

### A Shoe Sale Tomorrow at Prices Which Will Crowd the Store

The heavy price reductions have made this the most successful shoe sale we have held in years. To make tomorrow the biggest day of all, we have arranged some special prices which make it of special interest to you to be fitted before the range of styles and sizes are broken.

- LADIES' SHOES**  
One special lot of Ladies' shoes, in good lasts and leathers, all regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 values, tomorrow—  
\$1.95  
Ladies' shoes in dull calf, patent, velvete and suede, sizes 2 to 8—  
\$4.00 shoes ..... \$4.95  
\$5.00 shoes ..... \$3.85  
\$4.00 shoes ..... \$2.95
- MISSES' SHOES**  
A special lot of misses' shoes, in serviceable, good looking styles and every shoe a \$2.25 or \$2.50 value—  
\$1.65  
Misses' shoes in tan or dull calf, sizes 11 to 2; \$3 and \$2.50 values—  
\$2.65  
Misses' \$3.50, high top tan button boots—  
\$2.65
- BOYS' SHOES**  
An excellent line of boys' shoes, patent leather in lace or button styles; tan in lace style. \$2.50 values—  
\$2.65
- CHILDREN'S SHOES**  
Dull calf and kid leathers, sizes 5 to 8; \$2.00 values—  
\$1.55  
Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, all regular \$2 and \$2.50 values—  
\$1.65
- GIRLS' SHOES**  
Patent, dull leather and kid with patent tips, sizes 2 1/2 to 6; \$2.75, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 values—  
\$2.35
- BABIES' SHOES**  
Patent leather, with pink, blue, red and velvet tops, clever little styles, comfortable and good looking—\$1.50 values—  
\$1.15

**BLINSON & THORNE**  
1518-1520 FARNAM STREET

### CENSORS NAMED FOR DANCES

Men and Women Appointed to Decide What is Permissible.

#### WILL ELIMINATE GRIZZLY BEAR

Des Moines Mayor Takes First Step Toward Municipal Water Works, Ordering Investigation of Sources of Water.

From a Staff Correspondent.  
DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—W. H. Robinson, Fred Steiler, L. P. Seider, Mrs. William English, Mrs. C. E. Grainger and Mrs. Mary Wakefield were today appointed censors for Des Moines public dance halls. By the terms of the ordinance, which was passed today, a male and female censor employed by the police department will attend all dances and besides passing upon the admittance of the patrons of the hall will censor the dancing.

This will eliminate all immoral dances, such as the "grizzly bear" and the "moonlight waltz," "turkey trot" and other terephorsian foats.

City Wants Water Plant.  
Des Moines will build its own water works at once if the Des Moines Water company continues to obstruct the completion of its own plant. Mayor Hanna took the first step for a municipal water works today when he secured the passage of a resolution directing the engineering department to "investigate and report to the council the advisability of other sources of water supply for the city."

### ESTHERVILLE THEATRICAL JOURNAL CHANGES HANDS

ESTHERVILLE, Ia., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The Opera House Reporter, a weekly theatrical journal, owned and published here by James R. Cox & Co., was yesterday sold to Will H. Bruno, an actor, who took possession today.

### PART OF PRATT'S STORY REJECTED

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him by Arthur Meeker, one of the defendants.  
"The National Packing company operated no packing houses under its own name," said Pratt. "It operated the plants of the G. H. Hammond company, Omaha Packing company, United Dressed Beef and Provision company under the old names. The United Dressed Beef company limited its operations to supplying the Jewish trade in New York City. The other three companies did business throughout Territory A."

### Hall County Sheriff is Killed by Train

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Sheriff James K. Dunkle of Hall county was instantly killed tonight at Chapman while crossing the Union Pacific track in front of approaching train No. 11. His body was thrown against a truck and when picked up by the dead.

### WESTERN GLASS COMPANY STOCK DAMAGED BY FIRE

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire in the store of the Western Glass and Paint company today did damage of \$90,000 to the stock and \$300 to the building, both covered by insurance. The firemen had a hard time of it with the temperature six below zero, but by hard work confined the fire to one corner of the building, though the stock of paints and glass all through the building was badly damaged by heat and water. An explosion, supposed to be that of a barrel of oil, caused part of one floor to collapse and for a time it was feared some of the firemen had been caught, but this proved to be groundless.

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### PANICS DUE TO BANKING SYSTEM

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In the world, the committee would find "no restraint of trade."  
Mr. Carnegie frequently pounded the table with his hand.  
"Why," he said, "we were going to build at Conneaut, O., an enormous tube mill that would have astonished the world and outdistanced competition. That's where Charlie Schwab comes in again. He told me he was satisfied he had a plan whereby we could build a tube mill that would save \$10 a ton in the cost of manufacture over any other tube mill in the world."

### Pat Crowe is Sent to Hospital in Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Pat Crowe, kidnaper, evangelist, promoter of a sanitarium for imbeciles and police character, made his appearance in court here again today. This time his brother wished him sent to the county hospital. He was suffering from exposure. Crowe identified himself as an "author," saying he had been "banished" from Chicago some time ago by a municipal judge, he was sent to the hospital.

### When Your Hair Is Faded or Brittle

"A beautiful growth of long, glossy and fluffy hair can be had by every woman—hair of a rich, even color," writes Mrs. Mae Martyn in the Washington Leader. "The only condition to this is that shampooing be indulged in at least once a month. And a word about what to use: Never—no, never employ soaps or mixtures containing 'free' alkali, because of the disastrous effects following."

### Ask Your Doctor

Stop coughing! Coughing rasps and tears. Stop it! Coughing prepares the throat and lungs for more trouble. Stop it! There is nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. Stop it! Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is a medicine for coughs and colds, a regular doctor's medicine. Use it! Ask your doctor if this is not good advice.

### VITAL POINT IN VALUATION

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**The Recognized Quality of Our Furnishing Goods and the Extraordinary Reductions at Which They are Offered, is Making This a Busy Department During These Sale Days.**

**An Extra Special Shirt Offer**  
One immense lot of negligee and plaited bosom shirts, which sold regular from \$1.50 to \$2.50, every pattern desirable—range of sizes complete, its the best bargain of the season, your choice ..... **\$1.00**

**25% DISCOUNT** All Fur and Lined Gloves, Outing Gowns and Pajamas, Bath Robes and Smoking Jackets **25% DISCOUNT**

Here's the Way We are Selling Shirts Save One-Third on Neckwear

\$1.50 Shirts, now... **\$1.00**  
\$2.00 Shirts, now... **\$1.35**  
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\$3.00 Shirts, now... **\$2.00**  
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50c Neckwear, now... **35c**  
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**\$2.50 Soft Hats, Special \$1.95**

Every hat at this season's style, all desirable shades. Our intention of discontinuing this price list, allows you an opportunity to save on splendid headwear.

**Any Sweater Coat in Stock, Choice \$2.95**

**Browning King & Co**  
R. S. WILCOX, Manager.

**Suits and Overcoats to Measure \$17.50**  
Reduced from \$25.00 to \$28.00

Our Big Stock Reducing Sale reduces the price on every Suiting and Overcoating in our store 25% to 49%.

\$40.00 Suits and Overcoats to measure for ..... **\$25.00**  
\$45.00 Suits and Overcoats to measure for ..... **\$30.00**  
\$50.00 Suits and Overcoats to measure for ..... **\$35.00**  
\$55.00 Suits and Overcoats to measure for ..... **\$40.00**

All work made in our own shops. Every coat carefully tried on in the bastings; and every garment well lined and guaranteed perfect in fit and style.

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304-306 SOUTH 16th STREET  
Five Steps South of Farnam.

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**Facts for Weak Women**  
Nine-tenths of all the sickness of women is due to some derangement or disease of the organs distinctly feminine. Such sickness can be cured—is cured every day by

**Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription**  
It Makes Weak Women Strong, Sick Women Well.

It acts directly on the organs affected and is at the same time a general restorative tonic for the whole system. It cures female complaint in the privacy of home. It makes unnecessary the disagreeable questioning, examinations and local treatment so universally insisted upon by doctors, and so abhorrent to every modest woman.

We shall not particularize here as to the symptoms of these peculiar affections incident to women, but those wanting full information as to their symptoms and means of positive cure are referred to the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser—1008 pages, newly revised and up-to-date Edition, sent free on receipt of 31 cent stamp to cover cost of wrapping and mailing only, in French cloth binding. Address: Dr. R. V. Pierce, No. 613 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

**Wepheum**  
Phonics: Douglas 494; ind. A-1191  
Mat. Every Day 2:15; Every Night 9:15  
ADVANCE  
Mary Norman, Valerie Bergere & Company; Van Haven; Weston & Lynch; The Four Frolics; Harry Green; International Polo Tennis; Kinstoch; Orpheum; Concert Orchestra; Frisco; Night 10c; 25c, 50c, 75c. Matinee, 10c; best seats 25c. except Saturday and Sunday.

**BRANDEIS THEATER**  
Tonight, Fri., Sat.—Matinee Sat.  
THE SMART SET, With S. H. Dudley & 50 Singers & Dancers  
Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c—Mat., 25c, 50c  
SUNDAY—ALICE LLOYD, In Little Miss Fannie

**AMERICAN THEATER**  
Tonight, Mat.—Tues., Thurs. Sat.  
MISS EVA LANG and the WOODWARD STOCK COMPANY in "WHEN WE WERE 21"  
Next Week—"The Man of the Hour"

**THE OMAHA BEE**  
Less than a penny and cleaner than any.

### POLICE GUARD SECURITIES

Hundred and Forty Officers Watch Ruins of Equitable Building.

### HALF BILLION IN THE VAULTS

Bulk of Stocks and Bonds of Harriman, Gould, Ryan and Belmont Estates Are in the Big Receipts.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Half a billion dollars or more in securities lie in the glowing ruins of the Equitable building, guarded by 140 policemen and detectives. The bulk of the Gould, Harriman, Ryan and Belmont estates and the vast securities of the Equitable Life Assurance society are locked in the massive steel vaults. All of the vaults are believed to be intact.

The ruins still hold the body of Hattalion Chief William Walsh. Two missing watchmen also are believed to have perished in the fire, in which six lives were lost.

Because \$50,000,000 to \$75,000,000 in collateral of Wall street loans are locked in the vaults, the governing committee of the stock exchange announced today another postponement of one day in deliveries.

The records of the Harriman railroad lines showing the names and addresses of 40,000 stockholders were lost. A duplicate set of the names without the addresses was kept by the Mercantile Trust company. It is not known if these have been destroyed. If they are, it will be necessary to advertise for the names and addresses of stockholders.

### A FEELING OF SECURITY.

You naturally feel secure when you know that the medicine you are about to take is absolutely pure and contains no harmful or habit producing drugs. Such a medicine is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy.

The same standard of purity, strength and excellence is maintained in every bottle of Swamp-Root.

Swamp-Root is scientifically compounded from vegetable herbs.

It is not a stimulant and is taken in teaspoonful doses.

It is not recommended for everything.

It is nature's great helper in relieving and overcoming kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

A sworn statement of purity is with every bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

If you need a medicine, you should have the best.

**How Wrinkles come**

Many a young woman in this town is wearing a prematurely old look through defective eyesight.

There are wrinkles on her forehead which have no business there.

**Defective Vision** is the cause.

When reading is an effort, and the brows pucker, it's time to come to us. The right glasses will make reading a pleasure, and smooth out many a wrinkle.

**Huteson Optical Co.,**  
812 South 16th Street.

### BEET GROWERS SATISFIED

Kinkaid Presents Sworn Statement from Scottsbluff Club Head.

### EVIDENCE BEFORE SUGAR BODY

Settlers Along North Platte Reclamation Project Dissatisfied at Order Extending Term—To Secure New Ruling.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Representative Kinkaid this morning appeared before the "Sugar trust" investigating committee and laid before Chairman Hardwick a sworn statement sent him by C. A. Morrill, president of the Scott's Bluff Commercial club regarding conditions of the sugar beet industry in the North Platte valley. It is understood that this statement is made in lieu of verbal testimony of the witnesses from that portion of Nebraska.

The statement was sworn to in proper legal form and Judge Kinkaid requested that it be considered by the committee as sworn testimony. The point made by the statement which was offered to controvert former testimony in which the Scott's Bluff people objected, is that the sugar beet growers are treated fairly by factories handling their product and that they consider them as very beneficial and profitable institutions of the community.

Settlers Are Dissatisfied.  
There is a good deal of dissatisfaction among those living on the North Platte reclamation projects over the public notice recently ordered issued by the department purporting to extend the time on which settlers must meet their obligations. It was understood by the settlers that the new order would relieve them from financial obligations at this time which it is difficult for them to meet. They say, however, that under the notice recently published each settler must raise about \$40 and in many cases will be a great hardship and in not a few instances impossible. Mr. Kinkaid is working with the Interior department in the hope of securing some order that will enable settlers to meet the requirements.

Senator Brown today recommended the reappointment of George B. Guffey to be postmaster at Elgin.

### GAME WARDEN REPORTS TEN THOUSAND ON HAND

LINCOLN, Jan. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The annual report of the game warden made to the governor shows that for the first time this department has taken in more money than it cost to run it. The total receipts from licenses and fines were \$30,282.50 and the expenses were \$19,625.50, leaving a balance of \$10,657.00. This is due to the operation of the new game law requiring a license from all hunters and fishermen.

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L. McCarty.  
SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 10.—L. McCarty, a well known pioneer business man of this city, died today. He was the father of Rev. Thomas McCarty, vicar general of the Catholic see of Sioux City.

Captain C. B. Dahlgren.  
TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 10.—Captain Charles B. Dahlgren, a retired naval officer, died here today. Captain Dahlgren was a son of Admiral Dahlgren.