Made from carpet remnants

and short lengths. We've

had a big sale on carpets this

month and never before have

Rugs.

Carpets

We are having a special sale of carpets some values that are unapproachable. In this sale will be found the newest and most desirable patterns in beautiful Axminster Carpets-no other such value in floor covering ever shown before—an elegant variety to select from. These Axminsters are with or without borders as may be desired. This special sale is the result of our taking advantage of a large stock closing of the great Smith Carpet Mills at Yonkers, N. Y. All that we have gained by this purchase goes direct to our customers, for we are not speculators-but keep passing on to our customers all the benefits we ever get-that's one reason we do the carpet business of Omaha. Another is that our customers can depend upon our advertisements being facts and the goods satisfactory.

> These Axminsters we are offering are beautiful goods and according to fineness are priced at 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.15

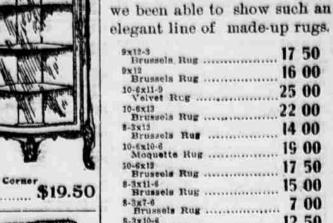
in the 90c lot and there isn't a carpet offer that is worth less than \$1.25-some as high as \$1.75.

Tapestry Brussels

The very best make of goods and an untold variety of pat-







DE 20 30 30 Draperies

Don't you want a cosy corner? We have artists skilled in just such work that can suggest, plan and execute wonderful effects and it isn't necessary that the cost should be very much.

We have the Turkish effects in printed Burlaps at 25c yard.

Fast colors of Hungarian Cloth, Turkish effects, at 35c yard.

Printed Denims at 18c yard. Real Merut Rozee (India print) Curtains at \$1.50 to \$3.00 each.

Turkish Stripe and Metal Tapestry, 50 inches wide, from 75c a yard up.

We also show a large and complete line of Oriental Brica-Brac, such as pipe rocks, statuettes and articles of Virtu. These always put the finishing touches into the Turkish corner.

Porch Furniture

Our line is complete in just what you Porch Rockers at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.25 and \$2.60—the latest, newest and best there are. Porch Settees to match.





There are plenty of patterns

Velvet Carpets at 85c

These are good heavy wearresisting carpets in durable colors, with or without bor-

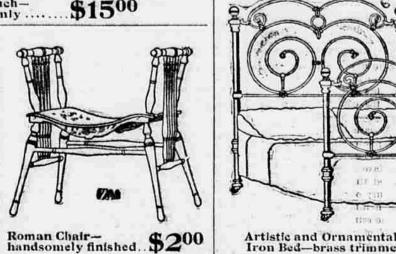
The best value we've ever given in a 1.15 These carry our very strongest endorsement for satisfactory service and late furnishing effects.

20 20 20 20 3 special values at 60c, 75c and 85c

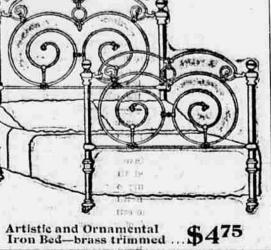
terns to select from.







The equal of this Parlor Table was never



2:70.

\$3.00



Leather Cushion



\$475 This Morris Reclining Chair ... \$1000



ORCHARD & WILHELM CARPET 1414-1416-1418 DOUGLAS STREET.

NAMES OF THE LARGEST STOCK SUBSCRIBERS

From What Sources the Huge Funds Invested in the Transmississippl Exposition Have Been Derived.

An amount approximating \$2,000,000 has been expended in preparing the exposition grounds and buildings for the opening day, not including the large aggregate amount ex- exposition is as follows: pended by individual exhibitors in the erection of private buildings and the preparation of booths. Neither does this figure include the amounts expended by the numerous concessionaires in the erection of buildings and other expenses attendant upon their

Of this total of \$2,000,000 the people of Nebraska have supplied about one-half, the state legislature appropriating \$100,000 and the remainder being raised in Douglas county. Of the latter amount, the people of Douglas county voted bonds in the sum of \$100,000 and nearly \$800,000 was raised by the people of Omaha.

The government of the United States originally appropriated \$200,000 for a building and the expense of making an exhibit of the several federal departments. Various additional appropriations, including one of \$45,-000 for an Indian congress, will swell this amount to a quarter of a million, if not

The numerous states participating in the exposition have expended an additional sum aggregating nearly three-quarters of a mil-Hon dollars, Illinois leading the van with an appropriation of \$45,000 for a building and state participation, and the other states following this noble lead with appropriations and funds raised by private subscriptions to the aggregate amount named. The larger part of this immense sum was raised by energetic efforts in the various states by private individuals, comparatively few of the state legislatures having realized the great importance of the enterprise until it was toolate to make an appropriation.

When the exposition association was organized. January 18, 1896, the amount of capital stock was fixed at \$1,000,000, in shares of \$10. At this meeting stock to the amount of \$10,650 was subscribed by the following persons, the subscriptions being made in the order named: E. Rosewater, \$500; W. J. Connell. \$500; J. H. Evans, \$500; Dan Farrell, jr., \$500; Lee-Clarke-Andreesen Hardware company, \$500; W. R. Bennett, \$500; J. E. Markel, \$500; Thompson, Belden & Co., \$500; William Krug, \$500; Oscar Pickard, \$500; Metz Bros. Brewing company, \$500; Frank Hibbard, \$500; Dudley Smith, \$500; Kelley, Stiger & Co., \$500; John A. Weaver, \$400; A. Clemmens, \$300; G. S. Ambler, \$300; Z. T. Lindsey, \$250; Lyman Richardson, \$250; C. S. Montgomery, \$200; L. H. Bradley, \$200; I. W. Carpenter, R. W. Richardson, W. H. Roberson, George N. Hicks, M. H. DeLong, Euclid Martin, J. J. Gibson, J. E. Utt, Helin & Thompson, W. C. Bullard, O. C. Holmes, C. S. Hayward and Johnson Bros., \$100 each; Fisher & Lawrie, G. W. Wattles, J. A. Wakefield, G. H. Payne, G. A. Rathbun and I. E. Burdick, \$50 each.

The articles of incorporation adopted at this meeting provided that the association might begin business when \$10,000 had been subscribed and provision was made for a board of eleven directors. These articles were subsequently amended to provide for a board of fifty directors to be elected when

subscriptions and donations on May 1, 1898, being \$546,770. The total number of stock

The Largest Contributors. The railways entering Omaha have subscribed \$130,000 toward the exposition, divided as follows:

B. & M., & Northwestern..... The complete list of other subscribers of \$1,000 and over up to the opening of the Omaha Street Railway company

Edward Rosewater
Union Stock Yards company
N. Y. Life Insurance company
Nebraska Telephone company
Frank Murphy
Byron Reed company
Chicago Lumber company
P. D. Armour
Western Union Telegraph company
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Markel & Son
George A. Hongland
Nebraska Clothing company
Union National bank
M. E. Smith & Co.
First National bank
New Omaha Thomson-Houston Electric Light company
John A. Creighton Chompson, Beld John I. Redick maha National bank udahy Packing company

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Lee-Clarke-Andreesen
H. F. Cady Lumber company
Hayden Bros
Thomas Klipatrick
A. J. Poppleton
W. J. Connell
J. H. Evans
Dan Farrell, ir J. H. Evans
Dan Farrell, jr
Kelley, Stiger & Co
G. W. Wattles
Montgomery & Hall
Williams-Hayward Shoe company
Carpenter Paper company
J. M. Woolworth
P. P. Kickendell Jagres F. Manderson Joseph Schlitz Brewing company. Commercial National bank Browning, King & Co. Paxton & Vierling Iron works. Charles Turner H. E. Palmer & Son company Merchants' National bank South Omaha Brewing company. Omaha Savings bank Richardson Drug company Rector & Wilhelmy company Paxton & Gallagh Paxton & Galiagher
Nebraska National bank
W. A. Paxton
John L. Webster
J. H. Millard
J. C. Cowin
J. B. Kitchen
U. S. National bank
American Biscuit and Manufacturing
company

G. H. Hammond company,..... Postal Telegraph and Cable company, Held for Stealing. Sol Davis, a young colored man, was ar-rested last night on the charge of wearing fine clothes at the expense of John A. Kervan, tailor at 422 South Fiftenth street. Davis is said to have applied for the job of for this purpose he found detectives

washing the tailor's windows and, being re-fused, to have smuggled away a suit pat-tern. The goods were later located at a tailor shop near Twelfth and Dodge streets where they were being made up. It was necessary that they should be fitted to he wearer once more and when Davis called He will be charged with grand waiting.

FINANCES OF THE EXPOSITION \$300,000 in stock had been subscribed. This street, was taken possession of by a stranger which they allege are exclusive. ROBBERS RUN A ROUNDULE TO MAKING WAR IN EARNEST FOUR HUNDRED FOR OERTER which they allege are exclusive. FINANCES OF THE EXPOSITION | \$300,000 in stock had been subscribed. This condition was met and the board of fifty directors elected December 1, 1896, there having been subscribed at that time \$404.720. This amount has been increased materially since that time, the total amount of stock that Big Show.

\$300,000 in stock had been subscribed. This street, was taken possession of by a stranger last night during his temporary absence. He had left the bouse alone during the evening and returned with his family about 10 o'clock. The doors were found open and upon further investigation a man was found on the bed in a front room. The man said the head agreed to meet a friend at that locations and donations on May 1, 1898. he had agreed to meet a friend at that loca tion and was waiting for him to show up. He failed to explain how he had opened the door or by what right he had taken possesthe bed. His name is Frank Baker

HOLDS ALLISON'S PARTNER

Federal Authorities Take Mrs. Daisy Hatton Into Custody on Charge of Swindling.

and he has been previously arrested for

Mrs. Daisy Hatton, implicated with Thomas Allison in the operation of an alas the Clerks' Co-operative association, was | sion were not of vital importance, nor was | the court reserving its decision. This morn-Marshal Thummel. She will be tried jointly with Allison, who is also in the keepfriends of the woman to secure her release on bond from the city fail. Her bail bond sent a request to Chief Gallagher for her immediate release. Chief Gallagher refused to allow the woman to be released. He said bond offered was a straw bond and saw in the move a plan to allow the woman to leave the city. The chief said that he had placed in the hands of the federal authorities evidence enough to send them to the penitentiary for 'ong terms. Since the publication of the alleged swindlers' arrest, the chief has received no less than fifty letters from residents of the smaller cities of Iowa and Nebraska in which he was informed of how Allison swindled the writers by mail. These letters will be used as evidence by

WOMAN IS BURNED TO DEATH Mrs. Elia Symonds Enveloped in Blazing Oil and So Hadly Cooked

as to Die. Mrs. Ella Symonds was burned to death at her home, 2044 Harney street, by the explosion of coal oil, which ignited her clothing. Her injuries did not prove immediately fatal and she lingered in terrible agony

At the time of the accident Mrs. Symonds was engaged in making starch in a kettle over a cook stove in her kitchen. To give the starch firmness she attempted to pour into it a quantity of coal oil. She had just started to pour the oil when there was a deafening crash and she was enveloped in a sheet of flame. Blinded by section of Cuba is completely isolated from the sudden shock she stood irresolute for a General Bianco, so far as railroad connecmoment and then ran screaming into the home of a neighbor, Mrs. Drews, and fell be impossible for Blauco to hurry reinforcebed clothing from a bed and enveloped the already there. These forces are under Genform of Mrs. Symonds, smothering the eral Pando, with headquarters at Horguin, woman was removed to her home and doc- Cuba. Pando has a force of about 5,000 tors summoned, but they could do little to troops with him, and is strongly entrenched.

alleviate her sufferings. Sigwart in Full Charge. exposition guards.

TO CURE COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All house of John Doty, 1410 Chicago 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

ARMY AND NAVY TO ACT IN CONJUNCTION

Blanco Powerless to Send Reinforcements to Help Santingo and

Land Attack cabinet meeting adjourned today it was leged swindling employment bureau known announced that the matters under discusreleased from the custody of the police yes- there anything of interest that could be ing Judge Slabaugh overruled the motion for business through southern gateways, and the terday and turned over to United States given to the public. The best informa- a new trial and sentenced the defendant to rates on the Union Pacific, Burlington and tion obtainable from other sources, howing of the federal authorities on the charge ever, strongly indicate that the important about \$200. Upon the imposing of the scn- they are willing to await only a few days of using the mails for the purpose of fraud. military movement now in progress will be tence the defendant started in to criticise for the Western Passenger association to have taken place. From descriptions it is An effort was made by attorneys and directed against Santiago and in co-opera- the action of the county attorney in contion with the fleet under Commodore Schley and the allied insurgent forces. Our forces was signed by Judge Gordon and he also are expected to speedily capture the city of Santiago and the fleet or destroy it. it is also intimated from high sources that the landing expedition now embarking at yesterday that he was confident that the Key West may be divided and one division against Porto Rico.

It is believed that the government now has sufficient number of regulars and seasoned volunteers to carry out both of these plans to a successful issue. Transports in sufficient numbers and capacity already have been secured and it is the opinion of high officials that one or both of these plans are now being carried into ex-

General Miles, who left here last night to demurrer was sustained, the case dismissed take command of the military forces, is known to have the entire confidence of the president, who, in the course of today's cabinet meeting, said that he had the utmost confidence in General Miles' ability as a soldier and fully expected that he would prove entirely worthylof his trust. Members of the administration are agreed that the war from this time on will be prosecuted at all points with the utmost vigor.

Now that General Miles has gone it can be stated that for the last five days he has held frequent conferences with a prominent Porto Rican, thoroughly conversant with the situation in that island and able to give exact information as to the Spanish strength, defenses, etc., there. As to Santiago province, the situation was explained today by an official well acquainted with the conditions there. He pointed out that the easternmost tions are concerned. For that reason it will unconscious. Mrs. Drews hastily tore the ments to Santiago and the Spanish forces The body of the unfortunate about 300 miles northwest of Santiago de A short railway connects him with the small seaport of Gibara on the north coast, where Captain Sigwart and twenty-five uni-formed officers and six detectives have been detailed by Chief Gallagher to guard the exposition grounds. The detail will move at points surrounding Holguin. Besides Holthere are about 1,000 Spanish troops. But into temporary quarters that will be provided for it today on the grounds. Captain garrisons of from 1,000 to 3,000 men at Ma-Sigwart will use his own judgment in the distribution of his men. Their duties will yan, Tanamo and Baracoa, on the north not in any way conflict with those of the coast, and at Guantanamo, Santiago and coast, and at Guantanamo, Santiago and life in Egypt. Manzanillo on the south coast. These ports are said to be the only ones held by the

overrun throughout the interior by the in-

Judge Slabaugh Passes Sentence of the Man Convicted of Keeping Gambling Appliances.

Monday was a holiday with the judges of the district court, and Tuesday might just as well have been, so far as the business transacted was concerned. The jury had been excused until Thursday, and consequently there was nothing for the law judges to do. In the criminal section of the district

court, Judge Slabaugh was on hand long enough to dispose of the case against Henry Oerter, tried and convicted on the charge of setting up and keeping gambling devices. The Southern Pacific commenced the whit-WASHINGTON, May 31.-When the The trial was had some days ago and a tling of the eastbound rates, and it is feared verdict of guilty returned. Later on the by other lines that the pastime may become attorney for the defendant moved for a new popular among all the lines that compete pay a fine of \$400 and costs and stand com- Rock Island through here are not disturbed. mitted until paid. The costs aggregate But reports from these lines indicate that made public by the police, alducting the prosecution, but before he had restored in a very few days the lines through gone very far, upon the advice of his at- bere are going to see that some wonderfully torney, he subsided and gave notice that he would apply to the supreme court for a stay of judgment pending an appeal.

sent to co-operate with Admiral Sampson in his custody, after which he was allowed to go out upon the street and to the office of his attorney, acompanied by a deputy. Another of the South Omaha gambling cases has been disposed of in county court, this time the defendant going free. The case was that of the State against Oscar Hill, charged with setting up and keeping gambling fixtures. Upon the convening of court, the attorneys for the defense demurred to the information on the grounds grounds. that there was a mistake in dates. The

After imposing the sentence, Judge Sla-

Restrain the Residents. The Transmississippi and International

Exposition has gone into the courts and has secured a temporary order to prevent the Macks, Henry, Martha and Nellie from tearing down the fence around the exposition

When the exposition people located the grounds, the city passed an ordinance, closing that portion of Twentieth, extending from Pickney street to Manderson. defendants reside and own property along Twentieth street, between the main court has been erected in front of their premises. To this they object and a number of times they have torn it down. The last time was Sunday night. The exposition people have tired of rebuilding this fence have gone into court to secure a preventive The case will be heard on its merits before Judge Fawcett on June 15, and in the mean time the temporary order will be in force

The legal fight between the proprietors of the Streets of Cairo and the Streets of All Nations is still on before Judge Scott, with strong possibility that it will not be concluded prior to the opening of the exposi-As yet the respective sides have not reached the point of introducing testimony, although contracts, pictures and books descriptive of Egypt, have been exhibited to

The first contract entered into by the exposition with the litigants was with the engineer saw Hunt's predicament, but was Streets of Caire people, and now they are unable to stop his engine. Spanish, for Santingo is the one province in court contending that the subsequent contract with the Streets of All Nations is an taking establishment.

CUTTING EASTBOUND RATES Southern Pacific Opens What Promesting Campaign.

passenger rates now on. Perhaps it may be only another campaign of the same old rate war that has been enjoyed by travelers and deprecated by railroad magnates for the last half year. This time the rate cutting process is directed against eastbound, in stead of westbound, transcontinental rates.

This motion was argued last week, for eastbound transcontinental travel, So far the cuts affect only second-class bring order out of chaos. If rates are not evident that the same party of fien comlow eastbound rates are made effective through Ogden and Omaha.

The cuts that the Southern Pacific has announced through its southern gateways baugh called the sheriff and placed Oerter follow: To Chicago, from \$52.50 to \$32.50; to St. Louis, from \$47.50 to \$37; to New York, from \$66.50 to \$42.50.

> Missouri Pacific Specials. The Missouri Pacific railway has arranged will stop at the depot on the exposition

The first train, Auburn branch, will leave Webster street depot at 9:50 p. m.; exposidepot at 10:05 p. m.; exposition depot at entrance of the thieves and frightened them :20 p. m. Falls City special will leave away. Webster street depot at 10:30 p. m.; exposition depot at 10:45 p. m. Regular train No. 2 leaves on time at 3:30

p. m.; exposition grounds at 9:45 p. m.

Sale of Union Pacific Securities. States circuit court for the district of Nebraska has issued a decree empowering Wil- was that of a friend. He said he had The liam D. Cornish to sell at auction certain called, and finding him not at home thought stocks and bonds belonging to the Union he would lie down and wait for his return. Pacific company and to turn the proceeds and the north Midway. A high board fence of the sale over to that road. The first gave the name of William Baker. bonds to be sold are those of the Colorado of the Omaha & Republican Valley are to be offered for sale, and lastly the stock and bonds of the Denver, Leadville & Gunnison. butcher shop at Thirteenth and Douglas

SWITCHMAN HUNT CRUSHED found in his pockets.

Foreman of the Burlington Engine Crew Caught in a Switch Rail and Killed.

John Hunt, engine foreman for the Burlington railway, was crushed to death beneath the wheels of a switch engine near Howard street at 2:30 yesterday afternoon. Death was almost instantaneo

Hunt was ahead of the train signalling. the court for inspection. The trouble grows He had signalled the engineer cut of the fact that both concessionatres at move toward him and as the exposition have contracts that allow started he attempted to step them to exhibit camels and dances typical of of its way, but in doing foot caught in a switch rail, and he was held despite his efforts to free himself.

The body was removed to Maul's under-

Thieves of All Descriptions Carry On as They

BURGLARIES THE FEATURE OF THE NIGHT

Several Assaults on Homes Reported as the Result of an Apparently Organized Gang's Efforts-One Man Captured.

Monday night was a busy one for the criminal element of the city and they plied their vocations without police molestation. Little plunder rewarded their efforts, but this fact was due to the watchfulness of citizens. Burglaries and attempted burglaries were

the only crimes made public or partly

though several holdups are known to mitted the majority of the crimes. The first attempted house breaking was reported from 518 North Sixteenth street, owned by H. Gross of 512 South Tenth street. Here the marauders unlocked the rear door of the building by turning the

key from the outside by means of a pair

of nippers. They then entered the house,

but were frightened away before securing

anything of value. The next robbery was more successful. It took place in the Board of Trade buildfor a number of special trains to Omaha ing. Here the cigar cases owned by Mrs. and return from all points on its line for Jeffries of Eighteenth and Farnam streets the opening of the exposition. These trains were broken open and over 400 cigars taken. Esau Fleshman's place in the rear of 1022 Douglas street, was next visited. The grating leading to the cellar was removed and entrance to the house above effected by tion depot at 10:05 p. m. Second train, Au. this means. The occupants of the house burn branch, will leave Webster street were awakened by the noise made by the

At 10 o'clock when F. F. Doty of 1419 Chicago street, returned home from a short absence he found the front door had been forced open, and on investigation The man was fully dressed, and on being Judge Walter H. Sanbern of the United awakened said in explanation for the fact of his being there that he thought the house He pretended to be intoxicated. The fellow

Mr. Doty held the man submissive with Central, then the bonds, coupons and stocks a revolver until an officer was summoned. Baker is a well known thief. Two years ago he served a sentence for robbing a streets. A bunch of skeleton keys was

Mortality Statistics.

The following births and deaths were reported at the health office during the wenty-four hours ending at noon yesterday: Births-J. E. Lingley, 1510 Corby street, girl; Peter Chadin, 1518 Williams, girl; Louis Merchant, 3339 Meredith, boy: Joseph Calebra, 1222 South Twentieth, girl; John Shelby, 1708 California, girl; Clyde Ralekin, 2627

Deaths-No deaths reported.

Locked up at the central station is a young man who kives the name of Morris. He was arrested on the street as a suspicious that he wore the regulation jeans clothing furnished convicts on their leaving peni-tentiaries. He was asked if he had been recently released from prison and he said be had. He, however, refuses to say what prison or for what offense he was sentenced