

HE IS A HOT WEATHER BUFFER

Elevator Starter Blamed for Everything These Warm Days.

SITS AND SMILES PLEASANTLY

Wheat Bull Trying to Play Bear, Woman Who Collects Tar on Sixteenth and All Vent Their spleen on This Man.

When the thermometer hovers around 100 and the hot winds wither everything in their path, most everybody is uncomfortable, and, being uncomfortable, is peevish.

But speaking of jobs, who wants to be an elevator starter on a hot day? It is upon this official that the peevish ones vent their hot weather irritation, just because he happens to be convenient, handy and receptive.

A. H. Roberts, starter of elevators in the City National bank building, is something of a philosopher. He has grown so from taking the gruff of persons who are out of sorts with the weather.

For instance, the woman with a last year's bonnet, for which she has paid a current season price, is out of breath and disgruntled because she had to walk across the street from the car line.

Who gets the blame? The elevator starter. She blames him for the sixteenth street tar, the torrid temperature and the former tenant's error of omission.

Roberts Only Smiles.

Roberts only smiles. He is used to it. Such performances are many in the 400 to 500 questions he answers every day.

Here comes a woman from the country. She refuses to ride in the elevator because it might fall. And then she blames the starter because Blank & Blank's office is on the ninth floor.

So it goes all day. The man who dabbles in the market snaps at the starter because a car is slow. He is peeved because the hot winds have made a bull market when he was playing bear.

The telegraph boy is perspiring when he enters the corridor. "Why in the blazes don't you have fans in here?" he wants to know of the starter.

A negro woman, irritated by the heat, insists on riding the wrong car. She breaks loose in the attack on the starter because she steers her to the right car.

He is a Philosopher.

So it goes all day long. But Roberts wears a heavy uniform coat and philosophizes. He is patient to the point of the hot weather peevishness of the public is part of the thing he contracted when he took that authoritative position.

"If I pass another summer in this country you can see—" The irascible one addressed to the starter as though he were to blame for his presence in sweltering Omaha, instead of facing cool lake zephyrs, or mountain breezes.

Gardening Costs Lucius W. Wakeley Considerable Money

Now He Says that it is No Sane Occupation for the Man in the City.

Gardening is decidedly no occupation nor even pursuit for the civilized and sane man. So says L. W. Wakeley, general passenger agent of the Burlington, and he out to know for it has cost him \$73.50 cash, and about \$10 worth of his spare time.

Along in the early spring when the call of back to nature was strong in his blood, Wakeley got out the old spade and dug up the space annually dedicated for garden use. Digging that garden gave him lumbago and getting rid of the lumbago has cost him \$80 in doctor bills.

But, nevertheless, the garden grew (with the help of \$12.50 worth of water, which he religiously sprinkled on it in the summer evenings.) Then came the joyful harvest time. Up to date \$1.50 worth of the green things of this earth have appeared on the Wakeley table, and even L. W. himself will admit they tasted good.

Now, of course, that investment of \$12.50 and the \$10 worth of time are not entirely lost. Wakeley has had his finest array of tomato plants in the middle west, many of them in his back yard at 311 South Thirty-third street. And he has a ingenious shotgun attachment to drive away marauders.

But he asks in a plaintive tone, "How can a man with lumbago threatening him drive the voracious bugs from those esteemed tomato plants and save the chance of the \$73.50?" Prize for the most successful answer.

MANY ARE PLANTING POTATOES

Space Ground is Now Being Put in Tubers to Get the Big Prices.

Late potatoes planted in the first week of July, will be one of the big crops of Nebraska this year, according to present indications. Planting late potato crops in Nebraska is taking a risk, but the prospective profits will tempt many of them to try this way of making back money lost on early potatoes, planted in the spring.

Potatoes planted in the first week of July will mature the first or second week of October. Frost may catch them in Nebraska before that, but the chance of getting a crop that is selling at such a price as potatoes will sell this fall in this state, will lead many a Nebraska land owner to plant his seed and take chances on frost and the lack of rain for the rest of the crop season.

All the irrigated sections of Colorado and Wyoming are planting their spuds ground in potatoes and the price may take just as sudden a drop next fall when the harvest season comes as it has taken a rise.

Dangerous Surgery in the abdominal region is prevented by the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers. No. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Imported Porch Blinds—Greatest value at Lowest Price—4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 10 feet wide, 8 feet long, wood web, extra heavy cords and strong pulleys—None better made—\$2.50 to \$6.50



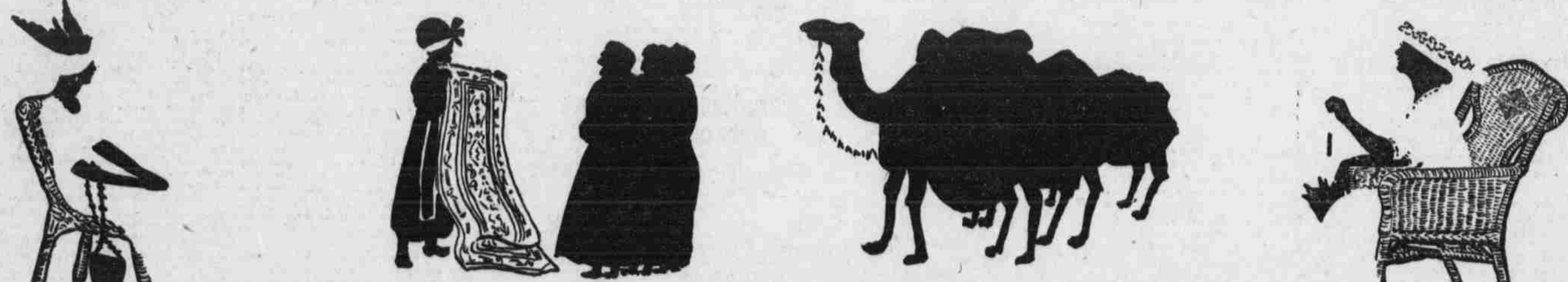
JULY FURNITURE SELLING

Real Value-Giving in

MID-SUMMER SACRIFICES

WE have gone into our stock with the muckraking idea; with the notion that if anything lies hidden from which we can make no immediate profit—something the public might appreciate—that we will bring it out and expose it to view and sentence it to public slaughter.

- \$36.00 China Cabinet—Early English oak, high quality \$20.00
\$40.00 Oak Buffet—Early English, quaint design \$20.00
\$28.00 Early English Dining Table—Strong, 48-in., 8-foot extension \$14.00
\$4.50 Dining Chairs—Early English, strong \$2.50
\$34.00 Golden Oak Buffet—Gives immediate impression of its worth \$25.00
\$20.50 Dressing Table—Mahogany finish, high legs \$13.50
\$23.50 Mahogany Poster Bed—Durably constructed, pretty \$16.50
\$22.00 Golden Oak Library Table—Very heavy base, 48-inch top \$15.00
\$24.00 Golden Oak Library Table—Durable and attractive, 48-inch base \$18.00
\$40.00 Solid Mahogany Settee—Upholstered in blue denim \$20.00
\$43.50 Solid Mahogany Settee—New and distinct design, strong \$25.00
\$46.00 Genuine Leather Rocker—Harrington springs, very comfortable \$29.00
\$63.00 Genuine Leather Rocker—Harrington springs, strong \$40.00
\$18.00 Golden Oak Library Table—Thoroughly constructed, 48-inch \$12.00
\$19.00 Golden Oak Library Table—Heavy base, durable, pretty \$14.00
\$90.00 Gentleman's Auto—Valet—Solid mahogany \$45.00
\$130.00 Colonial Post Dresser—Solid mahogany, large mirror \$75.00
\$33.00 Four Post Bed—Mahogany finish, durably built \$20.00
\$110.00 Dresser—Solid mahogany, French beveled mirror \$60.00
\$72.00 Colonial Dressing Table—Solid mahogany, circular mirror \$40.00
\$90.00 Colonial Chiffonier—Mahog., thoroughly built, spacious drawers, \$50.00
\$60.00 Napoleon Bed—Solid mahogany, distinct design \$35.00
\$12.00 Dressing Table—Mahogany finish, high legs \$8.00
\$16.50 Dressing Table—Mahogany finish, wide top \$10.00
\$23.00 Mahogany Chiffonier—Five large drawers, durable \$12.50
\$25.00 Mahogany Dresser—Four spacious drawers, polished \$15.00
\$23.50 Bird's-Eye Maple Dresser—Handsome article \$15.00
\$19.75 Oak Dresser—Spacious drawers, strongly made \$11.00
\$13.00 Solid Oak Dresser—Very attractive distinct design \$8.50
\$60.00 Circassian Walnut Chiffonier—Six large drawers \$45.00
\$35.00 Circassian Walnut Desk—Excellent article, distinctive \$22.50
\$56.00 Chiffonier—Quarter sawed, six spacious drawers \$35.00
\$75.00 Auto Valet—Quarter sawed oak, very attractive \$45.00
\$18.50 Princess Dresser—Quarter sawed oak, excellent piece \$12.50
\$34.00 Golden Oak Buffet—Leaded glass doors, high quality \$25.00
\$40.00 Golden Oak Buffet—Heavy mirror, broad top \$28.00
\$20.00 China Cabinet—Golden oak, five shelves \$14.50
\$32.50 Dining Table—Solid oak, 40-inch diameter \$24.00
\$8.00 Green Reed Rocker—Comfortable and strong \$4.00
\$9.50 Fiber Rush Chair—Spacious seat—only \$6.00
\$9.50 Fiber Rush Rocker—Heavy runners, durable \$6.00
\$17.00 Fiber Rush Chair—High back and wide seat \$10.00
\$14.00 Fiber Rush Rocker—Very broad, restful and strong \$8.00
\$12.00 Fiber Rush Rocker—Strong, heavy runners, comfortable \$8.00
\$30.00 Fiber Rush Settee—Excellent article, comfortable \$16.00
\$14.00 Genuine Prairie Grass Rocker—Beautiful article \$7.00
\$17.00 Genuine Prairie Grass Rocker—Strong, handsome \$8.50
\$17.50 Genuine Prairie Grass Rocker—Comfortable, lasting \$8.75
\$16.00 Genuine Prairie Grass Chair—Distinctive \$8.00
\$9.50 Crex Table—Strong legs and solid top \$4.75
\$3.50 Crex Rocker—Heavy runners, wide seat \$1.75



A Rug-Fest With Profits Ignored

Here are rug prices that buyers cannot ignore; we've ignored profits, however. Just glance at a few—you'll see that this July Rug Sale is going to be a record breaker. We never have done such startling price cutting; we hope it will be many months before we shall repeat it.

- BRUSSELS RUGS.
\$10.00 Brussels Rug, 6x6-9...\$5.00
\$10.00 Brussels Rug, 6x7...\$5.00
\$12.00 Brussels Rug, 4-6x7-6...\$6.00
\$12.75 Brussels Rug, 4-6x10-6...\$7.50
\$13.00 Brussels Rug, 6x10-9...\$8.50
\$30.00 Brussels Rug, 8x10-6...\$15.00
\$17.00 Brussels Rug, 8-3x8...\$10.75
\$24.00 Brussels Rug, 8-3x12-6...\$18.00
\$20.00 Brussels Rug, 8x10-6...\$10.50
\$17.00 Brussels Rug, 8-3x9-3...\$9.50
\$20.00 Brussels Rug, 8-3x10-6...\$10.50
\$20.00 Brussels Rug, 8-3x11-6...\$10.00
\$16.50 Brussels Rug, 7-9x10-6...\$12.50
\$23.00 Brussels Rug, 8-3x12-6...\$13.50
\$18.50 Brussels Rug, 8x10-6...\$12.00
\$26.50 Brussels Rug, 10-6x10-6...\$18.00
\$28.00 Brussels Rug, 10-6x11-9...\$15.50
\$30.00 Brussels Rug, 10-6x13-9...\$20.00
\$45.00 Brussels Rug, 10-6x12-6...\$25.00
AXMINSTER RUGS.
\$15.00 Axminster Rug, 6x7-1...\$6.00
\$16.50 Axminster Rug, 6x8...\$8.00
\$32.50 Axminster Rug, 8-3x10-8...\$22.50
\$35.00 Axminster Rug, 8-3x12...\$26.50
\$22.50 Axminster Rug, 8-3x8-9...\$15.00
\$24.00 Axminster Rug, 8-3x10...\$12.50
\$24.00 Axminster Rug, 8-7x10...\$16.50
\$25.00 Axminster Rug, 8-7x12...\$17.00
\$22.50 Axminster Rug, 8-3x10...\$16.50
\$23.00 Axminster Rug, 8-3x10-9...\$13.50
\$25.00 Axminster Rug, 8-7x10-9...\$16.00
\$27.50 Axminster Rug, 7-4x10-6...\$19.00
\$27.50 Axminster Rug, 8-3x10-6...\$18.00
\$34.00 Axminster Rug, 10-6x12...\$25.00
\$32.50 Axminster Rug, 10-6x11-6...\$22.00
\$35.00 Axminster Rug, 10-6x13-5...\$25.00
\$32.00 Axminster Rug, 10x12-3...\$22.50
WILTON VELVET RUGS.
\$12.00 Wilton Rug, 6x6-6...\$5.00
\$22.50 Wilton Rug, 8-1x10-6...\$12.50
\$24.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x9-6...\$15.00
\$22.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x10-6...\$16.50
\$27.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x11-2...\$20.00
\$25.50 Wilton Rug, 8-3x11-6...\$16.00
\$24.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x10-6...\$13.50
\$20.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x8-3...\$15.50
\$24.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x11-3...\$11.50
\$24.00 Wilton Rug, 8-3x9-10...\$16.00
\$22.50 Wilton Rug, 8-3x8-3...\$13.00
\$18.50 Wilton Rug, 8-3x8-3...\$11.00
\$26.50 Wilton Rug, 8-3x11-6...\$19.00
\$26.50 Wilton Rug, 10-6x9-10...\$16.00
\$32.50 Wilton Rug, 10-6x12...\$22.00
\$24.50 Wilton Rug, 9-10x8-10...\$14.00
\$30.00 Wilton Rug, 10-6x11-3...\$15.00
\$31.00 Wilton Rug, 10-6x10-6...\$24.00

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