

## Half-Minute Talks ON Refrigerators



Thousands of so-called refrigerators are sold to unsuspecting persons, and they have no inside box at all—there is nothing to them except the outside case, a piece of paper and some pieces of galvanized iron nailed on to some cleats which are nailed to the outside case—no insulation—sure to leak, swell up and go to pieces, sure to spoil your food and waste your ice.

There are a great many makes of REFRIGERATORS in the market—some worthless, others fairly good, but only one that is the best—that is the

**LEONARD CLEANABLE**  
**Miller, Stewart & Beaton**  
**SOLE AGENTS**  
413-15-17 South 16th St.  
(Continued Monday, April 25th)

**Hayden's Monday**  
An immense purchase of Sample  
Waists, elegant new de-  
signs, made to sell to  
\$5.00, choice.  
See 15th St. Window Display.

## BRIEF CITY NEWS

**Have Root Print It.**  
Swooboda—Certified Public Accountant.  
Lighting Fixtures—Burgess Grand Co.  
1850—National Life Insurance Co.—1910  
Charles E. Ady, General Agent, Omaha.  
Store Your Fine Furs in moth proof  
valts. Nominal cost. Shubert, 13 & 14th  
There are Several Ways of Saving—  
The Nebraska Savings and Loan associa-  
tion may, and others. Our way pays 6 per  
cent per annum. 106 Board of Trade  
building.

**Huntington Funeral at Chicago**—The  
body of "Postoffice Joe" Huntington, who  
died at the Swedish hospital Wednesday  
evening, was shipped to Chicago Thursday  
night. A nephew from Chicago accompa-  
nies the body from here. The Masonic  
lodge will have charge of the funeral.

**McGoy Wanted in Denver**—John Doe,  
alias J. H. Endicott, alias Clarence McGoy,  
serving a term of thirty days in the county  
jail on conviction of vagrancy after his  
escape from successful prosecution for  
forgery, is wanted in Denver for a job  
which is said to have netted him \$150, ac-  
cording to a message received by Captain  
Savage, chief of detectives.

**Underwriters' President Here**—President  
John W. Whittington of the National As-  
sociation of Life Insurance Underwriters  
will be in Omaha May 2, as the guest of  
the local underwriters' association. The  
meeting will be held at the Paxton hotel  
and Mr. Whittington will give an address  
upon matters pertaining to life insurance.

**Who Wants the Job?**—One of Iowa's  
thriving towns wants a live, first-class,  
up-to-date man to fill a position of secre-  
tary of a commercial club. Commissioner  
Gild of the Commercial club has been  
asked to find such a man. The applicant  
must be resourceful, tactful, diplomatic and  
a good hard worker. To such a man a  
salary of \$2,000 is offered on the start, and  
more will be paid if it is demonstrated  
that he is worth more money.

**BRANDEIS STORES BIG SALE.**  
Entire Stock of a Prominent Fifth  
Ave., N. Y., Dressmaker on Sale  
Next Monday.  
This stock consists of fine silks, many  
of them in exclusive patterns, foulards,  
brocades, taffetas, in dress and waist  
lengths, chiffons, gauze materials, etc.,  
also dress goods that were imported ex-  
pressly for this establishment, fine broad-  
cloths and the greatest assortment of high  
cost laces and dress trimmings that are  
found only at exclusive dressmakers.  
On sale next Monday at Brandeis Stores.

**Frightful Spasms**  
of the stomach, liver torpor, lame back  
and weak kidneys are overcome by Elec-  
tric Bitters. Guaranteed. See. For sale  
by Beaton Drug Co.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a medi-  
cine of great worth and merit. Try it when  
you have a cold.

# Hesitate

And you are lost. No prize to those who do  
not enter. \$1,145.00 in Prizes Free to the  
12 successful contestants. Contest closes  
tomorrow at 6 p. m. Send your name in at  
once.

**Schmoller & Mueller Piano Co.**  
1311-13 FARNAM STREET

A copy of the Schmoller & Mueller Triumphal March Free to  
every contestant. (The hit of the season.)

## AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

**Union Stock Yards Will Spend Big  
Sum on Improvements.**

**TRAINOR ISSUES PROCLAMATION**

**Urges Citizens to Make Most of  
Chance to Plant Trees—Sheriff  
Takes Charge of Ballot  
Boxes.**

The Union Stock Yards company is to ex-  
pend \$250,000 on permanent improvements to  
the yards this season, according to Gen-  
eral Manager Everett Buckingham, and  
the improvements are now under way in  
the cattle yards.

The latest announcement was made yes-  
terday morning by the manager that the  
building now occupied by the dining hall  
is to be raised another story. Half of the  
second floor is to be fitted up with model  
offices for the accommodation of commis-  
sioners. Clay, Robinson & Co., Roberts  
Brothers and the Bowles Commission com-  
pany will occupy the new quarters. The  
Clay, Robinson company will have one-half  
of the new addition and the rest will be  
occupied equally by the other firms.

"It is a sign of the stability of this  
market and the permanence of western in-  
dustry," said Mr. Buckingham, "when we  
are called upon so often as we are to pro-  
vide more accommodations. This is true in  
the office and in the yards. Half of the  
offices in the building have been remodelled  
to give the greatest economy of space and  
the greatest convenience. Now that every  
inch of the big exchange building is oc-  
cupied we simply have to build more. It is  
a question of time only when further ad-  
ditions or reconstruction enter the picture.

In the yards we are laying solid cement  
floors to our runways and in the cattle  
pens. This work will reach great propor-  
tions before the summer closes. New  
lumber for the pens is being put in the  
repaired sections. We will probably spend  
\$200,000.

**Mayor's Proclamation.**  
Mayor P. J. Trainor issued his first pro-  
clamation yesterday, which was in ex-  
hortation to the citizens to observe Arbor  
day, April 22, by planting trees and shrub-  
bery and otherwise beautifying the streets  
of the city. The following is the text of  
the proclamation:

Whereas, The 22nd day of April of each  
year has been designated by the legislature  
of the state of Nebraska, as Arbor day,  
for the purpose of encouraging the planting  
of trees within our state.  
Now Therefore, I, Patrick J. Trainor,  
mayor of the city of South Omaha, Doug-  
lass county, Nebraska, do hereby proclaim  
Friday, April 22, 1910, a legal holiday in  
accordance with the statutes of the state  
and respectfully urge a request of the  
people of South Omaha to observe the  
day in the spirit in which it is intended,  
by planting trees in our public parks,  
streets, avenues and boulevards, and around  
the private homes of our citizens.

Our people have reason to feel proud of  
their efforts in the past in planting and  
encouraging the growth of ornamental and  
shade trees within our city, and have added  
much to the attractions of our town, and  
I trust that the same spirit which  
animated them in former years to "plant  
trees" will be shown by our citizens on the  
occasion.

I therefore request that our citizens  
cease from the activities of business life  
on Arbor day and assist in beautifying our  
city by "planting trees."  
Dated at South Omaha, Neb., this 21st  
day of April, A. D. 1910.

**P. J. TRAINOR, Mayor.**  
**Accommodation Track Wanted.**  
The topic of discussion before the South  
Omaha Commercial club following the  
monthly luncheon at the Greer hotel was  
the proposition of an accommodation track  
in the alley between Twenty-sixth and  
Twenty-seventh streets to pass from O to  
L street. This track would accommodate  
the new lumber company at Twenty-sixth  
and M streets and several other industries,  
both actual and in prospect. The Union  
Pacific road agreed to build this track  
nearly two years ago, provided the city  
would hold it from liability for damages  
by reason of the change of grade.

The project fell through because one of  
the property owners wanted \$10,000 damages  
on this account. The property is said to have  
changed hands since that time and it is  
likely that the other property owners  
would waive all damage. A committee  
was appointed to negotiate interest in the  
project by stimulating the circulation of  
a petition asking the city council to change  
the grade to accommodate the new track.

**Secures Ballot Boxes.**  
Sheriff Bralley took charge of the ballot  
boxes Thursday containing the returns of  
the recent municipal election in South  
Omaha. He did this under order from the  
county court, before which the contests of  
Kelly against Ryan, Larkin against Peterson  
and Elliott against Miller will be tried.  
This action will relieve the South Omaha  
police department from maintaining a  
watch over the ballot boxes, which has  
been kept since the election. The city  
clerk was of the opinion that he could have  
retained possession of the ballot boxes  
until the court actually needed them in the  
hearing, but he waived the right in the  
interest of harmony.

**Kerbis-Ferguson Wedding.**  
Fred Kerbis and Miss Bertie Ferguson  
were married Wednesday at 6 p. m. at  
their new home, 718 North Twenty-fifth  
street. Dr. R. L. Wheeler performed the  
ceremony in the presence of a number  
of the personal friends and relatives of  
the parties. Miss Ferguson is the daugh-  
ter of S. A. Ferguson and has been a resi-  
dent of South Omaha all her life. She is  
an accomplished musician and one of the  
popular young women. She marries a  
man of her own age, who has been for  
some time a resident and who will make  
his home in South Omaha.

**Last Report by Melcher.**  
C. A. Melcher, the retired city treasurer  
of South Omaha, made his final report  
yesterday morning showing the condition  
of funds April 12, on which day he turned  
over the cash and the effects of the office  
to J. J. Giffin. This report shows a bal-  
ance of \$137,879.65. The last report was  
audited and declared correct by W. H.

Rawley, who was employed by the city for  
that purpose over a month ago.

**Y. M. C. A. to Remains Open.**  
As the result of the dinner and the con-  
sultation among the friends of the South  
Omaha Young Men's Christian association  
held last night at the Greer hotel, \$2,250  
was pledged to the support of the institu-  
tion and for the payment of the arrears  
of indebtedness. It was decided to apply  
the efforts of the association strictly to the  
boys of the city and to permit young men  
of South Omaha freedom to unite with the  
Omaha association. Hereafter the special  
effort of the association will be for the  
boys. A special boy's secretary will be  
secured. Men will also be welcomed at  
the association, and may on secret privi-  
leges with the understanding that they may  
also affiliate with the Omaha associa-  
tion.

In addition to the \$2,250 raised it was de-  
cided to appoint ten captains to organize  
committees of five men each to solicit  
funds for the association and increase the  
present subscription to \$5,000. These com-  
mittees will shortly be announced. The  
\$5,000 will pay up the indebtedness and ar-  
range for some improvements in the build-  
ing and in the apparatus.

**J. P. Bailey** the state secretary of the  
Young Men's Christian association and E.  
F. Thompson, secretary of the Omaha as-  
sociation, both made stirring speeches and  
put the issue of supporting or closing the  
institution squarely before the audience.

**Colored Man Shot.**  
by a pistol shot, alleged to have been  
fired by Jess Carr, also colored, at 320  
South Twenty-sixth street. The victim is  
now in the South Omaha hospital with a  
lacerated wound in the stomach and it is  
said, cannot recover.

Jealousy over a woman is said to have  
caused the shooting. Carr was arrested  
immediately after the affair and is now in  
the South Omaha jail.

**Magic City Gossip.**  
Mrs. Frank O'Reilly was on the sick  
list for a few days.  
Miss Margaret O'Grady of Dawson, Neb.,  
is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hinckley.  
Edward Dee has gone to Hot Springs,  
Ark., for a rest after his recent severe  
illness.

The young people of the Baptist church  
will hold a box social this evening at the  
church.

A banquet and general meeting of the  
salesmen of Swift and Company will be  
held Sunday, May 1, at the Greer hotel.

**METZ FAMOUS BOTTLED BEER**—For  
home consumers. Prompt delivery guar-  
anteed. "The South Omaha Beer Co."

Harry Hartnett has been appointed as  
assistant to the city tax commissioner for  
a period of two months during the rush  
season.

**"PHONE SOUTH 938** for a case of JET-  
TER ROCK REFRIG. Prompt delivery to  
any part of city. Henry J. Jetter.

Paul Staley, 5 months old, son of Mr.  
and Mrs. W. W. Staley, Thirty-third and  
W streets, died yesterday. The funeral  
will be held at 2 p. m. today from the  
residence.

The Liberal Club of Antelope will  
meet Monday evening, April 25, at Danis  
Brotherhood hall for the purpose of adopt-  
ing a constitution and by-laws. All mem-  
bers are urged to be present.

The meeting for the announcement of  
appointments of the Fraternal Order of  
Eagles will be held Tuesday evening, April  
26, at the Ancient Order of United Work-  
men's temple. The members are urged  
to attend this meeting.

**FOR RENT**—Acres tracts: 34 acres, West  
L. St.; good improvements; fine for gar-  
dening. 3101 S. 30th St. 3 rooms, bath,  
well and windmill; nice place. 5 acres, 1  
mile south of city limits; good yard and  
chicken. All nice land. O'Neil Real Es-  
tate and Insurance Agency. Tel. South 152.

**OLD TIMES SOCIAL GAY**  
**WITH SONG AND COSTUME**

**Happy Function at Kountze Memorial  
Church Has Many Unique  
Features.**

The old times social given by the Ladies'  
Helping Hand society of Kountze Mem-  
orial church Thursday evening was a  
unique success. The costumes were bril-  
liant, old-fashioned and beautiful.  
The president, Mrs. James Liddell, sat  
on the stage in old-fashioned garb and  
knit on a stocking. J. F. Slinger played  
fifty-year-old solos on his priceless old  
flute. "Uncle Joe" Redman, in perfect In-  
dian garb, told how his first acquaintance  
here in this wilderness fifty-two years  
ago was the local Indian chief, who shook  
hands in welcome, but only said, "How."  
Miss Jennie Hart recited "Twinkle,  
Twinkle Little Star." Dr. Van Fleet, in  
truly oriental costume, turban and all,  
sang splendidly, "Marguerite," Miss Bertha  
True accompanying on the piano, also  
dressed as a Mohammedan maiden.

A song hit was a quartet, Mrs. O. P.  
Goodman, Mrs. Koch, Mrs. Gillespie and  
Mrs. Carmichael, "Silver Threads Among  
the Gold." They were called back twice  
and finally showered with ice cream cones,  
flowers and doughnuts. Miss Amanda Teb-  
bins rendered a number of old-time melo-  
dies on the piano that were heartily  
encored. Mr. William Swain, in laborer's  
costume, gave recitations.

The booth of garments for sale was  
speedily emptied and the refreshment  
booths fully patronized. The entertainment  
will be repeated within the near  
future.

**IMMIGRANTS GIVE CENSUS**  
**MAN THE LEAST TROUBLE**

**"So Called Higher Class Districts"**  
**Provide Trouble for Census**  
**Takers, Says Chief Clerk.**

"We are not having any serious trouble  
with the census enumeration thus far,"  
said Chief Clerk Graff of the Census de-  
partment, "except that better results are  
being obtained from the districts where  
foreigners and the less highly educated  
classes are located than from the so-called  
higher class districts."  
The foreigners, particularly, seem willing  
and eager to answer every question asked  
of them, as do the uneducated. Elsewhere  
many people seem to think that they do  
not have to answer the questions and in  
some instances refuse to do so.

"It might be well to call attention to the  
fact that the law requires every person to  
respond to the queries of the enumerators.  
The law states: 'If any adult person re-  
fuses or wilfully neglects to answer an  
enumerator's questions, or, if any person  
wilfully gives answers that are false, he  
or she can be arrested, carried to court,  
and fined up to \$100. Keepers of hotels,  
apartment houses, boarding or lodging  
houses, tenements or other buildings, in  
which persons make their homes, must help  
the enumerator when asked or they will  
be liable to arrest and punishment by a  
fine of up to \$500.'"

**ORIGINAL "HUCK FINN"**  
**WEEPS AT TWAIN'S DEATH**

**Barney Farthing of Chicago, Life**  
**Character of Famous Book,**  
**Heartbroken.**

CHICAGO, April 22.—B. C. M. (Barney)  
Farthing, original of "Huckleberry Finn,"  
wept when he heard of Mark Twain's  
death.

"The old days are passing," he said.  
"Even the long sweep of the majestic Mis-  
sissippi river seems to have dwindled. The  
noise of its traffic and the music of its  
deep throated whistles practically are no  
more. The man who put pictures of the  
great river into words for the delight of the  
world is dead."

## If You're Unusually Particular--Then



**Hats of  
Now-a-Days**

must necessarily be up-to-date  
and distinctive in style, shade  
and shape, for no one article  
you wear has so much to do  
with your appearance as does  
your hat. Such as these, are  
the hats you will find in our  
metropolitan hat section. Just  
at present we're taking particu-  
lar pride in displaying a  
number of new J. B. Stetson's  
shapes, which have just ar-  
rived. And, speaking of Stet-  
son's, we've over 100 differ-  
ent shapes, many of which are  
not shown outside this store.  
Make it a point to see these  
at once. We have complete  
lines of—

J. B. Stetson, \$12 to \$3.50  
Croft & Knapp, at—  
\$6.00 \$4.00 and \$3.00  
"Ashbury," ..... \$2.50  
"Lawton," ..... \$2.00  
"Nebraska Special," ..... \$1.50

Special—Boston Garters

11c

Paris Garters,

15c

## You'll Better Appreciate "Nebraska Suits"

The new gray,  
brown and  
blue fabrics

which we have just received are so  
distinctively new and entirely un-  
like any you've yet seen, that you'll  
agree with us in saying that  
"They're the Handsomest Suits in  
Town" at anywhere near their  
prices.

These suits are the very latest prod-  
uct of our own expert tailors and comprise  
a range of patterns that are bound to  
please every individual taste, from that of  
the most fastidious dresser to that of the  
more conservative. In style, fit and work-  
manship, you will find them beyond criti-  
cism, while in wearing qualities they will  
exceed your utmost expectations.

No matter what your clothes ideas  
now are, you are urged to at least see  
these garments before making your selection.  
They are priced at—

**\$12 \$15 \$18 \$10 \$15 \$20**

**We make exception to no clothier in the  
country when we say that these "Ne-  
braska" Suits are 25% better than any you  
will find elsewhere at their prices.**

**Nebraska Clothing Co.**  
"The House of  
High Merit."  
FARNAM & FIFTEENTH STS.

## Fast Freight Men Solicit Traffic

**Chesapeake & Ohio Special Brings  
Easterners Here—Time Changes  
on Burlington.**

Arriving in Omaha yesterday on a special  
Chesapeake & Ohio car, officials of the  
Kansas and Blue Ridge Despatch com-  
panies were accompanied by Assistant  
General Agent George Morton of the Bur-  
lington and local freight officials on a  
tour of the big supply houses in the city  
and in South Omaha.

Manager Thornton Lewis and General

Western Agent H. P. Hathaway of the  
Kansas Despatch and their agent at St.  
Joseph, were with Manager R. H. Vaughn  
of the Blue Ridge Despatch and explained  
that their trip through Omaha was purely  
one of business. They are seeking to in-  
crease the amount of fast freight business  
between the Atlantic and the west, and  
have made arrangements with the Burling-  
ton whereby a freight car loaded at New-  
port News, Va., will go straight through to  
Denver within six days. After visiting sev-  
eral merchants and business men the spe-  
cial left at 4:10 on the Burlington for Den-  
ver.

Effective May 1 there will be a number  
of changes in the time of arrival and de-  
parture of some Burlington trains on the  
Lincoln division. Train No. 130 will leave  
Lincoln at 6 p. m. instead of 4:25 p. m.,  
as is now the case. Train No. 41 will

leave Table Rock at an earlier hour, 3:25  
p. m., arriving in Lincoln at 5:25, and will  
do no local work north of Table Rock.  
No. 115 will leave Table Rock at 3:40 p.  
m., and will do local work, arriving in  
Lincoln at 5:45 p. m. No. 119 will continue  
in service on the present schedule, daily  
except Sunday, from Table Rock to Lin-  
coln.

No. 40 will be carded earlier from Sen-  
eca. It will leave Ravenna at 8:45 a. m.,  
and will be carded earlier through Grand  
Island, arriving at Aurora at 10:25 a. m.  
and it will leave Aurora at 10:40 a. m., ar-  
riving at Lincoln as at present.

Vice President and General Manager A.  
L. Mohler of the Union Pacific has left  
Omaha for a tour over the company's  
lines.  
Superintendent of Transportation W. D.  
Lincoln of the Union Pacific has returned

from St. Joseph, where he attended the  
funeral of his uncle, Rice D. Gilkey, one  
of the old residents of St. Joseph.

D. Clem Deaver, head of the Burlington's  
homeseekers' information bureau, is in Wy-  
oming accompanying a homeseekers' ex-  
cursion.

**MRS. CRONK ASKS MORE MONEY**

**Motion Filed in District Court**  
**Saying Allowance Necessary**  
**for Operation.**  
A plea for an additional grant of \$300  
is filed in district court in behalf of Mrs.  
Cora Cronk. It is set forth that Mrs.  
Cronk must go to a hospital for an opera-  
tion and the money is asked for on this  
ground. It is expected that Mr. Cronk's  
attorneys will oppose the motion.

# SATURDAY, APRIL 23

## Thomas Kilpatrick and Company

Will hold on Second Floor, a Very Special Sale of

# Ladies' Tailored Suits!

## Opportune! Fortunate! Interesting!

Opportune refers to the fact that this sale comes just at the right  
time! Fortunate refers to a lucky purchase at the right time! And in-  
teresting refers to the money-saving to those who buy Saturday at the  
right place and time! Street Suits, numerous colorings, the wanted shades  
of grey, the newest tans, still popular Wisteria, the very latest blues, styles  
and fabrics, made to sell in the usual way up to \$35—all offered to you  
on Saturday

# At \$19.50 Each

We have shown a few models from this purchase in our west window. Interest shown indicates a crowded sales-  
room. If you are not interested tell someone else and gain their gratitude and good will for the telling. We'll have  
to charge for alterations on this lot.

**Worth Your Knowing**—On same floor—a new feature. Children's Dresses of all the leading wash materials—  
correctly cut, properly made—ginghams, poplins, percales, lawns, linens, etc. 59c up to \$5.00.

Dainty lawns, delicate Swisses—made, designed and trimmed by experts who had graduating time in mind—  
others for confirmation—and such special occasions as you love to prepare for. \$1.00 up to \$18.00.

Last Saturday we advertised a lot of Foulards at 59c per yard; worth, depending where you buy, from 85c to  
\$1.00. Disagreeable weather made the sale a frost. We will repeat the sale Saturday.

# Thos. Kilpatrick & Co.