

COMPANIES THREATEN BOARD

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Extra low prices to close out Summer Goods

Parasols Closing out this fancy parasols regardless of cost. Some of the greatest bargains of the season. All new styles at nearly your own price.

Umbrellas 1.50 Ladies' fast black and tan hose—full regular made, double sole—high sprung heel and toe, 25c quality; our sale price only 15c pair.

Ladies' Summer Hosiery The only way for our customers to appreciate our special offerings in ladies' summer hosiery and underwear is to come and examine quality; our prices will please and surprise you. Special sale all week.

Men's Underwear Boys' Underwear Boys' hairbrush and drawers, ankle or knee length—white made—all sizes, 24 to 34—only 25c each.

Special midsummer sale of men's furnishings—Men's colored shirts Men's and Boys' Shirts 50c Men's Shirts 69c

Men's Shirts 75c Men's Shirts \$1.00 Men's Shirts \$1.25 Men's Star shirts, with attached collars and cuffs, made of the best quality percale, cuffs to match.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters Boys' fine all wool hand made sweaters in navy with red border, myrtle with orange border, red with white border, \$1.00.

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MINNESOTA DIVERSION IN PROSPECT

A log rolling match is one of the attractions contemplated for the near future, the contest to take place in the lagoon, "Log rolling" is a sport peculiar to the timber regions of the country, although a pastime under the same designation is sometimes indulged in at political conventions. The genuine article (the political variety) is to be exhibited by some of the experienced lumbermen who have been employed in the erection of the Minnesota log house. These men were brought here from the immense pine forests of Minnesota by the contractors for the state building which is now rapidly nearing completion and they are to let the store in charge of Frederickson a short time, and when he returned he found Frederickson shot dead. Suspicion falls on three persons who were in the open water and try to throw each other off by rolling the log.

Judge Hayward Approved

Judge M. L. Hayward of Nebraska City is making his first visit to the exposition, and he says that every visit increases his delight in the magnificent show. "Omaha is justly entitled to jump up and crack its heels together," declared the judge this morning. "She has the greatest show that was ever brought together, and the whole west should rejoice in the magnificent success that has been achieved. We are all proud of the exposition and of Omaha."

Notes of the Exposition

The admissions to the grounds on Girls' and Boys' day aggregated 14,316. The first lot of Nebraska peaches has been received at the Horticultural building and the red-cheeked beauties are on exhibition in the Nebraska display. They came from Hitchcock county, in the southern part of the state. County Superintendent Sawyer yesterday received a paper from Pueblo, Colo., containing a list of names of the exhibitors of the Horticultural building. We are glad to hear that the shipment was largely an experiment to see if the fruit could safely be shipped such a long distance, but it will probably not be repeated. There will be a profusion of concerts on the grounds Sunday afternoon and evening. The Pawnee City band will play in the Auditorium at 1:30 p. m., and in front of the Government building at 6:30 p. m. Minnie's band will play in front of the Government building at 3 o'clock and in the music pavilion on the plaza at 8 o'clock. The programs of both bands will be largely made of sacred music, including the works of Rossini, Bach, Beethoven, Haydn, etc.

Pushing Colman for an Office

Superintendent A. F. Colman of the Iowa horticultural exhibit is being strongly urged by the people of southwestern Iowa as a candidate for the position of railway commissioner, which becomes vacant at the end of the year. The commissioner whose term expires is G. W. Perkins, who represents the farming interests on the commission. He has been customary to have a farmer on the commission and Mr. Colman is being pushed to the front as a representative farmer. He has been president of the Iowa Horticultural society for a number of years and has always been an active republican.

Another Speculative Rate Falls

The Department of Transportation has been unable to secure a special railroad rate for the annual meeting of the building and loan associations of the United States which will convene in Omaha July 27. The fact that there are less than 200 delegates who are scattered all over the country convinced the passenger association officials that it would not be worth while to make

MINERAL HANDS

F. M. Mooers of Landsburg, Cal., a gold mining district in Los Angeles county, has come to install a mineral exhibit representing the mining interests of southern California. He is vice president of the company which controls the gold mines known as the Hand group and expected to find a shipment of ore awaiting him here. He says the ore taken from these mines is very rich, some of it running as high as \$20,000 to the ton. The exhibit will be installed in the Mines building.

SHOT WITH HIS OWN GUN

Man Seventy Years Old is Murdered for His Money at Runaway Springs, S. D. RAPID CITY, July 15.—(Special Telegram.)—Frederick Frederickson was murdered yesterday while tending the store of J. F. Bakers at Runaway Springs on White river, about forty miles east of this city. He was shot by Frederickson who was 75 years old and had been on the frontier twenty-five years. He always carried large sums of money about his person. It is known that he was robbed of \$500 after he was killed. He was shot with his own gun from the rear, his brains being blown to pieces.

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