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All the Rugs from the New York D. G. Store.

THREE DOLLAR AND A HALF RUGS

\$1.25 Each

All the large size Moquette, all the Wilton, all the Velvet, all the Smyrna rugs, with and without fringe. In fact any rug that sold in the Chicago State Street Store as high as \$1.00 each, go all in one big lot, your choice for \$1.25 each.

Although there are 322 rugs in this lot, we will sell only one to a customer and none before 9 o'clock, as we want everybody to have one of these bargains.

ALL THE WHITE GOODS
From the New York Dry Goods Store

35c WHITE GOODS
AT **6c** A YARD at 9 o'clock Saturday Morning.

Seven cases of all kinds of White Goods—cross bar, nainsook, Swiss, India dimities, satin stripes, etc., etc. In fact all the white goods that sold in the State Street Store as high as 35c, go Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, your choice at 6c per yard.

THE ART DEPARTMENT
of the New York Dry Goods Store

All complete, is on sale today at the most unheard of bargain prices

5c 10c 15c 25c 50c 75c \$1.25

The stock comprises Bureau scarfs, dresser scarfs, lunch cloths, wash-covers, pillow cases, doilies, plain and embroidered, in cut-out work in plain white and colors, hemstitched, drawn work and hand water-colored. The articles in this stock are too numerous to mention, suffice it to say that it is a complete up-to-date art department. The goods are on sale today at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.25 per piece, many of these are worth three and four times the price we ask.

All the skein silks from this stock at 4c a skein

All the spool embroidery silk at, per dozen spools..... **3c**

All the pure silk crocheted silks 5c ball

This is the biggest sale of the kind ever held in Omaha.

DRAPERY From the New York Dry Goods Store.

340 PIECES

Drapery Fishnet

Worth up to **A DOLLAR**
Today at..... **15c** A YARD

These are the highest class goods—in new and novel meshes—in white and ecru—all widths—with and without borders and were just received for this spring's business and made to retail as high as \$1.00 a yard. They go on sale at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at 15c yd.

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS
From the New York Dry Goods Store

95c \$1.98 \$2.98

To close out all the Ladies' Dress Skirts from this stock—all made up in the latest style in black brilliantine—black and colored brocaded brilliantine—all wool serges, etc.—worth up to ten dollars—they go today at

95c \$1.98 \$2.98

The Choice and Best of the \$180,000 Stock of the New York Dry Goods Store

Formerly opposite the Palmer house
Cor. State and Monroe Streets **Chicago**

WILL BE CLOSED OUT TODAY AT A SMALL FRACTION OF THEIR FORMER SELLING PRICE.

9c Knee Pants
FROM THE NEW YORK DRY GOODS STORE, go at 9c.

BOSTON STORE

16th and Douglas
Omaha.
J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS
PROPRIETORS.

25c
ALL THE BOYS' FLANNEL SHIRT WAISTS FROM THE NEW YORK DRY GOODS STORE

\$2.50 and \$3 Men's Hats

95c

To close out all the men's soft and stiff hats from this stock, all the latest styles. We give you the choice of lot for 95c.

Men's 25c Socks

10c

To close out all the men's socks in this stock we give you the choice of all, including socks worth a quarter a pair, for ten cents.

\$10, \$12 and \$15 MEN'S SUITS FOR \$4.98

Your Choice of Any MAN'S SUIT From the New York Dry Goods Store—
That Was Marked to Sell for \$10, \$12 or \$15, Including

Straight and round cut sacks, double breasted sacks, cutaway frocks, made up in all wool cassimeres, imported chevots, as well as over a hundred all wool black clay worsteds, thoroughly well made, nicely trimmed and cut in the latest style—your choice of any of these suits (former price from \$10 to \$15.) at

\$4.98

Ladies', Men's Misses', Child's

HOSE

From the New York Dry Goods Stock

1,000 dozen ladies', misses' and children's fast black, fine gauge—extra heavy, ribbed full seamless, and split foot hose, go at 5c a pair. Worth 15c..... **5c**

500 dozen misses' and boys' extra heavy wide and narrow ribbed bicycle hose, full seamless, fast black hose, go at 10c a pair..... **10c**

450 dozen ladies' extra fine gauge, full seamless fast black hose, some with double soles and spliced heels, plain and ribbed tops, go at 12c..... **12c**

300 dozen men's full seam—less, brown and blue mixed, heavy weight socks, go at 3c a pair..... **3c**

Ladies', Misses' Boys', Child's

UNDERWEAR

From the New York Dry Goods Stock

300 dozen children's and boys' jersey ribbed vests, soft cotton fleece lined, with long sleeves for early spring wear, go at 10c each, worth up to 25c..... **10c**

250 dozen ladies' good weight, Jersey ribbed vests, some with sleeves, others with wing sleeves, go at 7c each, worth 15c..... **7c**

200 dozen ladies' extra fine quality, silk taped, fine Mace and lace thread vests, with wing sleeves, long sleeves and sleeveless, go at 19c each, worth up to 35c..... **19c**

100 dozen ladies' extra fine quality of medium and light weight vests and pants, short and long sleeves, go at 25c each, worth up to 50c..... **25c**

A DOUBLE SHOE SALE

All the Shoes from Blotcky Bros' Spring Stock.
All the Shoes from the New York Dry Goods Store.

Blotcky Bros. of Des Moines ordered these Shoes from the Moore Shafer Shoe Manufacturing Company of Brockport, N. Y. They failed while the shoes were being made—Moore Schafer finish making the shoes—and sell them to us at 60c on the dollar. The New York Dry Goods Store shoes were bought by us at less than 50c on the dollar. Both lots were manufactured for this spring's trade.

YOUR CHOICE AT HALF OR LESS THAN HALF THE PRICE THEY COST

\$3 Shoes for \$1.59

MEN'S \$3 SHOES

In lace or congress, any style, all sizes, 6 to 11.

GO AT **\$1.59**

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

\$5 and \$6 Shoes for \$1.98

ALL THE MEN'S WELT SOLE

\$6, \$5 AND \$4

PATENT LEATHER, ENAMEL, CORDOVAN AND CALF SHOES

GO AT **\$1.98**

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS, Props.

\$2 Box Calf Shoes \$1.35

Little Gents' \$2 Box Calf Shoes

All the Little Gents' Real \$2 Box Calf Quilted Sole Shoes, go at..... **\$1.35**

GO AT **\$1.35**

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

\$2.50 Oxfords 98c

All the LADIES' \$2.00 AND \$2.50 OXFORD TIES

In black, tan and wine, in all sizes from 2 1/2 to 8 and from A to EE.

GO AT **98c**

Ladies' Button and Lace Shoes 98c

GO AT **98c**

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

\$5 and \$6 Shoes for \$3

All the Ladies' Turn and We't Sole

Fancy Vesting Top and Kid Top Shoes, made to sell for Five and Six dollars a pair.

GO AT **\$3**

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS, Props.

\$5 and \$6 Shoes for \$1.98

All the Ladies' Black, Tan, Green and Wine Kid Top and Cloth Top Shoes

that were made to sell at four dollars

GO AT **\$1.98**

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

MOORES HAD MORE MONEY

Bank Cashier Produces a Deposit That Was Overlooked.

PROSECUTION AIDS DEFENSE MATERIALLY

Drinks Out \$4,300 Which the Mayor Had Not Included in His Schedule of Assets When He Turned Over Office.

The evidence in the Broatch-Moore case was practically completed yesterday forenoon and the afternoon was occupied by the arguments of counsel. One of the witnesses called by Mr. Broatch's attorneys proved to be a first-class witness for the other side. This was Ben B. Wood, who was called to testify in regard to the business relations of Mayor Moore with the Merchants' National bank. The purpose was to impeach the evidence offered by the mayor in relation to what he was worth when he vacated the office of clerk of the district court. Mr. Wood brought with him all the certificates of deposit and other documents in his possession and about the first discovery that was

made was the fact that Mayor Moore had one deposit of \$4,300 in the bank on January 2, 1896, which he had forgotten all about and had not included in his schedule of property. The witness was very promptly excused. County Attorney Baldridge was called and questioned in regard to his transactions with Mayor Moore with regard to the Wulffens fine. He testified that he had never to his knowledge directed Mr. Moore to hold the money. He stated, however, that when Assistant City Attorney Cornish had made a demand for the money he had told Mr. Moore not to pay it to the city, as the county would hold him responsible for the amount. He testified that Mr. Wharton had asked him for a statement of the fines and penalties claimed by the county when the matter first came into controversy and had assured him, that as soon as the statement could be checked up Mr. Moore would at once pay the amount if it was found to be correct.

John L. Kennedy was called to testify in regard to the certified check for \$3,200 alleged to have been deposited in the Merchants' National bank to cover the amount in the hands of Mr. Moore on account of the case of Fairbanks, Morse & Co. against Wells. He stated that he had supposed that Mr. Moore had deposited the amount in the bank, but he afterward found that this was not the case. He had called the matter to the attention of Mr. Moore and the latter made the deposit as requested. This was some time previous to the date when he went out of the office.

Mayor Moore was recalled and asked some

further questions in regard to the condition of his real estate as far as encumbrances were concerned, and B. G. Burbank testified to some unimportant details in regard to the fees in the cases of Ackerman against Ackerman and Her against the Omaha Horse Raising company. A good deal of time was consumed in offering parts of exhibits previously introduced in order to avoid the necessity of including the entire exhibits in the records.

The hearing was adjourned to the county court room in the afternoon, where Attorney Wright occupied nearly the entire session with his opening argument. This followed the lines outlined during the previous procedure. He labored with particular vigor to convince the referee that the fact that Moore had sufficient property to meet any difference, that might remain in favor of the county after the accounts had been checked up did not count anything in his favor. He contended that the bare fact that he had not paid over before leaving the office all that the county claimed was sufficient to indicate an intent to defraud. The argument of John C. Wharton for Mr. Moore will be heard this afternoon.

Interest in Curfew Ordinance.

Judging from the number of communications received by Mayor Moore, a lot of the smaller eastern cities have become afflicted with a regular contagion of curfew legislation. The epidemic seems to be most prevalent in Pennsylvania and southern Indiana and Ohio. Every mail that comes to the city hall contains a number of letters from these

localities in which the mayor is asked for information in regard to the success or failure of the curfew law, which was passed by the city council last year. The mayor is assuring all inquiries that the law has been a spectacular failure in Omaha, although it might be adapted to the situations in smaller towns.

CUTTING THE SCHOOL YEAR SHORT.

Opposition to the Board's Plan Comes From Several Sources.

There is already a rapidly developing opposition to the resolution that was introduced at the last meeting of the Board of Education which provides that all the grades shall be closed May 27. The principals of a number of the largest schools assert that if two weeks is dropped from the school year the eighth grade will not be able to complete its course and pass the examination for entrance to the High School.

There is also some opposition on the score of an alleged blow to the prospects for the Transmississippi Educational congress, which is to be held in Omaha during the last week of June. It is urged that if the schools are closed at the end of May, the teachers would be compelled to remain here an entire month in order to be present at the congress and assist in the preliminary arrangements. It is contended that the assistance of the teachers is necessary to carry the enterprise to a successful conclusion, and that if the schools are closed as the resolution contemplates the bulk of them

would be compelled to leave the city before the congress convenes. While the members of the board are not willing to spend \$15,000 for the additional two weeks merely in order to accommodate the congress it is quite urgently suggested that in view of the situation of the eighth grade classes it might be advisable to complete the year and then cut two weeks from the beginning of the next year if it should be necessary. It is declared that if this was done the teachers would know what they had to expect and with the two weeks lost at the beginning of the year the course of study could be arranged to make up the lost time during the year.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING IS SAFE.

Board of Education Makes a Statement for the Public.

There are a number of sensational rumors floating around the city in regard to the condition of the Omaha High school building. These have circulated pretty freely among the people who have children in the school and a number of anxious inquiries have been addressed to members of the Board of Education. It is alleged that the structure shakes to its foundations under the tramping of a room full of pupils and that the floor of the room occupied by the commercial department is perceptibly settling.

It is officially stated that there is absolutely no foundation for these reports. The building was thoroughly inspected some time ago

by a committee of architects at the instance of the board and last year a committee of the board also made another critical examination of the entire building. The members now assert that while the building has certainly become inadequate to the necessities of the city, it is far from being in a dangerous condition and will be perfectly safe for several years to come. It is admitted that there is a perceptible quivering of the upper floors, but it is contended that this is the case in nearly every large building in the city. The depression in the floor of the commercial department has existed for fifteen years. This floor is supported by suspension trusses and years ago the depression was caused by a slight settling of adjacent parts of the building. The floor now rests solidly on the trusses and it is emphatically asserted that there is not the slightest danger of any further settling. The members of the board unite in assuring the patrons of the school that there is no reason for alarm and that in case there was any foundation for the rumors incriminating the board would have taken prompt action.

Only One Jail Proposition.

Only one proposition was received yesterday morning to furnish the city with temporary jail quarters. This was from George P. Horns an agent for the owners of the Elkhorn Valley house at Elvetham and Dodge streets. He proposed to put in a heating plant and heat the building and rent it for from one to five years for \$150 per month. It was stipulated that the city should pay for

any other alterations that might be necessary; rent the taxes and pay the water rent. The special committee made an inspection of the premises and will report at a future date.

Shameless Husband Sent to Jail.

Arthur and Ella Sutton, a married couple, were before Police Judge Gordon yesterday on charges of being inmates of disreputable houses and contributing to the support thereof. It was developed during the trial that Sutton, who is a barber, married the woman in Sioux City, Ia., seven weeks ago and brought her to Omaha. He had sanctioned her life of shame in the Third ward and accepted money she earned for his support. The man was sent to the city jail for thirty days; the middle tenon bread and water, and the woman received a sentence of thirty days in the county jail but her fine was suspended for three months provided that she would leave the city immediately. The police matron will send her to relatives.

Boy Violates His Parole.

Frank Sebring, a 13-year-old boy who has violated the privileges of a parole granted him by the district court, is a prisoner at the city jail. He was arrested at the request of his mother, Mrs. Martha Sebring, who resides at the corner of Twenty-fifth and Leavenworth streets, on a charge of incorrigibility. Last August the boy was sent to the district court by Police Judge Gordon for stealing \$1 from a peddler and he was given a parole for three months. He has away from home several days ago, and Judge Gordon has ordered him to be taken back to the district court.