New Wheel Tax Ordinance is Now in Effect and All Vehicle Owners Must

automobile? If not, you'll have to announced Chairman Taft. He then

into effect January 1. It requires our hands. In our judgment the incoming lieutenant governor, as to from \$2 to \$7 on all automobiles, violated the rules of the board and trucks and horse-drawn vehicles.

It is expected to bring \$50,000 a work

year to the city treasury.

Automobile "pleasure cars" carry-\$7.50 in the two classes.

one-half tons or less; \$4 for for one stored and the men go back to and one-half to two and one-half wo and one-half tons capacity.

Eases Stiff Joints, Pain in Muscles

"Ulypto Cintment" From the Eucalyptus Tree Stops Inflamma



You folks with muscle pains, aching joints, cold in the shoulders or back, stiff neck, -one touch of wonderful "Ulypto Ointment" will give you soothing, instant

Ointment" will give you soothing, instant relief. There's no mustard oil or mustardy odor. It contains the magic essence of the eucalyptus tree.

It produces remarkable results also on stiff joints, rheumatic pains, neuralgia, chest cold, catarrh, nose stoppage, piles, contache, and on any inflammation and congestion. Hunt the wide world over, there's nothing known as quick, glorious and soothing as "Ulypto Ointment." Sold at all drug stores up-to-date, in 25c and 50c jara, or sent on receipt of price by the MacMillan Chemical Co., Falls City, Neb. Get the drop on that cough,—take "Ulypto Cough Drops," 5c everywhere. For sale and recommended in Omaha by Sherman & McConnell 5 stores, Merritt Drug Stores, Benton Drug Co., Dundee Pharmacy, Creen's Pharmacy.—Adv.

FINE FOR RHEUMATISM

Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain You'll know why thousands use

Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives. Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheu-matism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



RELIABLE PRESCRIPTION FOR THE KIDNEYS

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists month. on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so

many friends. Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Omaha Daily Bee .- Adv.

DROPSY TREATED FREE

By Dr. Miles, the Great Specialist, Who Sends a \$3.75 Trial Treatment Free. Many Report Cured After Doctors Failed.

At first no disease is apparently more At first no disease is apparently more harmless than dropsy; a little welling of the eyelids, hands, feet, ankles or abdomen. Finally great shortness of breath, ough, faint spells, sometimes nauses and omiting, and a lingering and wretched feath if the dropsy is not cured.

Dr. Miles has been known as a leading specialist in these diseases for 30 years. His liberal offer of a \$3.75 Treatment free o all sufferers is certainly worthy of seo all sufferers is certainly worthy of sc-ious consideration. You may never have such an opportunity again. The Grand Dropsy Treatment consists of

four dropsy remedies in one, also Tonic Tablets and Pura-Laxa for removing the water. This treatment is specially prescribed for each patient and is three times as successful as that of most physicians. It usually relieves the first day, and removes awelling in six days in most cases. Delay is dangerous.

CARMEN OF OMAHA PRESENT THEIR TROUBLES

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Taft Reads Telegram.

"For the puropse of explaining what we are here for, we will read a telegram sent by this board to the nayor, street railway company and Have you a city license on your to the employes on December 11,"

read the following: "The appeal of the empoyes from The new wheel tax ordinance went the ruing of our examiners is now in payment of an annual tax ranging men, by going out on a strike, have are not entitled to have their appeal passed on until they go back to

Car to the city treasury.

The tax is payable to City Clerk ers that the spirit of both parties Hunter, who will issue the tags. Is subject to criticism and that the is subject to criticism and that had These are of oval shape and less sides an attempt to carry out the than half the size of the state license award, the trouble might have been averted. The examiners advise us that the action of the men is in their judgment an effort to secure a reing five passengers or less must pay hearing of the original award rather \$2; more than five passengers, \$4. than for the construction of the Automobiles used for carrying pas- actual award. Of course we are most sengers for hire must pay 85 and anxious to secure peace and justice in accord with the award or by modification of it that ought to be suggested by the president as a con-Trucks and delivery wagons must made, but we cannot take any steps dition to admission to the league as bay \$3 for a capacity of one and in this direction until peace is re-

"If the men will go back to work, ons capacity, and \$7 for more than the Joint Chairmen, William H. with the practical requirements of Taft and Basil M. Many will come Clemenceau: to Omaha and be there on the secappeal and a petition for a rehearing moral attributes carry assurance of the provisions of the award which that its convenants will be observ-

ew of the ugly situation. should show the utmost fairness in terests. the restoration of the status quo until the hearing can be had and therefore the men should be restored in the utmost good faith, all the United States, Great Britain of them to the places which they have left and they should go back and in the utmost good faith fulfill

Such a legium.

Not "Balance of Power Such a legium." their duties under the present arrangement, awaiting the action of he arbitrators upon the appraisal and rehearing, and seeking no change until that hearing results in decision, which will be promptly arbitrators leave Omaha.

"We send this dispatch to the mayor, the company and the men. "We have had a conference with President Mahon of the union and he has advised us that he has telegraphed the men to accept these conditions of the further hearing by the arbitra ors of the award."

Men are Represented.

"Has any petition for a rehearing been filed?" asked Chairman Taft. plied Attorney Webster for the com- the land.

"Are the men represented?" inquired Mr. Taft. "I hold a brief of grievances in my hand," replied Jerry Burnett for the union men.

Mr. Burnett handed copies to the hairmen and to the representatives f the company. The foreword reads:

"The following is a brief statement of the conditions under which he members of local division No. 807 have been working for the last few months, and which finally forced the men to take action to protect themselves against further discrimination, loss of rights and stop still further abuses. These statements tell the story of utter disregard of every consideration that marks the distinction between serfs

Abstract of Grievances.

and freemen.'

An abstract of the grievances Dissatisfaction with interpretation the examiners, that runs should figured from night to morning. whereas men started their day's work and signed up in the morning; that \$4.25 could be paid for a 12hour day was not agreeable.

Individual complaints ignored by the company, and petitions and appeals received scant attention. A letter received from the company which closed the door to ne-

gotiations entirely for the union or Discrimination against union pracced by company.

Alleged that a drafted man lost his iority rights. Union bridgeman discharged. Two car washers who received

\$4.25 per day before strike are now paid 85 cents less per day. Superintendent Findlay of struction alleged to have said that company did not want union men.

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.—Adr.

Persistent abuse of men. Requiring night watchmen hops to work twelve hours a day seven days per week for \$95 per

Excessive strain on long runs. Impossible to show actual condi-

No Effort For Remedy. The conclusion of the carmen's

bill of particulars reads: "In concluding this statement we ould again point out that although is true that the company has met vith our committee, they have never treated with them and have made o effort to remedy conditions and grievances complained of. Modern conditions would appear to demand perfect co-operation between emploves and owners of street rail ways, and that much-to-be-desired condition can only be brought about through a feeling of confidence that the interests of both sides are being protected. Frank discussions of roblems between equals who recognize each other's rights is the only asis of justice. This is bet demontrated today in the method of collective bargaining between employ-

real solution of the problem." Sweeping Reforms.

rs and employes through trade

nions. No other plan offers any

Washington, Jan. 2.-Sweeping lectoral reforms effected in Sweden providing the "most extended unt-Delay is dangerous.

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Fewer Bills, Better Laws, Says Senator Cordeal service as a legislator will agree that present methods are cumber-both passed by the legislature and signed by the governor. Aftermatical and rhetorical errors is estimated and rhetorical errors in the error of the error err

to his father.

Encountered Through Antiquated System and How Reform Is Possible.

By JOHN F. CORDEAL.

McCook, Neb., Jan. 1 .- To the Editor of The Bee:-Having heretofore served in two sessions of the Nebraska legislature, and being a which will convene on January 7, I have been interested in the suggestions of Hon. P. A. Barrows, the the need for reforming legislative procedure. Nebraska celebrated her semi-centenial in 1917. During that year meetings were held in different parts of the state to commemorate

WILSON HAS NOT YET DECLARED LEAGUE VIEWS

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"one of us." This interpretation would seem to harmonize Mr. Wilson's idea of a league of nations

Such a league must admit to memoned of January to hear both the bership any and every nation whose seem now to be in controversy in ed and carry trust that its ideals are not limited to its security or the "It is necessary that both parties advancement of its own material in-

Tested by these requirements its initial membership cannot be extended to any other nations besides

Not "Balance of Power."

Such a league would differ from the balance of power, because it would be a comunity of interests in the preservation of peace based upon right and justice, not a mere equipoise created by the coincidence of equal forces. Such a league would secure the world from any future project for world dominion, such as the pan-German league. It would keep smaller powers, whose ethical conceptions are less highly developed from the small conflicts which in the past have been the prelude of great wars.

But until such a league, by its existance and character, shall have demonstrated not only the safety of Great Britain, but America as well, from all possible aggression, the seas canot safely be left free to an "I have no such information," re- enemy in time of war more than can

When President Wilson assured Clemenceau that he would not have him alter his attitude toward Lloyd George on this subject, it is possible that he had in mind the requirements of existing conditions, while the principle of the freedom of the seas, included in his 14 points, referred to an ideal of the future, when "all of us" shall include every nation whose organized strength might permit it to make mischief in

Such an interpretation may serve to justify reports of complete harmony between Mr. Wilson and the heads of the allied nations.

U. S. Marshals Take Charge of Car Lines in Kansas City, Kan.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 2.—Under orders from Judge John C. Pollock of the federal court, United States marshals today took control of the street cars and property of the Kansas City Railways company in Kansas City, Kan., as an outgrowth of the strike of motormen and conductors in progress since December 11. Trainmen, as well as guards are being employed by the federal authorities and assigned to duty as rapidly as they can be sworn in. All

The action of Judge Pollock was taken on an intervening petition of the Kansas City (Kan.) Chamber of Commerce in an injunction suit of the street railway company against the strikers, asking protection of

In Kansas City, Mo., there was no change in the strike situation,

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza.

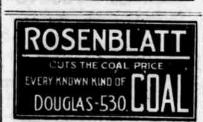
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vital functions of government.

more than ten times what it had might be appointed, with authority the use of the English language. been fifty years before. The rail- to employ a lawyer of ability, and This assertion is not intended as a road and the automobile had re- assistants who should be something reflection upon the mental attain- ful haste and scramble that attends which such measures are referred member-elect of the legislature placed the oxcart as the means of more than mere political appointees, ments of the membership of the transaction of legislative busi-were held, a great deal of time and

is, employing the same antiquated they might be considered at the only of the standing committees, but the ambition of members to secure islation would be less haphazard and machinery that was old in territorial same time, all bills seeking the of the committee of the whole, is

of the half century that had elapsed member who has considered the subsince the state's admission to the ject at all knows of the defects of to understand. The reason for this a bill was enacted into law a few devoted exclusively to the bills that the present system, and probably is because bills are too frequently years ago which prohibited the have been passed by the other. tion we had become a member of the great commonwealth of states. Our every member has opinions of his framed by men who not only have shooting, during certain seasons of no knowledge of the technical Irish "peasants." material resources had increased a I believe a committee of members verbiage in which they should be hundred fold, and our population was of both branches of the legislature clothed, but who are unskilled in

transportation. The log house and to examine every measure that is present or of past legislatures, for ness toward the close of a session energy could be conserved. the dug-out had been superceded by introduced. The question of the I believe I am safe in saying a very cannot but deplore the existence of I have touched upon only a few comfortable and convenient houses. constitutionality of many bills is large proportion of the measures a system that permits one-fourth or of the evils that exist, but I feel that Even the proverbially conservative involved. If this question could be introduced at every session are draft- more in volume of the work of a I have already taken more of your farmer was using labor and time- decided before the measures were ed by nonmembers. In fact I am of session of more than three months space than I should. I want merely Saving devices which were unknown presented to the legislature, much the opinion that almost all bills are to be crowded into the last legislator to add that I have no patience with time might be saved. This com- prepared by members of the legal tive day. The difficulty arises, any who may say that reform is immittee, with the aid of an organiza- profession. I regret to say their chiefly, from the dillatory tactics possible. I am confident if some tion similar to the one I have sug- work is too frequently, hastily and that characterize the proceedings simple changes of the character I Yet the legislature was, and still gested, could bring together, so unskillfully done. The time, not during the early part of the sessions, have mentioned were made, that leg-

days, to perform one of the three same end. I recall an occasion when taken up, to a far greater extent they are interested, and the custo two bills, introduced by two dif- than it should be, in consideration, I believe every man who has seen ferent members, amendatory of the not of the substances of proposed that come from the other end of the service as a legislator will agree same section of the statute, were laws, but of their construction.

Troubles Easily Remedied.

of each house to ignore the bills

Points Out Difficulties Now greatness was extolled, and our progreatiess was extoned, and our pro-gress was noted. Our people took effect the reforms all of us know fact, the law. largely consumed in making them, on bills sent over from the other satisfaction in the accomplishments should be accomplished. Every It is a common complaint that As an illustration of the absurdities house, and that in each house at

> All bills for the appropriation of money, regardless of the purpose for which it is to be expended, should be considered by one committee in Everyone who has participated in each body, and if joint sessions of or who has witnessed the disgrace- the committees of both houses to

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You can depend upon every price, both original and reduced, being correctly quoted. .

Machinery is Antiquated.

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TANUARY

The Thompson-Belden Store

Lower Prices During January on Fine Silks and Wool Dress Goods

Silk Crepe de Chine, an extra weight in desirable shades of ivory, pink, flesh and peach, suitable for lingerie. Also street shades.

A \$2.25 fabric, 40 inches wide, January price, \$1.69

Belding's Guaranteed Chiffon Taffeta. A material that is to be in high favor for the Spring season. A complete selection of newest colors in our Regular \$2.50 Chiffon Taffeta, Friday, \$1.98 a yard.

\$2 Pure Dye Chiffon Taf- All Wool Navy Serge (54feta in a splendid assortment of colors (36-inch) \$1.69 a yard.

Nancette, a new Belding Silk, a Surrah weave, soft and clinging, but excellent for wear. In colors and black. Regularly \$3, the January price, \$2.39 yard.

Belding's Striped Novelties in evening shades. A stripes and plaids that self-tone combination that sell regularly for \$2.25 is choice for party frocks and \$2.50, Friday, \$1.69 and dancing gowns. \$2.50 quality (36 inches wide), \$1.98 a yard.

Extra weight silk shirtings in choice patterns and col- of street shades. A \$2.50 ors, \$2 qualities, \$1.69 yd. quality for \$1.79 a yard.

Savings on the Best of Woolen Fabrics French Serges and Pop- Choice Coatings at Delins. Two of the most desirable all wool dress fabrics (40 and 42-inch) in a good range of colors, \$1.89 a yard.

inch) \$1.98 yard. Gunni Burl, an all wool material, in the correct

Friday, \$2.49 a yard. Plaid Wool Skirtings (54inch) \$3.50 quality. January price, \$2 a yard.

weight for suits and coats.

54-inch. Regularly \$4,

cided Reductions. Such desirable weaves as Burella. Velour, Silvertone (54 inches wide) sold all season up to \$7.50 a yard. Your choice Friday, \$4.49

A collection of fancy

Satin Liberty, a favorite

material for general wear.

Shown in a great variety

Ottoman Suiting, an ideal fabric for tailored suits. Sold for \$3.50. In this Sale, \$2.29 a yard.

\$3.50 Costume Velvets for only \$2.29 a Yard. 36 inches wide. Complete color assortment.

Women's Hand-Tailored Coats In the January Sale

Interesting Low Prices

A disposal of the remaining stocks of fine winter coats will be effected by means of decided reductions in prices, presenting a most advantageous opportunity, as the greater part of the winter weather lies ahead.

Distinctive Thompson-Belden coats in the latest fashions, most desirable fabrics, including velvets. Every coat we have

Will go Friday at a Great Reduction

\$69.50 Coats \$46.50. \$75 Coats, \$50.

\$85 Coats, \$57. \$105 Coats, \$69.50.

A Charge for Alterations—All Sales Final

All Suits, Dresses, Blouses and Furs have new low prices for Friday's selling

The bargains are too numerous to mention: a visit will prove very profitable to you

Haskell's Famous Black Silks For Much Less

Reduced 20% to 25%

\$2.50 Sheets \$1.89 Bleached bed sheets, extra heavy quality, seamless. Size 81x99. Our regular \$2.50 sheet, for Friday the January Sale price will

be only \$1.89 each. A limit of six to each per-

Special Values The Men's Shop

¶Friday only choose any \$1 tie in our whole stock and pay 85c ¶Any \$2 shirt can be had for \$1.65.

9½ and 10 only. All colors. While they last, 35c, three pairs for \$1. ¶50c for underwear. A few odd two-piece garments in medium weight cotton will be

closed out at this low price.

Tibre hose—a few in sizes

\$4 Umbrellas Only \$3.35 The pick of all \$4 numbers in our entire stock at this price for Friday only. Silk and linen covers. A splendid lot of attractive handles. \$3.35 for any

\$4 Umbrella

Cotton Blankets Only \$3.49 a pair These are gray with colored borders, full size and good weight. They are a very special value. Friday, \$3.49 a pair.

No Time Like the Present to Purchase Linens

The January Sale Presents the Best Opportunity of the Year

Linens today are exceedingly scarce and present prices, on the small supply that is available, are almost prohibitive.

Fifteen cases of snow white Scotch and Irish linens have been brought forward for this sale, in addition to our regular stock. These have been stored in the Omaha bonded warehouse for the past three years.

Table Cloths

\$7.50 Table Cloths, \$5.89 \$10.00 Table Cloths, \$6.89 \$12.00 Table Cloths, \$8.89 \$15.00 Table Cloths, \$10.00 \$17.50 Table Cloths, \$13.89 \$20.00 Table Cloths, \$15.00 \$25.00 Table Cloths, \$20.00 \$30.00 Table Cloths, \$25.00

Napkins

\$5.00 Napkins, \$4.00 doz. \$10.00 Napkins, \$6.89 doz. \$10.75 Napkins, \$7.89 doz. \$15.00 Napkins, \$10.89 doz. \$17.50 Napkins, \$13.50 doz. \$20.00 Napkins, \$15.89 doz. \$25.00 Napkins, \$18.89 doz. \$30.00 Napkins, \$25.00 doz.

Huck Towels

25c Huck Towels for 20c 39c Huck Towels for 25c 50c Huck Towels for 35c 65c Huck Towels for 50c \$1.50 Huck Towels, \$1.00 \$1.75 Huck Towels, \$1.25 \$2.00 Huck Towels, \$1.50 \$2.50 Huck Towels, \$1.75

Turkish Towels

39c Turkish Towels 25c. 50c Turkish Towels 35c. 75c Turkish Towels 59c. \$1.00 Turkish Towels 75c \$1.25 Turkish Towels 1.00 TABLE CLOTHS EXTRA SPECIAL

\$8.00 Table Cloths for \$5.38. \$10.00 Table Cloths (extra heavy) **\$6.75**.

NAPKINS

EXTRA SPECIAL \$7.50 Napkins (extra heavy) for \$5.38 doz. \$10.00 Napkins (extra heavy) for \$7.50 doz.

OUR TABLE CLOTHS AND NAPKINS ARE ALL PURE LINEN. WE HAVE NO MERCERIZED OR COT-TON TABLE CLOTHS AND NAPKINS IN STOCK.

Crash Toweling Extra Heavy Scotch and Irish Linen Crash Towel-

40c Crash, 30c a yard. 50c Crash, 40c a yard. 55c Crash, 45c a yard. 60c Crash, 50c a yard. 75c Crash, 60c a yard.

The rest of our stocks were also purchased two and three years ago at the prices then prevailing-all of which is to your advantage.

During January all linens will undergo decided price reductions, making a sale of unusual importance and interest. We advise housewives to buy now for there is no better time to effect savings.

FANCY LINENS GREATLY REDUCED

In Many Instances at Half Regular Prices

Cluny lace and Madeira doilies, centerpieces. scarfs, luncheon cloths and table cloths. Also Madeira napkins, Mosaic napkins and luncheon sets of Madeira hand embroidery.

Hemstitched Cloths and Napkins

\$ 7.50 H. S. Cloths, size 54x54, for \$5.00 \$10.00 H. S. Cloths, size 70x70, for \$7.50 \$12.00 H. S. Cloths, size 70x88, for \$9.00 \$12.00 H. S. Cloths, size 72x72, for \$8.50 \$10.75 H. S. Napkins, 15-in., \$8.50 dozen \$13.50 H. S. Napkins, 20-in., \$10 dozen

Extra Heavy Double Satin Damask \$5 Quality, 72 inches wide, \$3.50 yard

WASH CLOTHS Turkish Wash Cloths

500 dozen 10c Heavy

Turkish Wash

cloths, each . . 200 dozen 20c Heavy

Turkish Wash 15c cloths, each ...

Blue and Red Checked Glass Toweling. 35c All Linen Checked Glass Toweling, 25c yard. 75c All Linen Checked Glass Toweling, 60c yard.

Glass Toweling

Unbleached Crash Extra Heavy All Linen Unbleached Crash Toweling. 50c Unbleached Linen

Crash for 39c a yard.