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We take inventory the last day of June, and for a rapid clearance of all our broken lines of Children's Sailor and Russian Wash Suits before that time we have marked them at a small fraction of their actual worth.

\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.50 values, now... **\$2.65**
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All of our Boys' Colored \$1 Soft and Lamed Detached Soft Collar Blouses... **85c**

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Does he win your trade on merit or on friendship?

Friendship holds the world together. We want all the friends we can get but we're determined to merit the friendship of our customers by giving greater value, better store service and guaranteed satisfaction. More for your money here on every purchase.

The New Nebraska is winning hundreds of new friends every week—counting the advantage of buying here.

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Men's and young men's better clothes for less money

YOU'LL appreciate our new way of buying clothes and the wonderful values we've produced. First we go to the mills for fabrics and save you \$5.00, \$7.50 and even \$10.00 on a suit. Then we set to work the brainiest designers—D'Annunzio of Fashion clothes fame and other celebrated style creators of Rochester, N. Y. Here's the logical result—unmatched values and the most distinguished styles in high class hand-tailored clothes **\$15, \$20, \$25** ever offered anywhere—extraordinary showing at.....

Wonderfully attractive showing of mid-season style ideas

Cool Clothes for Men and Young Men--Real Comfort Clothes

Cool Blue serge suits at \$10 to \$30	Cool Pure worsted suits at \$10 to \$35	Cool Outing suits at \$10 to \$25	Cool Norfolk suits at \$10 to \$25	Cool Lounge suits at \$10 to \$35
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Choose Cool Furnishing Goods with ease here

No need to search through small stocks elsewhere when you can get what you want without delay in our mammoth assortments. Every department here is a store in itself. Wonderful attractive styles and patterns from America's best makers.

Largest Showing MEN'S SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY.

Largest Showing MEN'S NECKWEAR, COLLARS, BELTS and Dress Accessories.

Largest Showing TRAVELING GOODS, TRUNKS, SUIT CASES AND GRIBS.

Panama Hats

Wonderful values **\$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.50**

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2,500 Pairs Men's and Young Men's TROUSERS

\$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50
Outing Trousers, flannel trousers, worsted trousers. Greatest showing of high grade hand-tailored trousers—wonderful values—hundreds of pairs that are tailored from short lengths of finest suitings that sell for \$5—the suit. You'll want an extra pair or two—here's your opportunity.

Straw Hats

Exceptional values **\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00**



See Our Show Windows Today

Council Bluffs

MERCHANTS NAME OFFICERS

Association Adopts Resolution for Net Weight.

WOULD BUY GOODS THAT WAY

Condemns Apportionment Directed Against Stores as Being Unsanitary—Would Stop Killing of Calves Till Cattle Grow.

Association Officers

President—J. H. Schaefer, Davenport. Vice President—J. Keppner, Council Bluffs. Secretary—John A. Cunningham, Dubuque. Treasurer—Thomas J. Mooney, Clinton. Executive Committee—R. W. Waterloo, J. J. Luedscher, Dubuque; William Mosh, Cedar Rapids; L. N. Emmert, Keokuk; Philip, Albia; F. H. Duestman, Burlington.

The fifteenth annual convention of the Iowa Retail Merchants' association concluded yesterday at noon with the election of officers. In the afternoon several hundred of the retailers accepted the invitation of the Omaha Grocers' and Butcher's association to become guests at the annual picnic at Krus park. The election of officers and consideration of the report of the resolutions committee were the chief matters for consideration at the closing session. The only speech mentioned on the program was the talk of Robert H. Huntington, secretary of the Council Bluffs association, on the theme, "The Retailer in Politics."

The committee on nominations unanimously recommended the re-election of all of the present officers. A vote was taken and there was not a dissenting voice. President Schaefer and the other officers made grateful acknowledgments of the fine compliment paid them and promised better results, if possible, next year.

A great deal of discussion followed the report of the resolutions committee. Robert Huntington of Council Bluffs, Robert J. Shanahan of Ottumwa and John A. Fenney of Davenport, which ended in the approval of all of the fifteen resolutions. The first resolution relates to the handling of packers' products and declares that:

"It is the policy of the State Association of Retail Grocers that all commodities purchased by the retailer shall be sold at net weight; that meat packing industries throughout the country are arbitrarily increasing in weight; that the gross weight and spreaders in the weighing of their products; that the Iowa State Retail Merchants, in this fifteenth annual convention, demand the packers of the above products to distribute the same on the basis of net weight for the commodity itself; that the state officers of this association are hereby directed and authorized to do everything within their power to secure the consummation of the letter and spirit of the above resolutions."

Stores Are Sanitary

The second resolution covers the newspapers and others who have attacked the retailers on the plea that grocery and provision stores are not kept in a sanitary condition and favors an intelligent and accurate investigation into all places where provisions are kept for sale or storage and then vigorously condemn the attacks, declaring them to be "misleading and injurious to the welfare of the retail trade, carrying with them a necessary spirit, profitable only to such writers, lecturers or publications."

To Curtail Veal Supply

The resolutions, seeking to increase the best supply, ask for a state law that will prohibit the killing of calves for a period of years, "in order that numerically the number of matured animals may be increased."

A letter postage is favored and congress is urged to pass a measure establishing it. Strong endorsement is given the collecting and reporting agencies now established by local, state and national associations, and all of the associations of Iowa are urged to establish such agencies and systems of credit rating and collection of bad bills from customers who have moved.

Endorsement is given to the Lewis bill pending in congress to change the name of oleomargarine to margarine and to reduce the tax for the protection of dealer and benefit of consumer.

The practice of manufacturers to sell their products to jobbers and sometimes to consumers on a guaranteed basis against decline is condemned as having a "tendency to discriminate in favor of the large buyer, as against the small retailer, create a false market and cause speculation, so undesirable for the good of the grocery trade and that the practice is also responsible for the price cutting, thereby bringing about a demoralization of conditions, so reprehensible to the welfare of the grocery business."

"There seemed to be a tacit understanding concerning the meeting and purpose

of resolution No. 3, which declares "that as there is now a trade relations committee appointed by the grocery allied interests, this convention commend and approve said action of the allied interests as being in the line of progress and the best method of adjusting trade conditions, and we believe the Iowa Retail Merchants' association should have a permanent committee on trade relations to meet similar committees of the allied interests."

Resolved, That this association, in convention assembled at Council Bluffs, Ia., recommend that the board of trustees select a member of this body to act as chairman and to be known as the active officer of the trade relations committee of the Iowa Retail Merchants' association, to devote such time to this work as may be required to adjust differences; and, therefore, be it further:

Resolved, That the board of trustees of this association is hereby authorized to provide the necessary funds to carry on this work.

Tax on Mail Order Houses. Strong endorsement is given to the bill now pending in congress to place a tax, a special tax, on all large mail order houses, and Iowa retailers urge their senators and representatives in congress to support the bill.

The concluding resolutions refer to the invitation to all traveling men to become members of the association as honorary members, and just before the thanks for the hospitality extended by Council Bluffs, the retailers extend this stinging rebuke to avaricious hotel keepers: "Resolved, That this association will not hold its next convention in any town where the hotels charge the delegate any more than their regular rates."

The place for holding the next convention is left to the selection of the executive committee. Davenport will probably get it.

Don't Knock.

Instead of knocking our competitor, we figure on how we can furnish our customers with the best materials for the least money. C. Hafer Lumber Company.

PARK BOARD CONSIDERS CONTRACT FOR GRADING

The Board of Park Commissioners held a special meeting, in compliance with a call issued by Chairman Graham, in the Fairmount cottage yesterday morning for the purpose of letting the contracts for all of the grading that is to be done this season at the Dodge park, the new river front park acquired by condemnation last winter.

The work to be done is the construction of the first sections of the boulevard extending through the forty-acre tract donated by General Dodge and others. This work and its extension to the northern line of the Union Pacific property was the consideration for the passing of the title to the Dodge tract and the work has to be done this year to secure the deed. Bids for this work were called for and submitted April 1, but all were found to be unsatisfactory and all were rejected, since then E. A. Wickham submitted bids for all of the work that were satisfactory and his bids were the only ones considered yesterday. The average price for the approximately 50,000 cubic yards was 14 1/2 cents per yard, and the contract was awarded to Mr. Wickham. The time limit is October 30.

The grading will all be done in accordance with the general improvement plans prepared by the Minneapolis park expert at a cost of \$500. The boulevard on the south side of Broadway will begin at a point about 600 feet north of the present Union Pacific bridge, which is to be the site for the huge new four-track bridge the railroad company is preparing to erect.

The boulevard will extend from Broadway to the point mentioned and then turn eastward and meet the grade on Ninth avenue, constructed many years ago as the vehicle approach to the Union Pacific bridge when it was designed for use of wagons and other vehicles. This boulevard will be 100 feet wide.

North of Broadway about \$1,000 will be expended in the construction of a levee 1,500 feet long, which will eventually become a part of the boulevard system that is to extend from the Union Pacific grade to Big lake. This work is all included in the Wickham contract. The contract provides for all of the expense of grubbing out the stumps and trees to be borne by the contractor. All must be finished by October 30.

No Substitute Could Do This.

No inferior substitute, but only the genuine Foley Kidney Pills could have rid J. F. Wallich, Bartlett, Neb., of his kidney trouble. He says: "I was bothered with backache, and the pain would run up to the back of my head, and I had spells of dizziness. I took Foley's Kidney Pills and they did the work and I am now entirely rid of kidney trouble. My father-in-law, now past 80 years, has taken them and they have added years to his life." For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement.

From Our Near Neighbors

Waterloo.

Miss Etta King and Miss Campbell have gone to Harlan, Ia., to attend a six weeks' summer school.

Ford McWhorter of Harland was here over Friday night visiting his aunt, Mrs. William McWhorter, and family.

Miss Mabel De Long went to Fremont Tuesday morning to visit friends, returning home Wednesday.

Francis Stoeker of Hooper visited this week at the home of Mrs. McWhorter, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mangold of Bennington drove to Waterloo Tuesday in their car and visited the H. B. Waldron family.

Miss Marion King, who has been visiting with Miss Burt since the close of school, left Monday morning for her home at Hooper.

Mrs. Claude Luton and little son came from Harlan, Ia., Tuesday morning for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Herrington.

Ed Stout was out Saturday from Omaha to visit his sister, Mrs. Shannon, and while here had an outing at the lakes with Charles Steinhil, fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitney and Mrs. B. B. Hopper drove out from Omaha in their car Wednesday and attended a shower at the home of Mrs. Shannon.

Will Corbourn, who is working in Omaha at timekeeper for a railroad, was here Sunday visiting his wife and others at the C. Goodwin home.

Mr. H. P. Waldron returned Tuesday from his visit at the home of Mrs. H. B. Waldron who is in Omaha Tuesday to meet her and both came home on the evening train.

Mrs. Theodore Umble and sister, Miss Frances Schubert, came out from Council Bluffs Sunday morning for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schubert.

Mrs. Larson came in Tuesday from Minnesota and is visiting at the home of her folks. Hans says the crop conditions are good where they are and the folks are all well.

Elkhorn.

The young child of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Sachs is ill.

Mrs. Louis Neimann entertained for her birthday Thursday.

Mrs. C. Betts of Benson visited several days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy are the parents of a baby girl, born Friday.

J. Kaesner of Omaha is visiting his uncle, G. Kaesner this week.

Joe Slesak is visiting this week at Osceola with William Hansen.

Henry Bay and Dr. Burk went to Omaha Monday in Bay's new auto.

Mrs. Edward Sachs visited Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. William Gabernore.

Little Elmer Hansen fell from a refrigerator car Thursday and broke his wrist.

John Lewon and family of Benson visited Sunday with the Albert Parakening family.

Mrs. F. A. Roach of Papillion visited Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brunner.

Yampa, Colo.

Charles Harlsen was in Glenwood, Ia., on business the first of the week.

Mrs. Sophie Freshman has been appointed deputy postmaster in place of Mrs. Rockwell, who will shortly return to her old home in Michigan.

Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fye and children went to Omaha Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDonald arrived home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. B. S. Smith is enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Weeth of Gretna, this week.

Harry Coombs of South Omaha was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Garrison from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Susan Lewis went to Omaha Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Phil Allen, for a few days.

Mrs. W. E. Weekly and Jack Dertthick were called to Wisconsin Wednesday by the death of their uncle.

Mrs. Richard Webster of Omaha came out Monday evening to visit her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitmore.

The Kensington club of the young women of the Second Baptist church was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olson.

Mrs. E. L. Costron and Gladys finished packing their household goods and left for Omaha, where they will reside Tuesday morning. Mr. Costron had gone to Hot Springs for his health. He expects to be there a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Whitmore, Ruth and Frances, Mrs. Stella Barry and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitmore left Tuesday

evening for a western trip. They will visit Colorado and then take a trip through Yellowstone park. They expect to be gone about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. John Monahan entertained the members of the Birthday club, their husbands and families, at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday at the Reid hotel. A three-course dinner was served and covers for twenty were laid. The club will be continued the coming year. Mrs. B. F. Smith and Mrs. Neils Johnson are new members.

The thirtieth annual banquet of the Valley High School Alumni association was held in the Hubbard hall Monday evening. A four-course dinner was served and covers were laid for fifty. Normie Wicklund was toastmaster. The welcome to the class of 1913 was given by Mrs. Neils Johnson and responded to by Floyd Kopp. witty toasts were given by Einar Anderson, Beulah Byars, Burton Whitmore, Leola Burt and Superintendent Frank Adams. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Normie Wicklund, president; Beulah Byars, vice president, and Alma Lindgren, secretary and treasurer.

Weeping Water. Miss Maren Rasmussen is visiting friends in Lincoln.

Dunbar's base ball team defeated Weeping Water, Thursday, score 10 to 5.

Mrs. Mogens Johnson is visiting friends and relatives for a week in Omaha.

Mrs. Amelia Clabe went to Omaha Wednesday, to visit her daughter, Emma. Miss Edith Clabe went to Nelson, Neb., Tuesday, to visit a week with Mrs. Ola Wehrman.

William Ash went to York Thursday to accompany home his daughter, Francis, from school, where she will spend the summer.

James Bird of Riverside, Cal., has been visiting relatives here and in the vicinity for the past week.

A big crowd of Weeping Water boosters made the rounds of several towns in the county in automobiles Friday, advertising the Fourth of July celebration. They were accompanied by a band and "Mutt and Jeff."

Miss Hazel Taylor of Friend, is visiting her aunt Mrs. Lucy Zink, and cousin, Mrs. H. Ratnour.

The body of Mrs. Lucy Barrows, who died in Philadelphia, was brought here for burial on Friday.

A window fell on the second finger of Mrs. G. K. Cronwell's right hand, Thursday evening, cutting it off.

Mrs. L. R. Leonard and daughter, Florence, are visiting relatives in Minneapolis, leaving here Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Haslam went to Denver Thursday, where she was summoned as a witness in the federal court.

Miss Bernice Wickersham departed Thursday for a trip to Idaho and on the coast, where she expects to remain several months.

Mrs. S. F. Girardet departed on Thursday for Illinois to visit during the summer with relatives in Aurora, Evanston and other points.

Papillion. District court has been postponed from June 24 until July 1.

Mrs. H. A. Collins has gone to Nickerson, Neb., for a ten days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. R. Wilson left Tuesday for Pueblo, Colo., where she will spend the summer.

Ed. Bourne of Blanchard, Okla., is the guest of his cousin, James T. Gatewood, this week.

Misses Eva and Francis Kennedy have been visiting friends at Waterloo for the last ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lester and Miss Madeline Heller spent several days with friends at Gretna the first of the week.

The Persistent and Judicious Use of Newspaper Advertising is the Road to Business Success.

Jury Gives Girl Ten Thousand; Groom Didn't Keep the Date

ATCHISON, Kan., June 20.—A jury here this afternoon returned a verdict of \$10,000 damages in favor of Miss Mary Falk, who sued William Burke, a wealthy Horton farmer, for breach of promise. Miss Falk asked for \$25,000 because Burke failed to appear at a Purcell church for the wedding ceremony. Throughout the trial Burke protested his willingness to marry the girl, and declared his failure to appear on the wedding day was due to his inability to secure his mother's signature to his baptismal certificate which was demanded by the priest who was to perform the ceremony. The mother was in Ireland at the time.

Burke will appeal.

ALIEN HEIRS CANNOT INHERIT LAND IN NEBRASKA

LINCOLN, Neb., June 20.—That non-resident aliens, heirs of a citizen of Nebraska, cannot inherit title to land owned by a citizen of this state was the substance of an opinion by Judge Munger of the federal court today, in the case of William Toop et al against the Utzsee Land company.

The case was brought by the Toop to recover title to the land owned by their uncle, who was a resident of Nebraska and died in 1898 without issue. The heirs were residents of Great Britain.

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