Board of Managers of the Exposition Work Facing an Outbreak.

WANT THEIR CERTIFICATES

Youngsters Who Subscribed to the Girls' and Boys' Building Fund Propose to Have Their Stock Innued.

A mimic revolution is impending among the school children of this immediate vicinity over what they regard as the unreasonable delay in the issuance of the certificates promised to all who subscribed \$1 or more to the fund for the erection of the Girls' and Boys' building.

Early in November last strenuous efforts were made to arouse the interest of the children of this entire section in the idea of contributing their mites to the fund for the construction of this building and patronesses were appointed for the various schools and everything the women could think of was done to induce the children to contribute. Among other things it was promised that each child subscribing for twenty shares at 5 cents each should receive a handsome certificate of stock.

The dollars rolled in from all directions and each juvenile subscriber at once proceeded to wait for that handsome certificate of stock. Six months and a half of waiting with no signs of realizing on the numerous promises proved too much even for juvenile patience and the youngsters have almost lost faith in the oft re peated promise that the certificates "will be ready in a few days."

Numerous inquiries at the office of Secretary Ford of the Woman's Board of Managers has elicited the information that the certificates are in process of being executed. They were printed several months ago and It is possible that the grotesqueness of some of the figures of the alleged cupids in the design may account for the hesitation in issuing them. Some of these figures have had their legs detached by accident or design and these nether extremities are hanging about in the vicinity of their rightful location in the funniest way imaginable. These certificates require the signature of

President Sawyer, Vice President Kimball and the seal of the board in addition to the name of the subscriber and the number of shares of stock purchased. The clerical work involved in making them out is tremendous and no proper provision has been made for doing this work except to employ an Omaha teacher to fill in the names of the subscriber. The office force of the secretary of the woman's board consists of two girls, and the ordinary work of the office is more than enough to keep them busy all the time. The result is that the certificates are taken up at odd moments and the presindications are that these certificates will reach the subscribers in time to form cumulative evidence in the stories told to their grandchildren about the great exposi tion "when grandpa was a boy.

The teachers in the public schools who received the contributions are having some difficulty in convincing the pupils from whom they collected numerous dollars that the certificates will be forthcoming in the dim and misty future

EAST END OF THE LAGOON. Florist is Making the Place a Picture

The colonnades and pavillions forming the evodre at the east end of the main court are practically completed, a few finishing touches only remaining to be completed and the florists have taken possession of the wide flower beds inside the sweeping curves of the colonnades. Shrubbery, rose bushes and foliage plants are being planted here along the tops of the colonnades are being prepared for the vines which will twine gracefully about the white columns and form a leafy canopy over the trellis work, forming a roof for these colonnades. The crescent shaped bed, midway of the grassy slope at the east end of the lagoon is being filled with flowering plants and handsome foliage plants are being placed at the inner side of the wall which encloses this same slope. The combination of all of these beds of flowers, the white colonnades with the trailing green vines and the towering pavillions rising in stately grandeur above the rippling water of the lagoon will form a picture of charming beauty and make this portion of the main court one of the most entrancing spots among the many beautiful places on the grounds. The unsightly scaffolding about the colonnades has been removed and the pleasing contrast of the white and green,

- With the exception of the narrow strip of ground within the proper limits of Twentieth street boulevard where it passes through the main court, the latter portion of the grounds now presents a finished appearance and is about ready for the inspection of visitors. All of the main buildings in this section of the grounds have been completed, the Girls' and Boys' building being the only exposition building still in course of construction, and the walks have been completed at Twentieth street. The delay in this spot is due entirely to the contractor for the iron bridges which are to be thrown across the lagoon at this point. These bridges are now well under way and the moment the trusses are placed in position the work of filling the approaches and laying the walks will be pushed to completion. The big trusses for the bridge from the north side of the lagoon to the island are all in place and the grading and paving is under way on this side, but the south bridge is far from completion and nothing can be done by the graders and pavers until the trusses are removed from their present position near the Arch of States.

mingled with the neutral tint of the paving

rests the eye and exerts a soothing in

CONFERENCE ON CHILD STUDY. Program Prepared for Another Sec-

tion of Educational Convention. The program has been completed for the conference on child study in connection with the Transmississippi Educational convention. It has been arranged by Dr. G. Stanley Hall, president of Clark university of Worcester, Mass., and Mrs. Grace B. Sudborough of the Omsha High school. The two days' session will be occupied by the

following: "The Ear Versus the Eye in Elementary Training." Prof. George T. W. Patrick, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Ia.; "Rela-tion of Child Study to the Art of Teaching." tion of Child Study to the Art of Teaching,"
Prof. Louis H. Galbraith, University of Buffalo, Buffalo, N. Y.; "Laughing and Crying," Prof. G. W. A. Luckey, University of
Nebraska, Lincoln; "The Child and Extra
Organic Evolutions," Prof. Arthur Allin,
University of Colorado, Boulder, Colo.;
"Showing Off," Dr. Colin A. Scott, Chicago
Normal School, Chicago; "The Child and
Parent from the Standpoint of Child Study,"
Prof. Ocear Chrisman, State Normal school. Parent from the Standpoint of Canad Study, Prof. Oscar Chrisman, State Normal school Emporia, Kan.; "Pedagogic Value of Ado-leacent Interests," Prof. E. G. Lancaster, Colorado college, Colorado Springs.

Sea Water for the Aquarium. The sea water for the tanks in the squarium of the Fish commission exhibit in Government building where the ocean fish are to be displayed has arrived. The water came in a tank car such as is used for transporting oil, the tank containing for transporting oil, the tank containing 15,000 gallons. This water was pumped into the reservoir beneath the floor of the Government building and the tanks for the pean fish will be filled with it. The ocean length, containing \$1,000 worth of lumber.

MORE WOE FOR THE WOMEN of the month.

The fresh water fish will commence arriv ing the latter part of the present week. As has been stated heretofore, these fish will come from many different sources and the car of the Fish commission will be obliged to make a number of trips before all the different varieties are placed in the tanks which are to form their homes for the next five months. The ocean fish will be brought in last of all.

## EXPOSITION MAIL CARRIERS B. Krebs, 483 Railroad avenue; James Novacek, Twentieth and N; Charles Mies, 264

Postmaster Martin Names Five for Service at the Transmississippi Grounds This Summer.

The five letter carriers for the exposition postoffice were appointed from the list of substitutes by Postmaster Martin yesterday. Those chosen are E. B. Alexander, H. W. Lehman, John T. Lally, John A. Metcalf and Lawritz Jorgensen. The men will assume their duties June 1. The salary will Twenty-third and Jefferson; W. Pivonka probably be \$900, and the duties, in view 534 North Twenty-fourth; Henry Mies, 2630 of past postal experiences at expositions, will demand not only considerable work but judgment and care.

Carl J. Berguitz was made a clerk in the postoffice at a salary of \$600 per annum.

UNPACKING PRICELESS PICTURES.

Director Griffith and His Assistants Making Ready Wonderful Display. The exhibit of paintings to be made in the Fine Arts building promises to be one of 2616 N; Welsh & Martin, 2411 N; J. R. Harthe best ever shown to the public. For two vey, 2501 N; L. Lundon, 2401 Q; Berlin & days Director A. H. Griffith and a corps Healy, 2403 N; M. Woolstein & Co., 2610 N; of assistants have been busily engaged in Franz Lindner, Thirty-second and Q; O. B. unpacking and taking an invoice of pictures Hill, 412 North Twenty-fourth; Jake Klein, already received. This work will continue 2602 N; Peter J. Boysen, 2505 N; John Buck, for several days, as the exhibits are arriving daily. Mr. Griffith has been delayed 422 North Twenty-fourth; Patrick Brosniconsiderably by the building not being fin- han, 2402 Q; Ed Winkler, 331 Railroad aveished, but his work can now be pushed rapidly forward.

Among the pictures already unpacked and ready to be hung are a number by quite prominent artists. Probably one that will attract more attention from the visitors than any other will be "A Bachelor's Drawer," by John Haberle, from New Haven, Conn. Just at a glance this painting would not likely attract more than a passing notice, as it very closely resembles the collection of articles that seem to be merely pasted on a background, and consist of paper money, lid of a cigar box on which the revenue stamp is scratched, a half-smoked cigarette, cigarette paper and pictures, stamps that have been torn from letters, theater seat checks, a valentine, matches, playing cards, penknife, pipe, shoestring, eye glasses and the key to the drawer. In fact it contains everything that might be found in a bachelor's knick-knack drawer. These articles are reproduced perfectly and one needs to study the drawing to get its worth. Mr laberle was arrested and three of his paint ings at the World's fair confiscated by the government authorities on account of the reproduction of the money, which was designated a forgery. There are also contained in the picture several newspaper clippings which leads one to believe that it is a for gery. This is really one of the masterpieces that will be on exhibition.

The Century Magazine company of New fork sent its series of black and white drawings, which have been reproduced in the magazines at different times. Siesta," by Frank Duveneck, from Cincinthe money reached the proper place and that | nati, will come in for its share of praise from sight-seers. "The St. Louis Museum, by Julien Dupre, is a grand production Vandyke's "Four Ages," loaned by the Detroit Art Museum, is a magnificent sketch. and, in fact, ranks first among those to be on exhibition. "In the Field" and "Her First Day at School" are also well known paintings that are on exhibition. "An Evening in the Cafe," by Braugwyn, is another painting familiar to the devotees of art, and one that many are interested in seeing. The hand of David Col will be seen in the presentation of his masterpiece, "The Wrangle," depicting a quarrel at a gambling

On the Government Building.

New work is being taken up almost daily in the Government building. Great progress is being made and another week will see it almost completed. The department of patents has commenced placing exhibits. These exhibits consist of such patents as typewriters, sewing machines, printing presses, telegraphic apparatus and shows the progress made in the last forty to fifty years. Pictures of all the presidents occupy positions on the walls to the west side of the central part of the building. That of President McKinley is much larger than the others, and occupies a position above all, while the Stars and Stripes are unfurled over it. Under these pictures is contained a facsimile of the Declaration of Independence and a photographic reproduction of the same now deposited in the Department of State at Washington.

Photographic Views. F. A. Rinehart, the official photographer of the exposition, has made arrangements for making a series of photographic views of the exposition grounds which will eclipse anything of that character ever before undertaken in connection with any exposition, either in this country or in Europe. books of views which will be issued will contain photographs in colors, marking an dvance in the science of photography which has only recently been attained. In this connection Mr. Rinehart has arranged with W. H. Jackson, formerly of Denver, to take the pictures with a special process. As soon as the grounds are entirely completed the taking of these pictures will be commence including the main buildings and views of different points about the grounds.

Ethnological Exhibit. Arrangements have been completed for an exhibit in the Liberal Arts building which will probably form a very strong attraction for numerous students of ethnology. This collection is known as the Passadena loan collection and consists of curios collected among the tribes of Indians in the southwest corner of the United States and in Mexico. The collection is an enormous one and is valued at an enormous sum. It will occupy a space of 150 feet, with numerous

pended. Ohtonus Lack a Quorum. The meeting of the Ohio club called for last night at the exposition headquarters did not have a quorum. The committee appoined to raise money by popular subscrip-tion for the erection of a building to be used as a club house reported poor success, but was given a few days' more time. If by that time the necessary amount is not sub-

walls on which the articles will be sus-

scribed the movement will be abandoned. Building the Sod House. The Nebraska sod house is under construction on a site directly east of the Nebraska state building. It is being erected by Ad. Morrison of Newport, Neb., with the assistance of a son of Mrs. L. Bowser of Norfolk, who was the originator. The house is to be eight feet high, twenty-four feet long and sixteen feet wide, and will be used as a residence during the exposition by Mrs. Bowser.

Notes of the Exposition. Superintendent Jay Burns of the Conces-sions department is rejoicing over the ad-

vent of Jay Burns, jr. The Transportation department has re-ceived the bill of lading for a carload of settees which are intended for the Auditorium

The hook and ladder truck and the hose wagons for the fire fighting force on the exposition grounds have been shipped and will arrive in a few days by fast freight.

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

The city council met last night and ranted the following applications for liquor censes: Frank J. Franck, Twentieth and Mary Wawenzenkewicz, Thirty-third and : John C. Raab, 2404 N: A. Kalish, Twentieth and Missouri avenue; C. Heine, 325 North Twenty-seventh; Joe Pert, 3311 Q; South Twentieth; Larson & Larson, 410 North Twenty-fourth; George W. Tierney, 2522 Q; E. Bihler, 2801 Q; Max Flothow. 3001 Q; C. F. Weymuller, 3119 Q; G. W. Tiernhey, 2618 N; C. F. Weymuller, 2612 N; South Omaha Brewing company, Twentyeight and R; Joseph Duffy, 2523 Q; B. Jetter, Twenty-fifth and N: Franz Lindner, 2517 N: August Seidler, 2731 Q; B. Jetter, Twentleth and Q; Max Lenz, 2520 Q; Charles Durr, N: South Omaha Brewing company, 2613 N; Henry Mies, 314 North Twenty-fourth; Fred Drews, Twenty-fourth and K; L. Connor, Thirty-third and Q. John Conroy, Thirtieth and Q; Charles Leichsenring, 3121 R; Joe Pert, L and boulevard; August Papez, 2524

N: South Omaha Brewing company, 607 North Thirty-third: Charles Melchoirs. Twenty-seventh and L; Paul & Burth, 2521 N; Mary Dolezal, 2701 Q; Matt Hammond, 2423 N; J. M. Draney, 2513 N; B. Jetter,

Actions on the applications of the Exchange hotel, Otto Maurer and John Koutsky were deferred for the reason that the proprietors of these places had not yet withdrawn their protests against payment of a

\$500 occupation tax. The council will meet next Saturday afternoon to take up the cases where remonstrances have been filed by outside parties. Before the granting of the lincenses mentioned Councilman Kelly withdrew his protests against all those who had withdrawn the occupation tax protests. At the Saturday meeting of the council some action to ward refunding \$300 of the ocupation tax to hose already granted licenses will be taken. The city treasurer desires to obtain legal advice on the matter before refunding any of the money paid in.

The bonds issued for the grading of I sale was confirmed by the council. An ordinance was read for the first time establishing grades in all alleys which have not heretofore been established. The committee on fire and water was instructed to inquire into the advisability of increasing the fire department and also consider the necessity or the purchase of one or two fire engines.

May Move City Offices.

The owners of the city hall building have ted that some repairs were needed, but re- for \$120, \$150 and \$160. fused to do anything unless the city would extend the lease either one or two years. Unless this is done it was stated positively that no repairs will be made. A number of the councilmen are in favor of looking for done, as the present quarters are not at all present.

High School Commencement. Arrangements are being completed for the annual graduating exercises. This year the class which will graduate from the High school consists of seven members, five girls and two boys. It has been settled that the exercises of this class will be held on Friday evening, June 3. More than likely one of the churches will be used, but which one has not been determined upon. The graduating class consists of: Sadie L. Fowler, R. Earl Smith, Mary Edith Rawley, Lena Leota Cox, Charles E. Wells, Anna R. Levy,

Christine Condron. The eighth grade graduating exercises will be held about the same time, but the list of graduates has not been completed.

The contractors in charge of the work on the new postoffice building have purchased held by Kountz Bros. of New York and fallfrom a local dealer 600,000 brick, which will be used in constructing the walls of the brick, which will be bought in the east. All of the local brick yards are running full time now and a few days ago the South Omaha Brick company dumped on the market over half a million brick of this year's for the first half of April. make. This had a tendency to break the market and good building brick are now selling for \$6.50 per 1,000.

Addition to Lincoln School. Plans have been drawn by Architect L. A Davis for the five-room adidtion to Lincoln school. By this proposed addition the capacity of the school will be doubled. The plans call for four school rooms and a class room. Each of the school rooms will be thirty-two by twenty-five feet, while the and his fees, amounting to \$231, were alclass room will be fifteen feet six inches by thirteen feet six inches. The school rooms will have six rows of nine seats each, making the seating capacity fifty-four to a room It is estimated that this new building will

cost in the neighborhood of \$8,500. Magie City Gossip. John F. Schultz returned yesterday afternoon from a business trip to McCook The members of the Monday Evening club will give a muiscale at the home of Mrs. J.

B. Smiley this evening. Friday afternoon the Board of Education will visit Hawthorne school for the pur-pose of inspecting the heating and ventilat-

ing apparatus. An important meeting of the Live Stock exchange will be held this afternoon, when live stock rates and the California quarantine regulations will be talked over.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Mc-Collister, Eighteenth and Missouri avenue Another meeting of the Board of Education will be held Friday evening, when is expected that definite arrangements will be made for the erection of new school

Ex-Councilman Patrick C. Caldwell is now a member of the police force, the mayor having made the appointment yesterday afternoon. Officer Caldwell reported for duty last night at roll call and was assigned

Hon. Columbus Borin of Oberlin. Kan., a representative of the Associated Press, spent yesterday in the city, the guest of Judge F. A. Agnew. Mr. Borin is a prominent member of the Sons of Veterans and is a candidate for quartermaster general of

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For Assaulting His Stepson.

Joseph Mink of 1029 South Eighteenth street was arrested for assault and battery last night on complaint of his family. It is charged that he became involved in a quarrel with his stepson, during the progress of which he hurled cups, saucers and glassware at his head. The boy was severely cut about the face.

Selling the Two: Weengo Shoe Stocks and Price & Wolf's Samples.
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Ladles' and man's shoes, worth \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00, go on main floor at \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$3.75.

MORE THAN 56: BARGAIN SQUARES BOSTON STORE. All the women's black and tan, button and lace shoes, worth up to \$3.00, go at \$1.50.

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\$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 AND \$7.00 SHOES FOR \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.50.

All the ladies' black, tan and fancy silk vesting top shoes, all the ladies' bicycle shoes of every description, and all Price & Wolf's sample shoes, worth from \$4.00 to \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 a pair, go on 8 bargain tables; the choice of any pair of shoes in the lot at \$1.98.

In the center sistes 30 cases of ladies'

In the center aisles, 30 cases of ladies' black, tan, purple, green and wine colored oxford ties, all hand turned, worth up to \$4.00, all widths, all sizes, all toes, go at \$4.00, all widths, all \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.25.

1,000 pair of the finest Rochester made shoes in the extremest of extreme new styles, made to retail for \$5.00 and \$6.00 pair, go at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$3.75. These in-

clude all the new silk plaid tops, silk vesting tops and scroll pattern tops.
IN THE BASEMENT.
Infants fancy mecasins, 9c.
Ludies' serge congress shoes, 39c. Ladies' serge congress shoes, 39c.
Women's kid house slippers, 29c.
Children's dongola shoes, sizes 1 to 5, 39c.
Children's hand-turn, black and tan, button and lace, spring heel shoes, 5 to 8, at
59c and 65c.
1,000 PAIRS WOMEN'S OXFORDS.
WORTH \$1.50, AT 75C PAIR.
2,000 PAIRS WOMEN'S BLACK, TAN AND
WINE OXFORDS, MADE TO RETAIL
FOR \$2.00, AT 98C.

FOR \$2.00, AT 98C. 500 pair misses' and children's black and

tan exford ties and strap sandals go at 59c 600 pair misses' and children's black and tan, lace and congress shoes, 81/2 to 11 and 12 to 2, go at 59c, 75c, 89c, 98c.

100 pair youths' summer shoes, 69c. 500 pair youths' and boys' black and tan shoes, 89c, \$1.00 and \$1.15. 500 pair men's tennis shoes, 39c pair. 400 pair ladies' dongola button and lace

522 pair men's calf shoes, \$1.25. 1,000 pair men's embroidered velvet slip-pers, 59c, 69c and 75c. BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

# PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

Evening Spent in Consideration Routine Matters-Important

The city council held an uneventful meet ing last night. A goodly portion of the business consisted of minor matters more or less directly brought up by the exposition. Of the more important matters the proposition of the Bolln bondsmen to settle the judgstreet between Twelfth and Thirteenth ment for \$35,000 was laid over for a week streets have been sold to Cash Bros. and the and the garbage ordinance was referred to the city attorney with very little discus-

> corner lots to put up street signs on their property was unanimously passed. The reappointment of E. Stinger as assistant city engineer by City Engineer Rose water was referred to the judiciary commit

The ordinance requiring all owners o

The ordinance raising the daily license for mystic and mirror mazes and for illusions not paid any attention to the orders of the from \$3 to \$5 was passed, as was also an council in regard to making necessary and amendment providing that all such shows seeded repairs. A few days ago one of the as well as ventriloquists, palmists and other parties controlling this property was in the scientists of the same character could secity and went over the building. He admit- cure a license from June 1 to December 3

The exposition people were requested, in enter into another contract for the lease of answer to a petition, to allow laborers and the property. The present lease expires on school children residing near Twentieth and December 1 and the owners desire the city to Manderson street to pass through, the ex position grounds before 9 o'clock each morning on their way to work, and the Lothrop school respectively. The closing of Twentieth street makes it necessary for the workanother location and this may possibly be men and children to make a wide detour at

The new ordinance allowing pushcart and other like peddlers to take stands in the proscribed downtown district upon permission of adjoining property owners or lessees | If you contemplate an eastern trip it wil was passed. The same action was taken on be of especial interest. Sent free on ap-the ordinance licensing hotel and lodging plication to B. P. Humphrey, T. P. A., Kanthe ordinance licensing hotel and lodging house "runners" at the depots at \$15 and requiring a \$500 bond from their employers for the force of "runners" hired by each.

Permission was given the Union Pacific railroad to use certain parts of lots and alleys near its depot for tracks and facilities during the exposition. The Barber Asphalt company was allowed

to purchase \$4,000 worth of intersection bonds to replace \$3,955 worth of city warrants held by the city treasurer as a retainer under the company's contract with

The comptroller was authorized to draw warrants for \$17,025 worth of obligations ing due on June 1.

A resolution was introduced by Burkley building. The facing will be of buff colored and passed authorizing the setting aside of \$1,000 for the use of the Board of Public Works to sweep the streets. A resolution was adopted allowing the recently discharged policemen to draw salaries

> Cash Bros. were given permission to erect temporary stables at or near Eleventh and Pierce streets. The building inspector was also authorized to issue permits for temporary structures of corrugated iron to be erected in the rear of 807 North Sixteenth street by A. H. Snyder and the rear of 211 North Sixteenth street by Frank Parmalec The dog catcher reported that 231 dogs were drowned during the month of April

> lowed. The report of Building Inspector Butler that it would require \$300 to place the watering-troughs and fountains in the city

> in shape was placed on file. The well-worn petition for the inauguration of the initiative and referendum was referred to the city attorney on the opinion of the city clerk that it was defective be cause the addresses of a goodly number of

> the 2.499 signers are not given. The city attorney was instructed to bring action against the Richelieu hotel for damages sustained by Miss Myrtle Murray by falling through an open coal hole. The city is directly responsible for the damages, but it is believed that they can be shifted upon the shoulders of the botel people.

> The human machine starts but once and stops but once. You can keep it going longest and most regulariy by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for commitpation and all stomach and liver troubles.

Red Mon, Attention. There will be a union meeting of all the tribes and councils in Omaha and vi-cinity on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the wigwam of Keokek tribe No. 36, at 116 N. 15th street, between Dodge and Capita present, as we are going to determine wha action we are to take in holding a Red man congress during the exposition, having a share and headquarter in fraternal building of the exposition grounds

Don't Gorget. The new offices of the Missouri Pacific are at the corner of 14th and Douglas Sts. General Lowe's Condition.

The condition of General W. W. Lowe was worse last night. At 9 o'clock last evening one of the attending physicians said that he was sinking and was not so strong as in the morning. He still remains unconscious and requires the closest attention.

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Table 2 contains large boquets of American Beauties, lilacs, poppies, bluettes, carnations in all colors, large bunches of foliage, rose foliage, lily foliage, carnation foliage, geraniums and geranium foliage, violets and violet foliage; all of them worth 75c; on bargain square at 10c

\$2 IMPORTED FLOWERS, 25C. 3, large variety of rubber stem, imported flowers, morning glories with foliage, forget-me-nots with foliage, Russian violets with foliage, natural green roses in all shades, with foliage, natural green grass and oats in all shades, in fact these are all imported flowers and worth up to \$2.00 a bunch, on sale at 25c.

Table 4 contains large wreaths and large sprays of imported flowers, over 100 varieties to select from, containing all the nev colorings in violets, large American Beau-colorings in violets, large American Beau-ties with buds, pure silk poppies with buds, bunches of fruit, in fact, all varieties im-aginable in high grade flowers, many worth \$2.50: on sale at 49c bunch

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satin, satin gros grain, moire and taffets ribben, with up to 50c, go at 5c and 10c OUR GREAT CARPET SALE. Hundreds more rolls of carpets from the great auction sale of W. and J. Sloane go on sale today for the first time, includ-

ing all the new patterns in velvets, mojuettes, axminister and fine brussels car-BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

16th and Douglas. Public Notice.

The Northwestern Line Daylight Special now leaves the U. P. depot at 6:40 a .m.; hange in the other trains. The Overland Limited 4:45 p. m. and the Omaha Chicago Special at 6:45 p. m. arrive at Chicago 7:45 and 9:30 respectively, next morning. The most advanced vestibuled sleepers, diners and free parlor chair cars-of course-what lse would the "Northwestern" have. City Ticket Office 1401 Farnam st.

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DIED.

MATTER-Elizabeth, aged 72 years, Tues-day morning at her residence, 1321 Mason Notice of funeral later. FISHER—James A., aged 53 years. Funeral Wednesday morning, May 18, at 8:30 o'clock from family residence, 848 So. Seventeenth street, to St. Philomena cathedral. Interment at St. Mary's cemetery. Denyer and Albany, N. Y., papers release conv. please copy.

HAYES—William J., at his residence, 1508 Sherman avenue, Monday evening, May 16, aged 54 years. Funeral from Holy Family church at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, May 18.

A man named Jake Alexander was robbe of \$50 yesterday afternoon in a commission house on Howard street between Tenth robbing, and so far only one of them, Mike Hunt, has been found. The names of the two men who are at large are not known Hunt is under arrest.



Cuban Flags ic each

We have plenty of American and Cuban Flags made of paper—printed in bright colors—The flags are about one foot long, and are just the thing for pasting in windows—One cent each, 96c for 100.
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# "No We Won't"

We had a nice ad. prepared about our Straw Hats, and other summer goods, but the weather clerk again played a trick on us and we had to change it, so we won't say anything about our Straw Hats this time, but rather tell you about Mackintoshes, Rubber Coats and Umbrellas. The importance of the Mackintoshes is not to be overestimated; a thousand are sold today where one was sold ten years ago. Competition in manufacture and knowledge of how to make them brought the prices down past the "luxury" point to the "necessity" point. Today we can sell you a good Mackintosh for \$2.00, in blue or black, wide wale storm serge, cemented seams, plaid linings, cut full length, full cape. At \$4.00 we sell twill serge Mackintoshes; at \$5.00 heavy weight tricot, and at \$6.50 elegant dressy looking Mackintoshes of cassimere and cheviot. Rubber Coats, as good as they make them, from \$1.50 to \$3.50. In Umbrellas we save you from 25c to \$1.00.

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