

Wealth of Spring Loveliness in both garment and fabric fashion almost prodigal in the assortments for selection, the most clever style conceptions of the world's best designers, coupled with most moderate prices. A display which marks first in quality and variety of showing. A display so comprehensive that every style idea of the most discriminating buyer can be readily satisfied.

HAYDEN'S

THE RELIABLE STORE

Scores of special purchases made expressly for this event, will add bargain spice to the buying during the next ten days. Knowing our facilities for handling goods in large quantities, manufacturer's and wholesaler's apply first to Hayden's for a quick disposal of surplus and some of the best propositions we have ever secured will be offered during the next few days.

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Grand Spring Opening Display and Sale

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Fashion's Favorites in Women's Outergarments

Months of careful preparation, comparison and selection has resulted in the bringing together of the most charming assortment of spring style ideas it has ever been our fortune to offer.



Distinctiveness of design, perfection of tailoring and material, coupled with very moderate price, marks this not only the most delightful, but most profitable place for selection. No place in the country will you find variety and quality surpassing, or values equaling our opening offerings. Every day one or more grand special offerings will delight the throngs of buyers visiting this department.

Charming New Dress Styles, in satins, messalines and other high class fabrics, in all the most modish new designs—on sale at, each, **\$75.00, \$50.00, \$35.00 and \$25.00**

A Special Purchase of 175 Foulard Taffetas and Messaline Dresses—Newest spring shades, actual values to \$30.00; Friday, at **\$12.50**

The Most Complete and Best Showing of Spring Tailor Suit Styles ever attempted—hundreds upon hundreds of new beauties await your examination and selection; at prices, **\$25, \$29.50, \$35, \$49 to \$75**

\$30.00 Tailor Suits on Sale \$19.90—All the wanted materials and colorings, in the popular hipless effects; special manufacturer's stock purchase; made to sell at \$30.00, choice **\$19.90**

New Spring Waist Styles—A display embracing all the best makes and most exclusive and choice designs, anything you could wish, at **98c to \$25.00**

New Spring Coat Styles—Coverts, chiffon, broadcloths, silks, etc., 30, 36 to 52-inch lengths; choicest assortments and values shown at prices up from—**\$10.00 \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$20.00**

Women's Percalé House Dresses, worth \$2.00, opening sale price **\$1.25**
Children's Gingham Rompers; the regular 50c quality, sale price **25c**

Extra Specials for Spring Opening Sale Friday
200 Women's Black Underskirts; regular \$1.00 values; choice **29c**

\$10.00 Spring Jackets \$5.95—100 new garments in the lot, satin lined and well worth \$10.00; special **\$5.95**

Women's Long Crepe Kimonos, well worth \$3.00; sale price **\$1.25**
\$3.00 Heatherbloom Underskirts, in colors and black; on sale Friday at **\$1.45**

Grand Opening Sale New Ruchings

This great lot of Fancy Ruchings was bought for the exclusive use of our wholesale department, but on account of the scarcity of Ruching this season, we are offering the entire stock at retail during our Spring Opening Sale. All widths, all colors.

AT WHOLESALE PRICES.
25c Ruchings at, yard..... 15c
35c Ruchings at, yard..... 19c
40c Ruchings at, yard..... 25c

NEW LEATHER GOODS
\$1.50 Ladies' Hand Bags..... 49c
\$2.50 Ladies' Hand Bags..... 95c
Odd Boys' Pants, worth from 50c to \$2.00, at..... 25c to 95c

\$65 Ardebel Wilton Rugs \$49.00
A rug made specially to meet the demands of buyers of high class Wilton Rugs. More attractive colorings and designs are not produced or their equals shown in quality elsewhere, 8x12 size, special sale price **\$49.00**

Snowy Undermuslins in Magnificent assortment of Dainty Styles

A display in which the refined tastes of dainty womanhood finds fullest expression—showing throughout the entire line greatest care in selection of only the most dependable. The finish in every instance from the most delightful, dainty French creations to the plainest of the domestic productions, you'll find of very superior quality.

Skirts 98c to \$25.00—Gowns \$1.50 to \$15.00

Combination Suits, two or three-piece styles, in such well known makes as La Greque, Leona and others, at **50c to \$7.50**

Corset Covers 25c to \$2.98—Chemise 98c up.

Drawers, Circular or tailor cut, great assortment shown, at from **50c to \$2.98**

Two Special Bargains for Friday
9 A. M. to 12 M.—Ladies' Gowns, worth regularly to \$2.00, at choice **69c**
2 to 5 P. M.—Ladies' Corset Covers, Drawers, worth to \$1.00, at **29c**



Spring Opening Sale of Silks

With a display of rich new silks which more than maintain its reputation as the leading silk department of Omaha and the west we are prepared this season to offer to our customers values in high class silks never before duplicated here or elsewhere in Omaha. No wish in weave or coloring can be expressed but we are prepared to supply.

THREE GREAT OFFERINGS FOR FRIDAY'S SALE
\$2.00 Satin Finished Silks, \$1.10—A magnificent assortment of these most beautiful and stylish dress silks, 500 pieces to choose from, in all the richest new colorings and weaves, values to \$2.00 yard—**20 in. 69c 27 in. 89c 36 in. \$1.19**
Messalines, Poplins, Satin Liberty's, Taffetas, Novelty Silks—In stripes, checks and Jacquard effects, Natural Fongoes, etc., in almost unlimited assortment; all new goods, grouped for our Spring Opening Sale in two lots; values to \$1.50 yard—at **39c and 65c**

\$32.50 Body Brussels Rugs \$25
Beautiful and artistic patterns and color blendings, 8x12 size, best of variety of materials and a truly matchless value at our special opening sale Friday, **\$25**

\$35 Willone Rugs, Choice \$28.50
8x12 size, a rich high pile pure worsted fabric, woven according to the most modern ideas, beautiful in design and coloring. A magnificent value, at our spring opening sale price **\$28.50**

To Be Properly Gowned

is a very simple art if proper care is taken in the selection and fitting of the corset, and in our corset department we not only show the new spring styles for every figure but our expert fitters guarantee a perfect adjustment. Among the many new spring models and makes shown in complete assortment are:

Warner's \$1.00 to \$3.50; Kabos \$1.00 to \$5.00; R. & Gs. \$1.00 to \$8.00; Royal Worcester \$1.00 to \$3.00; W. Bs. \$1.00 to \$3.50; Nemos \$1.50 to \$3.50.

\$1.50 W. B. Corsets Friday 98c—As our opening day special we will offer our regular \$1.50 W. B. corsets in all sizes, **98c**

Our Tremendous Stock of Hosiery includes the very best produced both in foreign and domestic manufacture. See Our Display of Silk Hose—Matchless values—**\$1.00 to \$5.00**

Ladies' Imported Silk and Gauze Lisle Hose, plain and choice lace patterns, values to 98c. **49c**
50c plain or lace lisle
Hose—Black, white or fancies; special Friday at **25c**
Ladies' and Children's 19c plain and fancy Hose, **12 1/2c**

Amazing Bargains in New Embroideries

We have just received the entire surplus stock of short lengths of embroideries and insertings from Loeb, Schoenfeld Co., 451 Broadway, N. Y., the largest in the world, strips from 4 1/2 to 6 yards in length and ranging from the dainty narrow baby widths to the beautiful 27-inch skirt flouncings.

Twenty-five cases of these goods, included in the purchase, will be placed on sale from day to day at **JUST HALF REGULAR RETAIL PRICES.**

10c Embroideries, Edges and Insertions, yard..... **5c**
15c Embroideries, Edges and Insertions, yard..... **7 1/2c**
25c Embroideries, Edges and Insertions, yard..... **12 1/2c**
\$1.00 Corset Cover Embroideries and Skirt Flouncings at..... **49c**
50c Corset Cover Embroideries and Skirt Flouncings at..... **25c**
30c Corset Cover Embroideries, yard..... **15c**

\$15.00 Shirvan Brussels Rug \$11.50
Extra close woven, reversible Oriental patterns, 8x12 size, a strong and very popular rug with out doubt the best value ever offered at our opening sale price **\$11.50**

Let Us Figure With You
We are anxious to unload our heavy stock of builders' hardware and will cut the price very low on all specifications we receive.
Steel Wire Nails, per keg..... **\$2.35**
24-pound Family Scales, only..... **75c**
6-inch Family Grind Stones, mounted..... **59c**
15c Japanese Mail Boxes, steel..... **39c**
Chicken Wire, best quality, only..... **25c**
35c Extra Large Brooms, on sale..... **15c**
35c Coal Hoops, japanned..... **15c**
Extra Large Clothes Baskets, each..... **35c**



ALL THAT'S BEST IN MILLINERY

A comprehensive collection of New Spring Hat Styles from the foremost Millinery designers, at prices which mean a saving of 25 per cent.

NEW DRESS HATS AT \$1.98 to \$25.00.
Tailored Hats, including the "Goggle" and "Smart Set" for street wear, a magnificent assortment for selection, at **\$5.00 to \$15.00**
THREE SPECIAL TABLES OF TRIMMED HATS
\$5.00 values **\$2.95** — \$6.00 values **\$3.95** — \$8.00 values **\$5.00**
All Hats Marked in Plain Figures Here.

Spring Opening Sale of Shoes

The steady and rapid increase in business in our Shoe Department has not been due to the price, but to the quality and the price of our offerings. When we show Sletten's, Crostettes, Queen Qualities, or any of several other makes, we know that the purchaser is receiving more than a dollar's worth of satisfaction for every dollar expended.

The New Shapes for Spring are shown in all the best leathers and styles in greater assortment than ever before. Browns in light and dark shades will be more popular than ever this season, and we're ready with a magnificent assortment. Let us fit your foot in a new Spring Shoe and Show you what real shoe comfort and satisfaction really is.

Three Big Specials for Opening Today

Don't judge by the price, examine the quality. We bought them at a low price and are giving our customers the benefit:
Women's Patent Leather Shoes, black or grey cloth top, special button **\$1.98**
New Patent Colt, Gun Metal or Vici Kid Shoes, a great snap, at pair **\$1.98**
Misses' and Children's Shoes, kid and tan suede top shoes, very special, **\$1.00**

Open Stock Dinnerware Sale Friday

Friday we will close out 25 Dalrymple Dinner Sets in odd pieces.
8-inch Dinner Plates, 12 1/2c each; Breakfast Plates, 10c each; Soup Plates, 10c each; Cups and Saucers, 12 1/2c each; Covered Dishes, 49c each; 8-inch Platters, 25c each; 14-inch Platters, 49c each; Covered Butter Dishes 12 1/2c each; Fruits 5c each; Bowls, 10c each.

PLEA FOR OLD FORT LARAMIE

Resurrect Bodies and Make it National Park, Says Wyoming Man.

HISTORIC PART OF WHOLE WEST

Great Military Post Founded by Hudson Bay Fur Trading Company in the Real Early Days.

"I was much interested in a story in the Bee relating to the intention of the government to attempt to relocate old Fort Reno and recover the bodies of soldiers buried there and place them in some national cemetery," said R. G. Walsh of Fort Laramie, Wyo., at the Merchants. "The idea is a splendid one. But I think the War department should go further and look after some abandoned graves in the old cemetery at Fort Laramie. Only a short while ago, while the present owner of the old fort was digging a well near the old hospital, he came upon the graves of one or two men, evidently soldiers, who must have been buried nearly fifty years ago. This was in the old cemetery of the post. "A later cemetery had been established for the post at another point, where most of the soldiers were buried. The cemetery

WAS ALSO USED AS AN INDIAN BURIAL GROUND.

The bodies of American Horse and his wife and children were buried there Indian-fashion on platforms raised ten or fifteen feet from the ground. These bodies, as well as those of the soldiers, were subsequently removed, I believe, to Fort McPherson, Nebraska, when the old fort was abandoned in 1883.

"There yet remains buried in this old cemetery the bodies of the Jenness family, killed by Indians some time in the '70s. These graves have all crumbled in and the little fence around them has decayed. One or two old Indian skulls are also buried there and their graves have long since been neglected and covered up."

WANTS NATIONAL PARK THERE.

"It seems to me that while the government is seeking to hunt up these old historical spots of the early days of the west Fort Laramie should be repurchased either by the government or by the state of Wyoming and made a national park. It is the most historic spot in the entire west. The old fort was built in the early part of the last century by the Hudson Bay Fur Trading company and was the headquarters for the fur trade in the west for thirty years before it became a military post. It was a great military post in the days of the Mormon emigration and was the rallying point for all emigrants going to Oregon and California before the discovery of gold in California. It has been the headquarters of Generals John C. Fremont, Albert Sidney Johnston, Zebulon Pike, Fanny Edwars Connor and a host of the old Indian fighters of the anti-war days. Practically all of the great Indian campaigns for sixty or more years gone by have operated from Fort Laramie.

Physicians Are Naturally Prejudiced

against proprietary or advertised medicines, at the sale of these remedies decrease their incomes. However this may be, the general public is benefited by the use of such standard medicines as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, with its wonderful record of thousands of cures among suffering women. We are very glad to say, however, that there are hundreds of honest physicians in the United States who do not hesitate to recommend such medicines.

TWO-CENT LAW SAFE HERE

Reduced Fare Will Not Be Vigorously Fought by Railroads.

MISSOURI CASE IS NO INCENTIVE

Local Officials and Attorneys Admit that They Are Not Going to Wage War in This State.

Railroads will not attempt to defeat the operation of the 2-cent passenger fare in Nebraska, at least not until the "law has had a fair test."

This is the epitome of several statements by railroad officials and attorneys who decline to be directly quoted as saying this. They admit, though, that the contest now pending in Nebraska will be allowed to drag itself out in a perfunctory fashion and that not even the McPherson decision, knocking out the 2-cent law in Missouri, will stimulate action against the law in Nebraska.

Judge W. D. McHugh represents the railroads of Nebraska in their case in the supreme court against the cut which the legislature made two years ago in passenger and freight rates. The case is running its course in the supreme court, four cases having been united into one and Judge McHugh was retained to look after all. The cases are those of the Missouri Pacific, the Union Pacific, the Burlington and the Rock Island against the state of Nebraska et al. In their petitions the railroads declare the rates confiscatory and ask that the enforcement be enjoined.

No action has been taken by the railroads since the decision of Judge McPherson in the Missouri rate case. The latest move having been taken by the state Tuesday, when it filed its answer to the cross bill of the railroads.

Getting Ready for Proof Nov.

"We are getting ready to lay proof in the case," said H. H. Loomis, general solicitor of the Union Pacific. "The case

will go right along in its regular course in the courts. On the decision of the Nebraska case will also depend the status of railroad rates in Kansas. There was some talk of calling an extra session of the legislature a year ago to enact a 2-cent passenger law there, but the railroads made an agreement to put the 2-cent law in effect and to leave it in pending the decision of the Nebraska case. An attempt was made to enact a 2-cent law at the present Kansas legislature, but it was turned down and the legislature again decided to await the action of Nebraska.

Mr. Loomis says he doubts if the decision in the McPherson case will change the situation in Nebraska to any extent.

J. E. Kelly, general solicitor of the Burlington, says the railroads have not been making any strenuous resistance to the 2-cent law in Nebraska, but really have agreed to give the law a fair trial without hindrance, in the meanwhile preserving their rights in court.

Eagles Boost Parry for Big Job

Florence Birds Want San Francisco Man for Grand Worthy Vice President.

John S. Parry of San Francisco was boosted for the office of grand worthy vice president of the Eagles at the meeting of the Florence Eagles Wednesday night. This action puts Florence on a front seat of the band wagon for the coming convention at Omaha. The Florence article now has a membership of 29 members and hopes to make the number 50 before the convention. A resolution introduced by Past Worthy President R. H. Olmsted was unanimously adopted at the meeting endorsing Mr. Parry.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

Florence Has New Bank and Plans Building and Loan

Little City to North Incorporates Concern at \$25,000 Backed by Local Men.

A new bank has been organized for Florence with W. R. Wall, John P. Finley, Soren C. Pedersen and Sarah Wall as the incorporators.

The bank will be known as the Farmers' State Bank of Florence and is capitalized for \$25,000, with \$10,000 paid up. It will open for business as soon as a charter is received from the State Banking board.

W. R. Wall has been in the real estate and insurance business in Florence for many years; John P. Finley is a capitalist interested in many projects both in Omaha and Florence; Soren C. Pedersen is a rich farmer living north of town who is interested in many enterprises.

This will give Florence two banks. The statement of the Bank of Florence just issued shows a capital stock of \$5,000, surplus and undivided profits of \$2,727.71, deposits of \$88,146.51, loans and discounts \$62,335.64; due from banks and cash on hand, \$21,628.81. John S. Paul is president, R. H. Olmsted vice president and W. M. Gordon cashier.

A building and loan association is also incubating and if enough capital is subscribed to the papers circulating a charter will be asked of the State Banking board.

IT ALL DEPENDS ON WHICH WAY MONEY IS COMING

Judge Leslie Learns a Lesson in the Human Interest for Mere Morsel.

Two weeks ago bills were sent out to a score of persons from the office of County Judge Leslie for money due in the office in the way of fees. To date none has ap-

ROYAL NEIGHBORS HOLD A SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Mrs. Kate Remington of Omaha is in Charge of the Convention.

A district deputy school of instruction of the Royal Neighbors of America, for the state of Nebraska began at the Millard hotel Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Kate Remington of Omaha is in charge of the school as the state head of the order.

Those present are Mrs. Mattie Scott, Mrs. Emma Ferrite, Mabel Faling of Lincoln, Lucy A. Smith of Spaulding, Mrs. Anna Crawford of Root's Bluff, Mrs. Carrie Marsh of Gibson, Mrs. Jennie Kallier of Nebraska, Sarah E. Cain, Laura B. Holt, Caroline Ericson of Omaha and State Deputy E. E. Keller of Lincoln of the Modern Woodmen.

Last evening the visitors were entertained at the Orpheum by the local delegates. This evening they will be entertained by Fern camp of Omaha in Modern Woodmen hall in the Continental block. The eleven camps of Omaha and the camps of South Omaha, Florence, Benson and Council Bluffs will be present. The work

of the order will be exemplified by South Omaha camp, No. 8.

Mrs. Lena M. Collins of St. Paul, Minn., the supreme oracle of the order, will be the guest of honor at Friday evening's entertainment.

Jim Prevents Vote for Berryman

Dahlmanite Scotches an Endorsement of Jack Candidate in the Nick of Time.

Colonel Berryman's retention of his office as member of the Board of Park Commissioners prevented his being endorsed for mayor in the Fourth ward Wednesday evening.

About sixty voters attended the meeting and a movement was started to give the Jack candidate the endorsement, but the present made a motion to that effect, but before the chair could put the motion a loyal Jim entered a protest and declared that if Berryman wished to secure his vote he should resign the position to which he was appointed by Mayor Dahlman. This provoked the old Jack and Jim animosity and the endorsement of the Jack was not forthcoming.

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