COAL TRUST CASE REVERSED

Supreme Court Remands Howell Prosecution to District Court.

COURT ERRED IN INSTRUCTIONS

Judge Reese Holds Constitution of Coal Exchange Not in Itself a Violation of Law—Hastings Saloons Closed.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Samuel E. Howell, convicted of violating the Junkin anti-trust law and sentenced to six months in jail and to pay a fine of $1,000, won a victory in the supreme court, which today reversed the decision of the lower court and remanded the case for further proceedings.

The opinion was written by Chief Justice Reese. The chief justice held that the trial judge had erred in giving an instruction to the jury. This instruction was to the effect that the constitution of the Omaha Coal exchange itself, if carried out, was a violation of the anti-trust laws of the state in that it provided that members of the exchange could not personally solicit business but could send out postal cards or use unsigned printed matter to get business. This constitution also provided that the exchange could not interfere with prices or agreements between the members whether the prices were retail or wholesale. Judge Reese held that this could be taken into consideration by the jury, but in itself it is not violation of the law.

The record in the case covered 3,000 pages and there were 159 assignments of error. Judge Reese said, and for that reason the court would not review the case in detail. The court held that notwithstanding Howell was not individually a member of the Omaha Coal exchange he was responsible for its acts because he was president of an organization which did belong to the exchange.

Kearney County Must Pay.

Kearney county must pay to Buffalo county half of $1,956, which the latter paid out for repairing the 800-foot bridge across the Platte river directly south of the city of Kearney. Kearney county refused to join in a contract to have the structure placed in usable condition and the work was ordered and paid for by Buffalo county. Kearney county refused to pay and judgment was obtained against it in district court. Appeal was taken and the supreme court holds that a county which refuses to enter with an adjoining county to repair a bridge across a stream dividing them is liable to the county making the repairs for such proportion of the cost as it ought to pay, not exceeding one-half of the amount expended, when the county making the repairs has followed the procedure of the statute as to notice, etc.

No More Malt Beverages.

The supreme court has just decided that the sale of "Non-Tox," "Justus Beer," "Malt Mead" and kindred alleged nonintoxicating malt beverages comes within the inhibition of the Slocumb law and that their sale without a license is just as much a violation of the statute as would be the sale of old-fashioned lager beer. The case in which this opinion is handed down is that of John A. Luther against the state, and comes from Harlan county.

Luther was arrested for selling "Non-Intox," a malt tonic containing less than 2 per cent of alcohol," and under a search warrant a number of barrels of the stuff were foound on his premises. He was convicted and fined in the district court and appealed. The case was reversed upon the original hearing before the supreme court commission, upon the ground that the state had not proved that the liquor was intoxicating. A rehearing was secured and the former opinion is now set aside. It is held that it is not necessary for the state to prove that malt liquor is intoxicating. The sale of all "malt" liquor as a beverage is prohibited by law, and such sale is a violation of the statute, whether or not the percentage of alcohol is sufficient to produce intoxication.

Shippers' Right to Cars.

No matter what demand a shipper may make for empty cars he is only entitled to his percentage of the number available for use at his station. This is the opinion of the court in the case of State ex rel Frank Dobney against the Northwestern railroad. Dobney was a hay shipper at Stuart, Holt county. He made demands for cars in which to ship his commodity and could not get them fast enough. He accordingly began mandamus proceedings in the district court to compel the road to furnish him with fifty cars at the rate of five per day. The court issued the writ and the railroad company appealed.

The supreme court reverses the judgment of the lower tribunal and in the opinion handed down finds that the railroad company so distributed its cars that the empties were ordinarily retained on the division where they were unloaded until they could be loaded. It also preferred shippers of grain, li evstock and other merchandise over shipments of hay located at non-competitive points. During the hay blockades in Omaha and Chicago it withheld cars from hay shippers, which is held to be an unlawful discrimination.

However, the road showed that at the time Dobney applied for his mandamus there was a general shortage of cars and that he was only entitled to a just division of the empties that should have been apportioned to his station. The order is reversed, but as the defendant was in some measure to blame it is ordered to pay the costs.

Hastings Licenses Cancelled.

Hastings is a dry town so far as the liquor licenses of John Rosenberg, John R. Freitag, John Curry, Paul Schisaler and F. J. Neylon are concerned.

A decision affecting this drouth was handed down in supreme court Saturday morning, the licenses of Rosenberg, Curry and Schissler being declared void because there was not satisfactory proof that their petitions contained the names of the requisite number of freeholders.

The court holds that Alexander, a councilman, was disqualified from voting on the issuance of any license because he had signed the petition of Janssen & Freitag, although his signature was erasted after Rorher, the complainant, secured a photograph of the signature. Alexander's vote tied the council up so that Mayor Miles had to decide the matter. With Alexander disqualified the council would have been against the issuance of a license.

The court reverses the decision of the district court of Adams county, which upheld the issuance of the licenses by the council, and directs the council to cancel the licenses.

Lincoln Hotel Water Case.

A. L. Hoover & Son will not be compelled to pay to the city of Lincoln the sum of $6,203.75 for water used at the Lindell hotel from September, 1904, to August 18, 1905. The supreme court this morning handed down an opinion affirming that of the district court, wherein the city was given a judgment of $180, each party to pay its own costs. This is the amount, approximately, which was tendered by the Hoovers.

Mayor Brown Intervenes.

Mayor F. W. Brown has filed a petition of intervention in the suit of Charles H. Swallow against the Eureka Manufacturing company. He asks the district court to permit him to join in the suit against the company in which an injuction is sought to prevent the payment of some creditors of the company in preference to other creditors and to have a receiver appointed for the company. Mayor Brown was owner of the incoln Sash and Door company before the concern was taken over by the Eureka Manufacturing company and it is the liabilities and obligations of the sash and door company and the question of the validity of its purchase that seems to be causing the trouble between the stockholders of the manufacturing company.

Mayor Brown says that he owns 16,000 shares of the preferred stock of the company and is entitled on those shares to participate in the management of the company. He says that the majority of the stockholders have refused to allow him any part in the management of the company or to vote at the recent election of officers. He declares that the claim of the defendants that the purchase of the sash and door factory was fraudulently or secretly made is not true and that the company is bound to assume the obligations and to recognize the interests of those who got shares of stock in the manufacturing company in return for their interests in the factory.

The suit was brought by C. H. Swallow, former president of the company, who claimed that the majority stockholders had refused to allow holders of preferred stock any vote in the affairs of the company and had repudiated the obligations of the company assumed at the time the sash and door factory was bought. The degree of the present officers of the company is that the purchase of the factory was the result of a secret transaction between Mr. Brown and Mr. Swallow and they were not bound by it.

The hearing today was on the motion to dissolve the restraining order to prevent the officers of the company from disbursing any money of the company or dispose of any property of the company until the case should be tried.

Telephone Hearing.

The railroad commission met this morning and a good part of the day was put in hearing the nAtelope county telephone case. It is expected a ruling will be made in the matter forthwith. This is a question of switching charges between the Antelope County Telephone company of Elgin and the Cedar Mutual company of Oakdale. They have been giving free switching service in the past, but lately the former company has added 300 'phones to its equipment, giving it 800 in all, and lengthened its service to twenty-four hours a day instead of fourteen, as formerly.

With these additional improvements it asks the commission to allow it to charge 50 cents instead of 25 cents per month for switching services on farm lines, also that the Cedar Mutual be made to do what is right. The commission will allow pay from the latter company for switching services by the former, but the amount must be determined by the telephone people themselves. If they cannot agree on this matter, then most probably the Elgin company will be allowed to cut off from exchanging.

Royal F. Brewster was struck by an unlighted automobile at the corner of Seventeenth and Washington streets about 1 o'clock this morning, the impact of the racing machine throwing him into the air and out of the street onto the lawn in front of L. M. Bumstead's house, at 1509 South Seventeenth street. He received no serious wounds or broken bones, though his body and limbs are a mass of painful flesh bruises.

The driver of the car made no attempt to stop and investigate, but drove straight ahead, directly over the motor cycle which Brewster had been leading and dashed away into the darkness. Brewster does not know the identity of the machine, its driver or owner.

The legal department of the state was not represented before the supreme court when Judge Hamer made his last appeal for a stay of execution for R. Mead Shumway. Grant Martin, deputy attorney general, represented the state before the governor and resisted the application of Judge Hamer. This hearing was concluded about 12:30. Judge Hamer then went immediately before the court and on his showing secured the stay without the legal department even beging notified that the application had been made.

Other Court Orders.

Following were the other proceedings of the supreme court:

On recommendation of the bar commission the following were admitted to practice: Thomas Lynch and Charles T. Borg.

Following are miscellaneous orders:

Vennum against Western Union Telegraph Company; dismissal allowed; appeal dismissed at cost of appellant.

Hile against Troupe; motion of appellant for leave to file briefs and for continuance sustained; appellant given until March 3, 1909, to serve and file briefs; appellee given until April 2, 1909, to serve and file answer briefs; cause continued to April 5, 1909.

Haas against Mutual Life Insurance Company; stipulation allowed; cause continued to session commencing April 5, 1909.

Strong against Thurston County; upon request of appellee cause continued to session commencing March 15, 1909.

Miller against Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company; stipulation allowed; appellee given until March 20, 1909, to serve briefs.

Olmstead against City of Red Cloud; stipulation allowed; appellee given until March 8, 1909, to serve briefs.

Youngers against Exeter Cemetery Association; stipulation allowed; appellee given until February 16, 1909, to serve and file briefs.

Wilkinson against Lord; motion and stipulation to advance allowed; cause advanced and set for hearing at session commencing March 15, 1909.

Lininger against State; motion of plaintiff for continuance sustained; plaintiff given until March 15, 1909, to serve briefs; cause continued to session commencing April 15, 1909.

Meyer against Nolle; dismissal allowed; appeal dismissed at costs of appellant.

Rumery against Equitable Life Asurrance Society; dismissal allowed; appeal dismissed at costs of appellants.

Goos against Chicago, Burlington & Juincy Railroad Company; stipulation allowed; appellee given until March 19, 1909, to serve and file briefs.

Herman against Barth; motion of appellant for extension of time within which to file briefs sustained; appellant allowed sixty days.

Shumway against State. Motion of plaintiff for leave to file second motion for rehearing allowed.

Shumway against State. Motion for rehearing overruled.

Shumway against State. Motion of plaintiff for suspension of sentence overruled.

Shumway against State. Motion of plaintiff for suspension of sentence sustained; execution of sentence suspended until March 5, 1909.

Debus against Armour. Reargument ordered before court.

Anderson against Carlson. Stipulation in re briefs allowed; appellant given until March 15, 1909, to serve and file briefs; appellee given until August 15, 1909, to serve and file briefs.

Following are rulings on miscellaneous motions:

Sarpy County against Layton. Suggestion of death of appellee and motion to revive. H. Z. Wedgwood substituted plaintiff-appellee.

Hinds against Gipe. Motion of appellee to strike bill of exceptions sustained.

Hinds against Gipe. Motion of appellant for leave to file briefs sustained; appellant given thirty days to file briefs at his own costs; cause continued to session beginning August 5, 1909.

Shepherdson against Clopine. Motion of appellee for leave to file supplemental briefs sustained.

Vrana against Thege. Motion of appellant for leave to file briefs allowed; appellant given thirty days to file briefs at her own costs.

Carter against Roberts. Motion of appellant for leave to file briefs allowed; appellant given thirty days to file briefs at his own costs.

David Bradley & Co. against West Brothers. Motion of appellees to quash bill of exceptions sustained.

Haslack against Wolf. Motion of appellee to quash bill of exceptions sustained.

Haslack against Wolf. Motion of appellee to advance sustained.

Haspen against Wendeln. Motion of appellee for leave to file briefs sustained.

The following opinions were filed:

State against Merchants' bank. On rehearing, former opinion vacated, cross-appeal dismissed; judgment of district court in favor of Kate C. Zehrung and A. J. Campbell reversed and remanded, but affirmed as to Chicago Cottage Organ company. Epperson, C.

Howell against State. Reversed and remanded. Reese, C. J. Rose, J., not sitting.

Luther against State. On rehearing, former judgment of reversal vacated and set aside; judgment of district court affirmed. Reese, C. J.; Letton, J., and Barnes, J., dissenting; Rose, J., not sitting.

Sheibley against Nelson. On motion for revivor, motion sustained. Letton, J.

Davis against Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company. Affirmed. Calkins, C.; Root, J. and Good, C. not sitting.

Wilson against Wilson. Affirmed. Duffie, C.

Caldwell against Smith. Affirmed. Duffie, C.

Gates against Tebbetts. Reversed and remanded. Duffie, C.

Kirkpatrick against Kirkpatrick. Affirmed with leave to defendant to apply for modification. Duffie, C.; Dean, J. not sitting.

David Bradley & Co. against Matley. Affirmed. Epperson, C.; Dean, J. not sitting.

Duval against Advance Threshing company. Reversed and remanded. Good, C.

VanHuren against Village of Elmwood. Affirmed. Good, C.

State ex rel. Dobbey against Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company. Reversed. Root, J.

State ex rel. Luben against Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company. Affirmed. Root, J.

McCullough against Dunn. Affirmed. Epperson, C.

Taylor against Austin. Affirmed. Duffie, C.; Root, J., not sitting.

Glassey against Dye. Reversed and remanded. Calkins, C.; Dean, J., not sitting.

Fink against Bush. Affirmed. Good, C.

Singer Sewing Machine Company against Omaha Umbrella Manufacturing Company. Affirmed, Calkins, C.

Hellwig against Aulabaugh. Affirmed. Rose, J.

Gutru against McVicker. Affirmed. Dean, J.

Higgins against Supreme Castle of Highland Nobles. Affirmed, Letton, J.

Kendall against Uland. Reversed and remanded. Root, J.

Eastwood against Klamm. Affirmed. Fawcett, J.

Mote against Kleen. Affirmed, Duffie, C.

Keeling against Pommer. Affirmed, Letton, J.

First State Bank of Pleasant Dale against Borchers. Affirmed, Root, J.

Buffalo against Kearney County. Affirmed. Fawcett, J.

Mahoney & Doyle against Salsbury. Reversed with directions, Barnes, J.

Pethoud against Gage County. Affirmed, Barnes, J.

Segear against Westcoss. Affirmed. Letton, J.

Ballard against Cerney. Reversed and remanded. Good, C.

Rosenberg against Rohrer. Reversed and remanded with directions. Reese, C. J.

Freitag against Rohrer. Reversed and remanded with directions. Reese, C. J.

Curry against Rohrer. Reversed and remanded with directions. Reese, C. J.

Schissler against Rohrer. Reversed and remanded with directions. Reese, C. J.

Neylon against Rohrer. Reversed and remanded with directions. Reese, C. J.

Following are rulings on motions for rehearing:

Heenan & Finlen against Parmelee. Denied.

Greenwood against King. Overruled.

Bressler against Wayne county. Allowed.

Allen against Burlington railroad. Denied.

Griswold against Szwanek. Appellant's motion and appellee's motion for rehearing denied.

Meyer against English. Denied.

Gauvreau against Van Patten. Denied.

News from Kearney Normal.

KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The members of the Young Men's Christian association met Tuesday afternoon and the annual election of oficers was held. The officers elected were: Louis Hanisch, president; Norman Pierce, vice president; Edward Shue, secretary; Ray Shirley, treasurer. The new officers will continue in office until the second semester of next year. The association has recently adopted a constitution similar to the one in vogue all over North America and every effort is being made to keep the work of the organization here in harmony with the other school organizations. The majority of the boys of the school are members of the Young Men's Christian association.

The sophomore class called a special meeting Tuesday to elect a president. Harry Dryden was chosen for the position. The former president, Louis Hanisch, has become affiliated with the junior class. The sophomore class is unusually large this year and numbers nearly seventy members.

A joint reception was given Wednesday evening in the chapel of the school by the Young Woman's Christian association and the Young Men's Christian association in honor of Miss Mirs Withers, state secretary of the Young Woman's Christian association, and also for the new students. Miss Withers addressed the students at chapel Wednesday on the subject, "Policing the Road to Jericho."

OMAHANS AT CENTRAL CITY

Mayor Dahlman and A. L. Mohler Deliver Toasts at Unique Banquet.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—"How to Run a Bank," A. L. Mohler; "How to Run a Church," Mayor J. C. Dahlman; "How to Run a City," Rev. G. H. Mann; How to Run a Railroad," C. R. Gurney.

The above toasts were responded to in a Pickwickian vein Friday night at a banquet which was given by the Commercial club of Central City, about 150 of the leading business men being present. Short informal responses were also made by J. A. Munroe, freight traffic manager of the Union Pacific and by C. J. Lane, assistant general freight agent. C. H. Gray was toastmaster. The women of the Woman's club of Central City served the banquet and the guests reported a splendid time.

Mayor Dahlman said that if he was running a church he would have the sermons shorter, the prayers shorter and he would have the best looking young women to be obtained to sing in the choir.

Mr. Mohler, vice president and general manager of the Union Pacific was also in a most happy mood and besides telling what he did not know about running a bank spoke in a serious vein on the subject of co-operation of all business interests for the welfare of all concerned.

GOTHENBURG UNDER QUARANTINE

Churches, Schools and Public Places Closed Because of Scarlet Fever.

GOTHENBURG, Neb., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Churches, lodges, schools, clubs, places of amusement and all other public gatherings of adults or children have been placed under a ban by a proclamation issued by the Board of Health in an effort to stop the ravages of scarlet fever.

The notice signed by Mayor Birkhofer besides forbidding public assemblages orders that all children under the age of 18 years shall remain at home and not be allowed on the streets or to associate with members of other families.

An appeal is made to parents to help stamp out the disease, which is declared to be epidemic.

STATE Y. M. C. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

York in the Lead as Location for Next Convention.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The Young Men's Christian association in state convention today unanimously re-elected the following officers: W. J. Hill, Lincoln, chairman; W. O. Henry, Omaha, vice chairman; E. C. Babcock, Omaha, secretary; M. C. Steele, Omaha, treasurer. York is the leading competitor for the next convention. The selection will be made by the executive committee.

Nebraska News Notes.

PLATTSMOUTH—The Presbyterian Aid society will celebrate Washington's birthday anniversary in the home of Judge H. D. Travis.

AINSWORTH—Frank Dodds fell last night while lighting a lamp and broke his left arm.

BEATRICE—Blaine Staker was fined $1 and costs yesterday in police court for assaulting the little son of William H. Mogan.

PLATTSMOUTH—The Plattsmouth High school debaters defeated the high school team from Weeping Water in this city Friday evening.

NEBRASKA CITY—The Heningson Produce company has leased the old distillery property at the foot of Central avenue and will put in a cold storage plant.

GENEVA—Will Lottridge of Fairmont, charged with bootlegging, had a hearing before Judge Fulton and was bound over to the district court in the sum of $500.

HOLDREGE—Phelps county people are much pleased over the heavy snow of last Sunday and Sunday night, as it means a sure crop in that locality for the year of 1909.

ORD—The firemen of the city held their annual ball Thursday night. The Ord opera house was packed till early Friday morning and a handsome sum was cleared to be used for the firemen.,

PLATTSMOUTH—The old-fashioned concert given by the woman's auxiliary of St. Luke's Episcopal church in the home of Dr. E. W. Cook was largely attended and a success in every way.

NEBRASKA CITY—George G. Johnson of Omaha has accepted a position with the Duff Grain company, with a view of becoming one of the firm. He was formerly a banker at Newman Grove.

BEATRICE—At a meeting of the base ball enthusiasts of this city last evening it was decided to form a four-club city league. The organization will be perfected at a meeting to be held February 27.

ORD—At their regular meeting Tuesday night the Ben Hurs elected the following officers to fill vacancies: Lafe Palste, scribe; Rastus Williams, outside gatekeeper; Mrs. Rastus Williams, organist.

NEBRASKA CITY—The Otoe Democratic club has perfected all arrangements for the holding of its first annual banquet at Syracuse on March 18, at which time a number of prominent democrats will be present and speak.

PLATTSMOUTH—Adam Schantz, aged 22 years, passed away in his home in this city with tuberculosis. Rev. F. J. Langhorst will conduct the funeral services in St. Paul's German Evangelical church Monday afternoon.

NEBRASKA CITY—Judge Travis has dissolved the injunction asked for by Councilman J. D. Houston against the mayor and other members of the city council to prevent them from granting the water and light company a new franchise. The council will meet March 1 and take the matter up.

VALLEY—The Platte Valley farmers' institute held its annual business meeting Saturday and elected the following officers: John Hall, president; Charles Dabelstein, vice president; Frank Whitmore, secretary; E. P. Noyes, treasurer.

NEBRASKA CITY—R. M. Hess is the new manager of the gas works, which has been in the hands of a receiver for the last two years and has now been purchased by the bondholders, who will overhaul and improve the entire plant.

BEATRICE—The annual reception of the junior class to the seniors and the teachers was given last evening in the Beatrice club rooms. A musical and literary program was rendered after which a banquet was held. Over 100 students were in attendance.

BEATRICE—It is reported that a proposition is being considered by the Union Pacific whereby another motor is to be added for the run between Beatrice and Lincoln. If installed, this motor will make afternoon trips from Beatrice to Lincoln, including a Sunday service.

NEBRASKA CITY—The old settlers of this city and county are arranging to hold a reunion and fair in September in honor of the 100th anniversary of the first territorial fair, which was held in this city in 1859. The new city park will be completed by that time and they will have horse races and an old fashioned fair.

AINSWORTH—Mrs. Mary R. Stokes, widow of Edward D. Stokes, who was found dead on the Scisson farm, north of town, January 16, with a wagon box across his neck, has begun suit against Ben H. Able and Jesse D. Birdsall, two saloonkeepers here and the Lion Bonding and Surety company and the Bankers Surety company for $20,000.

BEATRICE—Ed S. Miller, president of the Beatrice Commercial club, is in receipt of a letter from a cream separator company of Kansas City relative to the possibilities of offered to such a factory by Beatrice. The company signified its intention to invest $10,000 on a new factory, for which they are now looking for a suitable location.

ORD—James E. Olesen and Miss Lillian F. M. Clement were united in marriage at the Presbyterian church at 1:30 Thursday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Halsey officiated. After the ceremony dinner was served at the Transit house to a large number of friends and relatives. The young people are both well known in this locality, having lived in this county all their lives.

ORD—The following are those slated to act as jurymen for the coming term of court: Henry McClellan, E. C. Loomis, H. I. Green, Gust Rose, J. E. Bresley, Cleg Hughes, W. B. Keown, John R. Sharp, S. S. Brown, W. W. Loofbourrow, H. C. E. Marks, W. O. Preston, Frank Walker, D. H. Rathbun, Otto Barts, Raymond Gass, James Ballinger, John Conner, William Gray, Frank Travis, John Lukesh, C. I. Donnald, A. O. Huff, G. W. Taylor.

HOLDREGE — Miss Fay Plummer, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Plummer, died at the home of her parents in this city of tuberculosis at the age of 1½ years. Funeral services were held at the residence Saturday afternoon.

UNIQUE SPORTS IN NORWAY

Horse, Skating and Ski Races Under Auspices of King Haakon.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—A special cable to the Daily News from Christiania, Norway, says: During the fortnight beginning next Tuesday Norway will be the scene of some of the greatest events in the history of the international sports. They will open at Christiania with trotting races over the frozen waters of the Frognorkilen and the narrow sound of Christiania Fjord. On Wednesday afternoon there will be horseback racing on the snow outside the capital. That afternoon will begin the ice hockey and fencing matches, all to be finished in the week. Saturday will see the skating races at 500 and 1,000 yards for the world's championship of 1909. Long ski races are scheduled for Sunday and on Monday there will be a ski jumping contest on the Holmekollen hills.

On Wednesday, March 3, the scene will be changed to Lillehammar, a small inland town, 100 miles from Christiania, where will be held a long ski race over some of the wildest mountains in Norway. Also there will be a Norwegian championship skating race on Mjosen lake, the largest in the country, as well as treating races.

That part of the contests scheduled for Lillehammar will be national in character. In the ski contests on the Holmekollen hills three foreign runners are entered, Rudolph Biehler, the German champion for 1909; Bruno Bikler, who held the same championship last year, and M. Couttet. This will be the first time anybody outside of Norway has ventured to compete with the natives in their national sport.

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$35.00 8-3x10-6 Wilton Rugs, each $25.00
$40.00 9x12 Wilton Rugs, each $35.00
$21.00 9x12 Axminsters, each $15.50
$65.00 10-6x13-6 Wilton Rugs, each $52.00
$50.00 10-6x12 Wilton Rugs, each $39.00
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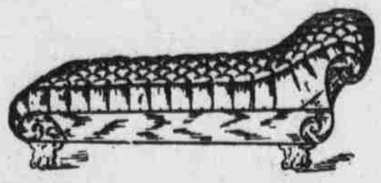

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