

If you miss this Suit Sale you will regret it. The bargains are remarkable. Sale starts at 8:30 Saturday Morning

Just Received New Voile Waists at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Julius Orkin
1510 DOUGLAS ST.

Just Received Crepe de Chine Waists at \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$5.95

**Saturday, For One Day Only,
Three Hundred Women's and Misses'
\$19⁵⁰ to \$25⁰⁰ Suits at \$10**

IN order to reduce our large stock of Women's Suits we have selected just three hundred garments that formerly sold at \$19.50, \$22.50 and \$25.00—

Saturday you can buy any one of these Suits for only Ten Dollars. Every woman acquainted with high grade workmanship and fashionable styles, in addition to the best of materials, will realize what a very special offering this is. You will be surprised when you see them. You will find all the new wanted materials, all the new colors, scores of clever models in Women's and Misses' sizes. Bear in mind that these suits have been taken out of our own regular high class stock. If you intend to buy a suit now or later, we want to say that by all means try to attend this great sale Saturday.

Smart, New Summer Dresses
Just Arrived, Will Be Specially Priced for Saturday
\$3.95 \$5.95 \$7.50 \$8.75 \$10.00

Julius Orkin, 1510 Douglas St.

TO SUBMIT PRINTED BRIEFS
Oral Arguments in the Dollar Gas Case Are Finished.

M'HEUGH SAYS DEAL PUBLIC
Baker Argues that Contract Cannot Be Construed to Take Away from the People the Right to Fix the Rate.

One chapter in the fight of the Gas company against the dollar gas ordinance will be closed early in June, with the submission of the printed briefs and testimony in the case, before Judge Thomas C. Munger of the United States District court. The oral arguments have been concluded. W. D. McHugh speaking last in behalf of the gas company.

In his morning argument, Mr. McHugh discussed the conference between the real estate exchange, the city council, and the officers of the gas company with reference to the granting of the franchise now in force. Judge McHugh sought to show that there was the greatest possible publicity attending the passage of the franchise ordinance. Counsel for the gas company by numerous citations, exploited their argument that the Nebraska statutes were constitutional, while the attorneys for the city of Omaha, W. C. Lambert and Ben Baker, argued the technical unconstitutionality of the act which gave the council authority to grant the franchise and fix the rates at which gas should be sold consumers, under that contract.

"I presume that this case will be carried to the higher courts?" asked Judge Munger of the attorneys.

"I do not know whether the city will take it to the supreme court, or not," replied W. D. McHugh before counsel for the city could reply. The crowd in the court room laughed.

Attacks Constitutionality.
Attacking the constitutionality of the amendment of 1893, W. C. Lambert laid particular emphasis on the fact that the amendment referred to a section of the statute, which provided for the construction of water works plants, instead of gas manufacturing and distributing companies. The amendment was to section 51 of the general statutes, while the other provisions for the regulation of gas companies and other public service corporations, were found in section 50. The counsel for the city referred to the passage of this amendment as a bit of "stealthy legislation," and intimated that it was made to apply to the wrong section of the statute for the purpose of deceiving the people.

Ben Baker, followed Mr. Lambert, insisted that even if the amendment in question were valid, the wording of the amendment was so ambiguous that it in itself was unconstitutional in its application. He contended that the phrase of the empowering act, "fix rates during the period named in the ordinance or contract," meant during the existence of the council, and not forever, as had been suggested. He further declared that if their construction of this phrase were accepted, the rates fixed in the electric light ordinance might hold forever, since their franchise had been held as a perpetual one.

No Negative Ratification.
"You cannot consider this franchise to mean that the people shall not have the right to fix rates," declared he. "The council cannot by its inactivity, ratify a franchise, which if it were submitted to the voters today, would require the positive action of all the voters. The city and the people are not seeking to destroy the franchise nor tear down the property of the gas company. We are merely contending the right to fix the rates. The laws protect the gas company from any confiscatory rates. Therefore, they are now merely contending for an amount in excess of the fair charges, which they should receive, and trying to hide behind an unconstitutional law, which put in force a franchise, which in the matter of rates, is not valid."

HATS
50c to \$2.50

CAPS
25c, 50c, 75c

EXTRA TROUSERS
50c, 75c \$1.00

Indian and Cow Boy Suits
95c to \$2.50

SHIRTS
45c to \$1.50

BLOUSES
45c, 75c, \$1.00

HOSIERY
15c, 25c, 35c

NECKWEAR
25c, 35c, 50c



Children's Suits at Great Reduction
We have taken all of our broken lines of \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$7.50 suits (they having been our best sellers), about 75 suits all told, and have marked them—for quick selling—at **\$5**

They are the new colorings—grey, brown, tan, blue and black and white mixtures and blue serge, made in Double-breasted, Norfolk and Bulgarian styles and a great number of these suits have two pairs of trousers, giving double life to each suit—and added to this splendid offer we give Free with each suit purchased a classy spring cap. Can you beat it?

CHILDREN'S WASH SUITS—Here is another chance to buy wash suits at a fraction of their worth—Russian and sailor blouse suits that are slightly soiled and worth up to \$2.00 are offered now for, suit. **49c**

WAISTS—Boys' odd blouse waists that sold at 50c, to close at. **29c**

Boys' Union Suits—Balbriggan, nainsook and porosknit, in regular and athletic styles. **45c**

Berg Clothing Co.
1518 & DOUGLAS

Saturday The "UNION" Offers All Ladies' Garments at One-Third Off



Take your choice from our entire stock of stylish spring suits, including silks, worth up to \$35.00; on sale Saturday, on credit, at one-third off.

Our entire stock of this spring's ladies' nobby coats, different lengths, in all the new materials; on sale Saturday, on our easy credit terms, at one-third off.

All our beautiful dresses, including silks, crepes and serges, all sizes; go Saturday, on credit, at one-third off.

1/3 OFF

Men's True Blue Serge Suits at \$9.75
There was such a demand for these men's all wool, true blue serge suits last week that we were forced to wire for a large shipment for this Saturday's selling. Come to-morrow and get one of these stylish blue suits, worth \$15, on credit for only **\$9.75**

Ladies' Waists Your choice of 150 pretty waists, all sizes, worth 75c. Saturday. 39c	Boys' Suits Choose from broken lines of boys' double breasted suits, \$5 values, Saturday. \$1.75	House Dresses A limited number of pretty house dresses worth \$1.50, on sale Saturday, at. 95c	Ladies' Hats Take your pick of our entire stock of trimmed hats Saturday — Half Price
---	--	---	--

Men's Working Pants 95c

Union Outfitting Co.
OMAHA
S.E. COR. 16th & JACKSON STS.
CONSOLIDATED WITH THE PEOPLES STORE.

YOUR credit is good

\$1 a Week
Is the Popular Way at The Union

Hanighen May Sue City to Get Sewer Building Contract

Suit against the city to force the letting of a \$45,000 contract is threatened by J. J. Hanighen, a contractor, who submitted a bid on the Paxton boulevard storm sewer between Thirty-third and Thirty-eighth streets, after which all bids were rejected on motion of Councilman Thomas McGovern, who said there was not sufficient money available to pay for the sewer.

Hanighen maintains that this money is available and that it is discrimination not to give him the contract, since he was low bidder.

The bids were opened May 6, and on motion of McGovern, May 12, all bids were rejected.

SCHEDULE OF CONCERTS ARRANGED FOR SUMMER

Fairbrothers' band of the Fourth regiment of Nebraska National Guards and the Young Men's Christian association band have been hired to play in city parks this summer.

The schedule, not including the special occasions when these bands will play, has been arranged by Park Commissioner J. B. Hummel as follows:

Riverview Park—Sunday, May 31; Sunday, July 5; Sunday, August 2; Sunday, September 6.

Hansen Park—Decoration day, May 30; Sunday, June 14; Sunday, July 19; Sunday, August 23.

Bemis Park—Wednesday, June 3; Wednesday, June 24; Wednesday, July 22; Wednesday, August 19.

Fontenelle Park—Sunday, June 21; Saturday, July 4; Sunday, July 26; Sunday, August 23.

Miller Park—Wednesday, June 10; Sunday, June 28; Sunday, July 12; Sunday, August 16.

Kountze Park—Sunday, June 7; Wednesday, July 8; Sunday, August 9; Wednesday, September 2.

Municipal Field, Thirty-second and Dewey Avenue—Wednesday, June 17; Wednesday, July 22; Wednesday, August 5; Wednesday, August 26.

LOCAL NAVAL RECRUITING STATION IS ABANDONED

The United States naval substation for recruiting purposes established here last July has been abandoned and the men in charge ordered to report to their respective commands. The order applies to the substations all over the country and comes from the head of the department. This abandonment is taken to mean that the Navy department has been recruited up to its full strength.

Great sale Saturday of 300 women's suits worth to \$25 for \$10.
JULIUS ORKIN, 1510 Douglas St.

HILLER'S SATURDAY BARGAINS
6 for 11c Not more than six to one customer. This Colonial 9-Ounce Tumbler (worth 5c each)



HILLER'S Pure Cal. Wines
35c and 50c and 75c per Quart

HILLER'S Pure Old Whiskies
80c and \$1.00 and \$1.25 per Quart.

PURE LIQUORS FOR THE HOME
1309 Farnam Street.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 bottles of Extra Old Guckenheimer Rye or Cedar Brook Bourbon or O. F. C. Bourbon, Saturday Only—Home Bottling 87c

Two Doors East of W. O. W. Skyscraper **50c Bottle Fine Port Wine Saturday for . . . 29c** **WE SHIP Everywhere Send for Price List**

TOMORROW

Is the big day for Bee Want Ads

To Avoid Disappointment

bring your Want Ad to The Bee office before 7:30 tonight. Or you can telephone your advertisement and have it charged. Before you forget about it, call

Tele'one Tyler 1000 **THE OMAHA BEE** Everybody Reads Bee Want / ds.

ANNOUNCEMENT

OPENING
Saturday, May the Sixteenth, Nineteen Fourteen

THE MERTEN COMPANY extends a cordial invitation to the music-loving public of Omaha and out-of-town visitors to attend its formal opening, Saturday, May 16th, 1914.

THE MERTEN COMPANY will appreciate an opportunity to show visitors their line of Pianos that for richness and clarity of tone, perfection of mechanical construction, and beauty of finish, are unsurpassed. An acceptance of their invitation to a leisurely inspection will entail no obligation to purchase.

SOUVENIRS
On this occasion we will distribute dozens of cut flowers and an additional souvenir in the form of a useful little article that a lady may carry in her shopping-bag.

"PIANOS OF QUALITY"

The Merten Co.
1704 DOUGLAS STREET