ACTOR LOSES A LARGE SUM

Tim Murphy Artist One of Half Dozen Who Are Touched.

EPIDEMIC OF POCKET PICKING

Slippery Fingered Fraternity is Meeting with Comparatively Good Success Just at Present in the City.

Edward A. Hayes, as Frank Goodfriend in "Old Innocence," which played at the Boyd the forepart of this week, did not get the \$10,000 loan he wanted from J. Green, (Tim Murphy), who had confidence in everybody, and, in addition, Mr. Hayes test \$196, all his worldly assets, by having that sum stoics from under his pillow at Dma hotel early Wednesday morning while he was temporarily out of the role of the borrowing Mr. Goodfriend and peacefully dreaming of a comfortable life on \$196.

The police are not explaining how an actor came to possess any such princely sunf as the \$135 in question, but they are authority for the information that Mr. Hayes was robbed of that amount. He had it in a pocket of his trousers and had placed the latter under his pillow when he retired Tuesday night. He left his room unlocked, as his roommate had not returned. At B o'clock the latter woke him up and told wim that he had found Hayes' trousers on the floor and the money gone. An effort is being made to arrest the thief, whet is wot known to the officers. The "Old Innocence" company has left the city for its next engagement.

This loss is only one of the five large thetta that have been reported to the police since Tuesday evening. The aggregate aug. of the five "rolls" that have been reported stolen is almost \$700.

Some of the Other Victims. Pussday night Carl Markowitz reached into his pocket to pull out a handkerchief and his pocketbook, containing \$294, dropped onto the sidewalk. Mella Rothgad, a fellow- countryman, with whom he was walking, grabbed the purse and has not been seen since.

Rocco Back is in jail, charged with having "touched" a fellow Austrian for \$62. It is said that Bacic merely spent his triend's money on a spree, after getting posseasion of R from Mrs. Back, who was entrusted with the money by a roomer at

Gertrude Ketchem, a negress, is being held by the police in connection with the loss of \$92 by Louis Fenton on lower Dodge street. The couple were spending the evening together, it is said, and the woman is supposed to have his money.

J. A. Davis of Pawnee City is the other victim who is out some cash. He told the police Wednesday night that he had been taking in the sights of the city and a negress had "frisked" him of \$110 while on Capitol avenue between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

The police say that they cannot prevent these cases of larceny, and often are unable to recover the money or arrest the thief. It is said that often men come to Omaha from the country and are victing ized by women with whom they associate while here. Others are confidenced out of their money, while still others are merely robbed in the ordinary way.

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The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. medical text books and authorities as a urle acit solvent and antiseptic for the urine. ... Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. Sold by all drug-

GAS CHEATED OF A VICTIM

Comes Very Near Getting Paul Pierce, Young Laborer at Bailey Hotel.

Paul Pierce, is laborer 21 years of age, narrowly escaped death by the gas route Wodnesday night. He was found unconscious Thursday morning about 5:50 o'clock his room at the Bailey hotel. Night Clerk Clark noticed the odor of gas and summoned Proprietor Balley, who kicked the door to Pierce's room. Police Surin the door to Pierce s room. after working over the man for some time, made the announcement that Pierce would recover. The Bailey hotel is at Ninth and Farnam streets, and Pierce has lived there for quite a while. It is thought that the escape of gas was accidental. Pierce havthe hung his coat over the gas jet after turning out the light. The jet was defective and it is supposed that the coat furned the gas on again when it was hung aver the jet.

A Ton of Gold could buy nothing better for female weakwessen, lame back and kidney trouble than w-Electric Bisters. Sec. For sale by Beaton Prus Co.

Don't fail to attend the greatest sale ever held in the west.

(FEB. 6TH)

Your unrestricted choice of any suit or overcoat in the entire house, worth up to \$32.50-



One Day Only!



REMNANTS AND ODD LOTS FROM THE STEINFELDT STOCK

GO ON SALE AT BRANDEIS FRIDAY The Bargains Will Be Amazing

Our sales from the Steinfeldt stock during the past week have been gigantic. Odds and ends, remnants and short pieces must be sold quickly. We devote Friday to clearing out every remnant in our stock at the lowest price new merchandise ever sold for in the west.

15,000 PIECES of PLAIN and FANCY SILK REMNANTS

and Sample Pieces Running from 1 to 15 yds. WORTH UP TO \$2 YD., at 25c-39c

These are not damaged silks. They include taffetas, satins, messalines, pongees, peau de soie, etc.-20 to 36 inches wide and worth up to \$2.00 a yardyour choice on bargain square, at, each piece

SATINS and TAFFETAS from the Steinfeldt Stock A special clearing price for Friday,

The long pieces over 11/2 yards in length, all go at, each. 39c

per yard 50c JAPANESE SILKS at 25c yd. Black, white and all colors—the kind you always

buy for 50e yard, at, a yard

75c Dress Goods at 19c yd. FROM THE STEINFELDT STOCK

20,000 yards of 44-inch Ottoman Twill Dress Goods, in navies, browns, black, grays, tans, greens-made to sell for 75c a yard, slightly damaged by water, but the greatest bargain ever offered at, per yard

Great Remnant Sale IN THE BASEMENT MONDAY

Great counter fancy white goods-India linons, Persian lawns, 40-inch than these are seldom offered-lengths suitable for waists

66-inch wide unfinished Table Damask, when washed two or three times will look like 50c damask

An exceptionally fine quality long cloth—on bargain table, yard..... 10c

All the few-piece lots and sample bolts finest batiste, printed lawn tissue, white and colored waising, suiting and fancy ginghams-should sell for five times the price-yard

Fine double fold bleached muslins, long cloth and linen finished suitings -at, yard......

Scotch and Chambray ginghamsthe most popular and best all around gingham-new 62°C lot to buy fromyard......

9 A. M.—Special bleached muslin-mussed short lengths9 A. M. Till 12 M.—Specal sale on all kinds of fine lining remnants. including 2,000 yards

Beginning at 1:30, we will sell a big lot of the best dress prints-all new and perfect goods-a great afternoon bargain sale—price, yard.....

BRANDEIS STORES

20c and 35c Embroideries at 7½c and 15c vd.

18-inch flouncing embroideries, corset cover widths, also medium and wide edges and baby patterns-many to match-yard

Remnants and Odd Lots from the Steinfeldt Stock 5c and 10c EMBROIDERIES at 2½c and 1c yd.

Thousands of yards edgings and insertions, some slightly mussed-

10c WASH LACES at 22c yd. English and French torchon and medici laces and insertions, odd lots, etc .- worth to 10c yard-at.

yard...... 30c ALL OVER LACES at 12c yd.

18-inch allover laces, in neat dots and figures-mill ends. odd lots, etc.-worth up to 12 1/2 yard-main floor-

Special Bargains Linen Department \$1.50 pattern table cloths, 2 and | \$1.50 extra large mercerized dam-2 1/2 yards long; big bargain,

ask dinner napkins-at, heavy quality, yard 18¢ extra large size, each 10¢ Remnants of table damask, all lengths and qualities, at less than cost to manufacture.

shams, from the Steinfeldt stock. worth 25c-at, each 10c

Embroidered Swiss scarfs and Stamped fancy linen scarfs, shams and dollies, worth to 50c-at, each ... 3c, 5c, 71/2c, 19c and 25c

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Bee Want Ads Bring the Returns

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FRIDAY BARGAINS

Absolutely Without Precedent

Sixteenth street has in all its retailing experiences never duplicated the values the Bennett store is now offering. The season's newest and handsomest coats for women, in beautiful blacks and all the best colors, all new of course; positively worth three times our price-choice ... Another lot full length coats, in dark all wool mixtures, regularly Suits-Small lot of women's suits | Suits-Small lots left from last season, values up to \$39.50- at, from last season, values up to

VALENTINES

\$25.00, at \$5.00 \

We have practically every new thing in Valentines-by far the greatest assortment ever assembled in Omaha. All kinds for

DOMESTICS

choice \$10.00

Shirting and Madras, heavy black and white stripe and check effects; also 15c Madras, Friday,

Clearing White China

65c Ribbon pattern Cake Plates. . 39c fac white straight shaped Steins. . 39c \$1.25 white footed Nut Bowls. 75c fancy footed ... 25% OFF-Extra Line French China for hand painting, choicest, newest of patterns.

All Linen Handkerchiefs on Friday **Bargain Tables**

A big purchase of 500 dozen, a clean up of a jobber's surplus. Rare bargains.

Women's all pure linen Handkerchiefs -12-inch size, soft finish, %-inch Men's all pure linen Handkerchiefs-18-inch size, 14-inch hems; superior 17c quality, for Friday bargain

Bargain Friday in Shoes

A great clean up of two lines of women's house shoes, splendid quality vici kid lace shoes with low commonsense heels; very easy and comfortable.

3.00 and \$2.50 \$1 \$3.00 and \$2.50 sizes-clearing

Regular \$1.50 shoes-small sizes only, per

Bennett's Big Grocery

YARKEE CREAM CORN, finest quality, regular 15c for 10c, dozen cans \$1.20 Burnham's Clam Chowder, large can 20c-and 30 green stamps Navy Beans, clean, handpicked 6 pounds for 250

Winter Trips to **Summer Lands**

Complete arrangements for delightful trips to Florida, Cuba, Porto Rico, Nassau, Bermuda Islands, or to the sunny shores of the Mediterranean and Adriatic Seas, can be made through the

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Sleeping car and steamship reservations made through to destination. Tickets via all Trans-Atlantic Steamship lines. Folders, rates and complete information on applica-

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East front on Seventeenth street, one door north of Farnam, size 161/2x401/2. The fire-proof vault in connection with this room is 61/2x121/2 and there is also a cloak and wash room, conveniently arranged. There is an entrance from the court to this room, making a good and accessible office to reach the public. It will be available April first.

Small offices with vaults

Did you ever stop to consider the value of a vault in connection with an office? It gives you a place to keep your books and valuable papers in case of fire breaking out in your office. You don't need to lock up your office every time you are called out. Many customers are lost when they find the door locked and no place to wait for your re-

We offer a small room with vault on the fourth floor just west of the elevator. Easy of access and convenient to the public and the rent is only \$17.50 per month.

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REMNANT DAY FRIDAY

Brand Shirts. The best on the New Spring Styles.

Agents for Zion City Wash Laces, the best made,

Famous Domestic Room

the greatest assortment of high grade Remnants ever shown west of Chicago, Remnants of Amoskeag A. F. C., remnants of Red Seal, remnants of Toil du Nord, all 121/2c goods, These are the genuine article, 5c Short Remnants of all kinds of 1c all at one price, yard.....1c

We are now prepared to show Remnants of Arnold's Fine Wash Goods. Remnants of Pacific Mill Wash Goods. Remnants of Galy & Ford's Wash Goods. Remnants of all kinds of Wash Goods, from our own high grade stock. All will be sold at, yard-

2½-3½-5-7½-8½-10c

FROM 9:00 TO 9:30 A. M.

One case of fine 15c India Linons, 10 FROM 10:00 TO 10:30 A. M. One case of 10c fine Cambrics, from FROM 1:00 TO 1:30 P. M.

double fold, regular 12 1/2 and 15c FROM 2:00 TO 5:00 P. M. values, 10 yard limit, at yard . 5¢ Another great sale of above goods, FROM 2:00 TO 2:30 P. M.

One case of 36-inch French Percales.

REMNANTS OF HIGH Extra Specials for Friday GRADE DRESS GOODS FROM 9:00 TO 11:00 A. M.

50,000 yards of High grade Wool yards limit, at a yard 5¢ Dress Goods, including all the latest weaves. Ranging in value from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per yard, in six lots: the bolt, 10 yards limit, at yard 5c LOT 1...25c | LOT 4...59c LOT 2...39c LOT 5...75c One case of 36-inch Flannelettes, LOT 3...49c LOT 6...98c

One case of 15c Fancy White Goods, LOT 1...15c LOT 4...39c stripes, checks, etc., 12 yards limit, LOT 2...19c LOT 5...49c

AT 2:00 P. M. regular 12 1/2 c goods, 10 yards limit, We will place all the remnants of all our high grade Wash Goods, that sold up to 59c yard, nothing reserved, all at one price 100

SILK REMNANTS in the DOMESTIC ROOM

Silks of all discriptions, several thousand yards in the lot. lengths from 21/2 to 15 yards, values to \$1.00 yard. Matchless bargains at Saturday's sale price, choice 296 per yard

FOUR GRAND BLACK SILK BARGAINS IN MAIN SILK DEPARTMENT

per yard49c

75c Quality Black Satin, five | \$1.25 Black Peau De Soie, 30pieces in this lot, on sale, at inches wide, great snap, at per yard85c 85c Quality Black Messaline, \$1.25 Quality Black Taffeta, 5 pieces in the lot, on sale 36-inches wide, oil boiled, MAIL ORDERS FILLED WHILE THE GOODS LAST.

Grand Notion Sale for Friday

All Staple and Fancy Notions at Half and Less Than Half Regular Prices, in Domestic Room:

10c Pin Books, at3c Horn Hair Pins, per dozen .. 5c Pearl Buttons, per dozen1c Linen Thread, per spool5c Machine Thread, per spool 11/2c Metal Back Combs, each....5c Silk Thread, per spool 21/2c Hair Brushes, each 10c

Hundreds of Other Articles at proportionate Low Prices. Specials in Crockery Friday

Decorated Bowls and Pitchers, regular \$1.50 value, at each 391/20 Slop Jars, with bail and cover,, at each59c Decorated 2-quart Water Pitchers, each25c Odd Handled Cups, three for10c Odd Decorated Saucers, each 2c | Individual butters, dozen 5c

SOME INTERESTING PRICES ON GROCERIES, BUTTER, CHEESE, CRACKERS, FRESH VEGETABLES and FRUITS.

21 pounds best Pure Cane Granulated
Sugar, for\$1.00
48 pound sack Highest Patent Flour \$1.25
24 pound sack best Rye Flour, for65c
The best White er Yellow Corn Meal, at
per sack\$15c
2 besign from Lettuce \$2.25c

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MONDAY Big Mill Purchase MONBAY FEB. 8th 25,000 YARDS OF HIGH GRADE SILKS-Silk worth 85c. Silks worth \$1.00, Silks worth \$1.25, 45c-59c

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A BEE WANT AD

Silks worth \$1.50, at yard

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