

### Brutality Charge Against Police Is Pressed at Lincoln

Secretary of Society for the  
Friendless Tells H. H.  
Antles of Alleged Third  
Degree Methods Here.

Charges that Omaha police used "third degree" methods were made in Lincoln yesterday by H. H. Hubbell, assistant secretary of the Society for the Friendless, who stated that he went to the state capitol and placed his complaint before Secretary H. H. Antles of the state board of welfare.

Police investigations in Omaha are conducted with brutality and entire disregard of the constitutional rights of the persons under arrest, was the declaration of Mr. Hubbell.

The business of the organization which Mr. Hubbell represents is to assist prisoners—those who are out on parole, and those who have been discharged from the prisons.

Were to Call on Dunn.

"All that I know about this matter was what Rev. J. A. Leavitt, superintendent of the society, told us at the annual meeting a few days ago," said Howard Kennedy, vice president of the society. "Rev. D. Jenkins, myself and Superintendent Leavitt were to serve as a committee to call on Police Commissioner H. W. Dunn."

In the absence of Police Commissioner Dunn, who was home yesterday, Chief of Police Dempsey was asked for a statement. He said: "The only case I have heard of was that of Monk Trummer and that was investigated. I know of no third degree methods here. I will investigate the matter at once. It seems to me that we would have received complaints if such cases had occurred."

#### Dahlman Incredulous.

"It is my belief that there is little third degree practice in the Omaha police department, less than most cities," was the reply of Mayor Dahlman when interviewed. "I heard of the Monk Trummer case and we learned that Trummer was struck during a fight. If there are cases such as are complained of, they should be investigated and no doubt they will be."

At the annual meeting of the Society for the Friendless, held in the Y. M. C. A. building here this week, Superintendent Leavitt told the members that he had been informed by prisoners now held in the county jail that they had been treated brutally while in the custody of the Omaha police. He referred to three specific cases and said there were others.

Leavitt explained that he did not deem it wise to divulge the names of the alleged victims for fear that publicity would hurt their cases, as they are being held for trials. Physical injuries had been inflicted, according to the charges made by the prisoners to Superintendent Leavitt.

#### Thinks it True.

"It must not be supposed that because a man is held as a prisoner and is under charges, awaiting trial, that he cannot tell the truth. I believe these men are telling the truth," asserted the superintendent. Upon the statements made by the superintendent, the society named the committee to call upon Police Commissioner Dunn.

#### Long Line of Automobiles Follows Simon to Cemetery

More than 200 automobiles were in the funeral procession which escorted the body of Edward Simon, 35, to the cemetery of Beth Hamedrosh Hagodol synagogue yesterday. In point of attendance it was the largest Jewish funeral in Omaha since the late Edward Rosewater died, 15 years ago. The Shrine patrol, of which Edward Simon was a member, acted as escort.

#### Warns Aliens to Take Out Proper Hunting License

Otto Gewinner, federal and state deputy warden, issued a special warning yesterday to aliens against hunting with an ordinary license. A hunting and fishing license for aliens is \$15 a year, Gewinner said. Penalty for violation of the statute is \$50, he said.

#### Brief City News

Meyers Heads Company—C. Louis Meyers was elected president of the Concrete Engineering company at its annual stockholders' meeting.

Final Birth Rates Fanned—Members of the Final Birth lodge subscribed \$1,600, enough to care for 16 war orphans, at its last meeting.

Warrants Finally—Faculty search warrants caused four persons charged with violating the liquor laws, to be dismissed in police court during the last two days.

Plan Anti-Narcotic Society—Joseph Manning and William Carroll, government narcotic agents, are advocating the formation of an anti-narcotic society in Omaha.

Plead Not Guilty—Mike Damato and Walter (Finger) Stevens, charged with the murder of Frank Fogel, entered pleas of not guilty in the district court yesterday.

Fined for Blow—Because he struck a student in the mouth, Howard Ogil, twenty-fifth and Cass streets, a night watchman, was fined \$2.50 by Judge Wappich yesterday.

Jewish Center Opens—The public will have an opportunity to inspect the newly equipped Jewish community center, third floor of the Lyric building, Nineteenth and Farnam streets, Sunday from 2 to 5 and from 8 to 10.

Three Suspects Held—Paul Graff, 824 North Twenty-fifth avenue, Herbert Wright, 1318 North Twenty-fourth street, and Brewer Gustafson, 824 North Twenty-eighth avenue, were bound over to the grand jury on a robbery charge by Judge Wappich yesterday.

Homes Wanted for Tots—There are 10 little orphans in the Methodist hospital for whom admission to good homes is sought and any foster parents, with proper recommendations, may obtain them, according to Rev. R. B. Hall, of the Nebraska Children's Home society.

Entertain Lauder—Sir Harry Lauder was entertained by 450 Rotarians at dinner in the ball room of the Hotel Fontenelle yesterday noon. Members of the Omaha Club Gordon, equipped with bagpipes, furnished music. Sir Harry gave a short lecture, interspersed with satire and humor.

Four-Buckle Golashees Ready for Snowy Weather  
For Women, at \$4.50 ; For Misses, at \$3.50  
For Children, at \$3.00  
A complete range of sizes.  
Burgess-Nash Shoe Shop—Main Floor

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"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Free Movies for Children  
9 A. M.—10:45 A. M.  
"Neighbors"—Madge Evans Starring  
Auditorium—Fifth Floor

### New Veiling Maline

Just arrived, 15 new shades, the bright, gorgeous colors so popular for hat bands and bows, at 35c yard.

Burgess-Nash Veiling Department—Main Floor



### Hats of French Hair Cloth

Sponsored by Paris  
Introduced by Burgess-Nash

Though Woman's Crown of Glory must be hidden on occasion, it never has to be dimmed. To prove it we offer to you the shiniest of the new French Horse-hair Chapeaux. They are in trim little off-the-face models, depending on the sauciness of this new material for smartness, with a touch of jet or a novelty for trimming. All at \$13.75.

Other smart and charming millinery, \$4.00 to \$35.00.

Burgess-Nash Hat Shop—Third Floor



### Loveliest of Silk Lingerie

#### Crepe de Chine Gowns

Of heavy quality crepe, elaborately trimmed. You may choose from those alluring sleeveless and cap sleeve models, empire, and various other styles, at the low price of \$3.95.

#### Envelope Chemise

Daintiest of styles—bodice tops, lace trimmed, shoulder straps of ribbon. An exceptional value at \$3.45.

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### Hair Net Specials

Human Hair Nets, dozen, 50c  
Large size, cap nets, every color.

Durabelle Hair Nets, 10c.  
Cap and fringes, double mesh.

Carmen Elastic Nets, 3 for 25c.  
Carmen, Knotted End Nets, 3 for 25c.

Burgess-Nash—Main Floor



### Silk and Wool Hosiery

#### Wool Hose

Which the January winds can not penetrate; three popular shades of brown heather; all sizes. \$2.45.

Woolen hose, self-clocked, \$3.25.

#### Silk Hose

Pure thread silk, full fashioned, a splendid quality at \$2.00.

Burgess-Nash—Main Floor



### Clearance of Girls' Coats \$8.85

Splendid coats of wool velour, pebble chevrot, and novelty fabrics—all attractively styled and fully and warmly lined. Navy, brown, tan. Sizes 6 to 14.

### All Our Girls' Velvet Dresses

3 Dresses : \$5.95 | 5 Dresses : \$12.50 | 14 Dresses : \$18.50

Sizes 10 to 14

Burgess-Nash Junior Shop—Third Floor



### Domestic and Imported Bags Priced for Clearance at \$2.95

This very wonderful offer includes smartly original and correctly conventional handbags of duvetyns, velvets and of silk and bead combinations. Beaver, brown, navy, copen and plum colors.

Burgess-Nash Handbag Shop—Main Floor

### Everyday Economics Saturday Throughout Our Store!

How often do we stop to wonder:

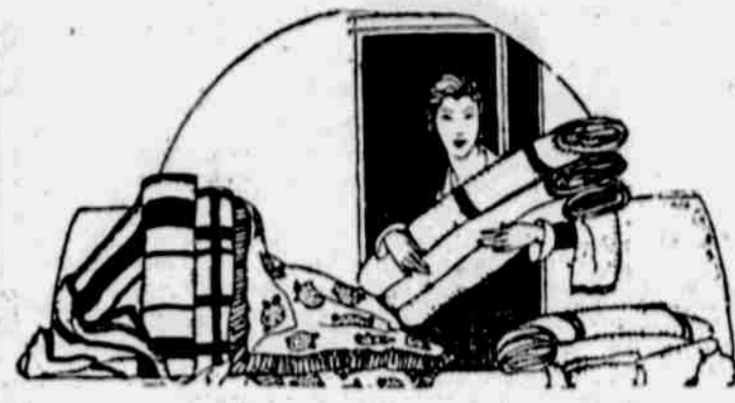
"What is real economy?"  
—Is it buying the thing at the moment, because it is cheap? No.

—Is it buying the thing at the moment, because it is good, and cheap, as well? Well, perhaps, sometimes.

—Is it buying the thing that we need TODAY—WHEN we need it—with the assurance that it is good, and reasonable, too? By all means, Yes.

And that is what Burgess-Nash offers to you this Saturday! The practical, seasonal need of today, reasonably priced. If you need them NOW, buy them now, for therein lies economy!

The confidence of our patrons is the basis of our success.



### Splendid Warm Blankets

The Pride of the Housewife  
Offered at Economy Prices

#### All-Wool Blankets

Great, fluffy, warm pink and white, and blue and white plaid blankets for double size beds, \$8.95.

#### Sub-Wool Blankets

For double beds. These are of light weight, but possessed of great warmth. An excellent value at \$4.25.

Handsome Comforts Priced at \$4.50

Children's Warm Blankets, 79c



### Jersey Silk Petticoats

Charming colors with fancy flounces of contrasting colors in popular shades—navy, brown, black, gray, green and purple. \$3.98.

Burgess-Nash—Second Floor

### Fresh Cuban Cocoanuts

#### Home Special

Extra large; juicy, meaty fruit. 7c, or 4 for 25c.

On sale Saturday. No deliveries. No C. O. D.'s. No phone orders.

Burgess-Nash—Downstairs Store

### Candy Shop Saturday Specials

#### Penochi, 1 lb., 44c

A delicious candy, rich with nuts, in vanilla, and maple.

#### Jumbo Salted Peanuts 2 lbs., 35c

#### Chocolate Creams 1 lb., 44c

In such toothsome flavors as vanilla, maple, maple sundae, vanilla sundae, pineapple, strawberry, and cherry.

Burgess-Nash—Mezzanine Floor



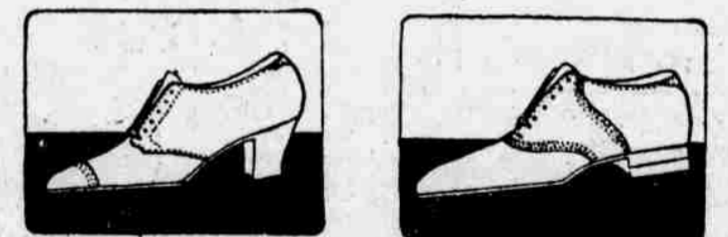
### Our Separate Skirts At Great Reductions

15 Silk Skirts, pleated and plain, in a variety of colors, suitable for the smartest sports wear; reduced to— \$5

12 Woolen Skirts—These striped and plain models are made according to the latest mode. There are a number of all white skirts in this lot; reduced to— \$10

Entire Remaining Stock of Fall and Winter Skirts now offered at 25% Off Former Prices

Burgess-Nash Ready-to-Wear—Third Floor



### Smartest of Street Oxfords

Attractively Priced at

\$8.50

These oxfords are undeniably the smartest of footwear for street wear. All are those popular "mannish models"—sturdy and substantial, made of the finest quality leathers. A real economy purchase at \$8.50. These may be had in gun metal, patent colt, tan calf and brown kid blucher.

Burgess-Nash Shoe Shop—Main Floor



### Fabrics That Are New

#### Check Velours

New 54-inch velours in small and large checks, the approved fabric for skirts, suits and wraps. \$3.45 yard.

#### Black Taffeta

36-inch rich black chiffon taffetas and fine soft finish satin messaline at \$1.59 yard.

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### Gossard Corsets 1/2 Price

Clearance of discontinued numbers and broken sizes in coutils, broches, batistes and satins. You may choose from a large assortment of models—low, medium and waist-line models. Every corset fitted by our expert corset service. At 1/2 price.

Burgess-Nash—Second Floor

# Final Clearance : Saturday : Suits : Overcoats

**\$21** For Men:  
Our Entire Remaining Stock of Winter Suits—for Men and Young Men  
Your Choice Saturday at \$21

Our Entire Stock of Warm Winter Overcoats  
Saturday at \$21  
With Two Exceptions

—Our Fur Coats—One very special group of 25 Overcoats, now reduced to \$42.50

Sale of Men's Winter Union Suits : Saturday \$1.95

Burgess-Nash Men's and Boys' Shop—Main Floor

For Boys:  
Our Entire Stock of Winter Suits—Most of Them With Two Pair of Trousers  
Your Choice Saturday at \$10

Our Entire Stock of Warm Winter Overcoats for Boys of 6 to 18, \$10.00

—All our Boys' Mackinaws : Your choice Saturday at \$7.50

—All our Corduroy Suits : Your Choice Saturday at \$7.50