

1/2 Price January Clearing Sale OF Lace Curtains 1/2 Price

We still have about 1,500 PAIRS of Lace Curtains to be closed out during this sale. These consist of OLUNY LACE CURTAINS, BRUSSEL NET, BATTENBERG, DUCHESS, RENAISSANCE, SWISS POINT, NOVELTY NET and many other varieties. We have decided, in order to make a clean sweep, to offer the entire lot at one-half price.

Miller, Stewart & Beaton

413-15-17 South 16th Street.

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It.
E. F. Swoboda—Certified Accountant, Lighting Fixtures, Burgess-Grades Co. Blinshart, Photographer, 15th & Farnam. Strictly home-made pies, Her Grand Cafe 28-Karat Wedding Rings—Edwin, Jeweler.
Burns' Celebration, January 25. Chamber's academy.
1910—National Life Insurance Co.—1910 Charles E. Ady, General Agent, Omaha.
"Try Us First For Fuel"—Nebraska Fuel Co., 1114 Farnam St. Both Phonos.
Equitable Life Policies, eight drafts at maturity. H. D. Neely, manager, Omaha.
Keep Your Money and Valuables in the American Safe Deposit Vaults in the Bee building. 11 rents a box.
Business Men to Elect Officers.—The Omaha Business Men's association will elect a new board of directors February 2.
Make Your Savings Increase Your Earnings by becoming a member of Nebraska Savings and Loan Ass'n. Earns 6 per cent per annum. 1603 Farnam St.
Fifteen Days for Stealing Butter.—Earl Emerson, charged with the theft of several loaves of butter, making in all a total of forty pounds, was convicted in police court and sentenced to fifteen days in jail. 202

Andrews, charged with complicity in the latter operations, got a sentence of thirty days.
West Point Man Bankrupt.—John James E. Paltys, a stationer and news dealer of West Point, has filed his voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court. Liabilities, \$6,557.50, and assets, \$222.55.
Young Woman Breaks Leg.—Miss Jennie Folskahl, a maid who formerly worked for Mrs. G. T. Wright at 1222 South Thirty-fifth avenue, slipped as she was alighting from a car at Twenty-fourth and Leavenworth, Friday noon and broke her leg.
Guy Anderson Pleads Not Guilty.—The preliminary examination of Guy Anderson was held Friday afternoon in police court. Anderson is charged with arson and embezzlement. In September he confessed to setting fire to the cotton glove factory at Fifteenth and Jackson streets, and then changed his plea to not guilty. He is being defended by William F. Gurley.
Two Squadrons of Sixth Lats.—Related trains and bad weather caused a delay in the arrival of the remaining two squadrons of the Sixth United States cavalry from San Francisco until Thursday evening. The trains, consisting of two sections, did not stop in Omaha, but proceeded on to Fort Des Moines, where the regiment will take permanent station. The entire command consisted of twenty-seven officers and 642 enlisted men.
Women Want Data on Bakeries.—The Omaha Woman's club has asked the state food commissioner to furnish data on the Omaha bakeries. Sometime ago S. L. Main, deputy food commissioner, inspected all the bakeries of Omaha and then announced that he would furnish a report on any bakery to any housewife who wished. He has since inspected all bakeries of the state, as well as all grocery stores and butcher shops. The Omaha women have asked for a report on all bakeries in Omaha.
Sells Liquor to Lo Without Right.—Turner Stricklett of Blair is a late arrival at the county jail is a government prisoner, charged with selling liquor to Indians on the Winnebago reservation without providing himself with a certificate indicating that he had paid the special government tax as a retail liquor dealer. It further developed that there was no record in Colonel Ross Hammond's government revenue office that Mr. Stricklett had put up the requisite \$25 for special tax, and this was given as a sufficient reason for Mr. Stricklett being bound over to the federal grand jury in Omaha under \$200 bonds.
Sir William and Lauder Old Friends.—Sir William Kennedy has arranged to entertain Harry Lauder when he comes to Omaha next Wednesday. Mr. Kennedy knew Mr. Lauder in Scotland. He will be accompanied by his manager, William Morris, owner of the new Morris theater in Omaha, who is making a flying trip across the continent and back with Mr. Lauder. They jumped from New York to Cincinnati, to Denver, to Los Angeles, where they played a morning engagement because of the demand for seats, to San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Butte, St. Paul, Minn.; Omaha, Chicago and New York. Mr. Lauder has a company of thirty-seven people, including his own orchestra. Mr. Morris had expected to have this attraction to open his new theater in Omaha, but bad weather in November and December kept the work back.

TWO WEAK MEN WALLOPED BY ELEVEN STRONG WOMEN
One is Sat Upon by Six Amazons and Other Kicker is Cuffed by Five.
Poor, defenseless man—two of him! Six women, armed with sundry weapons, were devoting their entire and enthusiastic attention to Carroll Osborne, stretched out prone on the sidewalk at 15th and Farnam. Miller's car at 906 Capitol avenue, when Detective Maloney happened along.
William Buding, a clerkmaker from Plattsmouth, Osborne's companion, was fading into the distance.
To be sure of having the aggressor or aggressors, Maloney arrested all parties to the combat. Osborne appeared to have been punished enough and was discharged in police court.
They were having a party at Addie Bennett's house, 1315 Capitol avenue, when E. B. Downer made a faux pas. When the assembled guests, including Mrs. F. B. Downer, got done with the unfortunate man he had a broken skull and a collection of variegated cuts and bruises.
Dr. T. T. Harris, police surgeon, patched up the victim, while the police surrounded and brought in a quiet composed of Addie Bennett, Bess Wilson, Mabel O'Neil, Mrs. E. B. Downer and H. A. Petty.
The unhappy Downer was unable to appear in police court Friday morning and the case was continued.

FINKBINE AGAIN PRESIDENT
Des Moines Men Re-elected Head of Northwestern Lumbermen's Association.
MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—The twentieth annual convention of the Northwestern Lumbermen's association adjourned today with the election of officers.
The following old officers were re-elected: President—C. A. Finkbine, Des Moines. Vice President—E. C. Flyn.
Directors for Three Years—O. M. Boston, Winona; W. H. Day, Jr., Dubuque, Ia.
Director for One Year—O. C. Sarles, Pittsboro, N. D.
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AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Dr. Thomas H. Ensor Will Be Candidate for Mayor.

J. W. GRIBBLE FOR TREASURER

South Omaha Postoffice Will Be Extensively Remodeled—Decision in Faving Case Received.

Signs of the usual battle royal between the South Omaha democrats for houses in the mayoralty fight became more evident yesterday when Dr. Thomas H. Ensor again threw his gauntlet in the ring and announced himself a candidate by filing. This makes three of a probable list of five. Jerry Howard leads the van, posing as the true and only labor candidate. W. H. Guesman also poses as a labor candidate and points to his record in the council and as tax commissioner. Thomas H. Ensor is one of the ex-mayors of the city and points to his record in the palmy days as a reason for support.

To complete the five Thomas Hootor will possibly file and one more of new timber is recorded.

More democratic difficulty came out yesterday when John W. Gribble, under pressure from the German-American Democratic club and numerous friends, filed for the office of city treasurer. He will compete for the primary election with J. J. Gillin, and it turns out, as predicted, strong opposition is developed. Mr. Gribble is Mr. Gillin's most formidable opponent. The race is bound to be a close one.

Edward Kahn filed as a democratic candidate for nomination to a seat on the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners.

Remodeling South Omaha Postoffice.
The South Omaha postoffice is undergoing extensive repairs and for the present the stamp window is in the postmaster's private office and the money order department is upstairs in the offices of the bureau of animal industry. The partition at the north end of the lobby is to be taken out and the office space made larger. Additional desks will be placed in this space and possibly two or more clerks will be provided for. These improvements follow a very large increase in the postal receipts. The increase during 1909 was 50 per cent. This great figure has evidently attracted the attention of the department and the city will have larger accommodations accordingly.

South Omaha Losses Case.
The supreme court handed down a decision yesterday in the case of Wiess against South Omaha, being tried on appeal, in which the decision of the district court was affirmed, which was a finding against the city. The case was a suit to set aside an assessment of special taxes to pay the cost of grading a district at Twenty-seventh and J streets, and the point in contention was whether the city of South Omaha in passing the grading ordinance had absolutely defined the limits of the grading district or not. With this affirmation the cost of the grading done will have to be paid by the city at large.

Miss Taylor Leaves High School.
Miss Sara Vore Taylor, head of the English department of the high school, has accepted a position in the English department at Omaha at a salary of \$1,000 for the first year and of \$1,200 within two years.

The South Omaha Board of Education offered to raise her salary from \$950 to \$1,000 a year, but with the prospect of \$1,200 within two years Miss Taylor felt she could not afford to stay.

Miss Taylor has served the South Omaha schools for thirteen years. She taught for three years in the grades, served as principal at the Lincoln school for four years and has been head of the English department for six years. During this last period the English work has been so systematized that the South Omaha High school has now one of the strongest courses of English in the state.

Miss Taylor's Gold Top Beer, delivered to any part of city. Fred Hittner, Tel. South 1449.
Miss Mabel Dimock is visiting her sister, Mrs. Adeline Muliken, at Nickerson, Neb. The Alah Glee club will give a prize masquerade at Odd Fellows' hall this evening.

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Judge Staibough is to address the South Omaha Pioneer Historical society at its next meeting.

The South Omaha city council will be asked to send delegates, consisting of the

Our Clearing Sale of Men's Trousers Will Occur Saturday, January 22nd

Each season's end finds us with many hundred pairs of men's trousers, consisting almost entirely of small lots, which are bound to accumulate in a department where the season's sales run into thousands of pairs—To clear our tables for the arrival of new, spring trousers, now due, we are willing to sell these small lots at most any price.

Those who profited by our sale of a year ago will need no reminder of the values they secured, but to those who were not so fortunate, we will say that this is a genuine bargain event, such as you will never find outside this store.

The assortment contains all sizes, all fabrics, and all patterns in trousers that were well worth their regular prices of \$4 to \$5; also many high grade trousers from \$12, \$15 and \$18 suits—Come early and select from these.

Men's and Young Men's Trousers, \$2.85

Worth \$4 to \$5, Saturday, for . . . \$2.85

You've still a good opportunity to benefit by our sale of—
Men's Suits and Overcoats at Half Price

If for any reason you have not yet seen these great bargains, we urge you to do so at once, for although we commenced this sale with several hundred garments, a few more days will undoubtedly bring the end—Remember, these garments are small lots from this season's stock and are marked with their regular prices of all seasons—you simply pay us one-half the regular price.

\$7.50 to \$35.00 garments are now—
\$3.75 to \$17.50

You can save nearly one-half the expense of clothing your boy by seeing our
Boys' Suits and Overcoats on Sale Now

The hardest part of the winter is yet before us, and most any boy will need a new suit or overcoat before time for his spring clothes. He'd just as well be suitably clothed the balance of this season and a great share of next when we've put the price so low.

Until gone, we will sell the small lots of our boys' suits and overcoats that regularly sold up to \$6.50, at nearly one-half off—The sizes are; suits 5 to 17 years, overcoats 4 to 12 years. Your choice now for
\$3.69

If you can appreciate a chance to save nearly half the price of your footwear, our semi-annual clearing sale of
SHOES

Patent colt, button and lace; gun metal, box calf and vic kid. In lace and blucher styles. Good-year welt soles. We still have almost every size and width; choice Saturday, at
\$2.39 will be the means of your doing this. In any event it's well worth your while to drop in and look them over.

Nebraska Clothing Co.

"The House of High Merit"
FARNAM & FIFTEENTH STS.

men and city clerk, to attend the Nebraska State Association of Municipalities to be held in Lincoln January 26 and 27.
The midwinter dancing party of the Ideal club will be given at the Home hotel in Omaha tonight.
Magie City Lodge No. 246, Modern Brotherhood of America, will entertain members and friends at Eagle hall Friday evening.
Arno and Lena Dickman and Miss Grace Thielke leave today for the university, having spent the holidays and the time since in South Omaha.
South Omaha lodge No. 178, Mystic Workers of the World, have changed the place of meeting to Odd Fellows' hall and will meet there every Tuesday evening.
Clearing sale of winter goods, men's suits and overcoats, values up to \$18, now \$9.96. Men's top coats, values up to \$12, now \$6.96. Men's pants, suitable for dress or business wear, \$1.96. Men's 50c fleeced underwear. Sec. Men's 60c shirts, 25c. Nebraska Shoe and Clothing House, corner 25th and N Sts., South Omaha.

I desire to inform the public that I have this day opened a liquor store at 300 N. 28th St., South Omaha. I also purchased the bottle for the sale of Jetter Brewing Co., and will give the public the same prompt service in delivering bottled beer that they formerly received from the Jetter Brewing Co., as well as same prices. Phone South 855, Henry J. Jetter.

butchers ice for 35 cents less than other wholesale users were paying, but this year this firm has served notice that it has raised 35 cents a ton. Some ice is still being put up at Carter lake for the Union Pacific.

Socialist Leader Predicts Victory

Eugene V. Debs, in Address at Washington Hall, Says He Feels Sure of Ultimate Result.

Eugene V. Debs, perennial presidential candidate on the socialist ticket, spoke last evening at Washington hall at a meeting arranged under the auspices of the socialists of Omaha as a protest against the conviction of Fred W. Warren, editor of the Appeal to Reason.

"Feudalism was evolved for a purpose and until it had fulfilled its historic mission and then the present capitalist class was evolved," said Mr. Debs. "Their work is now over and socialism will come as sure as the sun rises on the morrow. If it is brought about by violence and bloodshed it will be in spite of the socialist party and not because of it."

"Any system in which a single human being is denied an opportunity to earn a living is a despotism as far as that individual is concerned. No people is greater master of the things which control means of making a living and such is not now the case in this country."

"There are now in this country 22,000,000 people who earn their livelihood by labor, and of these 5,000,000 are women and 2,000,000 are children. These may only work on condition they sell their labor to the capitalists who own the means. If there is a man in this country not properly fed and clothed it is no fault of God Almighty, but is due to the outgrowth of the system

CLERGY CRITICS OF THEATER

Dr. Loveland and House Attend Gaiety to Report to Ministerial Union.

Rev. Frederick T. Rouse, D. D., pastor of First Congregational church, and Rev. Frank L. Loveland, D. D., First Methodist, attended the performance at the Gaiety theater Thursday night as a committee representing the Omaha Ministerial union. Their purpose was to view the performance and report upon its character to the union.

The executive committee of the union held a meeting Friday, but Dr. Rouse says the matter did not come up for discussion. He declined to give any statement as to what his and Dr. Loveland's report will be.

ORDER YOUR ICE, IT'S ALL UP

Harvest is About Completed and is Abundant, but Prices are Still High.

The Omaha ice crop is practically harvested, although two of the smaller houses have a few more rooms in their houses to fill. The retail price and the wholesale price will be the same this year as last, except that the butchers will have to pay 25 cents more a ton than last year. The general price to retail trade will be 40 cents a hundred, and to wholesale users, \$2.50 a ton. Last year a firm furnished



Women's Shoes

Worth Up to \$4.00

Patent colt, cloth top, button shoes; patent colt, mat top, button and blucher; gun metal and vic kid, button, blucher and lace styles. While we have nearly all sizes, there are some exceptional bargains for women, who wear narrow widths. Saturday your choice, at—
\$1.49

245

-a new Era in Ladies' Shoes

One couldn't expect much of a lady's shoe at \$2.45, until the advent of our "BASEMENT."

But it's DIFFERENT now. We can, we DO, sell VERY good shoes for as little even as \$1.95—now—in that "BASEMENT."

From YOUR standpoint that basement is a REGULAR storeroom—from ours it is not, for we don't have to pay extra rent for it, and THAT accounts for all the prices quoted there.

The same floor space—the same shelf room, in an upstairs location, would cost a considerable rent, and a considerable rent wouldn't permit one to sell EXPERTLY made, standard styled shoes, at \$1.95 and \$2.45 a pair.

You know the size of your purse—we know the sort of shoe we can offer at \$1.95 and \$2.45, and WE are confident. Are you? If not, five minutes in that basement would clear up matters for you.



SCRATCHED SO SHE COULD NOT SLEEP

Child of Two had Masses of Eczema Over Face, Head and Body—They Took Her to the Best Doctors and Tried Salves and Medicines in Vain—Suffered for Five Years.

SOON RELIEVED AND CURED BY CUTICURA

"I write to tell you how thankful I am for the wonderful Cuticura Remedies. My little niece had eczema for five years and when her mother died I took care of the child. It was all over her face and body, also on her head. She scratched so that she could not sleep nights. I used Cuticura Soap to wash her with and then applied Cuticura Ointment. I did not use quite half the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, together with Cuticura Resolvent, when you could see change and they cured her nicely. Now she is eleven years old and has never been bothered with eczema since. My friends think it is just great. The way the baby was cured by Cuticura, send you a picture taken when she was about eighteen months old."

"She was taken with the eczema when two years old. She was covered with big sores and her mother had all the best doctors and tried all kinds of salves and medicines without effect until we used Cuticura Remedies. Mrs. H. Kierman, 663 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 27, 1909."

For thirty years Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have afforded speedy relief to tens of thousands of skin-tormented and distressed sufferers from eczema, rash, itching, irritations and chafings, from infancy to age, bringing comfort and peace to distracted households when all else failed. Guaranteed absolutely pure and may be used from the hour of birth.

Cuticura Soap (1 lb.), Cuticura Ointment (3 lb.) and Cuticura Resolvent (50c) or 1 lb. Sold Everywhere. Price, 25c per box of 50. Sold Wholesale by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U.S.A. Sole Importers for Omaha, Neb., The Farisian Clock Co., 15th & Farnam Sts., Omaha, Neb.

Final Clean-Up Sale of Hats

We must have room for spring stock. Every hat on our tables in two lots.
Trimmed hats, formerly selling as high as \$20.00; they must go, so we offer them all Saturday—
\$3.50-\$1.98
at
Untrimmed shapes—every one in the house—beavers, velvets, silks, felts; ordinarily sold as high as \$15.00; Saturday, your choice
\$1.00
No exchanges—no refunds.

Thomas Kilpatrick & Co.

