \$1.50 Lion brand shirts, soft and stiff fronts, 90c.

NOTICE. The above prices are the greatest values ever given in Omaha. There is absolutely no exaggeration. Call and see for yourself and save money. Our store is located at 1216-1218 Farnam St. Look for the red signs. St. Louis Salvage and Wrecking Co.

BRANDELS. In Our Basement Clothing Dept. A GREAT CLEARING SALE. \$3.00 and \$2.00 boys' knee pants suits, ages 6 to 14, \$3 and \$2 boys' Russian overcoats, ages 2 to 9, \$3.50 and \$3.50 boys' stylish resters, ages 3 to 9. Boys' \$1.50 Knickerbocker Pants—made of woolen materials—extra strong, 39c. \$2.00 and \$2.50 Men's Pants, tweeds and scotches, prices cut down to \$1. Men's \$10 Overcoats and Suits at \$2.98. Smaller size men can get the biggest bargains ever offered; accumulated lot small sizes must be sold at once. New, up-to-date suits or overcoats, worth up to \$10.00, out to \$2.98.

COOK, Neb., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Peter Bombarger, one of the earliest settlers of this vicinity, died at his home in Burr, of apoplexy. He was with his family, settled on a homestead three miles southwest of Cook in 1858. He is survived by his wife and seven children. He will be given a Masonic burial on Friday at Cook cemetery.

A BIG PURCHASE. From a Brooklyn Factory of Women's, Misses' and Children's Fine Footwear. George Baker & Sons sold for cash a large order of their finest product of "Starlight" shoes that had been made up for a Milwaukee store, but some controversy came up at time of shipment and our buyer was in the factory when it was decided to turn the lot into cash instead of any uncertainty. The shoes are here—over 1,100 pairs—and the shoe department is working overtime to arrange them for quick selling, beginning Saturday, January 16. See Friday's paper. BENSON & THORNE CO. (Lilliputian Bazaar.)

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