

### OMAHA GRAIN MEN HOLD DOWN SLUMP

Stories of Heavy Losses Not Confirmed When the Books Are Balanced for Day.

### CASH GRAIN TAKES A SLUMP

The decline of 5 to 6 cents per bushel in the May and July wheat option made itself felt in the cash market of the Omaha Grain exchange and prices were 2 to 7 cents off for the first time in several weeks, wheat dropping to \$1 per bushel. Most of the sales, however, were made at higher prices, the top of the day being \$1.08. The receipts were 119 carloads.

Stories of heavy losses by Omaha grainmen Thursday were entirely without foundation. On the other hand, most of the dealers added neat sums to their purses. When the decline started Thursday morning there were plenty of exchange members who were long on wheat, bought at much higher prices, but instead of seeing their profits dwindle away as cash grain kept going lower and lower, they started to sell the May option, and generally when the books were balanced at the close of the session, they were money ahead. This was due to the fact that while cash wheat declined 5 to 6 cents, the May option went off 5 to 7 cents. Their profit was the difference between the cash price and the option.

Friday the May option continued to go lower, getting down to \$1.104, and while there were several dealers who were long on actual wheat, by continued selling of the option, they figured that on the whole they were far ahead of the game.

Corn was steady, selling a cent up to a cent down and around 68 and 67 1/2 cents per bushel. Receipts were ninety-eight carloads.

Oats were off 1/4 cent, selling at 37 1/2 and 41 cents, with a light demand. The receipts were eight carloads.

### Husband Killed by Police Car; Widow Awarded Damages

A verdict of \$8,577 was awarded in district court in favor of Mrs. Rose Levin, who sued the city for \$25,000 for the death of her husband.

Two years ago, Roy Furstenburg, at that time unofficially attached to the police garage, was operating a city car. He ran Levin down at Twelfth and Douglas killing him instantly, and then fled. Later he was arrested, but was not held for manslaughter.

In the petition, it was claimed that Levin was the sole support of a large family and that the accident was clearly the fault of Furstenburg, who was exceeding the speed limit.

### Three Court House Firemen Threaten to Go Out on Strike

Three men who from their strongholds in the court house engine rooms have been making things warm for county officials during the last few months, have announced their intention of going on a strike unless they get a raise in their salaries. They announced their intention to the Board of County Commissioners, and the matter will be taken up at the next meeting. The firemen at the court house are underpaid, was admitted by some of those discussing the matter.

### BURLINGTON BRIDGE AT COLUMBUS IS SAVED

On its David City branch, Thursday the Burlington had a little trouble with ice and water in the vicinity of Columbus. The water in the Platte rose sufficiently to flood the bottoms around the bridge south and east of town. For a time it looked as if the bridge might be endangered by the heavy run of ice against the piers. Later in the day a dynamiting crew broke the ice and it quickly ran out.

In the vicinity of Columbus the river is now about free of ice and the water is rapidly falling. Trains are running over the bridge, that was in no wise damaged.

### HURRY CALL FOR NOSE HE INJURED BACK IN 1901

Dr. T. T. Harris was called from his downy couch early Friday morning to fix the broken nose of Jacob Abraham Jones, colored. "It sho' do hurt, doctah," groaned Abraham as Harris dashed into the station.

"How did it happen?" asked the doctor, as he prepared to examine the aching beazer.

"Man hit me," writhed Abraham. "When?" questioned Doc. "It was back in 1901. Doc, an' sho sho' do pain."

### SWEDES WARNED NOT TO VENTURE ACROSS OCEAN

P. A. Edquist, Swedish vice consul here, has received instructions from the Swedish government to warn all Swedish people not to cross the ocean after February 29. The information declares this warning is issued following notice from Germany and Austrian governments to the effect that all armed ships will be torpedoed without notice after that date.

### MAN INQUISITIVE OVER THE 'PHONE ALSO FINED

Ella Woodward, 2415 Patrick avenue, accused of stealing \$18 from Charles Gates of Cedar Rapids, Ia., was fined \$50 and costs in police court. A gentleman friend who kept calling police court every few moments to find how Ella was getting along, was tracked to his lair, brought before Judge Foster and fined a similar amount.

### JUDGE FOSTER CONFISCATES GUN USED FOR TREATS

Harry Nichols and George Dinman, indulged in heated verbal combat in a saloon at Sixteenth and Webster streets, during which conversation Harry drew a gun and threatened to pop everybody's corns. Both were arrested and fined \$50 and costs with suspended sentence, and the court confiscated the revolver.

### FILES FOR NOMINATION FOR MEMBER BOARD OF REGENTS.



E. G. MCGILTON.

At the suggestion of friends, former Lieutenant Governor E. G. McGilton has sent to the secretary of state his filing for the republican nomination for member of the university board of regents. Mr. McGilton is himself a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and is a member of the law firm of McGilton, Gaines & Smith, and both he and Mrs. McGilton have been prominent in social and educational circles. Mr. McGilton acquired familiarity with the financial side of the university as presiding officer over the state senate. The vacancy on the board of regents comes through the expiration of the term of Hon. W. B. Whitmore, of this county, who, it is understood, does not wish to serve longer.

### Burglar Tools and Dark Lantern Found in "Nixie" Package

Do you want a nice serviceable set of burglar tools and a dark lantern? You can get them by bidding at the auction of unclaimed packages at the postoffice next Monday.

This kit may not be burglar tools, but that's as good a guess as any because nobody knows what they are. Crowds of people were in examining the 500 packages which will go on sale next Monday. They range almost the whole gamut of human requirements. There are innumerable toys, games and books from Christmas; there's a speedometer that retails at \$25, a box of machine dies worth \$15, steel trap, a skunk hide, a dozen spade handles, two miners' caps and a set of iron moulder's tools.

### OMAHA SENDS HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR RELIEF

The sum of \$100 to be applied to the Jewish war sufferers' relief fund has been sent by B. Robinson, treasurer of the Omaha branch of the New York people's relief committee. The money was the result of the first two collections which are made every Sunday under the auspices of the local committee. To stimulate interest in the campaign a big mass meeting will be held at the synagogue on Eighteenth and Chicago streets the evening of March 1. M. Regalaky of the New York people's relief committee, who is touring the United States and Canada in the interest of the campaign, will be the principal speaker. L. Kraft, 2617 Cass street, is the financial secretary and conducting the collections.

### Cross, Feverish Child Is Bilious or Constipated

Look, Mother! See if tongue is coated, breath hot or stomach sour.

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver, bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without gripping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomachache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleanser" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

### HOTELS.

**Hotel Marie Antoinette**  
Broadway, 66th and 67th Sts.  
NEW YORK CITY.

SITUATED in the most convenient location in town. Modern in every detail, absolutely fireproof, within ten minutes of the leading department stores, shops and theaters. Convenient to Pennsylvania and Grand Central Depots.

**H. STANLEY GREEN,**  
Managing Director.

## The Omaha Home of HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX Guaranteed Clothing

The New Spring 1916 Stocks Are Now Ready for Your Inspection and Selection, New Weaves, New Colorings, Distinctive New Styles in the Extremes, as Well as a Host of Conservative Models—Superior Values at Every Price. See Sixteenth Street Window Display.



### Out They Go!

\$10 and \$12.50 Suits and Overcoats—**\$5.00**

\$18 and \$20 Suits and Overcoats—**\$10**

The same guaranteed high quality, perfection in fit and fabric that made them great values during season at the regular prices, but

### Spring Stocks Are Here

We must have the room now occupied by these Suits and Overcoats.

Hence value-giving in guaranteed clothes here Saturday never surpassed and seldom equalled in the history of Omaha merchandising.

### Boys' Suits and Overcoats

All of the season's most desirable patterns, colors and materials, that sold at \$4.00 and \$5.00; all size suits from 6 to 17 years; overcoats to 10 years; many suits with extra pair of pants; on sale to close, Saturday, at..... **\$2.35**

### ATTENTION MEN Street Car Uniforms

All sizes, 35 to 48, regulars, long and stouts, in 15 and 20-ounce serge, that sold at \$16, on sale to close, at..... **\$12.50**

### Men's Spring Hats

All the new colors and combinations of colors, both stiff and soft. The Hayden Special, \$3.00 styles, for..... **\$2.00**

# HAYDEN'S

16 TH DODGE AND DOUGLAS STREETS

## Magnificent Showing of New Coats, Suits and Dresses

Although hundreds of new garments are arriving daily, so great has been the demand for first choice of the new things, that new stocks seem to disappear as if by magic. Here's some wonderful values for Saturday:

### Tailored Suits \$19.50

15 distinctive classy designs in taffeta and serge combinations, nobby checks, plain gabardine, poplins and men's wear serges in all the new colors, bisque, Galt and twilight blues, apple green, magenta, etc.; also plenty of nobby blues and blacks; all sizes 16 to 46, wonderful values—**\$19.50**

Other Classy Suits at \$25, \$29.50, \$35 to \$75.

At prices we're confident you will find both qualities and assortment distinctive superior.

### THE NEW BLOUSES NOW ON DISPLAY.

Including a complete line of the world-famous Max Held Blouses; all the new shades and new materials, including the Porteau crepes and Jerz silks, at \$5.00 to..... **\$7.50**



### Silk Dresses \$15.00

Nearly 300 beautiful new dresses to select from at this extremely low price Saturday, every one a beauty and a bargain. Materials are fine taffetas, crepe de chine, crepe metears, etc., in the new rose shades, peace gray, bisque, blues, reseda, white and blacks, the choicest lot of values shown in Omaha, at..... **\$15**

### Handsome New Coats \$12.75, \$15.00, \$19.50 to \$45.00

You'll have to admit this is the classiest lot of Spring Coats shown in Omaha in years. Fine Sample Blouses, makers' samples, made to sell to \$7.50, come in big assortment of designs and colors, in laces, chiffons, crepe de chine, georgettes, etc., on sale, to close Saturday, at..... **\$2.98**

### Ladies' Underwear Specials

Italian Silk Vests and Silk Topped Union Suits, 98c in flesh or white; worth to \$2.00.  
Italian Silk Vests and Union Suits, in extra quality silk, \$5.00 value, at..... **\$2.98**  
Hand Embroidered Vests and Heavy Silk Blouses, regular \$3.00 values, at..... **\$1.98**  
Ladies' Medium Weight Union Suits, in knee or ankle length, spring, summer or winter weight, odd lots, at..... **49c**  
Ladies' Muslin Gowns and Combination Suits and Skirts, worth to \$2.50, Saturday special..... **98c**  
Ladies' Gowns, Corset Covers and Combination Suits and Skirts, lace and embroidery trimmed,..... **49c**  
Silk and Wool Union Suits, odd lots, slightly soiled, worth to \$2.50, Saturday, at..... **\$1.98**



### Specials for Saturday in Hosiery Dept.

Women's Silk Hosiery, in all silk with double heels and toes, black and colors, worth up to \$1.50..... **89c**  
Women's Fibre Hose, fashioned and seamless, all colors, special..... **59c**  
Women's Fibre Hose, black and colors, extra long, flat, top, snap, at..... **35c**  
Women's Mercerized Lisle and Cotton Hose, light and medium weight, all colors, special..... **25c**  
Messes and Children's Fibre Hose, all colors, worth up to 50c, all sizes; \$1.00, 2 pair for..... **\$1**  
Women's and Children's light and medium weight black and white, 1 1/2 quality, spe..... **12/20**



### Shoes Specially Priced for Saturday

Latest models in women's fine shoes in black, Havana brown and pearl gray kid, in 7 1/2, 8 and 9-inch boots, at prices bound to be attractive.  
\$5.00 values..... **\$4.00 and \$3.50**  
Men's gunmetal button or blucher shoes fitted with silk and sewed on the Goodyear welt machines. Splendid value, at..... **\$3.00**  
Men's shoes, in button or blucher patterns, all sizes, \$3.00 values, at..... **\$1.98**  
School shoes for boys and girls at prices that will appeal to the parent..... **\$2.00, \$1.75 and \$2.00**  
Men's and Women's Felt Sole Slippers..... **39c**  
Good, strong shoes in sizes 5 to 8, for the small child, \$1.35 values, at..... **\$1.00**  
STETSON and CROSSETT Shoes for MEN.  
GROVER'S Soft Sole COMFORT Shoes for WOMEN.

Featuring for Saturday The "Andrea" and "Concello" Model Hats \$5.00 to \$12.00  
The New Millinery Mode's conspicuous successes. View them all in this collection of beautiful New Millinery. A display of delightful diversity and marked distinction. Tall Hats and Small Hats, Sailors, Pokes and Tricorons. Trimmed cleverly with flowers and ribbons galore and a great many in the popular gaura effects.

### Read These Grocery Prices for Saturday

Quality Goods and a Saving of 25 to 50 Per Cent in the Cost of Living.  
16 lb. best Pure Granulated Sugar..... **1.09**  
Imported Roquefort Cheese (so-called), lb..... **60c**  
Imported Emmenthauser Swiss Cheese, lb..... **45c**  
Young American, Wisconsin Cream or New York White Cheese, lb..... **40c**  
Neufchatel Cheese, each..... **30c**  
2 lb. good Butterline..... **25c**  
The best, equal to Creamery Butter, lb..... **23c**  
SPECIAL FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT SALE.  
A carload of extra fancy fruit, 54 size, that retail at 8 1/2c each, Saturday, each..... **5c**  
HIGHLAND NAVAL ORANGES  
The Orange of Quality, California's Pride, Kissed by the Sun, Moon and Stars, for Hayden Bros. Direct from the grower to the consumer.  
Saturday, regular 40c size, doz., 300  
Saturday, regular 25c size, doz., 46  
Saturday, regular 20c size, doz., 30c  
FRESH VEGETABLES DIRECT FROM THE GROWER TO THE CONSUMER—A SAVING OF 50 TO 100 PER CENT.  
As We Advertise, So We Sell.  
15 lb. best Red River Potatoes, 30c  
Large bunches Fresh Beets Carrots or Turnips..... **10c**  
3 large bunches Fresh Shallots or Radishes for..... **10c**  
Home Grown Turnips, lb..... **1c**  
Fancy Calli Cauliflower, lb..... **7 1/2c**  
Cape Cod Cranberries, quart..... **10c**  
Fancy Head Lettuce, head, 5c, 7 1/2c  
Fancy Ripe Tomatoes, lb..... **15c**  
Fancy large Cucumbers, each..... **15c**  
Fancy Wisconsin Cabbage, lb..... **10c**  
Fancy Rip Strawberries, box..... **60c**  
THE BEST STRICTLY FRESH EGGS, DOZEN..... **23c**  
Don't pay inflated prices when you can get the best at this price. This best Creamery Butter, carton of 16 lb.,..... **32c**  
Fancy No. 1 Creamery Creamery Butter, lb..... **30c**  
Fancy No. 1 Dairy Table Butter, lb..... **27c**

### Saturday Hardware Bargains

House-keeping necessities at prices much below the retail worth.  
6-foot unbraced step ladders..... **69c**  
6-foot braced step ladders..... **\$1.29**  
Roller Skates, best quality, ball bearing..... **\$1.29**  
8 5c rolls Gold Band Toilet paper..... **25c**  
8 10c rolls Gold Band Toilet paper..... **50c**  
Folding ironing boards..... **98c**  
Lexington, high grade, warranted clothes wringers, for..... **\$2.50**  
Genuine Wilson Toasters..... **15c**  
10-quart enamel Water Pails..... **35c**  
6-quart enamel Boiling Kettles..... **39c**  
8-quart enamel Preserving Kettles..... **49c**  
6-quart enamel Berlin Sauce Kettles..... **39c**  
1 1/2 quart Rice Boilers, seamless..... **39c**  
Enamel Dippers, any size..... **3c**  
7 1/2c Coffee Mill..... **49c**  
Any brand 25c Oil Polish..... **19c**  
25c extra heavy Dust Pans..... **19c**  
American Lady Oil Mop and one can of oil, \$2.25 value for..... **\$1.19**  
25c bottle Silver Polish..... **19c**  
Folding Clothes Bars for..... **98c**  
25c size Sink Strainer..... **19c**

### China Department--Fourth Floor

HERE ARE A FEW ITEMS AT SPECIAL PRICES FOR SATURDAY WHICH SHOULD INTEREST YOU.  
Plain white Cups and Saucers, per pair..... **70c**  
Dinner Plates, gold band, each, 10c  
\$12, 100-piece Dinner Set, bordered pattern, special..... **\$5.90**  
Pressed Water Glasses, 6 to a customer, each..... **10c**  
100-piece Rose Pattern Dinner Set, service for 12 persons, \$15 value, Saturday, special..... **\$9.90**  
150 dozen Star Cut Glasses, each, 7c  
\$1.00 Star Cut Sugar and Creamer, pair..... **39c**

### Furniture Dept.

Your choice of any Bedavenport in the store, small or large size for..... **\$25.00**  
Your choice of any Library Table in the store, Saturday for..... **\$14.50**  
Your choice of any Ladies' Desk in the store, Saturday for..... **\$10.00**  
\$2.50 Baby Walkers..... **\$1.00**  
Folding Sewing Table..... **\$1.00**  
6-pound Pillow, art tick, new feathers, pair..... **\$1.00**  
Child's Nursery Chair..... **\$1.00**  
\$10.00 White or Vernis Martin Child's Bed, drop sides, best springs, Saturday..... **\$5.00**

### Specials in Meat Dept. Saturday at a Saving of 25% to 50%

No. 1 Fresh Pork Loin..... **10 1/2c**  
No. 1 Steer Pot Roast, 10c, 12 1/2c  
No. 1 Steer Round Steak..... **14 1/2c**  
No. 1 Fresh Spare Ribs..... **9 1/2c**  
No. 1 Steer Rib Boiling Beef, 8 1/2c  
No. 1 Fresh Link Sausage..... **10c**  
9 lbs. Best Leaf Lard..... **93c**  
No. 1 Bulk Sausage..... **8 1/2c**  
Smoked Meat Specials, Saturday Only  
Armour's Star and Diamond C Hams..... **17 1/2c**  
Armour's Star Bacon..... **25c**  
No. 1 Picnic Hams..... **10 1/2c**  
No. 1 Lean Pork..... **9 1/2c**  
No. 1 Lean Bacon..... **17 1/2c**  
No. 1 Back Bacon..... **13 1/2c**  
No. 1 Fresh Bulk Oysters, qt., 30c  
Fresh Dressed Chickens at Wholesale Prices.

### Beautiful French Pearl Beads, wax filled, fine lustrous, solid 10k gold clasp, regular \$2.50, your choice, Saturday..... **98c**

German Silver Gate Top Mesh Bags, exceptional value, Saturday, \$1.00  
Gold Filled LaValiere with pendants, set with variety of stones..... **\$1.00**  
Brooches Solid Gold  
Cuff Buttons Misses' Neckwear  
Regular to \$3, choice, Saturday, 98c  
Sterling Silver Thumbles, regular \$1.25, Saturday..... **98c**  
Sterling Silver Hat Pins, two on a card, regular 75c, Saturday..... **50c**  
Sterling Ware, Consisting of Pickle Forks Hot Buns Berry Spoon Olive Spoon Meat Forks Regular \$2.00, Saturday..... **98c**  
Quadruple Silver Plated Bread Trays Creamer Sets Casseroles Fruit Bowls Regular to \$5.00, Saturday..... **\$1.50**