

SOLONS SHOULD LIMIT MEASURES SAYS BARROWS

Too Many Bills Introduced, Duplicated or Bungled, Costly to State, is Content.

Lincoln, Dec. 14.—(Special)—Lieutenant-Governor Elect P. A. Barrows, who will preside over the next state senate, and who has covered several sessions as a legislative reporter, believes the coming session should get away from out-of-date methods. He believes that if the next session expects to do business and do it in less time than taken in previous sessions some way must be provided to limit the number of bills introduced. This would save time and considerable expense which the state has heretofore had to stand in the printing of bills which never got any farther than the printing stage, he says.

should not the committees of these branches get together, take all bills covering practically the same subject and draft them into one bill before it is sent to the body for consideration. Take the matter of salaries for officers of Omaha and Douglas county. There were 13 different bills introduced in the legislature at the last session that could just as well have been covered by introducing a bill in one branch of the legislature should think it necessary to have a duplicate introduced in the other branch is more than I can understand, yet that is done almost universally, resulting in a big expense for printing the bills which the state has to pay for.

No Right to Advertise Goods Which Are Not in Stock, Says Court

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 14.—(Special)—An advertiser in a newspaper has no right to advertise goods for sale which he has not on hand.

Teachers Sick With Flu; Norfolk Schools Closed

Norfolk, Neb., Dec. 14.—(Special Telegram)—The Norfolk schools were closed at noon Saturday because the superintendent, the principal of the high school, eight teachers and a large number of students are sick with influenza. The schools will remain closed until January 6. The health board, after threatening doctors with prosecution unless they reported influenza cases for quarantine, announced Saturday that the supply of quarantine cards had been exhausted and that 64 new cases had been reported since the board started its fight against influenza through quarantine. One hundred and sixty-five homes are now quarantined. Most of the cases are said to be mild.

Hearing in Interurban Rate Case is Postponed

Lincoln, Dec. 14.—(Special)—The hearing in the application of the Omaha and Lincoln Railway and Light company, which runs the interurban railway between Omaha and Papillion, for a raise in rates, set for next Monday has been indefinitely postponed upon request of the company, according to information from the railway commission today.

Death of Fremont Soldier Verified by Recent Letter

Fremont, Neb., Dec. 14.—(Special Telegram)—Definite word of the death of Private Glenn W. Foutch of pneumonia in France has reached the young man's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Foutch, in a letter from Lieutenant Pierce. Private Foutch was 22 years of age.

INFLUENZA AT WEST POINT.

West Point, Neb., Dec. 14.—The influenza epidemic is now more prevalent in West Point than at any previous time. About 400 cases are

Governor May Parole State Prisoners in Time for Christmas

Lincoln, Dec. 14.—(Special)—Applications of four people in the state prison for suspension of sentences for murder have been filed with Governor Neville and will probably be granted.

In the applications of Harry Heath and Alma and George Weed, sentenced for second degree murder on their own pleas of guilty, the governor announces that the sentences will be cut so that they will be released December 23. They were sent up from Cherry county and the application for executive

Shoes That Let the Water In

Let a possible case of pneumonia in at the same time. Let us REPAIR your shoes and make 'em good and water-tight. Phone Tyler 345.

Table Rock Man Takes Life Following Death of Wife. Table Rock, Neb., Dec. 14.—(Special)—Albert O. Kohn, aged 70 years, whose wife died a few weeks since, committed suicide in his home Friday. His daughter, who lives with him, had stepped across the street to a neighbors house, and taking a single barreled shot gun, he blew the whole top of his head off. No cause for the suicide is known, although he had complained of a severe headache earlier in the day. It is thought the loss of his wife weighed heavily on his mind.

St. Frisco Dies of Pneumonia.

Lexington, Dec. 14.—St. Frisco, 20134, said to have been the greatest trotting stallion ever foaled, died of pneumonia at Memphis, Tenn.

clemency is accompanied with a request for suspension of sentence from Judge Westover who sentenced them in 1911. The other application comes from Joe Lewis, 33 years old, sent from Douglas county on a life sentence for the murder of Joe Davis. Letters accompanying the application, one of which is from Eugene Beal, sheriff of Keith county, asks for

commutation of sentence on the ground that the prisoner acted in self defense when he shot Davis, who with others, had followed him to Omaha after driving him out of Keith county. Clearing House Banks. New York, Dec. 14.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week

shows that they hold \$39,618,510 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$30,747,160 from last week. BELGIUM DAY AT SCRIBNER. Fremont, Neb., Dec. 14.—(Special)—The Belgian relief fund was increased \$400 by a flower sale at Scribner. The allotment of 1,200 flowers were disposed of.



Do Your Christmas Shopping Early OPPORTUNITIES are of worth only when taken at their real value. Just now, as the time draws near for you to give that valued friend or relative the token of remembrance or esteem, let us call your attention to the splendid opportunity for thrift and economy, without risking VALUES, that we are now offering you in every department.

Luxurious Sofas and Easy Chairs

Comfortable furniture at comfortable prices is worthy of consideration.

An Overstuffed Sofa in Velour, at	\$69.50
A Two-toned Velour Sofa, Rococo frame	\$72.50
Mahogany Wing Chair, cane seat and back	\$19.75
Leather Fireside Rocker, as shown	\$26.50
Overstuffed Chair in Tapestry, as shown	\$49.75

Library Tables in Mahogany and Oak, \$10.00, \$17.50 and

Large Arm Rocker, leather seat and back, \$17.50	Ladies' Writing Desks, Maple, Oak and Mahogany	\$12.00, \$14.00, \$16.00
Duo-fold Suits, \$49.50, \$65.00	Fumed Oak Library Case	\$15.00, \$12.00
Spark Screens	Fumed Oak Rocker, leather seat, \$8.50, \$12.00 and	\$15.00

Quality at the Central is the Basis of Real Values

Values for the Dining Room

A William and Mary Extension Table, 45-inch top, at

Full Leather Seat Dining Chairs to match, each, at	\$7.50
Buffet, 54-inch top, to match	\$44.75

This suite is in the Jacobean finish, and is a genuine VALUE.

A few more of the splendid values we list below:

Full Leather Seat Dinners, panel back, each, \$4.25	Golden Oak, 48-inch, Quartered Top Table, at	\$27.50
Golden Oak, Quartered Veneer Seat Dinners, each	Golden Oak Quartered China Cabinet	\$23.75
Walnut Tables, 54-inch top	Fumed Oak China Cabinet	\$39.75, \$21.75

Values in Bedroom Furniture

One entire section is devoted to the ensemble of Bedroom Furniture. In it you will find many pieces from broken lines and discontinued patterns that may be just what you have wanted.

Mahogany Dressing Table	\$15.75
Ivory Dressing Table	\$19.75
Golden Oak Dresser	\$12.50
Golden Oak Chiffonier	\$8.50
Vanity Dresser, as shown	\$57.50
Walnut Chiffonier	\$18.00
Walnut Queen Anne Bed	\$22.50

Come in and Hear the Latest Records Played

Have a Grafonola Sent Home for Christmas

A Dainty Shirt Waist Box makes a gift always pleasing. See our line, covered in Cretonnes or Matting. Real values at

\$3.50	\$6.50	\$7.50	\$9.00
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A real labor-saving item for the house, is the Tea Wagon. Mother, wife, or sister will appreciate one. We have some good VALUES at \$9.00, \$12.50, \$17.50 and

\$21.75

OVER 53 BASKET STORES OVER 53

Two New Stores, Beatrice and Neligh, Nebraska, Both will be started and going full force this week

The more stores, the greater our buying power, which means lower prices to you. So many took advantage of our 3 days' bargains that we are going to continue the experiment of giving you something about wholesale price or less in order to encourage you to do your shopping earlier in the week — come early and tell your friends.

Apples Washington Wine Sap, \$2.95 wrapped, per box.	Good Meats in Our Meat Shop Better Quality Than You Usually Find.	Flour BASKO, the finest and milled in Omaha. 48-Pound \$2.85 Bag. 24-Pound \$1.45 Bag.
Bananas per pound, 10¢	Fancy Pork 1-lb. cartons, exceptional, 29¢	Basko Macaroni, Spaghetti, etc., 1-oz., larger than ordinary size, 8¢
Grape Fruit finest quality, 96 size, 5¢	Sausage Porterhouse or Sirloin, per pound, 29¢	Bread Metzger's, full 16-oz. loaf. No substitute used, 9¢
Onions Dandy Red Onions; very low; pound, 2¢	Pot Roasts Nice and juicy, per pound, 20¢	Pancake Flour Tip, 1 1/2-lb. package, 13¢
Sweet Potatoes , per lb., 7¢	Lard Compound, per pound, 27 1/2¢	Baking Powder Tip, 1-lb., 25c can, 19¢
New Nuts Of All Kinds	Lard best quality, lb., 33¢	Raisins Seedless, 15-oz. pkg., 16¢
Extra Fancy Pineapple Princess Brand, 2 1/2-lb. sliced, for	Oleomargarine Tip, white or Natural, 1-pound carton, 38¢	Salt 2-lb. bag, 4¢
Plums Easter Green Gage or Golden Prop, per can, 30¢	Nutola Armour's Best, 1-pound carton for, 35¢	Soda 1-lb. pkg., Fairweight, 6¢
Shoe Polish Shinola, Royal Jet Oil, 2-In-One or Shoe White, 15c size, 11¢	Cash Habit Oleomargarine , 1-pound carton, 34¢	Starch 1-lb. Argo Gloss, 9¢
Stove Polish No. 6 Enameline, 15c size, 10¢	Magnolia , 2-lb. roll, 62¢	Starch , celluloid, 15c pkg., 10¢

Exceptional Bargains Each Store Has Limited Amount. We Limit the Amount to Each Customer.

Monday, Dec. 16 Milk Tall cans Wilson or Tall Iowa, 14¢ for	Tuesday, Dec. 17 Tomatoes No. 2 cans, standard quality, 12 1/2¢	Wednesday, Dec. 18 Soup Tall can Snider's which is larger than average can; new goods, 11 1/2¢
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Come Early

Soap P. & G. Naphtha, or Crystal White, 10 Bars for, 69¢	Tea Cash Habit, 1/2-lb. pkg., 30c size, Exceptional Bargain, 25¢	Sapolio or Bon Ami, 10c cake, 9¢
Palmolive Soap , bar, 11¢	Spices Regular 10c package, 7¢	Toilet Paper Toiletete, regular 25c can, 18¢
Crepe Oil Soap , bar, 9¢	Peanut Butter bulk, per lb., 25¢	Saniflush , 25c can, 21¢
Pyramid Washing Powder , large package, 21¢	Milk Small cans of Iowa, 6¢	Toilet Paper Semi-crepe quality, per roll, 4¢
Pyramid Washing Powder , small package, 4¢		Sal Soda , lb., 3¢

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Headquarters Omaha, Neb. United States Food Administration License No. G28403. This Ad Covers Omaha and Council Bluffs. Also Mail Orders.

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It is a fact, as recorded in biblical history, the first Xmas was a Jewelry Xmas. It is a fact Xmas, 1918, will be the merriest as never before, our gifts should be personal and permanent. It is a fact, jewelry is personal and Ryan Jewelry is permanent. The logical 1918 Xmas Gift is Ryan Jewelry.

It is a fact Ryan has never camouflaged the Public with the bait of "so-called sales" at Xmas time. It is with pride and pleasure we call your attention to a few specific items most suitable as Xmas gifts.

DIAMONDS OF QUALITY

For MARY 20.00 to 1250.00	For JOHN 2.50 up
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SIGNET RINGS. 3.50 up

WE DESIGN AND MANUFACTURE EMBLEMS

CHARMS AND BUTTONS 1.50 up

NEW DIAMOND MOUNTING 1.50 to 25.00

CAMEO RINGS 5.00 up

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