



Women's Shirt Waists

Every day adds to our beautiful assortment of Shirt Waists—such as linens, batistes, white lawns and other desirable materials—our styles are all exclusive with us, and are very reasonably priced—

Handsome white china silk waists, from \$1.50 to \$2.00. TAILOR-MADE SUITS—To close out the balance of our stock we are making very low prices.

Kimono—we are showing some very pretty new kimono's, very cool and light weight, at \$2.25. DRESS SKIRTS—We make a specialty of handsome dress skirts—you can always find something new and pretty at Thompson, Belden & Co.—prices from \$5.75 to \$10.00.

WE CLOSE SATURDAY AT 6 P. M.

THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO.

T. M. C. A. BUILDING, COR. 15TH AND DOUGLAS STS.

certain ad valorem rate. The ad valorem rate on the necessities of life and articles essential to the development of the islands will not run higher than 15 per cent, but upon articles of luxury and luxuries the rate will be 20 per cent and in the case of luxuries of higher proportions. In such cases the specific duty will first be assessed, the value of the article will then be estimated and it will be determined whether the amount of the specific duty is as much as the ad valorem limit. If the amount of the specific duty falls below the ad valorem limit a sufficient amount will be added to bring the net duties up to the limit.

Has Its Advantages. It is believed that this method of assessing the duties will obviate the objections made by the Philippine commission to any ad valorem duties, upon the ground that they would afford temptation to undervaluation and to fix in the absence of competent experts in the customs house at Manila. The effect of any practical degree of under-valuation under the system proposed would be trifling upon the net duties paid and not worth the risk of seeking to defeat the revenue.

The limit of 15 per cent will apply to a great variety of articles under the metal schedule, which it was found impossible to distribute under specific duties. Tools and implements, cutlery, needles, pens, miscellaneous manufactures of iron and steel and of zinc, copper and nickel will be required to pay duties of not less than 15 per cent. In all these cases the specific duty will be collected, whether it amounts to 15 per cent or more, but where it falls below 15 per cent, ad valorem, an estimate of the value of the articles will be made and the amount of duty rated to 15 per cent ad valorem. Plate glass and mirrors will be required to pay not less than 20 per cent, while the limit in the case of cut glass, watch glass and similar fine products will be fixed at not less than 30 per cent.

How the Porto Ricans Feel. The full report of the Delmas case was published here today and it evinced a general feeling of disappointment among Porto Rican merchants, who had hoped that the court's decision would give them a year's free trade. Porto Ricans are reluctant to believe that today's full report is true. The commission on the part of the United States seems to be that the Porto Rican legislature should be convened in extra session to declare Porto Rico self-supporting without the collection of customs on imports between Porto Rico and the United States.

OVERDRAFTS ARE FOUND. Examiner of Defunct Canton Bank Reports that Officials Are Indebted to It. CANTON, S. D., May 28.—(Special)—L. H. Larsen, cashier of the defunct Canton State bank and who was last week arrested on the charge of overdrawing his account for \$2,000, has been again arrested on the charge of overdrawing and fraudulent banking. Ball was immediately furnished for the new charges and Larsen was released. At present he is confined to his bed with an attack of pneumonia and only intimate friends are allowed to see him.

Constipation. Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

ASSEMBLY SESSION ENDS

BERRY WRITES OF OMAHA

Good Words by the General Secretary of the Epworth League. Joseph F. Berry, general secretary of the Epworth league and editor of the Epworth Herald, who recently visited Omaha, has this to say in a recent issue of his paper.

CLOSING PROCEEDINGS ARE SPICED

Suggestion that Moderator Minton Succeed Dr. Dickey as Committee Chairman Brings Latter's Friends to Their Feet. PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—The thirtieth Presbyterian general assembly was dissolved at 6:15 o'clock by Moderator Minton, after having been in session nearly two weeks, during which time many matters of importance to the church were considered.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—The thirtieth Presbyterian general assembly was dissolved at 6:15 o'clock by Moderator Minton, after having been in session nearly two weeks, during which time many matters of importance to the church were considered. Chief among these was the question regarding the revision of the confession of faith. After a discussion continuing nearly four days, this momentous subject was referred to a special committee.

Then arose the question as to the chairman of the committee. Dr. Herrick Johnson said that the fact that Dr. Dickey had acted as chairman of the old committee, it would be discourteous to select a new chairman. A motion was made empowering the committee to elect their own chairman, but this was defeated.

Dr. James E. Moffat of Cumberland, Md., said that Dr. Dickey had been chairman of the last committee because of his office as moderator of the assembly. He moved the election of Moderator Minton as chairman of the committee on revision and the motion was carried.

Employment for Idle Ministers. The first order of the day was the report of the special committee on vacancy and supply, read by Judge Robert N. Wilson of this city. The report contains plans for the employment of unemployed ministers and the supply of vacant churches.

THIEF CATCHERS ASSEMBLE. Convention of Chiefs of Police Associations Begins at New York. NEW YORK, May 28.—The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Chiefs of Police of the United States and Canada began in this city today.

FIRE RECORD. Pavilion on Hill Top. DULUTH, May 28.—The pavilion on the hill top, 600 feet above the level of Lake Superior, burned last night.

Millinery and Jewelry Stores. NEBRASKA CITY, May 28.—(Special Telegram)—At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in the building occupied by May Harris, with a large stock of millinery and jewelry.

Fairbury Nursery House. FAIRBURY, N. D., May 28.—(Special Telegram)—The brick pecking house of the Fairbury Nursery company was destroyed by fire this evening.

General Grant Leaves Chicago. CHICAGO, May 28.—General Fred Dent Grant, who has been visiting here for the last few days, left tonight for Washington, where he goes to report to headquarters.

BERRY WRITES OF OMAHA

Good Words by the General Secretary of the Epworth League. Joseph F. Berry, general secretary of the Epworth league and editor of the Epworth Herald, who recently visited Omaha, has this to say in a recent issue of his paper.

The city of Omaha received some stirring news from the business past of 1901. For several years dark clouds hung before the financial vista. Some prophets gravely shook their heads, saying that the town had seen its best days.

Bishop McEhee went to Omaha soon after the opening of the conference and captured the city. He rented some rooms and planned for a bona-fide residence.

Dr. Dawson of the Seward Street church, having served continuously for thirteen years, was elected moderator of the Epworth league.

Dr. Dawson of the Seward Street church, having served continuously for thirteen years, was elected moderator of the Epworth league.

Convention of Chiefs of Police Associations Begins at New York. NEW YORK, May 28.—The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Chiefs of Police of the United States and Canada began in this city today.

FIRE RECORD. Pavilion on Hill Top. DULUTH, May 28.—The pavilion on the hill top, 600 feet above the level of Lake Superior, burned last night.

Millinery and Jewelry Stores. NEBRASKA CITY, May 28.—(Special Telegram)—At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in the building occupied by May Harris, with a large stock of millinery and jewelry.

Fairbury Nursery House. FAIRBURY, N. D., May 28.—(Special Telegram)—The brick pecking house of the Fairbury Nursery company was destroyed by fire this evening.

General Grant Leaves Chicago. CHICAGO, May 28.—General Fred Dent Grant, who has been visiting here for the last few days, left tonight for Washington, where he goes to report to headquarters.

Constipation. Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

BUNKING TOGETHER AGAIN

Nearly 2,500 Confederate Veterans Assemble at Memphis

Only Actual Business Performed in Completion of Permanent Organization and Appointment of Committees. MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 28.—Nearly 2,500 members of the United Confederate Veterans, representing 1,331 camps of the organization, met in Confederate hall this morning for their annual reunion.

The first effective step toward actual consolidation of the two systems will be taken at once by the abandoning of superfluous trains. Next Sunday the Frisco will take off a passenger train between Kansas City and Springfield and the Memphis railway will change the time of its train to that point so as to handle the business.

The actual business performed was the completion of the permanent organization of the people of Memphis and of the state of Tennessee and by members of different organizations affiliated with the United Confederate Veterans.

General George W. Gordon of Memphis, who rallied his desk with a gavel made the opening prayer for the veterans standing with uncovered heads.

Chancellor Gordon then in a speech, brought forward Hon. Timothy E. Cooper of Mississippi, who extended a welcome to the Sons of the Confederacy.

THIEF CATCHERS ASSEMBLE. Convention of Chiefs of Police Associations Begins at New York. NEW YORK, May 28.—The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Chiefs of Police of the United States and Canada began in this city today.

FIRE RECORD. Pavilion on Hill Top. DULUTH, May 28.—The pavilion on the hill top, 600 feet above the level of Lake Superior, burned last night.

Millinery and Jewelry Stores. NEBRASKA CITY, May 28.—(Special Telegram)—At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in the building occupied by May Harris, with a large stock of millinery and jewelry.

Fairbury Nursery House. FAIRBURY, N. D., May 28.—(Special Telegram)—The brick pecking house of the Fairbury Nursery company was destroyed by fire this evening.

General Grant Leaves Chicago. CHICAGO, May 28.—General Fred Dent Grant, who has been visiting here for the last few days, left tonight for Washington, where he goes to report to headquarters.

Constipation. Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

MEMPHIS ROAD TO VANISH

Her Name to Pass with the Constitution July 1st. Louis & San Francisco is New Title.

KANSAS CITY, May 28.—It is announced that the consolidation of the Memphis and Frisco railways will mark the complete effacement of the former road. The name of the new property will, it is said, be styled the St. Louis & San Francisco.

The first effective step toward actual consolidation of the two systems will be taken at once by the abandoning of superfluous trains. Next Sunday the Frisco will take off a passenger train between Kansas City and Springfield and the Memphis railway will change the time of its train to that point so as to handle the business.

Only Actual Business Performed in Completion of Permanent Organization and Appointment of Committees. MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 28.—Nearly 2,500 members of the United Confederate Veterans, representing 1,331 camps of the organization, met in Confederate hall this morning for their annual reunion.

General George W. Gordon of Memphis, who rallied his desk with a gavel made the opening prayer for the veterans standing with uncovered heads.

Chancellor Gordon then in a speech, brought forward Hon. Timothy E. Cooper of Mississippi, who extended a welcome to the Sons of the Confederacy.

THIEF CATCHERS ASSEMBLE. Convention of Chiefs of Police Associations Begins at New York. NEW YORK, May 28.—The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Chiefs of Police of the United States and Canada began in this city today.

FIRE RECORD. Pavilion on Hill Top. DULUTH, May 28.—The pavilion on the hill top, 600 feet above the level of Lake Superior, burned last night.

Millinery and Jewelry Stores. NEBRASKA CITY, May 28.—(Special Telegram)—At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in the building occupied by May Harris, with a large stock of millinery and jewelry.

Fairbury Nursery House. FAIRBURY, N. D., May 28.—(Special Telegram)—The brick pecking house of the Fairbury Nursery company was destroyed by fire this evening.

General Grant Leaves Chicago. CHICAGO, May 28.—General Fred Dent Grant, who has been visiting here for the last few days, left tonight for Washington, where he goes to report to headquarters.

Constipation. Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

Our Working Girls.

Life to the most favored is not always full of sunshine, but to the average American girl or woman who is obliged to work for her living, and, perhaps to help others at home, life is often a heavy drag in consequence of illness.



The young lady whose portrait we publish herewith had all these symptoms, and in addition leucorrhoea, and was cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. First, she wrote a letter to Mrs. Pinkham's laboratory at Lynn, Mass., describing her trouble, received in reply accurate instructions what to do to get well, and now wishes her name used to convince others that they may be cured as she was.

The same helping hand, free of charge or obligation, is extended to every ailing woman in America. If you are sick you are foolish not to get this valuable advice, it costs you nothing, and she is sure to help you. Don't wait until it is too late—write today.

BRICKS BITTERS. AN ECLIPSE. Of the Sun throws a dark shadow on the earth. So it with the human body when disease shuts out the light of health and happiness.

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. Is an antidote for all diseases which attack the Kidneys, Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It drives out constipated conditions, restores functional activity and regularity.

\$500 REWARD. We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver, Stomach, or Bowel disease, if the patient is cured by our medicine.

MONEY REFUNDED. We guarantee to refund the money if our medicine does not cure your disease.

W. W. COLE'S. Greatest of All Great Shows Allied with Morris Bros.' Famous Dog and Pony Circus.

LORENZ'S Celebrated Concert Band. OF THIRTY PIECES. A FASHIONABLE RENDEZVOUS. A CHILDREN'S PARADISE.

BOYD'S Woodward & Burgess. S. M. BEAR Presents Ferris Stock Co.

DESTROYS SLEEP. Most Omaha People Testify to This. You can't sleep at night. With aches and pains of a bad back.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 28.—(Special Telegram)—At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in the building occupied by May Harris, with a large stock of millinery and jewelry.