

NEBRASKA FIRST IN WHEAT

V. B. Stelek Wins on Spring Wheat Sample Given Many Tests. JOHN SHOW PRIZES ANNOUNCED. Wheat Awards Were Held Until All Samples Were Milled by Minneapolis Company, Giving Complete Tests.

Nebraska won first prize for the best wheat for light bread flour at the National Corn exposition, the winners being announced for the first time Monday, when returns were received from the Minneapolis mill.

W. D. Stelek of Grand Island was the winner. The prize is a complete farm electric lighting plant, given by the Orr Gas Engine Starter company of Omaha.

The sample for spring wheat for which Nebraska has never been quite famous, but the product of the state is recognized by millers as being the best grown, only they cannot get enough of it to make a good showing every year.

The contest was open to the world. Thirty-five entries were made from all parts of the wheat growing area, including Minnesota, which won most of the prizes. The wheat was not only judged by the experts from agricultural colleges and the inspectors from the leading grain exchanges of the United States, but it was given the laboratory test in the best equipped milling laboratories, then it was milled by the Washburn-Crosby company of Minneapolis, makers of some of the best flour in the world.

Wins on Many Scores. When these reports were all in, the wheat was given a certain number of scores for each test. Mr. Stelek's wheat had 44 scores for a total of 100.

Points: Yield of flour, 20; Texture and color of loaf, 15; Rise of loaf, 15; Absorption, 10; Soundness and flavor, 10; Per cent and quality of gluten, 10. Total score, 100.

Gluten Content Decides. In this class the samples of John Cheney and J. W. Binall scored an equal number of points, also the samples of B. H. Thompson and Merritt Green, Jr., had an equal number, but the decision of the judges was made in favor of the sample scoring the highest number of points in quantity and quality of gluten and absorption, which were considered of most importance.

Winners of other wheat prizes will be made known in a few days. During the exposition only a few awards were made, as the National Corn exposition had announced its determination to give all wheat samples to the classes of most importance the milling test. It was the first time a grain show ever made this test before awarding premiums and furnishes a complete test at once conclusive and undisturbable.

NEWLYWEDS DODGE SHERIFF. L. C. Cooper of Elk City Wanted as a Jurer, but He and Bride Side-step Successfully.

A little bride is fondly hoping that Sheriff Bralley will not find her husband and west him from her arms. Not that the sheriff would look him up to await trial or anything of that sort, but the sheriff would nevertheless put a crimp in the honeymoon which would be nothing short of a tragedy.

L. C. Cooper of Elk City is the bridegroom whom the sheriff wishes to find. Last Tuesday Cooper was drawn upon a special venire impaneled because the supply of jurors for the Goodell case was being exhausted. A deputy fared forth to Elk City, but did not find Cooper. That man had gone to Waterloo to be married and married he was. The requisition is with good, however, and when a deputy can locate Cooper he will serve the papers upon him.

It is not alleged that the bridegroom is hiding, though it would not be strange if he and the bride should prolong the wedding trip.

HERMAN PETERS WINS SUIT. Gets Victory in Damage Suit Where Defendant Asked for Five Thousand Dollars.

Herman B. Peters, proprietor of the Merchants hotel, achieved a victory Monday morning in Judge Day's court when that jurist entered the jury to bring in a verdict for the defendant in a damage suit. Justice Benson was the plaintiff in the case and asked \$5,000 damages for injuries received in the elevator of the hotel. The case went to the supreme court after a previous trial, and the decision of Judge Day Monday, he said, was in accordance with the ruling of the body upon the question involved. The plaintiff took an exception to the court's directing the verdict.

MCCRACKEN LOSES HIS CASE. Falls to Get Money Asked of South Omaha Board of Education.

George F. McCracken, at one time almost superintendent of the South Omaha schools, lost his suit in county court Monday morning against the Magic City Board of Education. McCracken sued for \$22, he alleged was due him through his loss by reason of the action of the board. He claimed that he was appointed to the position, but never allowed to fill it, the board electing another man after him. The \$22 is the difference between the salary which he would have received and what he did get in the position he was forced to take.

Frightful Spasms of the stomach, liver torpor, lame back and weak kidneys are overcome by Electric Bitters. Guaranteed. 50c. For sale by Beston Drug Co.

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Unheard of Bargains IN OUR GREAT Rug Sale

THIS GIGANTIC STOCK IS MUCH TOO LARGE TO BE DISPOSED OF IN ONE DAY. ON TUESDAY THE VARIETIES WILL BE AS GREAT AS EVER.

This is the entire stock of a prominent eastern concern which discontinued the rug business. Those who were kept at home by the cold weather today will get just as big bargains Tuesday.

SUCH A SALE OF RUGS AS THIS WILL PROBABLY NEVER OCCUR AGAIN. It is scarcely possible that we could again secure such an immense stock at such a low price. We urge you, by all means, to come to Brandeis store Tuesday. Thousands of Rugs to choose from.

\$30 AXMINSTER RUGS at \$15.98 High quality Axminster, in 9x12 size—all perfect spring goods—many in rich Oriental effects—always sold up to \$30—for \$15.98

\$22.50 VELVET RUGS (9x12)—ALSO ROOM SIZE SEAMLESS BRUSSELS RUGS \$11.98 These rugs are seamless and never before offered at a sale—room sizes, at \$11.98

9x12 GENUINE WILTON SEAMLESS RUGS Rugs of this elegant character can't be bought anywhere else for less than \$55. We specially mention the new plain center rugs in rich color effects, at \$29.98

\$5 Quarter Section Rugs \$1.98 \$5 Axminster Rugs \$1.59 Fine Brussels and Wilton Velvet Rugs for small bed rooms \$1.98 27-inch Axminsters, in new spring patterns, great bargains, at \$1.59

BRANDEIS STORES ALL THIS WEEK—Our Main Floor.

Special Demonstration and Sale of the Famous HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS

Advertisement for Heatherbloom Petticoats featuring an illustration of a woman in a petticoat and text describing the quality and availability of the garments.

BRANDEIS STORES Great Embroidery Sale

New Allover Embroideries and Waistings—Also elegant new lots of 27-inch skirt flouncings—thousands of yards on bargain square, Tuesday, worth up to 75c a yard, at 39c. 18-inch Skirtings, Corset Covers Embroideries and Flouncings—Crisp, new embroideries of Swiss, nainsook and cambric—many are worth 50c a yard—special, Tuesday, yard, at 29c. Medium width Embroideries and fine gallow Beadings, at 10c. NEW LOTS OF WASH LACES in a variety of desirable widths and patterns—worth up to 12 1/2c yard—at 5c.

\$1.00 Spring Silks at 59c Shadow stripe peau de mouseline and plain weave peau de gant, beautiful street and evening shades—a real \$1.00 yard silk, at 59c.

BRANDEIS STORES Wedding Rings

Tiffany shape, also wider oval gold bands; all sizes or will make you any shape you desire. We have our own shop where we make or repair anything in the jewelry line. Look for the name. S. W. LINDSAY, Jeweler 1516 DOUGLAS STREET

DR. BRADBURY, DENTIST 1506 FARNAM STREET, 17 YEARS same office. Phone 2, 1795. Bridge Work, per tooth, up from \$2.50. Nerves removed without pain. ALVAREZ WORK A SPECIALTY. Work guaranteed ten years.

The Bee for All the Sporting News

BENNETT'S SPRING STYLE BOOK, with 1,500 late styles and 100 Ladies' Home Journal Patterns 20c

Children's Stockings

Three exceptional Tuesday bargains for boys and girls; strong and durable stockings, in winter weights, at less than wholesale cost. Children's fleeced lined Stockings, in all sizes, heavily ribbed, regular 17c quality—Tuesday's price 12c

Boys' heavy ribbed Stockings, excellent wearing quality, the kind that a rolling boy needs, regular 20c kinds, Tuesday 12c

Girls' fine ribbed imported Stockings, with double knees, rich lustrous black, the identical quality retelling everywhere at 25c, Tuesday, pair 17c

50 Doz. Black Sateen Shirts on Sale Tuesday, Regular Price 75c, for 38c

We secured these shirts at a price much less than they cost at the factory. They are first quality shirts—the kind you cannot duplicate in any store under the cash. All sizes, 14 to 19. The materials are of the best, the workmanship unsurpassed. A pronounced bargain and you'll have to hurry; choice, 38c

\$2.00 SHIRTS, Still on Sale \$1.15 at

New Shirts, mind you. Clean, fresh stock, and best of patterns and materials. 250 dozen of them; plain and pleated, coat and regular styles. All sizes—a shirt bargain extraordinary—at a mere fraction over half value. \$1.15

Bennett's Big Grocery

- Bennett's Capitol Coffee, lb. pkg. 25c and 40 stamps. Tetley's Sunflower Tea, lb. 70c and 50 stamps. Pure Black Pepper, can. 10c and 5 stamps. Candied Orange Peel, lb. 12 1/2c. California Prunes, 12 1/2c quality, lb. 5c. Poppy Evaporated Milk, large can. 10c and 5 stamps. Finest Soda Crackers, fresh, pkg. 10c and 10 stamps. Seedless Raisins, 15c quality, 8c, or two pounds, 15c. Evaporated Black Raspberries, lb. 40c and 20 stamps. Pomegranate Corn, three cans. 25c and 10 stamps. Newport Catsup, bottle. 10c and 5 stamps. Schupp's Coconut, 1/2 lb. pkg. 10c and 10 stamps. Stallwerk's Premium Chocolate, 1/2 lb. 25c and 10 stamps. Diamond S Chili Sauce, bottle. 15c and 10 stamps. Nectarine Slices, worth 12 1/2c, special, lb. 8c; two for 15c. Bennett's Capitol Oats, 2-4 pkg. 10c and 15 stamps. Burnham's 20c Clam Chowder, can. 12 1/2c. Granulated Sugar, 30 stamps with each dollar's worth. Bennett's Capitol Flour, 24-lb. sack. 85c and 30 stamps. Heinz' Extra Spiced Pickles, quart. 20c and 20 stamps. Heinz' Sweet Mixed Pickles, quart. 25c and 20 stamps.

REDUCED RATES to the BIG HORN BASIN and YELLOWSTONE VALLEY

On Tuesdays March 2d and 16th, 1909, and on the first and third Tuesdays of each month thereafter, I will personally conduct land seekers' excursions to the Big Horn Basin and Yellowstone Valley; where some of the richest lands in the world are open to sale and settlement. ROUND TRIP RATE HAS BEEN SPECIALLY REDUCED TO ONLY \$27.50 from any station on the Burlington in Nebraska to any point in the Big Horn Basin or Yellowstone Valley, near Billings, Mont.

CROP YIELDS—50 bu. wheat, 60 to 90 bu. oats, 70 bu. barley, 3 cuttings alfalfa, 250 to 300 bu. potatoes, 18 to 22 tons sugar beets, and as an extreme illustration, one farmer sold \$900 worth of onions from three-quarters of an acre of irrigated land.

ADVANTAGES—Deep, rich soil. Unlimited water supply. Perfect climate. Timber and coal nearby. No cyclones nor floods. Pure water for domestic use.

PAYMENTS EASY—\$45.00 an acre under the Government ditch, one-tenth cash, balance nine yearly payments without interest. \$40 to \$50 an acre under the Cary Act, one-eighth to one-fourth cash, balance nine payments 6 per cent interest.

NEW FOLDER FREE—Just off the press, describing the wonderful recent growth of these localities, crop returns, etc. Write for it today.

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TUESDAY'S SPECIAL BARGAIN OFFERINGS

WATCH FOR WEDNESDAY'S TAILOR SUIT BARGAINS. HAYDEN'S THE RELIABLE STORE. OUT-OF-TOWN CUSTOMERS SHOULD ORDER BY MAIL.

Bargain Day in the Cloak Dept. \$15.00 Tailor Suits, all sizes, good colors and styles, choice, \$3.95. Women's Long Winter Coats, to \$10 value, samples and odd lots, choice, \$2.95. \$7.50 Walking Skirts, big assortment for selection, \$1.45. Near Seal and Astrakhan Fur Coats values to \$40, on sale, \$19.90. \$3.00 Heatherbloom Underskirts, in colors and black, on sale, choice, \$1.45. \$1.95

MANUFACTURER'S STOCK SHOE SALE Continues With Increased Interest Tuesday. Several thousand pairs of Men's and Ladies' Shoes, secured from two of the best known manufacturers of Boston, Mass., all styles, all leathers, all sizes, regular \$3.00 and \$2.50 values—all at one price \$1.98. Biggest bargains ever shown in Omaha. From 9 to 11 a. m., Children's Shoes, regular \$1.25 values, at 75c pair.

Extra Specials for Famous Domestic Room Tuesday in Our. From 9 to 9:30 A. M. One case of 11-4 Blankets, fine felted cotton, regular price \$1.50 pr., 2 pairs limit, at pair, 68c. From 10 to 10:30. One case of fine fluff, light striped 10c Outing Flannel for night shirts or skirts, 10 yard limit, at, yard, 5c. From 2 to 2:30. One case of 40 inch Lawns, fine 12 1/2c quality, 10 yards limit, yard 4 1/2c. From 3 to 3:30. One case of 10c fine Cambric, yard wide, soft finish, 10 yards limit, at, yard 5c. ALL DAY. Arnold's 15c Flannelettes, 10c. Arnold's 12 1/2c Flannelettes, 7 1/2c. Arnold's 10c Flannelettes, 6 1/2c. 15c Percales, all colors, 35-inch 10c. Ten other specials.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables. Omaha's Greatest Market for Fresh Vegetables at Summer Prices. Fresh Beets, per bunch, 35c. Fresh Carrots, per bunch, 25c. Fresh Turnips, per bunch, 25c. Fresh Cauliflower, per bunch, 35c. Fresh Parsley, large bunches, 35c. Fresh Onions, large bunches, 25c. Fresh Sweet Potatoes, pound, 35c. 2 heads fresh Lettuce, 25c. Fresh Cabbage, pound, 25c. Fresh Hothouse Radishes, 3 bunches 5c. Old Carrots, Turnips, Parsnips, Rutabagas, Red Onions, White Onions, Etc., per pound, 2c. Fresh Spinach, per peck, 20c. Fancy Cucumbers, each, 20c, 25c, 30c and 40c. Bellpepper, bunch, 20c, 25c, 30c and 40c. Large Grape Fruit, each, 25c. New Honey, per rack, 12 1/2c. Highland Savas Excel All Others for quality, richness of flavor and sweetness. They are finest grown in California, and demand a much higher price. To introduce them into the homes of the people, we will continue to sell this car at the following prices: Regular 25c size, per dozen, 15c. Regular 30c size, per dozen, 20c. Regular 40c size, per dozen, 25c. Regular 50c size, per dozen, 30c. Also some for, per dozen, 15c and 10c.

DON'T FORGET TRY HAYDEN'S FIRST IT PAYS. Ground floor office in The Bee Building. East front on Seventeenth street, one door north of Farnam, size 16 1/2 x 40 1/2. The fire-proof vault in connection with this room is 6 1/2 x 12 1/2 and there is also a cloak and wash room, conveniently arranged. There is an entrance from the court to this room, making a good and accessible office to reach the public. It will be available April first. Small offices with vaults. Did you ever stop to consider the value of a vault in connection with an office? It gives you a place to keep your books and valuable papers in case of fire breaking out in your office. You don't need to lock up your office every time you are called out. Many customers are lost when they find the door locked and no place to wait for your return. We offer a small room with vault on the fourth floor just west of the elevator. Easy of access and convenient to the public and the rent is only \$17.50 per month. The Bee Building Company ASK TO SEE THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDING, ROOM 103.

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