

A Shirt Waist Opportunity Saturday

PRICES CUT TO ALMOST A HALF

This is one of the best bargains we have ever offered in our basement. These shirt waists are especially good. Neat in design, splendidly made and cut to fit splendidly. On account of these waists being slightly mused and soiled we are going to sell them Saturday at great saving prices. Sale commences at 9 A. M. in Our Economy Basement.

Dainty white shirt waists, sold regular at \$1.25, in Saturday's sale—**75c** at each
Fine white shirt waists, sold regular at \$1.75, in Saturday's sale—**98c** at each
Beautiful sheer white waists, sold regular at \$2.25, in Saturday's sale—**\$1.25** at each

BE HERE AT 9 A. M.

Saturday Is Toilet Goods Day.

Ideal Hair Brushes, Saturday, each 59c
50c Camel's Hair Complexion Brushes, Saturday, each 25c
25c Nail Polish, Saturday 10c
Kirk's Sandal Bell Soap, Saturday, a box 19c
Lano Oil and Buttermilk Soaps, Saturday, a box 19c
Dr. Charlie's Flesh Food, Saturday 23c
Orange Wood Sticks, Saturday, each 14c
Emery Boards, Saturday, a dozen 5c

Special Sale of Bedroom Curtains, Saturday

Dainty Swiss Curtains in new styles go on sale Saturday.
\$1.35 Ruffled Swiss Curtains, at, per pair 98c
80c Ruffled Swiss Curtains, at, per pair 59c
\$2.00 Ruffled Swiss Curtains, at, per pair \$1.48
\$1.50 Flat Swiss Curtains, at, per pair \$1.15
\$1.75 Flat Swiss Curtains, at, per pair \$1.29
\$2.25 Flat Swiss Curtains, at, per pair \$1.69
Curtain Extension Rods with brass or silver ends, brackets, complete regular 10c and 15c retailer, Saturday, at, each 5c

Glove Specials for Saturday.

In the height of our Easter business we are offering some rare specials for Saturday.
16-button Fine Milanese Lisle. Black, white, tan and gray, worth \$1.50, for 98c per pair.
1-Clasp Chamois, very soft skins in natural chamois 85c per pair.
1-Clasp Cape Gloven, Ireland's make, assorted tans. An exceptional value at \$1.25, for Saturday, per pair 85c.
See display in 16th street windows.

New Shirts for Men at \$1.00

See Howard Street Windows
If we were not so exacting with makers about proper sleeve lengths, proper neck bands, proper size markings, proper fabrics and proper everything else, the men would soon go elsewhere.
Query. Have you seen the new shirts we are showing at our men's department just inside the door and selling for \$1.00.

Saturday Candy Specials

Halduff's delicious Maple Gems, regular 40c a pound. All day Saturday and evening, at, a pound only 20c.

Men's Half Hose

We have just received our New Spring line of men's half hose in plain and fancy. The fancies include many pretty novelties, while the staple and plain colors are all that could be desired. Prices 25c and 50c a pair.

The Windows

Are worthy of a look; many Easter novelties in gloves, hats, neckwear, etc., are displayed in our 16th street windows.

FREE LESSONS IN ART EMBROIDERY EVERY DAY FROM 3 TO 5 P. M.

Thompson Bellini

SEE THE ITALIAN SILK UNDERVESTS, 16th STREET WINDOWS.

THE SKIRT STORE

COR. CHICAGO AND 16TH STS. 322 N. 16TH ST.

THE FAMOUS SUIT, DRESS AND SKIRT STORE

Presents a Brilliant Showing and Will Hold a

Grand Sale of Easter Suits, Skirts and Dresses

SPECIAL SALE TOMORROW

100 New Models SPRING SUITS

Each new, original, exclusive, very chic and classy, all

\$15

(Worth \$25.00.)
Styles are all chic, classy and up-to-the-minute in every way—and includes every new model shown elsewhere at any price. These are the Suits that are the foundation of our immense Suit business—and compare with any in Omaha at double the price. Choice of thirty styles—

\$15

(Worth \$25.00.)
Smart Easter Skirts \$4.90

(\$8 and \$10 Values.)
Beyond question the greatest value we have ever offered at the price—daintily tailored in the latest styles—showing fashion changes that are positive innovations. Appropriate, serviceable Skirts for the whole season—morning or afternoon.



French Mesh Voiles, English Worsteds, Chiffon Panamas and new spring mixtures. Come early and get your choice.

OPEN TILL 9 P. M. **The Skirt Store** Mail Orders Filled for Ten Days

TEMPTING PRICES AT Omaha's Great Food Store Saturday

MEAT DEPARTMENT
10,000 lbs. fresh Pig Pork Loin, at, pound **9c**
2,000 lbs. California Hams (other stores ask 9c), lb. **6c**
Leaf Lard, 9 lbs. for **\$1.00**
1,000 lbs. Bacon (choice lean strips), lb. **15c**
Hash Bockwurst, per lb. **20c**
From 7 to 8 p. m.—Country Sausage, pound **5c**
GROCERY DEPT.
Standard Corn—4 cans for **25c**
Tomatoes—3 cans for **25c**
Large Queen Olives, quart **35c**
20 pounds Granulated Sugar, \$1
BUTTER AND EGG DEPT.
Everything desirable in sweet butter, fresh eggs and all the varieties of cheese. This department has recently changed hands and is managed by an expert butter man. We guarantee everything to be as represented.
Fancy Creamery Butter, pkg. **30c**
Fancy Country Roll Butter, per pound **27c**
Strictly fresh No. 1 Eggs, doz. **20c**
TEA AND COFFEE DEPT.
Rich, fragrant, delicious—That describes our fresh roasted, steel cut, sifted coffee.
If you like good coffee, a trial order will make you a regular customer.
Market Special **20c**
Mocha Blend, **35c**; 3 lbs. **\$1**
Excelsior Blend **25c**
Try the "percolator grind," free from "settling."
Branch of W. L. Masterman & Co. "The Coffee Men."

Phonos: Doug. 2144 Harney 1610
Ind. A-2147

BOYD'S THIS AFTERNOON AND TONIGHT

LIEBLER AND COMPANY OFFER
VIOLA ALLEN
IN THE MOST DISCUSSED PLAY OF THE DECADE
THE WHITE SISTER

provides for the sale by the estate of the man made lands now in possession of the Illinois Steel company to that corporation.
The Indiana claim, they are the sole owners of the land under the provisions of a treaty with the government dated August 5, 1796, which was further ratified and confirmed by the government in the Spring Wells treaty concluded on September 8, 1818.
CLERK IN BALTIMORE HELD FOR STEALING LARGE SUM
Grand Jury Returns Indictment Containing Thirty-Five Counts Against City Employee.
BALTIMORE, April 2.—The grand jury today returned an indictment containing thirty-five counts against William Downes, stock clerk of the city register's office, charging him with the larceny of \$38,000 of the city's money. This amount, however, does not represent the total known to be missing which already exceeds \$6,000. Downes remains in jail in default of \$50,000 bail.
Nails Fixed List Price.
DETROIT, Mich., April 2.—Judge A. J. Murphy in the Wayne circuit court today decided that manufacturers could not compel drug stores to sell their products at a fixed list price.

BURWOOD
Phonos: Doug. 1505; Ind. A-1508
Wm. Gillist's Society Comedy
BROADWAY'S BEST LOVED SEE NO
Tues. 8:30
Wed. 8:30
Thurs. 8:30
Fri. 8:30
Sat. 8:30
Next Sunday, and All Weeks
"THE FORTUNE HUNTER"

Orpheum PHONES DOWNS
ADVANCED VAUDEVILLE
Note Curtain 8:15 Sharp
Tonight.
Prices—10c, 25c, 50c.

The Longer You Eat at Hanson's Cafe
The Better You Like It
Is an expression voiced by thousands
VICTOR MACHINES \$10 to \$20
Greatest Entertainers in the World.
Easy Payments If You Wish.
PIANO PLAYER CO.
Old Boston Store, 2nd Floor.
A 113 Talk-O'-Phone and 4 records.
JOHN'S. Guaranteed Good.
MALFAX. Exp. of Ireland.

stock room.
Immediately the vote returned on the motion of Senator Wiltse to concur, resulting as follows:
Yes—Banning, Bodinson, Brown, Cain, Cox, Donohoe, Gammill, Hatfield, Henry, King, Majors, Miller, Myers, Ollis, Randall, Raymond, Thompson, Warren, Wiltse—18.
No—Bartus, Besse, Buck, Buhman, Eiers, Fuller, Howell, Klein, Lavery, Ransom, Tanner, Tibbets, Volpp—11.
Ketchum of Thayer was absent in the clerk room.
Before the vote Senator Howell spoke briefly to say that the attempt to saddle the bill on the state was unfair. If the bill were passed as first amended, existing metropolitan cities, he said there would be little objection to it from Douglas county.
Senator King replied it was impossible to suspend the operation of a criminal law from any portion of the state, and the roll call was ordered.
Provisions of Bill.
Following is the vital provision of the bill:
Section 14—Every citizen who shall sell or give away any malt, spirituous or vinous liquors or any intoxicating drinks on the day of any general, special or primary election, or at any time during the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, or at any time upon any week day, after the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. and before the hour of 7 o'clock a. m. of the following day shall forfeit and pay for every such offense the sum of \$100, and his license shall be forfeited and cancelled by the board granting the same forthwith, whether such person convicted shall appeal therefrom or not.
Comparison of Two Sessions.
Just as the legislature of 1927 will be remembered for the good work it accomplished and the wholesome legislation it enacted, so will the legislature of 1928 be referred to as the most disappointing in the history of the state—disappointing to those who expected something wholesome and good.
From the outset the legislature has been dominated and controlled absolutely by the corporations. No one single measure was passed relating to the common car-

riers of Nebraska until it had been amended to suit the common carriers.
The legislature devoted its time to the passage of bills under which Governor Shallenbeger could build up a political machine for the benefit of the democratic party. There is now in the hands of the governor at least a score of bills which provide jobs for jobless democrats.
From the first time the gavel fell in the legislature of 1928 it has been a scramble for the pie counter. The scramble was unseemly and all regard for the welfare of the state was lost sight of in providing places for those who voted the democratic ticket.
Arthur Mullen, an appointee of Governor Shallenbeger, drawing \$2,000 a year from the state, had special charge of this class of legislation, and looked after the interest of the chieflain.
While the legislature probably will be referred to often as the "organization for the relief of jobless democrats" it also marks Mr. Bryan's first practical test in constructive statesmanship in Nebraska. Mr. Bryan had full sway and he is to be commended for the action of the legislature.
When it came to a test between those members who really wanted to do something for the betterment of the state and the interests of the corporations Mr. Bryan found wanting. He agreed to the bill to guarantee bank deposits and endorsed it. It was denounced on the floor of the house by W. J. Taylor of Custer county, a democrat, as an instrument having been amended in the interests of the national bank.
Losses on Referendum.
Mr. Bryan did not fight the measure, but when the time came he surrendered. He did fight for the initiative and referendum, but he made this fight long after the members of the legislature had begun to lose faith in his ability and his influence had gone.
Mr. Bryan was responsible for the selection of the standing committees of the

house by a standing committee. This resulted in some of the best members having no chairmanship and thus their services were lost to the state. The speaker was unable to even control the house and keep order during the session, though he did try.
The bank guaranty bill is said by leading democrats to be of no account.
The reciprocal demerage bill amounts to nothing.
The pledge for economical appropriations has fizzled out, dependent upon what the governor does.
The platform pledge of the populists for county option was turned down cold.
The platform provision with respect to good roads, which was promised as one of the things greatly to be desired, failed completely, and while there were bills drafted which provide for a comprehensive system of road improvement under a definite head the only measure to pass the legislature bearing on this question was a little one-section measure permitting the county commissioners to fix the boundaries of road districts as they desire and limiting their size. Everything else was killed.
The platform pledge of the democratic party to remedial revenue legislation, but when the members began to consider the merits of the case about which they made such a commotion during the campaign they found the present law with respect to the State Board of Equalization was absolutely good and they passed an amendatory act that is intended to throw dust in the eyes of the people and which gives to the state board the powers they exercise at present, but pretends to do otherwise. The bills providing for the election of precinct assessors every two years went through, but it is generally regarded that this is a distinct movement backward and a means to open the way to the corporations to return to the old tax-shirking methods from which the republican party extricated the state.
Corporations Doctor Bill.
Physical valuation, the shibboleth about which the orators of the campaign and

the members of the legislature made themselves hoarse, was finally pushed through in the form the corporations permitted and only when they said the word, but so emasculated that it provides for the expenditure of \$50,000 of money in the next biennium for a result that is extremely problematical. The bill was amended to include common carriers and that portion of the stock yards known as the switching department, together with the transportation pens for stock only and the viaducts covering the tracks. The yards themselves, for which Taylor of Custer made so many battles, escaped inclusion, and when the vote was taken Senator Ransom, with the stock yards regulation bill safely dead, leaned back in his seat and smiled a smile of satisfaction as he looked over to Senator Ollis, the only senator registering as a populist in the Thirty-first session of the legislature, who has stood firmly by the dean of the Douglas delegation in his fight for the corporation for which he boasted openly on the floor in debate he was the attorney and which he represented as an attorney before the senate committee that is switching a hearing to the stock yards regulation bill safely dead.
No Valuable Legislation.
No bill of any importance to the state insofar as improving existing laws is concerned was passed. A careful investigation of the bills now in the hands of the governor and those which have been signed will show them to be the poorest and most carelessly drawn of any bills which have passed a previous legislature.
The legislature was controlled from the outside and the few members who had the ability and the intention to do something for the good of the state were overwhelmed long ago.
Ransom was the boss of the senate and he is the attorney for the stock yards. He appeared before the legislative committees in the interest of his clients. Taylor of Custer, the dean of the house and the fight against Ransom and he proved himself a better citizen and a legislator than a politician, but he was powerless to cope with the gigantic machine bulged up on the other side.
Rumors of all kinds affecting the standing of the upper house were circulated and printed but were not called. Ollis of Valley county insisted upon an investigating committee to clear the railroad committee of the charge of being dominated by the railroads. The committee never met. Mr. Ollis failed to get his whitewash.
Not all the members of the legislature were bad by any means. Some individual members did the best they could against odds. There were a lot of good men on the payroll, but as a whole the legislature was one of the rankest if not the very worst ever held in Nebraska.
The republicans took little part in the affairs of the session. They were outnumbered and did the best they could, but rose to any great height above his fellows, though most of them were usually found voting right and in line with the legislation of two years ago.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS OF SENATE
Number of Bills Ground Out on Over-table.
(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 2.—(Special.)—The senate today passed the following bills:
H. R. 82, by Taylor of Custer—The district shall not pay for free tuition of any pupil in a school where the parents are worth \$1,000 or over.
H. R. 84, by Connolly of Douglas—To license dealers.
H. R. 84, by Snyder of Harlan—Providing that pardon hearings may not be demanded, except at stated intervals, of the governor.
H. R. 85, by Taylor of Custer—For the payment of damages against out roads out of the general fund of the county.
H. R. 85, by Ransom (at request of governor)—To prohibit stock issues.
H. R. 86, by Henry of Holt—To prohibit the sale of liquor to mixed breed Indians and whites.
H. R. 171, by Gardes of Richardson—Permitting the state auditor to revoke the license of fire insurance agents.
H. R. 168, by Nettleton of Clay and Taylor of York—To permit appeals from the orders of the commission only on evidence furnished before the commission and only to the supreme court. This was killed after repeated calls of the house by a vote of 15 to 17, as follows:
Yes—Brown, Cain, Cox, Diers, Donohoe, Fuller, Gammill, Henry, King, Klein, Miller, Myers, Ollis, Randall, Thompson—18.
No—Banning, Bartus, Besse, Bodinson, Buck, Buhman, Hatfield, Howell, Ketchum, Lavery, Majors, Ransom, Tanner, Tibbets, Volpp, Warren, Wiltse—11.
Another effort to bring out the double shift firemen's bill affecting Lincoln failed

Easter Means New Clothes

We assume responsibility for the appearance of "Yungphellows"—the nobby chaps



Clever "Boyish" Easter Toggery Too

Outfitting a boy should be attended with as much seriousness as outfitting a man. The little fellow—especially a young American—has a chuck full of pride of the RIGHT sort, and wants to appear smartly attired on Easter Sunday.
Our tendency in this direction is well known—we ARE specialists in boys' clothes—we DO have the snappiest fabrics—we DO have styles of cuts that fairly bring gleams and sparkles to the eyes of a boy.
And, oh yes; we almost overlooked it—we DO equip each and every suit with an EXTRA pair of knicker trousers—makes the suit last longer.
And, of course, we have the proper hats, shirts and ties for boys, too!

Boys! How's This? A Complete Baseball Outfit Free!

Here's the start of a season's festivities surely. We are giving a complete base ball outfit with each boy's suit sold at \$8 and upwards. Outfit includes gray shirt and bloomers; a gray cap, and a red belt.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S STORE
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