

The Sewing of Carpets Still Continues Without Abatement

The war that has been inaugurated on high prices by us—on good sound perfect carpets—means for you—wonderful value for the money expended—such prices can have but one result for those that can take advantage of them—that is a splendid saving—not an imperfect carpet in the house—but all new—in the newest and most desirable patterns and colorings.

Moquette Carpets

Monday we will add ten entirely new patterns of the very best quality of Moquette carpets to the large line we have been showing for 2 weeks. You can't match the carpet anywhere at the price—Compare them with the \$1.35 kind

90c

Ingrain Carpets

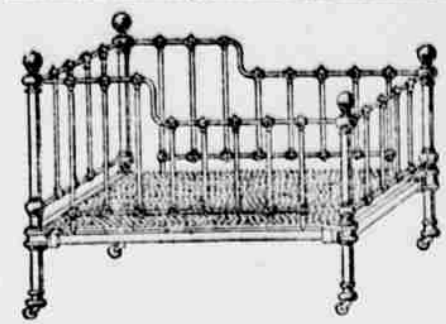
The Heavy Union, this week..... 25c and 35c
New heavy 2-ply all wool goods..... 55c and 65c
A great variety of Ingrain Carpets, all guaranteed to be the best used, this week..... 55c to 90c

Rugs

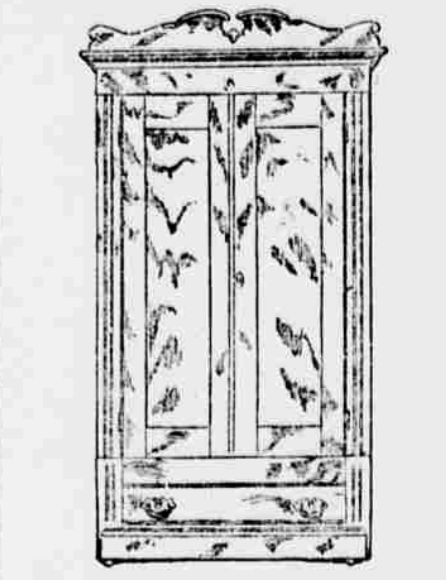
Here is a genuine rug sale
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This elegant hand polished illuminated leather seat rocker—in golden oak—usually sold for \$6.75—our price this week will be only 4.50



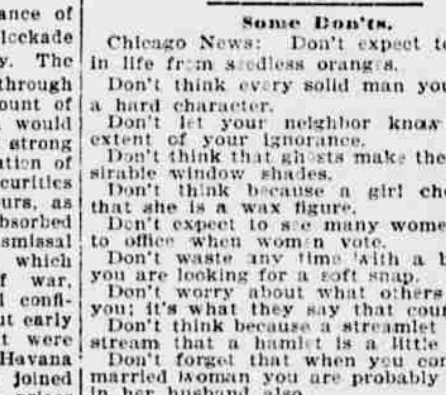
A child's bed—white enamel brass trimmed—a good solid and substantial bed—with springs complete only 7.00



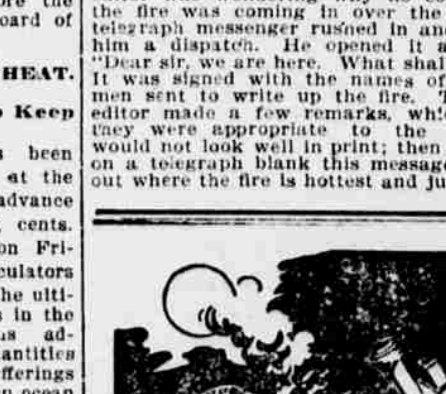
This solid oak—wardrobe—6 feet 10 inches high by 3 feet 4 inches wide—an excellent value—9.35



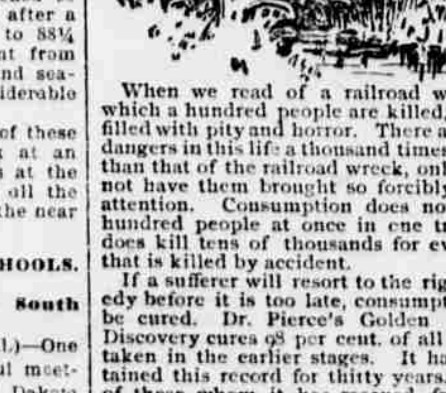
Here is a beautiful "Whitney" Baby Carriage—artistically upholstered with silk parasol—lace trimmed 10.00



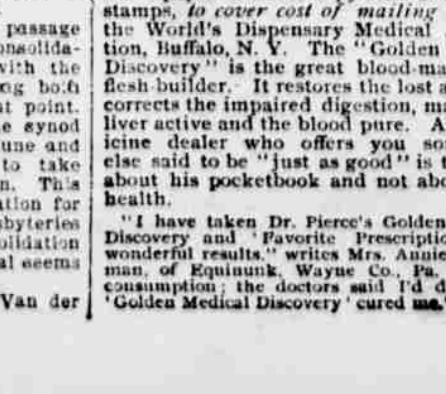
This table—a wonderful value—24 inch top—beautiful golden oak—finely polished—3.00



This Rococo frame—ball footed couch covered in velvet—choice of ten patterns in oak or mahogany finish—steel springs—warranted not to break—buscuit tufted—this week..... 15.00



This modern dining table—with oval grooved rim—finest selected quarter sawed oak top with 6 foot extension..... 8.50



This cut does not adequately describe the table—it is very heavy—and has the appearance of being a very much higher priced table—

Send for New Furniture Catalogue.

Tapestries

An entirely new lot of Bagdad stripe—oriental and Turkish Tapestries—patterns never before shown—so suitable for curtains and coverings—all on one table by the yard—at—

50c--75c--85c--\$1.00

Baby Carriages

This line of baby carriages of which we are the Omaha agents cannot be equalled for artistic effect and durability—no such number of different styles was ever shown before.

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Shades and Poles

We now have plenty of those cloth opaque window shades—complete ready to hang—you won't be disappointed now..... 20c
5-foot curtain poles—either oak, cherry or maple—complete with brass ends and brackets, now..... 13c



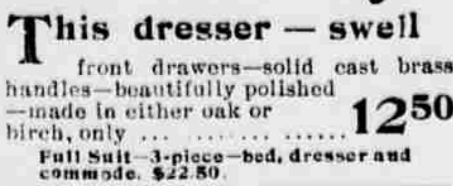
The Keynote of the Week's Sales

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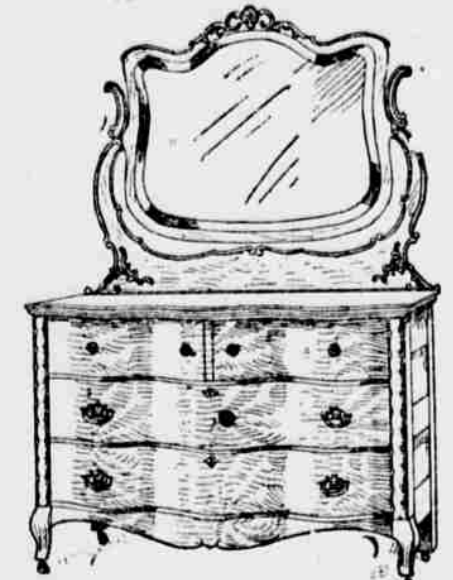
Orchard & Wilhelm Carpet Co., 1414-16-18 Douglas.



This dresser—swell front drawers—solid cast brass handles—beautifully polished—made in either oak or birch, only 12.50



This Roman stool—finely polished in either oak or mahogany finish—only 2.00



This dresser with double doors—Serpentine front—very large French plate mirror, fine selection—complete suit—three pieces..... \$30 \$53

CUT RATES MOVE NO FREIGHT

Anticipated Rush to the South Has Not Materialized.

COMPETITORS ON MISSOURI PACIFIC SLASH

Omaha Lines Slow to Meet the Reduction and Convinced There Will Be Little Business Done by It.

The freight agents of Omaha lines are waiting patiently to learn some solution to the vexatious problem of packing house rates. Since the cut of the Missouri Pacific from fresh meat and packing house products from Omaha and lower Missouri river points was announced there has been more or less anxiety to know what the other lines would do, but up to date they have not announced their purpose. There have been several meetings of the freight traffic officials in St. Louis and efforts made to reach a solution, but so far as is known here nothing has been accomplished. It is believed here that some of the Missouri Pacific's competitors will soon put in the reduced rates announced by that line. The cut has so far not had the effect of moving any great quantity of meat. It was thought at first that the reduced rates might be the means of hastening large shipments of meat to the army at Mobile and Chickamauga. But a prominent freight official said to the Bee today: "The cut rates have not moved much freight. They will have no effect on the shipment of packing house products to the army, since it is hardly probable that any of the freight of this character will be ordered from the Omaha or Kansas City packing houses. With St. Louis and Chicago nearer at hand it will be hard for the packing houses on the upper Missouri to bid low enough to secure the government contract for furnishing supplies of this character."

TICKET SCALPERS STILL WAVE.

Brokers Go Steadily Ahead About Their Business.

Although the city ordinance regulating the business of ticket brokers is supposed to be in effect now the business of the scalpers has not been interrupted nor interfered with, nor is the business conducted differently now from what it always has been. So far as is known, none of the provisions of the new ordinance are being observed. Asked if the new ordinance, which became effective on its passage by the council and mayor, made any difference in his business, a leading ticket broker said to the Bee: "Not yet. We are all ready for the test case to come up, and I shouldn't be much surprised if there would be none. As all of the railroads here are transacting business with some of the ticket brokers of this city the former are not very anxious to have the brokers arrested. But if the test comes the brokers will stand together, and will use every honorable means to defeat the ordinance in the courts."

CHICAGO SUBURBAN RAILWAY ABANDONS USE OF LOCOMOTIVES.

CHICAGO, April 23.—The South Side Elevated railroad, a steam line operating sixteen miles of track, which adopted the Sprague multiple unit electric system some months ago, has made a test of its new apparatus by operating seven car trains at the southern terminus. Later it started successfully regular operation of a number of trains, running mixed in with its own steam trains, and with other electric trains on the down town loop.

The system differs from others in operation in that the locomotive idea is abandoned; each car is equipped with motors, and what is called the multiple unit control, and the cars are combined in trains of any required length and run from either selected end of any car.

The whole change will be completed in a few weeks, and only the multiple unit system will then be in use. It is the intention of the road to run at more nearly equal and short intervals, and to vary the train length from one to five cars, according to traffic demands. By the new system the road expects to save not less than \$150,000 a year in operating expenses. Independent of any increase in passenger traffic by reason of the improved service.

The same system has been adopted for the initial equipment of the Brooklyn Elevated railroad. It is thought by its advocates to mark the abandonment of the locomotive for elevated and suburban service.

ALTON WILL MAKE LOW RATES.

Desires to Equalize the Traffic to the West. CHICAGO, April 23.—The roads between Chicago and Kansas City which have no line into Omaha are troubled over the Transmississippi Exposition business to the latter city. They will not only get practically none of the business, but to make matters worse for them, an endless number of excursions will be run to Omaha in order that those at out of this excursion business entirely.

Urges Action on a Naval Measure.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The secretary of the navy has sent to the house committee on naval affairs an urgent request for immediate action on a joint resolution creating a United States auxiliary navy for seacoast defense.

Railway Notes and Personals.

President Horace G. Burt and Chief Engineer John G. Berry of the Union Pacific have returned from Chicago.

LOANS MONEY TO A STRANGER.

Oliver Dehl of California Helps Out a Chance Acquaintance.

Oliver Dehl of San Jose, Cal., passed through Omaha on his way to Europe, where he expects to visit relatives and friends. As the afternoon Burlington train pulled out of Lincoln a very affable gentleman who said he knew all Dehl's relatives in the old country sat down in the seat with Dehl and expressed great pleasure at meeting him. They struck up a friendship in a very short time and before the train arrived in Omaha the affable newcomer explained to Dehl that he had not had time to cash a check which he had for \$700, and did not know how he would secure \$15 and purchase a ticket to Chicago without being delayed. Dehl hesitated to loan him the money, so the upright stranger offered to leave his watch with Dehl, in addition to the check, as security for the loan, which was made. The train arrived in Omaha about 4:30 and Dehl became suspicious of his new made friend in a little while, and explained to the depot authorities what had transpired. When told that he had been uncooled he denied it, and said he was a gentleman and would be back in a short time. The friend did not reappear, however, and Dehl finally admitted that he was a cheat, although when he left town he was still cherishing the hope that there was some value in the watch, which was a gorgeous brass affair. Dehl did not want to stop over to hunt up his friend, and was not able to describe him very well. He said the man was about five feet nine inches in height, 35 years old, weighed probably 160 pounds, and had a stoop shouldered. He could not remember what complexion the man was nor what sort of eyes he had.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING.

Routine Matters Occupy the Board for a Short Time. Only routine matters were before the Board of County Commissioners for consideration at the regular meeting held yesterday morning. After this was disposed of an adjournment until next Friday morning at 10 o'clock was ordered.

Members of the Omaha Real Estate Exchange Requested.

Members of the Omaha Real Estate Exchange requested that the county commissioners take steps to have shade trees planted along the paved roadways of the county. The matter was referred to the board.

Anna Novak's Suit.

Anna Novak, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Novak, deceased, has sued the Cudahy packing company in an action to recover the sum of \$1,000 damages.

A Little Boy Suffered for a Bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name for "DeWitt's Little Early Risers," and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach trouble.

BEAUTIFUL HOME FOR ART

Mr. Lininger Extensively Improves His Already Handsome Gallery.

PRIVATE ENTERPRISE FOR PUBLIC PLEASURE

Elaborate Arrangements for Entertaining Exposition Visitors Are Planned—Changes in Gallery and Conservatory. The handsome art gallery of George W. Lininger at Eighteenth and Davenport streets is being elaborately fitted up and extensively improved for exposition visitors. The workers who have been busily employed there for the last six weeks in painting and decorating, renovating and repairing have nearly finished their respective tasks. When this work is complete one will scarcely recognize the gallery, so changed will be its appearance, but all the familiar pictures, and some new ones, will be seen there.

The object of the extensive improvements made by Mr. Lininger is to offer an unexcelled attraction for visitors to the city during the exposition. Those who recall the many elegant entertainments given by him to the visiting delegates of conventions previously held here will note with pleasure that Mr. Lininger is already arranging for a series of entertainments, and that the gallery will be open every evening and a competent attendant will be in charge to look after the visitors. From now until June 1 the gallery will be open on Sundays and Thursdays, all day.

The great improvement noticeable in the art gallery proper is in the matter of superior lighting. In the ceiling new ground glass has been put in and through it the light comes in softened to obtain the most perfect light possible. The ceiling now occupied by the gallery was a heavy and dark painted light French gray and party colors are used in the panels. Large sized incandescent lights have been put in the ceiling. All the pictures in the gallery and their frames have been carefully gone over during the last fortnight by a painter and where retouching has been found necessary it has been done.

A greater change is to be made in the conservatory. All the plants will be moved out into the yard, and the conservatory turned into an additional art gallery. It will contain the main gallery, and on the east end an extra doorway will be cut in order to allow egress and ingress to and from the main gallery. The conservatory already has a ground glass roof, and other lighting features will be introduced. The walls will be appropriately painted, and will then be hung with pictures that Mr. Lininger has had for some time stored away. In the large parlors the walls and ceilings have been newly frescoed. In the library the old floor has been covered with a new hard wood floor with conventional designs. The walls and ceilings of the library have also been made to conform with the hard wood scheme of the room. Hand some mahogany cases have been built in the walls of the library to accommodate the large collection of books. The conservatory painters and decorators have also done considerable work, but the unique feature with its 400 odd plates remains as before, and is a marked feature of the room. Throughout the broad hallways the walls have been painted and hung with fine pictures, and the floors laid with hard wood.

People Pay Their Taxes.

Taxes at the office of the county treasurer are being paid at a rapid rate. Property

WILKINSON'S FIGHT FOR LIBERTY.

Objects to Being Sent Back to Iowa Hospital for Insane.

J. W. Wilkinson, the fugitive inmate of the Iowa Hospital for the Insane at Mount Pleasant, was taken into custody about noon today and incarcerated in the city jail pending a disposition of his case. He was located in a room at the corner of Sixteenth street and Capitol avenue, where he has been stopping since his arrival in Omaha. The arrest was made on the warrant sent to Chief Gallagher from the sheriff of Polk county, Iowa, and unless something occurs to the contrary, the prisoner will be held for the Iowa authorities. He claims to be perfectly rational, attributing his trouble to the loss of his wife and other relatives for the control of valuable inventions. On complaint of his wife he was sent to the insane asylum from Des Moines about a year ago. He came to Omaha because a sister, who is interested in his case, Mrs. G. E. Young, resides here. She was notified of his arrest and took immediate steps to prevent his return to the Iowa asylum if possible. Application was made to Dr. Tilden, secretary of the county insane board, for an investigation into the case, which was granted. Upon the result of his hearing will depend Wilkinson's future. If the officials here declare that the man is not insane habeas corpus proceedings will be instituted in the district court to obtain his liberty; if he is declared to be of unsound mind he will be returned to the Iowa institution, whence he escaped.

WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REVIEW.

Prices Show Unexpected Firmness Under War Situation. NEW YORK, April 23.—The week's markets have endured the strain of the adoption by congress of the resolutions for intervention in Cuba, the consequent severance of diplomatic relations and the actual blockade of Havana by the United States navy. The prices showed strong resistance power through the early part of the week, on account of the holding of Wall street that Spain would yield at the eleventh hour under the strong pressure by the pope. Large liquidation of the foreign holdings of American securities induced by the panic in Spanish funds, as much as anything else, were well absorbed on the local exchange. Even the dismissal of our minister, General Woodford, which was actually a declaration of war, seemed to leave local operators still confident that a war would be averted. But early rumors on Thursday of orders that were actually issued for the evacuation of our diplomatic personnel, and the bears joined vigorously in the selling, breaking prices from one to four points. Next morning buying orders on the market for London advanced the bears to cover, and there were sharp rallies. Prices are one to three points higher on the week. There are many of the most prominent stocks which have not reached the low point, touched after the destruction of the Maine, and before the presentation of the report of the board of inquiry.

HIGHER OCEAN FREIGHT TENDS TO KEEP THE PRICE DOWN.

CHICAGO, April 23.—Wheat has been nervous during the last week, but at the close Friday July option showed an advance of 3/4 cents, while May gained 5/8 cents. War prospects, which culminated on Friday, largely controlled values. Speculators held widely diverging opinions as to the ultimate effect of war upon grain values in the United States. Liverpool quotations advanced steadily, and enormous quantities were sold for direct export, cable offerings being accepted with avidity. But when ocean freight rates took a sudden jump on Friday, the bears flooded the pit with offerings. Their theory is that with advancing ocean rates and higher prices at Liverpool prices on this side must seek a work level at the present time, or at least until the question of privateering has been settled. July, which sold a week ago at 84 1/2 cents, touched 90 cents at the opening on Friday; but after a short period of steadiness dropped to 88 1/2 cents and closed one-eighth of a cent from the bottom. Favorable crop news and seasonable weather generally had considerable influence on distant options.

CONSOLIDATE THE TWO SCHOOLS.

Important Action Taken by South Dakota Presbytery. HERON, S. D., April 23.—(Special).—One of the most interesting and successful meetings of the Presbytery of Central Dakota closed here Thursday evening, having been in session since Tuesday evening. From the opening session the attendance was large and the proceedings interesting. Many a bold bearing upon the work of an special interest to the Presbyterian denomination were discussed, and the clergy, laymen and all those attending the sessions were gratified. An important proceeding was the passage of a resolution recommending the consolidation of the academy at Sisseton with the university at Pierre, and transferring both institutions to some more convenient point. To this end a special session of the synod was called for some date early in June and endeavoring that body will power to take action as suggested by the resolution. This proposition has been under consideration for many months and now that all presbyteries concerned are favorable to the consolidation of the institutions named their removal seems almost assured.

DISCOVERY OF A FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION.

Discovery and "Favorite Prescription" with wonderful results. writes Mrs. Annie M. Norman, of Epworth, Mo. "I was suffering from consumption; the doctors said I'd die. The 'Golden Medical Discovery' cured me."

Some Don'ts.

Chicago News.—Don't expect to succeed in life from seedless oranges. Don't think every solid man you meet is a hard character. Don't let your neighbor know the full extent of your ignorance. Don't think because a girl chews gum that she is a wax figure. Don't worry about what others think of you; it's what they say that counts. Don't be looking for a soft soap. Don't worry about what others think of you; it's what they say that counts. Don't think because a streamlet is a little stream that a hamlet is a little town. Don't forget we are in a world of a married woman you are probably confiding in her husband also.

Advice to a Reporter.

The story is told of two green reporters, Englishmen, who were sent by the city editor of a certain newspaper to a suburban town to write up the burning of an orphan asylum. Late that night, when the news editor was wondering why no copy about the fire was coming over the wire, a telegraph messenger rushed in and handed him a dispatch. He opened it and read: "Don't forget we are in a world of a married woman you are probably confiding in her husband also."

When we read of a railroad wreck in which a hundred people are killed, we are filled with pity and horror. There are other dangers in this life a thousand times greater than that of the railroad wreck, only we do not have them brought so forcibly to our attention. Consumption does not kill a hundred people at once in one train. It does kill tens of thousands for every one that is killed by accident.

If a sufferer will resort to the right remedy before it is too late, consumption can be cured. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures 90 per cent. of all cases if taken in the earlier stages. It has maintained its record for thirty years. Many of those whom it has rescued from the verge of the grave have permitted their names, addresses, experiences and photographs to be printed in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. This useful book is free, and any sufferer who wishes to investigate may procure it and write to the World's Dispensary Medical Preparation, Buffalo, N. Y. The "Golden Medical Discovery" is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It restores the lost appetite, corrects the impaired digestion, makes the liver active and the blood pure. Any medicine dealer who offers you something else said to be "just as good" is thinking about his pocketbook and not about your health.

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