

January Bargains in Our Cloak Dept.

Our annual January sale of Cloaks, Suits, Furs, Capes, Silk and Wool Waists is now attracting the attention of the ladies of Omaha and vicinity.

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PUTS CORNISH ON THE RACK

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LEGISLATION FOR THE ARMY

Chairman Hull of House Committee Preparing a Bill.

PRESENT ACT ONLY A TEMPORARY ONE

Organization Now Expires by Limitation Next Session—Innovative that Substitute Should Be Adopted.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Chairman Hull of the House committee on military affairs says some general character relating to the organization of the army probably will be presented at this session of congress.

He says the present law will do as a temporary measure, but as it specifically provides that the present organization of the army shall cease July 1, 1906, it is imperative that this congress do something to take a course of action.

The staff organization of the army is likely to receive attention. Secretary Root favors a change in the present system of having a "detail staff."

REWARDING NAVAL HEROES

President Has a Long Consultation With Captains of Atlantic Fleet.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The president has again taken up the question of rewarding the naval officers who participated in the destruction of Cervera's fleet of Santiago.

There also has been a suggestion for the creation of the grade of vice admiral for the benefit of Rear Admirals Sampson and Schley.

Receipts and Disbursements and South and West. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The report of the state treasurer shows the total receipts of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, last, to have been \$1,048,572.28.

While the report makes no showing for the last half of the year, the surplus on hand at the beginning of the year has been wiped out by the demands of legislative appropriations.

McCluhan Hearing at Sioux Falls. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The hearing to determine the rights of heirs of the estate of John McCluhan, the wealthy pioneer who was killed here last August, was resumed today before County Judge Wilkes.

LaFollette May Run for Governor. DEADWOOD, S. D., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—Wm. T. LaFollette of Chamberlain has been visiting in the Black Hills several days.

Supreme Court Judges Sworn In. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The newly elected members of the supreme court were sworn in this morning and Justice Fuller selected as presiding judge for the first two years of the term.

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BOERS DO NOT ADMIT DEFEAT

Reports from Pretoria Say General French Was Unsuccessful at Colaberg.

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LEAD, S. D., Jan. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—A man by the name of Kohler, who has worked in this city, has written from Russia to a ticket broker in Lead for a number of tickets to bring himself and family to this city.

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LOOKS FOR SPEEDY SETTLEMENT OF THE TRANSVAAL AFFAIR.

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The press continues to discuss the capture of the Bundesrat with some show of irritation.

PROTEST WITH SWISS GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard says:

The British representative at Berne has lodged a protest with the Swiss government calling attention to the fact that recruiting for the Transvaal is in progress within Swiss territory.

RUSH PREPARATIONS IN CANADA.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 2.—The twenty members of the British Canadian Field Battery took a train for Kingston on Tuesday morning for receiving the rush orders.

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LEAGUE MOVING FOR INTERVENTION.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 2.—Senator de Jonge, former minister of justice and now member of the council of state, former Senator La Fontaine and other leading members of the Universal League of Peace have convened a meeting to offer to mediate in the South African war.

BRITISH OFFICERS WOUNDED.

PRETORIA, Jan. 1.—Three British prisoners, who were taken at Malagar, say that Captain Gordon Cheamy Wilson, husband of Lady Sarah Wilson, and five other officers whose names they refuse to give were wounded in a recent sortie from Mafeking.

GERMANS SEND A CRUISER.

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The German second-class cruiser Schwabe has left Dar-es-Salaam, a seaport of Africa, twenty-five miles south of Zanzibar, for Lourenco Marques.

STARS OF PROSPERITY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—An evidence of the general prosperity throughout the country is shown by the statements of the large insurance companies which are now being published.

GOLF HOLDS COURT FOR CAMPBELL.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—Judge Campbell, who has been ill for several days, is now somewhat improved.

VIN MARIANI

Mariani Wine, World Famous Tonic. It is found especially useful in Nervous Troubles, Debility, Indigestion, Anemia, showing no unusual haste in the presentation of the case.

MISSOURI LEGISLATURE MEETS.

JACKSON, Miss. Jan. 2.—The Missouri legislature organized shortly after noon for the first session of the year.

FRIED ONIONS.

Indirectly Caused the Death of the World's Greatest General. It is a matter of history that Napoleon was a gourmand, an unordained lover of the good things of the table, and history further records that his favorite dish was fried onions.

The onion is undoubtedly a wholesome article of food, in fact has many medicinal qualities of value, but it should be difficult to find a more indigestible article than fried onions.

The reason why any wholesome food is not promptly digested is because the stomach lacks some important element of digestion; some stomachs lack pepsine, others are deficient in gastric juice, still others lack hydrochloric acid.

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DYSPEPSIA.

Geo. S. Scully, of 75 Nassau St., New York, says: "For years I have been troubled with rheumatism and dyspepsia, and I came to the conclusion that I was dying. I finally found great relief from their use. I feel like a new man since I commenced taking them. Without doubt, they cured me. The drowsy, aching feeling I used to have has entirely disappeared. My dyspepsia has left me and my rheumatism is gone entirely. I am satisfied if any one is afflicted with any of the above ailments, they will surely cure them, for I believe it will come from the system being out of order. Call and see it or send for a book."

Radway's Pills

Radway's Pills cure all Disorders of the Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys, Bladder, Diarrhoea, Constipation, Nausea, Sick Headache, Female Complaints, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, and all Disorders of the Liver. 25c per box. All Druggists or by mail, Radway & Co., 231 West 12th St., New York. See that the name is on what you buy.

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