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JANUARY REMNANT SALE.

REMNUMANTS IN MENS SUITS and OVERCOATS

Invest in an Overcoat Now. We will sell them AT A LOSS ON SATURDAY Remnants and Full Lines of MEN'S SUITS GO ON SALE SATURDAY AT \$7.50, \$9.75 and \$12.50. MEN'S OVERCOATS Were Never So Low Priced. Our special effort will be made on overcoats Saturday—We have more overcoats than we can sell—It behooves us to make prices on them that will make them go fast—Saturday's prices will reduce the overcoat piles to a minimum—there will be plenty of overcoat salesmen, for here is where we expect the great jam.

Remnants in Boys' Suits & Overcoats

Suits, \$1.75. Suits, \$2.50. Suits, \$3.50. Remnants of high cost lines. A hot bed of bargains in Boys' Goods for Saturday. Half price on all Boys' Overcoats. Boys' Long Pants Suits. Two great wonder lines—the best values we have ever offered at 5.75 and 7.50 Great remnant sale of Boys' Reefers Sizes 9 to 15. All our Reefers in three bargain lots that will make their selling easy \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 Boys' Reefers, 3 to 7—in two lots \$1.50 \$3.50 The hot bed of bargains The Continental

Remnants in UNDERWEAR

Remnants in \$2 and \$2.50 Underwear 95c \$1.00 and \$1.50 Grades 50c We are overstocked on six numbers of Underwear. See samples in our show window. Lot 1353, 25c. Lot 1105, 38c. Lot 1138, 39c. Lot 1132, 65c. Lot 1176, 65c. Half Price on Boys' Underwear 50c Goods 25c. 50 dozen regular 50c Suspenders Leather and web ends, at 25c Saturday at the Continental.

Remnants in GLOVES.

Men's unlined Mocha Dogskin and Kid Gloves, Price \$1.00— NOW 50c. Men's Driving and DressGloves in dogskin and kid, Price \$1.50— NOW 75c. Men's lined reindeer and dogskin Gloves, Price \$1.50— NOW 75c. Men's Gloves, unlined and lined, of every material, Price \$1 and \$1.50— NOW 38c. Men's fleece lined leather Gloves, Price 50c— NOW 18c. Boys' Gloves— 10c, 18c and 25c Big Bargain Day, Saturday at CONTINENTAL.

Remnants in Hats...

Any Derby in our stock, Saturday— \$1.00 Our spring line is on the way—we wish to clean up and make room for them and will sell all our \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Derbies Saturday for \$1.00 Men's Winter Caps 50c Goods 18c \$1.00 Caps 50c Remnants in Fedoras, all colors, 95c Saturday at The Continental

Remnants in Shirts

One dollar fancy shirts 50c A big lot of fancy Shirts—well known makes like the Monarch and the Elgin \$1.00 goods 50c Remnants in Manhattan Shirts \$1.50 goods 75c White and colored. Outing Flannel Night Shirts 50c line 25c 75c line 38c We expect a crowd on Saturday at The Continental

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MONEY STAYS IN TREASURY

Directors of Old Exposition Decide Not to Expend Funds for Big Painting.

ANOTHER DIVIDEND UP FOR DISCUSSION

Action Deferred for One Week and in Meantime President and Secretary Will Ascertain Amount of Liabilities.

The question of paying an additional dividend on the stock of the Transmississippi Exposition association was discussed at some length at a meeting of the Board of Directors held at the Millard hotel Friday afternoon, with the result that action was deferred for one week in order that more exact information might be obtained relative to the obligations that may accrue. Aside from this, the board decided not to perpetuate the memory of the exposition through the medium of a large painting of the main court which John R. Key proposed to furnish for \$1,000. It voted to donate several paintings that were acquired in connection with the art exhibit to the city of Omaha on condition that the upper floor of the public library building be prepared to receive them. The proposition of Mr. Key was submitted by General Manderson, who moved that it be accepted and the picture placed in the public library building. Mr. Key offered to paint a picture 9x14 feet, or nearly as large as one of his famous World's fair paintings, for the sum mentioned. It was to represent the main court looking westward from the colonnades, near Sherman avenue. Manager Lindsey opposed the motion on the ground that he has no right to expend money for this purpose and that in any case the propositions of more than one artist should be considered. Frank Hibbard also registered a protest. He suggested that the board has already provided for a \$10,000 history. Now it is a \$1,000 painting, the next thing will be a portrait of the Board of Directors in east and no one can tell where it will end. The result was that the motion was voted down by a decisive majority, and if such a picture of Omaha's greatest achievement is handed down to posterity it will be through private subscription. Paintings for the Library. President Wattles suggested that it was time that some action was taken in regard to the pictures previously purchased from the collection in the Art building. In order to secure an extensive exhibit the association has agreed to guarantee the purchase of \$5,000 worth of paintings. At that time it had been expected that art loving visitors would invest fully that amount, but only \$1,600 was expended in that way and the association was compelled to make good its agreement by buying paintings to the amount of \$3,400. These have been selected by a committee of local artists and obtained for greatly reduced prices. They are now

in the upper story of the library building with other contributions toward the prospective museum. After the facts had been explained it was unanimously decided that the pictures should be given to the city if satisfactory assurances should be given the executive committee that they would be cared for and exhibited. The matter of a further dividend was brought up by Dudley Smith, who moved that an additional dividend of 15 per cent be declared. This encountered immediate opposition from some of the more conservative members of the board. Mr. Yost inquired whether the directors would be individually liable in case the dividend was declared and it should result that enough money should not be left to clear up the final obligations of the association. On being assured in the affirmative, he vigorously declared against another dividend at this time. Mr. Kuntze took a similar view. He declared that the association should retain money enough to pay all possible liabilities. In view of the litigation that is now pending he thought it would be imprudent to declare a dividend that would practically require all the balance that is not already pledged.

Put Off for a Week.

Mr. Rosewater suggested that there is a good deal of misunderstanding in regard to the debts of this corporation. The biggest suit is that of the Oriental Exhibition company, in which a judgment of \$24,000 has been rendered, and to offset which \$35,000 has been set aside. This company has offered to settle for \$20,000, and will undoubtedly be willing to compromise for \$12,000. The other obligations, including all other suits now instituted, can be settled for \$5,000. He was not in favor of too radical a course, and moved as an amendment that a dividend of 10 per cent be declared. Mr. Lindsey advised waiting and Mr. Price declared that the longer they waited the more suits they would have. He suggested that if there was not so much money in sight they would have fewer lawsuits. Further discussion brought out the fact that aside from the \$35,000 set aside to cover possible default in the suit of the Oriental Exhibition company there is about \$40,000 in the treasury. There is also about \$16,500 remaining in the hands of Frank Murphy as trustee on account of the previous dividend of 75 per cent. Some of the directors took the position that since a 10 per cent dividend would only require \$30,000, it would be safe to act, but others contended for delay until a more definite statement in regard to the suits pending could be secured. It was eventually agreed to postpone the matter for one week, and that in the meantime the president and secretary prepare a detailed statement of the suits pending, running expenses and all other present and prospective liabilities.

BOARD OF EDUCATION WINS

Judge Pawcett Holds City Council Must Make a Levy Sufficient for Maintenance of Public Schools.

The Board of Education scored a victory over the city of Omaha yesterday when it secured an order in Judge Pawcett's court whereby the latter is required to levy a tax sufficient to make up the deficit that has been running along from year to year and now amounts to about \$200,000. During the last five years the city council has failed and refused to make the levy requested by the Board of Education, always cutting the levy down. Some time ago the Board of Education brought mandamus proceedings against the city council, asking that the members of that body make the levy as requested. The case was fought by the city and has now been decided as heretofore stated. Destitute Couple Taken In. Charles Bray and his wife arrived in Omaha Friday night from Lincoln, whence

they were shipped by the Lancaster county commissioners. The couple are entirely destitute, and while the woman is able to work, her husband is suffering from an aggravated case of the grip. Bray was removed to St. Joseph's hospital and his wife taken in charge by the police matron.

GOD A PARTNER IN BUSINESS

V. O. Strickler Advocates Setting Aside a Portion of Yearly Earnings for Christ's Cause.

The monthly meeting of the Volunteer league was held in the Young Men's Christian association parlors last evening. The numerous church meetings throughout the city were somewhat antagonistic, but in spite of this a select audience gathered. The meeting was opened by Dr. W. O. Henry, president of the league, who gave a brief account of the financial standing of the association. V. O. Strickler was the principal speaker, his subject being "Christian Stewardship." "The subject," said Mr. Strickler, "while one of vital importance to all Christian people, is not generally understood by them. People of the present day believe in God only insofar as He keeps out of their business. This sentiment is, however, gradually changing for a better one. The majority of Christians do not believe that relationship with God begins when life ends. True Christianity takes God into our lives and business of its people. The true follower of Christ makes God a partner in his business by setting aside yearly a part of his earnings to be devoted to God's work. And in the proportion that God is taken into our business affairs just in that proportion will He come into our lives and prosper them." The speaker exhorted all present to adopt this rule and to dedicate to God every year a certain definite amount of the year's earnings, no matter how small. Secretary Willis spoke briefly along the same lines, instancing many cases where the rule has been followed and in not one of them had the person failed to prosper. Rev. C. E. Welch, pastor of the Seward Street Methodist Episcopal church, was unable to be present and his lecture on the condition of the foreign missions in China was postponed till the next meeting.

MATTERS IN POLICE COURT

To Comply with Recent Ruling of District Court, Prisoners Are Released and Then Rearrested.

The greater part of Judge Gordon's time Friday afternoon was devoted to discharging prisoners on the motion of the prosecuting attorneys and to issuing new warrants for their arrest. This was done in accordance with the decision of the district court to the effect that policemen have no power to serve warrants unless specially deputized. Attorneys for the defense took advantage of the filing of new complaints to ask for an extension of time. In most cases the request was granted. When John Sutton and Isaac Schwartz, charged with stealing 200 pounds of coffee from T. J. Mullin and five butts of tobacco from Paxton & Gallagher, were discharged on motion of Assistant County Attorney Thomas, the court officer immediately placed them again under arrest. An objection was interposed by the attorney for the defense, on the grounds that an arrest in the court room was illegal. Judge Gordon sustained the objection and both Sutton and Schwartz were allowed to leave the building. They were arrested outside the door. The trial of George W. Wilson for house-breaking was set for Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Leonard Merrittino and Theresa Praffetto, charged with adultery, will be tried next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. William Johnson, charged with cruelty to animals in failing to provide food and shelter for a team of horses, was discharged.

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

The proposed charity ball for the benefit of the South Omaha Hospital association is taking definite shape. Yesterday the committee of doctors appointed by the South Omaha Medical society visited General Manager Kenyon of the stock yards company in relation to securing the dining hall in the Exchange building for ball purposes. Manager Kenyon granted the request and further stated that the company which he represents will be pleased to do all in its power for the advancement of the scheme. Besides contributing the use of the hall, the company will furnish lights and heat free. In connection with the ball, which is to be an electrical one, the doctors have interested the chief electricians at every one of the packing houses, as well as Superintendent Dimmock of the local electric light company. It is proposed to illuminate the ball room with hundreds of electric lights placed in festoons and bunches. These lights will be in all colors of the rainbow and the electricians propose doing all they can to make the large room beautiful. In addition to this there is some talk of placing an immense arch of lights across N street to light the way to the Exchange building and also to advertise the ball. If the arch is erected the lights will be kept burning for several nights prior to the dance, in order to acquaint the people with the fact that the ball will be held in South Omaha is coming off.

Sidewalks in Bad Condition.

The sidewalks all over the city are becoming delapidated. This is not so much the fault of the street commissioner or the city officials as it is the residents. Planks in the walks are torn up almost daily and used for firewood. Near the corner of Twenty-sixth and P streets several planks fully sixteen feet in length have been pulled up and carried away, leaving holes into which pedestrians are liable to fall. More damage suits come from defective sidewalks than from any other source and the problem is a difficult one to deal with. Not long ago the city took to wiring down all new walks laid, but this does not prevent persons from cutting the wire and pulling up the planks. There is a dangerous hole at Twenty-fifth and L streets and another near Twenty-fifth and J streets, both caused by missing planks. In some districts the residents seem to prefer to use sidewalk planking in preference to any other material for kindlingwood, and as the city cannot stand the expense of continually repairing walks, holes are to be found in sidewalks all over the city. There is little trouble in the business portion of the city, but in the suburbs portions of walks are constantly disappearing, and those who deliberately tear up sections of walks are never apprehended, for the reason that the police force is not large enough to protect the suburbs in the night time. Something will have to be done to protect the sidewalks, but up to the present time the city officials have not hit upon a method of procedure which is agreeable to all.

Plan for Big Barn.

Holmes & Adkins, the liverymen at Twenty-fourth and N streets, have purchased the ground, 60x150 feet, adjoining their present property on the south and will erect an immense brick barn as soon as the weather will permit. The plans are about completed and it is the intention to commence work at the earliest possible moment. The barn is to be the modern in every respect, and although plain, it will be substantial and of the best material to be obtained.

Maize City News and Gossip.

The Eastern Star meets tonight at Masonic hall. W. A. Schrei is in Chicago looking after business matters. George McBride has about recovered from an attack of the grip. James V. Chizek of the county clerk's office is sick with typhoid fever. Mrs. W. J. McCran has been called to Lexington, Ky., by the death of a sister. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Perzelski, 2409 U street, announce the birth of a daughter. A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tinnell, Twenty-seventh and K streets. Mike Markerson is back from Hartington, where he visited relatives for a short time. The report published in yesterday's paper that Dr. Schindler was on the sick list was an error. J. J. Fitzgerald has been installed as recorder of the Macosons. The other officers will be installed in two weeks. The women of the Home Circle club will hold a reception next Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. A. L. Lott, 1007 North Twenty-second street. J. W. McKay has bought from F. M. Wright a lot on Twenty-fifth street, just south of N, where his blacksmith shop now stands. It is understood that Mr. McKay will put up a new building on the site in the spring. James McAnany, through his attorney, has commenced suit against the city to recover \$5,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been received by reason of a defective sidewalk at Thirtieth and Q streets. The accident occurred on October 5.

Short time ago Ed Munehan secured four lots on the track just north of the L street and west of the city limits.

Yesterday a force of men were clearing the ground preparatory to the erection of the sheds and an office building. J. M. Hartman, 23 years of age, died at the South Omaha hospital yesterday of pneumonia. The deceased came here a short time ago to visit his brother, C. A. Hamilton, G. W. Linger, Euclid Martin, W. D. McKnight and Washington streets. He contracted a severe cold on the trip which turned into pneumonia. The remains were forwarded to Elliott, Ia., last night for interment.

LAST HONORS TO THE DEAD

Funeral of the Late Robert B. Jordan Attended by Many of the Old Residents of the City.

The funeral of the late Robert B. Jordan was held yesterday afternoon from Trinity cathedral under the auspices of the Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons. Nearly all the old settlers of the city were present to do the last sad honors to the dead. No event of recent years has brought together more of the old pioneers. The Masons arrived at the church shortly before the body and a detail of Knight Templars waited to receive it. The remains were met at the door by Bishop Worthington, assisted by Deane Fair, and Fathers Williams and Sicarus, together with a dozen acolytes and conducted to the chancel railing, where the choir chanted a requiem. On the beautiful white casket were two simple bouquets of white roses and ferns. The other floral offerings of friends filled the chancel. Bishop Worthington conducted the usual funeral services of the Episcopal church. Father Williams read the lesson from St. Paul and the services closed with the choir singing "Asleep in Jesus." Samuel Burns, H. P. Deuel, E. B. Lake, William Cleburne, Alfred Burley and W. R. Bowen acted as honorary pallbearers. The regular pallbearers were from the Masonic lodge and were: J. C. Hartwell, C. H. Young, C. G. Fisher, T. Bourke, L. E. Nebergall and E. L. Dodder. The interment was in Forest Lawn. Mr. Jordan was a familiar figure to all Omaha citizens, being one of the oldest residents here. He came in the spring of 1857. For many years he was in the hardware business, in which he was quite successful. He was for years a prominent Mason, having been the first grand master of Masons in this state. Of late years his friends have seen but little of him, owing to his infirmities brought on by age.

MEETING OF BUTTER DEALERS

National Convention of Association Held at Sioux Falls to Be Attended by Many Nebraskans.

The national convention of the Butter Dealers and Creamery Men's association, which is to convene in Sioux Falls, S. D., on January 23, is arousing a great deal of interest among local dealers. This convention is of considerable importance, as fully 200 delegates are expected to be present, all sections of the country in anyway interested in buttermaking being represented. Papers on subjects of interest to all concerned will be read, the intention being to make the meeting profitable to those who attend. A large display of butter will also be made and it is thought there will be anywhere from 200 to 300 packages entered in the prize contest. Judging from present indications, Nebraska will be represented by about forty delegates and they are going with the firm determination of taking the convention by storm and landing the next one in Nebraska. It is contended that this state is rapidly coming to the front as a butter producer and as the idea has always been with the firm of the meeting place from one section of the country to another, it is confidently expected that the invitation of the Nebraska delegation will be accepted. Lincoln thus far has made the strongest bid for the convention and if it comes to this state at all that city will doubtless get it.

News for the Army.

Brigadier General Edwin V. Sumner, the new commanding general of the Department of the Missouri, is expected to arrive at the headquarters in Omaha about February 1. Major General Henry C. Merriam, at present in command of the Department of California and Columbia, will be relieved by General Shafter and will then go at once to

1808 Customs House Statistics

show importations in 1898 of \$6,855 cases of H. Mumm's Extra Dry, \$2,640 more than any other brand. Made of choice grapes and first pressings.

EXHIBITORS AND CONCESSIONAIRES ARE ANXIOUS TO COME TO GREATER AMERICA EXPOSITION NEXT SUMMER.

Interest in the Greater America Exposition, both in Omaha and abroad is increasing daily. If the number of letters received by Secretary Dudley Smith furnish a criterion by which to judge, Requests for concessions are coming from every part of the country. Perhaps the most interesting suggestion received is that a patent attorney. He says he has a complete list of every patent granted since 1793, with the date and date of issue. He believes it would be a great thing to have a live or moving exhibit, a veritable pageant of patents. He is satisfied that it would prove an immense success if Edison, Tesla, Prof. Bell and other eminent inventors can be induced to participate.

CONCESSIONS FOR RESTAURANT SPACE APPEAR TO BE IN GREAT DEMAND, AS A DOZEN LETTERS ARE BEING RECEIVED DAILY BEGGING FOR AN ALLOTMENT. THESE COME FROM NEW YORK, BOSTON, CLEVELAND AND OTHER POINTS EQUALLY FAR AWAY.

A man in Denver asks for an allotment in connection with which he will exhibit literature pertaining to the Greater America Exposition. Another seeks a concession for the sale of gyroscope tops. A Chicago exhibitor in the Transmississippi Exposition, where he had two booths in the Liberal Arts building, asks for a renewal of the concession and urges further that he be given four more booths in two other buildings. Three applications have been made already for the Chinese village. These are for the purpose of illustrating the products, professions and trades of the Chinese empire. The soliciting committee reports excellent success in its work and committees will be appointed for Council Bluffs and South Omaha.

THE SMALLEST THINGS EXERT THE GREATEST INFLUENCE. DR. WITT'S LITTLE EARLY RISERS ARE UNEQUALLED FOR OVERCOMING CONSTIPATION AND LIVER TROUBLE. SMALL PILL, SAFE PILL.

Linton Removed to County Hospital. Thomas Linton, 66-year-old patient at 1251 South Thirtieth street, has been removed to the county hospital and the quarantine against his home has been removed by the city physician.

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