

Telephone Douglas 618 Reaches All Departments

Our Great Annual January Linen Sale

- Huck Towels, Bath Towels, Table Cloths, Bed Spreads, Napkins, Napkins, Fringed Huck, Fringed Huck.

SATURDAY IN THE MEN'S DEPARTMENT

- Special Sale of Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts Saturday, Saturday Only, Half Price Sale of Men's Fine Neckwear, Special Sale of Men's Underwear Saturday.

- January Clearance Sale of Bed Comforters, Muslin Underwear—Some Good Values, Special Sale of Hosiery, Remnants of Embroideries on Special Sale Saturday.

- New Spring Suits Are Here, Saturday Candy Special, Special sale of Muslins, Sheetings, Ready Made Sheets and Pillow Cases at greatly reduced prices.

THOMPSON BILDEN & CO.

MILLION LOST AT PORTLAND

City and County Building in Maine Capital Destroyed. MANY LIVES PLACED IN DANGER. Firemen Not on Scene Until Flames Had Gained Headway—Loss of Three Lives in Baltimore.

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 24.—A fire which caused a property damage of \$1,000,000, early today destroyed the city hall and police building, and endangered the lives of more than 700 persons. Although known as city hall, the building was divided between city and county offices, while the police building, under the supervision, judicial, and municipal courts in addition to the police department. The fire was the worst in the state since the great Portland conflagration of 1866, when the city business and residential sections were almost completely wiped out.

EVERY TRIMMED HAT MUST GO SATURDAY

NOT A QUESTION OF VALUE NOT A MATTER OF PRICE. 100 stylish up-to-date Midwinter Patterns will be sold at \$2.50, \$3.75; \$5. Every Hat in the Year Below Cost Saturday. 5 dozen Black Ostrich Plumes—three dollar values—Saturday, only \$1.15. Buy Millinery Right—KERN—1508 Douglas St.

Saturday Specials

- We offer 500 Sample Remnant Rugs of all kinds and qualities at less than One Half the original cost. These are our Traveling Men's discarded samples of dropped patterns and make good serviceable rugs. SATURDAY ONLY: Ingrain Rug, 18x36, each 10c; Ingrain Rug, 36x36, each 15c; Ingrain Rug, 36x54, each 20c; Brussels Rug, 27x27, each 25c; Brussels and Velvet Rug, 27x45, each 75c; Brussels and Velvet Rug, 27x36, each 50c; Axminster, Brussels and Velvet Rugs, 27x54, each \$1.00; Extra quality Axminster and Velvet Rugs, 27x54, each \$1.25; Extra Special, fine Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs, 27x54, each \$1.50; Royal Wilton Rug, 27x54, each \$2.50.

COUCH COVERS EXTRA SPECIALS

Couch Cover, 50-ins. wide by 3 yards long, Saturday, \$1.89. The Ladies' Aid Society of the IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH will give a home bakery sale SATURDAY, JANUARY 25TH, AT OUR STORE. MILLER, STEWART & BEATON 413-15-17 South 16th St.

JEROME BECOMES ANGERED

Endeavors to Secure Names of Experts for Defense. TRIAL DELAYED UNTIL MONDAY. Storm Prevents Docking of the Adriatic and Foreign Aliens Cannot Land—Sharp Tilt in Court.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Today's sessions of the Thaw trial were abandoned at the request of the defense and an adjournment was taken until Monday morning. A heavy snowstorm tied up shipping in the bay and prevented the docking of the steamer Adriatic, on which three physicians and a trained nurse are coming from Europe to testify as to irrational outbreaks by Harry

Thaw at Monte Carlo, Paris and London. Another witness, Dr. Bingham of Pittsburgh, who is recovering from an attack of pneumonia, will not be in the city until tomorrow. Mr. Littleton said he believed the delay would result in expediting the case, as he would employ the intervening time in preparing the hypothetical question for the experts and submitting a draft of it to District Attorney Jerome.

District Attorney Jerome said he would not oppose the adjournment, provided Mr. Littleton would furnish him the names of the witnesses who are arriving on the Adriatic. Mr. Littleton objected, but Justice Downing said the request was reasonable. Mr. Littleton said it had been his experience that whenever the district attorney knew of the arrival of any witnesses for the defense he had people meet them with subpoenas and has subjected them to a long examination. "I do not intend," he added, "that he shall know my case before it is presented here in court."

charlatans or men of character and standing," shouted Mr. Jerome. "I will give you their names after they have landed and their addresses as well," Mr. Littleton said. "Is the district attorney willing to give me the names of the witnesses he will recall in rebuttal?" "The district attorney is not required to do that," interposed Justice Downing. "Then don't think I ought to be forced to tell him the names of my witnesses." "Oh, very well, then," put in Mr. Jerome, "if you don't want to do it, all right." Mr. Littleton said the defense undoubtedly will conclude its case Monday.

FORGER CAUGHT IN FLORIDA

Pinkertons Secure Turic Nordstrom, Who Made Ideal of Fifteen Thousand. CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Word was received here today by the Pinkerton, detective agency of the death of one of their men, near Jacksonville, Florida, of Turic Nordstrom, who is wanted here for the passing of a forged check for \$15,000 on the First National bank of this city.

held Sunday afternoon from the German Presbyterian church, 815 North Eighteenth street. Interment will be made in Forest Lawn cemetery.

Michael Dalton. The death of Michael Dalton of South Omaha occurred Friday morning at the home of his nephew, Thomas Dalton, 425 Lafayette avenue, Omaha. Michael Dalton was a pioneer of South Omaha, having lived in that city twenty-five years. A short time ago he moved to Omaha and made his home with his nephew, who is a retired farmer when he came to South Omaha. The funeral service will take place Saturday morning at 8:30 at St. Cecilia's church in Omaha. The interment will be at St. Mary's church in South Omaha.

Mrs. Ellen Parker. PULLERTON, Neb., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Mrs. Ellen Parker died this morning at the home of A. E. Bryson in this city at the age of 82 years. Mrs. Parker was a resident of 322 St. Mary's avenue, Omaha, for twenty-two years, removing to this city three years ago. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. A. E. Bryson, and a son, Daniel Parker of Salida, Colo.



January is the month For theatres and hops, And it's the month of all the months For bargains in the shops.

- IN CLOTHING ANNEX: Boys' \$1.00 colored and white blouses, some with collars, some without, all sizes, each 50c; Boys' Flannel Waists with collars, \$1.00 value, in navy blue, only 50c; YOUNG MEN'S SWEATERS: Coat and athletic sweaters, \$3.75 Sweaters at \$3.00, \$3.25 Sweaters at \$2.75, \$3.50 Sweaters at \$3.00, \$3.25 Sweaters at \$2.75, \$3.00 Sweaters at \$2.50; YOUNG MEN'S OVERCOATS: \$22.50 Overcoats at \$18.00, \$25.00 Overcoats at \$20.00, \$28.00 Overcoats at \$22.50; BOYS' OVERCOATS: \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00 values Saturday, each \$5.00; SHOES FROM THE NORRIS STOCK: 300 pairs women's lace and button shoes, in all leathers, from Norris' \$3.00 and \$4.00 lines, at per pair \$1.95; Misses' Shoes, in \$2.50 quality, at \$1.35; YOUNG MEN'S DRESS SUITS: A special raid on all blue and black lines, having bought liberally we must sell rapidly. \$16.50 Young Men's Suits, \$12; \$18.00 Young Men's Suits, \$14; \$22.50 Young Men's Suits, \$18; \$30.00 Young Men's Suits, \$24; GIRL'S COATS, MISSES' COATS, CHILDREN'S COATS: No matter how costly nor how inexpensive, the price on every coat in the Cloak Dept. is cut squarely in half. All must go—nothing reserved. SHOES: Misses' \$2.00 Shoes, pair, \$1.00; Infants' Shoes, worth up to \$1.25, at per pair 59c; Children's Rubbers, at pair 29c.

BENSON & THORNE CO. Lilliputian Bazaar 1515-1517 DOUGLAS STREET

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." Look for signature of E. W. Grove, M.D.

DEATH RECORD.

David Neigh. WEST POINT, Neb., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—David Neigh, who, with his brother, John D. Neigh, now deceased, was one of the founders and first settlers of the city of West Point, died at noon today at the residence of his son, Edward, in this city. He had attained the age of 83 years, and for some months had been afflicted with a dropsical disorder. He was, beyond doubt, the best known man in Cuming county, was of a strong and virile personality, and a true type of the original hardy western pioneer. He reared a large family of children, of whom five sons and two daughters survive. The body will be interred beside that of his wife, who died some years ago, in the family lot in the public cemetery on Sunday. He leaves a valuable estate.

Wayne Hildreth.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—News was received in the city this afternoon of the death of Wayne Hildreth, a former banker of this city, who died at his home in Winthrop, Buchanan county, last night. Paralysis and softening of the brain was the cause of his death. Mr. Hildreth was vice president of the Commercial State Bank of this city, which, after holding in existence for one and two daughters, failed in 1886. Connected with Mr. Hildreth in the bank was Sylvester Lacey, who was president, and J. M. Woodworth, now of Perry, Ia., who was cashier. The funeral was held Friday, and the body was buried in Independence, Ia.

John Philip Kaiter.

John Philip Kaiter died at 6:30 Thursday evening at his home, 141 North Twentieth street, after an illness of several weeks. He was a native of Klingebach, Hesse-Nassau, Germany, where he was born December 8, 1838. He came to America about twenty-three years ago, locating first at Gilman, Ia. He subsequently came to Omaha and has been a continuous resident here for about eighteen years. He is survived by his wife and three children, Charles W. Kaiter and the Misses Louise and Johanna Kaiter. The funeral will be

FILES CURED IN 24 TO 36 HOURS.

PAZO Ointment a guarantee to cure any case of itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded, 50c.

DEATCH FOUND NOT GUILTY

Man Who Shot Neighbor Thinking He Was Burglar Is Acquitted of Murder Charge. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—After a trial of three days Andrew Deatch, who was charged with murdering Harry Perce in this city last November, was acquitted late this afternoon. The jury was out nearly three hours. The announcement of the verdict caused an enthusiastic demonstration in the court room. The killing of Perce was sensational and, owing to the peculiar circumstances the case created great interest. Deatch claimed he killed Perce in mistake for a burglar and the jury took this view of the case.

Thomas Ward, Jr., Selected.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 24.—Thomas Ward, Jr., has been decided on to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Earl Carnahan as United States district attorney for Colorado.

"COFFEE GRUNTERS"

Thoughtful people have a laugh on coffee grinders now and then. "I had used coffee grinders since I was a small child," writes an Indiana lady, who always had bad spells with my stomach. "Last spring just after I began house-keeping, I had a terrible time with my stomach and head. My husband bought a package of Postum and asked me to try it. "I laughed at it because none of my folks would ever try it. But I made some the following morning, following directions on the package about boiling it well. "I was greatly pleased with the results and kept right on using it. Now I wouldn't drink anything else. I tell every old coffee grinder, 'I see, about Postum, and all my folks and my husband's people except a few cranks, use Postum instead of coffee.' "When put to soak in cold water overnight and then boiled 35 minutes in the morning while getting breakfast it makes a delicious drink." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville" in page 3, Reason.

Health - Economy

Calumet Baking Powder Best by Test. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Invaluable to sufferers from asthma, bronchitis or throat troubles. Contains nothing injurious.

PA ROURKE'S

SAKE HALL HEADQUARTERS ALL LEADING BRANDS - CIGARS - BOX TRADE A SPECIALTY 216 So. 15th Street.

AMUSEMENTS.

BOYD'S THEATER. TONIGHT AND SATURDAY, Margart Mat. Saturday 5:30 and 8:00. HORTENSE NIELSON In The Ibsen Play A DOLL'S HOUSE Sunday, Monday and Tuesday THE RED MILL

Seldom Wear Out

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills relieve pain—not only once, but as many times as it is necessary to take them. Many persons who suffer from chronic ailments find in them a source of great relief from the suffering which they would otherwise be compelled to endure. Their soothing influence upon the nerves strengthens rather than weakens them. For this reason they seldom lose their effectiveness. "I am 62 years old and have suffered for 2 years from nervous troubles, rheumatism and neuralgia, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, sleeplessness, and pain around the heart. The only relief I have ever had is from Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They have been a blessing to me. I don't know what I should do without them, and they are the only remedy I have ever used that either did not wear out in less time than I have been using them, or else the injurious results were such that I would be obliged to cease their use." MRS. C. C. HOLLINGSWORTH, 27 Carter St., Chattanooga, Tenn. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails, he will return your money. For a free booklet that tells the full story of the first package will benefit. If it fails, he will return your money. MILES' MEDICAL CO., ELKHART, IND.

Department of Justice Determines Its Action and Will Issue a Statement Soon.

HARRIMAN CASE CONSIDERED. WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The course to be pursued by the Department of Justice in the Harriman case was the subject of a conference today between Attorney General Bonaparte and Frank B. Kellogg, Chief of the Bureau of Consular Affairs. A severance of counsel for the government in the entire matter was fully discussed and the legal proceeding to be adopted by the department was decided upon. A statement will be issued by the department in a few days setting forth its views in the case.

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