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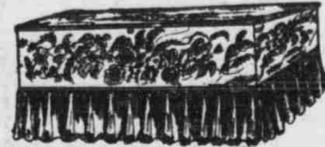
414-16-18 South Sixteenth Street

BIG CARPET SALE

A great reduction in price on Brussels, Velvets, Axminster and Wilton Carpets for Monday only. Our carpet business the past month has been exceedingly large, demonstrating to us that people are going to use carpets more extensively in their homes. We have prepared for this demand by exceptionally large purchases for spring, therefore in order to make room necessary to properly display the goods now arriving we are going to hold a sale extraordinary for one day—Monday only—on all carpets that we desire to close out. Come Monday for these unusual values.

- 75c Tapestry Brussels with stair to match, reduced to.....59c
- \$1.10 Velvet, with stair and 5-8 border to match, reduced to.....75c
- \$1.10 best quality Tapestry Brussels.....79c
- \$1.25 extra quality Velvet.....85c
- \$1.35 extra quality Axminster with borders to match, splendid line of patterns to select from.....\$1.05
- \$1.20 Axminster, with border to match, reduced to.....90c
- \$1.75 Wilton, with border and stair to match, reduced to.....\$1.32
- \$2.00 Beattie Wilton Carpet and 5-8 border to match, reduced to.....\$1.38

LACE CURTAINS



Cretonne and Matting Covered Shirt Waist Boxes at \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.25 and up to \$18.50, according to size.

We are now showing our new spring line and this season's display is the largest and most complete we have ever shown. Here you will find better goods and better values.

- SWISS CURTAINS**—The newest curtains for bedrooms are plain Swiss with wide hems, tucks and insertions. We are showing a complete line, at, per pair.....\$1.25
- CLUNY CURTAINS**—Made on heavy French Net with insertion and edge. 2 1/2 yards long, 45 inches wide, per pair.....\$4.25 Others at \$2.95 per pair, up to.....\$25.00
- BRUSSELS CURTAINS**—A curtain that is always good: it is dainty for parlors, bedrooms and upstairs sitting room. We show a complete new line of designs at \$4.45 \$6.50 up
- BED SPREADS**—Made from fancy French Muslin with bolster covers and ruffles complete, in yellow, green and rose colors. See the assortment, at, per set.....\$6.50
- CURTAIN NET**—48-inch Fancy Nets, the new effects in nets, yd. 35¢ 36-inch Banglow Nets in Arabian color, per yard.....45¢ 48-inch extra heavy fancy net, Arabian color, yd. 75¢
- MADRAS CURTAIN**—The ever popular curtain for the heavier styles of furnishings, our new spring line is more attractive than ever before—the prices are, per pair \$4.95, \$5.50, \$6.75 and.....\$7.50
- PORTIERES**—On figured rep with tapestry border in colors of greens and reds—a curtain that you have been in the habit of paying \$5.00 per pair for. We show a complete line of colors, at, per pair.....\$3.75

A Few Special Furniture Values



Special Felt Mattresses

We have a special offer in a 45-pound felted cotton mattress, stitched and roll edge. Covered in art tick, regular \$12.00 values, at \$8.50.

Dining Table (Like illustration)
This is a very heavy, substantial table, built of best quarter-sawn white oak, hand-polished, has massive carved claw and ball foot, round top, 48 inches in diameter. This is a table that would sell in the regular way at from \$32.00 to \$35.00. It is our special, at, each.....\$24.00

Brass Bed Specials
We can save you at least one-fourth on your brass bed purchase. \$3 patterns to choose from. \$48.00 Brass Bed for.....\$34.00 \$54.00 Brass Bed for.....\$39.00 \$60.00 Brass Bed for.....\$43.00 \$66.00 Brass Bed for.....\$49.00 \$72.00 Brass Bed—Extra heavy 2-inch post, plain, rich design, heavy filling, \$22.00, special, each.....\$16.00
Have you visited our Stove and Kitchenware Department in the Basement.

This high quality dresser (like illustration) comes in genuine quarter saw oak, or in genuine mahogany with full finish, trimmed with wood knobs. This is a plain, rich design, all squared up on the edges, has a very large base, 12 inches deep by 42 inches long. French bevel mirror 30 1/2 inches. Two small drawers and two large drawers, all finished inside. Slight workmanship and construction. Special in golden oak.....\$28.00 Special in dull mahogany.....\$32.00 \$29.00 dull mahogany, \$28.00.

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BRIAN MAKES HIS REPORT

Treasurer Shows Cash on Hand Now Over \$200,000.

STATEMENT FOR CURRENT MONTH

In Collision of Chief's Auto and Chemical Wagon Fire Captain Gets Several Ribs Broken.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 27.—(Special).—State Treasurer Brian made his monthly report to State Auditor Barton this afternoon, showing the transactions of his office for the month of February. He has cash on hand and cash items, \$22,143.35; cash on deposit, \$61,536.61. In the permanent school fund he has on hand \$235,452.63.

Fireman Hurt in Crash.
Fire Chief Clements' automobile was wrecked and Captain Eddy received injuries in the right side that may prove to be several broken ribs in a collision that occurred at Eleventh and P streets shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The chemical wagon from engine house No. 1 collided with the chief's machine when both were headed for a blaze at Nineteenth street, between O and P streets. The chemical wagon was traveling east on P street when the chief and Captain Eddy, the latter driving, flashed across its way, headed south to O street. The captain was not expecting to meet the chemical wagon on P street and did not see it until the horses were at his side.

The wagon tumbled through the side of the seat which the chief and captain were occupying, and passed through the steering gear an instant later, twisting the mechanism and squeezing the captain against the back of his seat. Chief Clements jumped from the vehicle at the same moment the tongue of the chemical wagon struck. The bystanders said he traveled twenty feet through the air before he touched ground, and traveled an equal distance in a prostrate position afterward. Both horses on the wagon fell to their knees and slid a considerable distance. The rear wheel on the right side was demolished and all the others rendered unfit for present use. Neither the chief, captain or firemen on the chemical wagon reached the scene of the fire, which however, proved to be trivial.

The horses' knees lost some outside and were bleeding freely when they reached the barn, but beyond that the animals were unhurt.

It was feared the most serious injuries had been received by Captain Eddy and the chief. The former was able to walk back to the engine house, but he said every breath was painful and feared some of his ribs had been contused or broken. He had not consulted a physician at a late hour this afternoon. The injury to the chief's knees was very painful, but it was impossible to ascertain how serious it was.

Joseph Warren Gets Parole.
On a showing made during the administration of former Governor Sheldon, a parole from the penitentiary has been granted to Joseph Warren, sentenced from Douglas county for a term of years as an accomplice in the murder of Neil Lausten. Governor Shallenberger, himself, heard no evidence, but took the records made up by the prosecutor in office. All the officials who had anything to do with the prosecution of Warren recommended leniency, and Attorney General Thompson, after investigating the facts, joined in the request. This is the second parole order issued by the present executive since taking office. He has granted no pardons or commutations.

Warren received a sentence of fifteen years, which the supreme court reduced to ten. His lawyer applied to former Governor Sheldon for a pardon which was refused; but the record made at that time shows Warren was entitled to a parole as soon as he should become eligible on serving the minimum three years prescribed by law for his offense. He established the fact that he was not present at the time

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Lausten was killed, though he had been associating with the gang which did the murderous work.

The paroled prisoner is a young man of 24. He was released under the jurisdiction of his grandfather at Rushville and will go to live with his mother on a farm near that place.

No Parole for Zeller.

The applicant for a parole in behalf of Frederick Zeller, under sentence of five years for incest on his sister, a girl of 12, has been denied. His brother, William, convicted for the same offense, had previously applied for clemency and the request in his case was also refused. The Zellers are from Crafton.

According to the papers on file, Mrs. Rosenberg says it was her husband that was cruel. She alleges that he has an income of \$5,000 a year, but has allowed her only \$2 a week to live on, and then made her give him an itemized statement of all her expenditures. Rosenberg, in his allegations of cruelty, says that when he would be to business in the morning his wife would get on a stretcher and that she had already bought mourning for a cheerful widowhood. He says she would lie in bed until after he went to business, and then would get up and stay out all day, not getting his meals.

One night of dreadful memory, says Rosenberg, she came home late, and when he was sleeping soundly, she jumped into bed and pushed him out. He fell hard because he was asleep, hit his nose against the floor—and she "never even apologized!"

HAS HAND SHATTERED BY SHOT

Gun Discharged Accidentally While Boy Is Out Hunting.
KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram).—Clyde Howe, 17 years old, son of A. G. Bower, had a portion of his left hand blown off by the accidental discharge of a shotgun while hunting on the Platte river at an early hour this morning. The gun was lying in the bottom of the boat while the boys were endeavoring to move the boat over a sandbar, when it went off and young Bower held up his hand just enough to catch the heaviest of the load. Amputation of his hand probably will be necessary.

THIRD CAVEIN AT A SAND PIT

L. A. Jewell Crushed Against Wagon and Killed.
ANSELBY, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special).—L. A. Jewell was killed in a sand pit two miles southeast of Anselby yesterday afternoon while hauling sand for the Anselby Cement company. The sand caved in on him, ment company. The sand caved in on him, and he died on the road home. On two previous occasions he had narrow escapes from death in the same pit. He was an old resident, and leaves a wife and one grown son.

News from Kearney Normal.
KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special).—The members of the Dramatic club will stage a couple of plays next Friday evening, "Mose" and "A Bay Case." The school band will furnish music.

Prof. H. O. Sutton and Prof. C. A. Murch have been unable to take care of their classes this last week on account of illness. Prof. Sutton will return to his work Monday.

At a class meeting of the seniors held Thursday afternoon the following officers were elected for the last semester of the year: President, Herbert Markward; vice president, Miss Madge Lovings; secretary, Miss Bertha Schumacher; re-elected; treasurer, Thomas Goar; sergeant-at-arms, A. C. North; yell leader, Cassius Giffin.

The question which will be debated in April with the Peru Normal has been chosen. It reads: "Resolved, That cities in Nebraska with a population of 1,000 or more should adopt the commissioner system of municipal government." The same question will be debated by both girls and boys. The Kearney boys will go to Peru, the Peru girls will come to Kearney. The following will represent the Kearney school in this debate: Anthony M. Eastering, Walter Fisher, Ralph Dugdale and Roscoe C. Simmons, Minnie Blanchard, Alice Hawthorne, Mabel Kirk and Margaret Peterson.

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The boys will have the negative, the girls the affirmative.

Several members of the faculty have organized a class for the purpose of studying the French language. The Rosenthal system of instruction will be employed.

At the regular meeting of the Emanuel Debating society, Herbert Markward spoke at length upon the subject of "Forestry in Nebraska." He showed the gradual progress that has taken place in this line of state work. There are now 1,000 square miles of forest in Nebraska, composed chiefly of bull pine and the Norway poplar, with a large percentage of catalpa.

PLATE REPUBLICANS NAUGHT.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special).—Plate county republicans begin to see the necessity of getting together and doing something, and so last evening they had a meeting and banquet at Masonic hall. There were almost as many together as usually turn out to vote. The whole arrangement was gotten up by E. H. Chambers and ex-Mayor R. S. Dickinson, and the women of the Congregational church provided the supper. W. M. Cornsullivan was the toastmaster, and the first speaker was Hon. E. R. Gosney of Fremont.

The boys interested in nearly an hour's speech on the subject of "The One Term Party." Postmaster Carl Kramer told about "What Shall We Do with the Ex-Postmasters?" The next speaker was Rev. Samuel Harkness, pastor of the Presbyterian church. He was not assigned a text, but talked about Roosevelt and Taft.

Boy Accidentally Poisoned.

WEST POINT, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special).—A fatal accident happened in the family of John Bura, living in Lincoln township. A 5-year-old boy of the family by name was found a bottle of strychnine which was supposed to be out of his reach. He was found within a few minutes by his mother suffering from the effects of the poison. Medical aid was summoned, but too late to save the life of the child.

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YORK—Alexander Stephens, a resident and large property owner in York and one of the best known citizens of that city, had a stroke of apoplexy and died before a physician could get to his bedside.

YORK—The York Electric and Power company has just completed installing an electric motor at the York Water Works company plant and is now operating satisfactorily pumping water, doing away with the water company mules.

YORK—At last word has been received from Coroner Smith from relatives of Charles Redger, the son of John Redger, who was found dead in the driveway of a feed store here about four weeks ago. A letter from a brother-in-law of the deceased, Wash., was received directing funeral arrangements.

TECUMSEH—Johnson county was first in butter awards at the recent meeting of the Nebraska Dairymen's association held in Lincoln. George C. Johnson, dairy proprietor of the Guernseydale dairy farm, near this city, received first premium on ordinary butter in butter. In addition he was paid ten cents per pound for the butter, which was sold at 15¢ position. Mr. Phillips runs a small herd in Tecumseh, and is noted for his product in the market. The dormitory of the State Normal at Peru.

TECUMSEH—The business proposition in which Messrs. F. W. Williams and L. Carter of College View and H. P. Holcomb of Tecumseh were interested has been straightened out. The two gentlemen traded the greater part of a stock of goods for residence property in College View to the gentleman who had the stock, and took charge of the stock. One afternoon they left the property and returned to their homes in College View. Mr. Holcomb is to take charge of the stock and it remained without a manager for two weeks. Finally the men got together and divided the stock, and possession of the stock. He will sell it out. Mr. Holcomb has his deed to the College View property. He is also taking \$2,000 worth of shoes and put them in another building and will place them on sale next week.

HUMBOLDT—When Riley O'Keefe and wife awakened at 2 o'clock in the morning they found their baby lying lifeless between them. The child had been suffering from whooping cough and a complication, but the parents were not alarmed over its condition. Funeral services are to be held this afternoon at the Baptist church.

HUMBOLDT—A series of revival meetings is in progress at the Baptist church of this city, being conducted by the new president, Fred Arnold, assisted by Rev. P. M. Sturdevant of Tecumseh. The city is arranging for a "home coming" March 10 on the twenty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the church at this place. The new minister will be ordained in his home town and many of the early members and friends of the church are expected to be on hand. Among those will be Rev. Lawler of Tridgale, Colo., who was the minister at the organization.

FALLS CITY—Miss Lydia Werner and Otto C. Reiger were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Werner, Wednesday afternoon, in the presence of seventy-five guests.

FALLS CITY—Miss Krueger died at her home north of Falls City on Wednesday. She leaves a father and another husband and six children. The youngest of whom is only a week old. The funeral was held from the home February 27.

FALLS CITY—Sixty helpers have been secured for the glove factory which will take the work home until the factory has been completed, which will probably be ready next fall. By that time it will be known how much help is available and machines can be put in accordingly. The number of machines put in will be decided by the number of helpers secured.

PLATTSMOUTH—J. C. Travis has accepted an invitation to deliver an address before the Oto Democratic club in Syracuse on March 10.

PLATTSMOUTH—Lee A. Mayfield, who has for many years been the editor and proprietor of the Louisville Weekly Courier, has disposed of the paper to George Mayfield of South Omaha. The Courier was founded more than thirty years ago by George W. Mayfield.

PLATTSMOUTH—Ovella Robertson and Miss Myrtle Fontana, both of this county, were united in marriage in Lincoln by the county judge.

PLATTSMOUTH—Miss Smith Hughes of Chicago delivered a very interesting address in the Presbyterian church last evening, she being the traveling secretary of the Presbyterian home mission board.

PLATTSMOUTH—A meeting of the city council J. P. Falter, councilman, made a motion that the chief of police be authorized to arrest saloon keepers who are violating the provisions of the Stocum law by selling liquor on Sundays.

SEWARD—Milford people are violently opposed to the proposed new Soldiers and Sailors Home there into a dispensary hospital for the treatment of the drug and liquor habit. The object of the Grand Island home being merged into the Milford Soldiers Home.

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both having graduated from the academic department, and the bride having been an instructor for two years. They expect to reside on a farm near town.

CENTRAL CITY—News reached the city Thursday of the death that morning of Mat Yenney, a former citizen of Central City, who resided in the city after his death was a sudden one. According to the report he was found dead in bed at the hotel where he had been staying. The remains will be brought here for burial.

CENTRAL CITY—John Larson of Omaha and Miss Lorena Barrows of this city were married at Villisca, Ia., Wednesday. The ceremony took place at the home of a brother of the groom, who resides at Villisca. Both young people are well known here.

SEWARD—Charles Backrocker, a resident of the western part of the city, was seriously injured yesterday by the breaking of a foot in an out-house and being thrown into a deep hole. He was 30 pounds in weight and his injuries are of a serious nature.

SEWARD—The home of Guy Edwards was destroyed last evening. It was situated in the southern part of the city and the fire broke out in the kitchen and the fire boys could do nothing. The house and contents were a total loss, with some loss of the contents of the house. Edwards lost his home and its contents while away at work.

SEWARD—George Hoffmann of Walden, Neb., has purchased a building in the business of George Trullinger and the firm is now Trullinger & Hoffmann. He is a native of Walden, Mo., to make his home, having purchased a large tract of land near that place.

SEWARD—Last evening the ice in the Missouri river broke up and went west. This is the third time that the river has been broken over and the ice broken. It broke all previous known records.

SEWARD—The Beaver Crossing Times has been sold by the owner, Charles C. Diers, to E. A. McNeil of David City.

SEWARD—The Tamose Farmers' institute passed resolutions asking the Nebraska legislature to pass a county option bill.

SEWARD—The students of the German Lutheran seminary have organized themselves into a department of the city, that part of the city. The city will furnish them with a house, etc.

SEWARD—A 5-year-old boy in the family of Lucia Dittmar, near Milford, died as a result of an accident while playing with his brothers in the yard. A stick was jabbed into the little fellow's eye.

SEWARD—"Who Will Win Him" will be given by home talent at the home of Mrs. Charles Roy on next Thursday. Several people have produced a number of plays this winter, various clubs having given company and company of sixteen people is now making a tour of the northwest.

SEWARD—In the district court yesterday, Judge J. P. Platter granted a decree of divorce from John A. Prager on the ground of drunkenness and non-support in the suit for partition and equitable relief brought by Prager and his wife against Mrs. Laura McMaster.

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THE BREW—One may have a Delicious Wholesome cup of BEER.

If it is properly brewed—but Postum, like all good things, can be spoiled in the making. If the cook has abused you have another try. It's easy—follow directions on pkg. "There's a Reason"

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