

Rainy Day-Ramblers

Were here in force yesterday—It's grown to be so pleasant—these long, leisurely visits, that rainy day throngs have stopped being small—why not?—All motor cars lead to Thompson—Belden's—Just a step—and there you are—to enjoy all the store has for you—We've been using all diligence to make the selling force big enough to show the appreciation we feel for he ever increasing business you are bringing us,

Dress The Goods First point of interest in a dry goods store is Dress Goods. The reputation of our dress goods department is well known as to quality, style and prices.

Ladies' Ladies silk string ties Ties in checks and figures, light or dark colors—at 10c each. Ladies' Satin String Ties, in black, cardinal, heliotrope, white, green and navy blue—at 25c each.

Sale of Odd Table Cloths Monday we will place on sale a number of odd Table Cloths at very low prices. Odd \$1.50 Table Cloths for \$1.25 each. Odd \$2.00 Table Cloths for \$1.50 each. Odd \$2.50 Table Cloths for \$1.80 each. Odd \$3.00 Table Cloths for \$2.25 each.

Ladies' The new patterns are here, exclusive styles, Waists perfect fitting gartered. Ladies who have worn the Mirquis Waists know they are the best made.

See our We wish every lady Windows who comes down town Monday or Tuesday would examine our windows. We think they look well and we know we have some excellent bargains displayed in them.

NOVELTY CHECKS—We are showing an endless variety of checks and checked novelties, comprising over 100 different styles—particularly adapted for separate skirts and children's wear.

Ladies' Just received 200 House ladies' house wrappers pers, in the very latest patterns. These garments are well made, full cut and good styles, and are not to be compared with the so-called bargains in Wrappers which are generally cheap only in name.

Umbrellas 26-in. union serge silk, steel rod, paragon frame, sterling silver trim med congo handles—\$1.50 each.

Domestic We are showing the Wash most complete as-fabrics assortment of wash fabrics ranging in price from 7 1/2c to 15c per yard over shown by us. They are so fine and handsome it is almost impossible to tell them from the foreign materials. Remember, the prices range from 7 1/2c to 15c per yard.

The Best We sell McCalls and the Bazar Patterns. Cheapest They are the best and the prices are only 10c or 15c each. Try them.

THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO.

In carrying out the expulsion of the Greeks. The question is a very serious one, as at Constantinople alone there are 40,000 Greeks, and throughout Turkey there are 2,000,000 Greeks. There are many reasons that disturbances will occur during the Greek Easter, which begins today. Nevertheless, a notice was read in all the mosques yesterday evening, the Turks not to molest the peaceful Greeks, the war being a matter between the two armies.

DESTROY THE TURKISH STORES.

Greek Fleet Doing Good Work Along the Coast. NEW YORK, April 24.—A dispatch to the Herald from Corfu says: The Greek squadron started from Corfu for Santa Quaranta on order to bombard and continue operations along the Albanian coast. Later the squadron returned to Corfu, conveying about eighty Christian refugees from Santa Quaranta, which was destroyed.

EVERYBODY TALKS OF THE WAR.

Turkish-Greek Imbroglio. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 24.—The latest advices from the seat of war indicates that the Greek forces have penetrated into Turkish territory, reaching the rear of Ellassona on the Mount Olympus side, which is most serious news for the Turks. It is true. The divisions of the Turkish army stationed at Monastir and Salonica are about to start for Ellassona.

GREYS LEAVING NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Four hundred and fifty Greys sailed for Greece, en route to the scene of the war between their native country and Turkey. All night long the Greek colonies in the vicinity of Roosevelt and Madison streets were astir, and enthusiasm for the expedition was at its height. In addition to the 450 who took passage on the ship, the Champagne, there were many others anxious to go to the front, but for the time being there was no possibility of providing them with transportation.

REVOLT BREAKS OUT IN ALBANIA.

Turkish Troops Said to Be Participating in It. LONDON, April 24.—According to special dispatches received here today an insurrection has broken out in Albania. The Turkish troops are said to be participating in the revolt.

STUDENT SYMPATHY WITH GREECE.

Raise Money to Assist Natives to Return to Their Home. CHICAGO, April 24.—Four hundred students of the University of Chicago cheered for Greece at a meeting held last evening. Resolutions of sympathy were passed and a committee was appointed to collect money to apply to the general fund now being raised to defray the transportation expenses of Greeks who have volunteered, but who are not able to pay their fare to Athens. A cablegram to the University at Athens, drawn by Prof. Coulter reads:

COMING IN ON CANDELA.

CANEA, April 24.—4:50 p. m.—Captain Chermida, in command of the international forces at Candela, has asked for reinforcements. The insurgents are closing around the town and the Turks are abandoning their positions around the fort. There are Greek regulars among the insurgents, who are commanded by Chief Korakias.

SPALDING'S BOND INSUFFICIENT.

Committed to Jail by Order of Judge Dunne. CHICAGO, April 24.—Charles W. Spalding, president of the Globe Savings bank, and treasurer of the University of Illinois board of trustees, was placed in jail today on an order of Judge Dunne of the circuit court, who was dissatisfied with the bond given by Spalding on the occasion of his arrest a few days ago on a charge of embezzlement preferred by the university alumni.

RESIGNS FROM ARBITRATION BOARD.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 24.—Governor Tanner today received the resignation of ex-Lieutenant Governor Joseph B. Gill as a member of the Illinois State Board of Arbitration, to take effect immediately. The reason assigned is ill-health and a determination by Mr. Gill to move his residence to California. The resignation reached the governor just as he left for New York City. Action will be deferred until his return here next week.

BUYING UP WINDOW GLASS.

PITTSBURGH, April 24.—A pool has been formed, it is said, among the stockholders of the Western Window Glass agents for the purpose of buying up all the window glass the small concerns scattered over the country are unable to carry. The pool is reported to be composed of eight prominent manufacturers. Inquiry among the Pittsburgh manufacturers discloses the fact that such a move on the part of the western manufacturers has been anticipated.

BULGARIA AND ROMANIA LIKELY TO BE FORCED INTO THE CONFLICT.

NEW YORK, April 24.—A dispatch to the Journal from Constantinople says: There is a rumor that the sultan will refuse the demands of Bulgaria for five additional berats, or bishops. Such a refusal will surely result in a war with Bulgaria. The Roumanian government is preparing for war by announcing the issue of bills to the amount of \$5,000,000 francs for an extraordinary war credit.

KING GRANTS A MORATORIUM.

VIENNA, April 24.—The Neue Presse writes that King George of Greece, by a decree, dated April 18, has granted a moratorium of a month. This moratorium probably means a general suspension of settlements of debts until a more or less definitely fixed subsequent date. The Greek government itself has already defaulted on its debt during several years. On December 1, 1896, the national legislature formally decreed that thereafter only 50 per cent of the stipulated interest on the public debt should be paid. Since then the 50 per cent bonds of the Greek government have fallen from 45 to 15%.

RETIRES FROM ARBITRATION BOARD.

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OPPOSING MRS. WOODWARD

Eward County Populists Object to Her Receiving an Appointment. SHE WAS TOO GOOD A PROHIBITIONIST

Prominent W. C. T. U. Worker Now an Applicant for the Position of Matron at the Home for Fallen Women. LINCOLN, April 24.—(Special.)—There are a number of applications on file from those who desire to be appointed matron of the Home for Fallen Women at Milford, and among these is that of Mrs. C. M. Woodward of Seward. Mrs. Woodward was especially active during the session of the legislature in lobbying for the passage of the bill which placed the Milford home under state control, and she now asks a reward for this work.

DR. GOODMAN GOES TO PONCA. Trial of the Alleged Wife Poisoner Will Begin Next Tuesday. PENDER, Neb., April 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. J. Sidney Goodman, in charge of Sheriff Mullin, went to Ponca this afternoon where he will be placed on trial on the charge of administering strychnine to Laura Goodman, his wife, which resulted in her death. The case was taken to Dixon county on a change of venue and will begin in the district court Tuesday morning, April 27. A large number of witnesses from Pender have been subpoenaed and will leave for Ponca Monday afternoon.

SETTLES ON A ONE-THIRD BASIS. Adams County Agrees to Pay on Old Claim Held by the State. HASTINGS, Neb., April 24.—(Special.)—Fred Orchard, state examiner of county treasurers, was in Hastings this week and presented to the County Board of Supervisors a claim for \$2,818.82, the state's share of the money which was collected some years ago from the bondsmen of ex-County Treasurer Charles H. Paul in settlement of Paul's falsification. Mr. Paul's shortage was a little over \$30,000 and by agreement between the bondsmen and Board of Supervisors it was settled by the bondsmen for \$10,000. During Paul's county treasurer \$3,455.88 of state taxes was paid to him that was never turned over to the state. The county board settled with the bondsmen for the amount the state has referred to settled in the same way by taking \$2,818.82 for the state but never turned over. The balance of all of it is that this matter has never been brought before the county board, nor was it known by any of the members that the county was indebted to the state in that way.

GATHERING IN EX-POSTMASTERS. Deputy Marshals Take Council and Christie to Hastings. GREELEY CENTER, Neb., April 24.—(Special Telegram.)—A deputy United States marshal arrived in Greeley Center last night and arrested ex-Postmaster Council and took him to Hastings today. They went by way of Scotia and it is said the marshal took ex-Postmaster Christie of Scotia with him. The charge against all of them is that they were taken to Hastings for preliminary examination before the United States commissioner.

Returned for a Rehearing. BEATTY, Neb., April 24.—(Special Telegram.)—William Henry, sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary for the killing of Russell H. Graham, postmaster at Bower, Jefferson county, was brought back here this morning by the warden, the supreme court having reversed the lower court's decision, and returned the prisoner for rehearing.

Hot at a Polish Dance. TECUMSEH, Neb., April 24.—(Special.)—A dance was held in a Polish district near Smartsville the other evening and some of the young Poles attempted to "clean

out" a crowd of young Americans that were in attendance. A free-for-all fight ensued. John Kusiek, Charles Goracka and Matt McGuire were arrested and brought before County Judge Brandon yesterday. They were fined \$2 and costs each, which amounted to about \$15 each.

HORSES DIE OF KIDNEY DISEASE. Many Fine Animals Have Recently Succumbed Near Winside. WINSIDE, April 24.—(Special.)—An alarming disease has developed among horses in this vicinity. It affects the kidneys and causes the horses to appear to be lame on one hind foot. Soon after this symptom is noticed, the horse generally falls prone on the ground and is unable to rise. A few, by outward applications, have been helped so that they have apparently recovered, but most have died in a few days, partial paralysis setting in and the horse not seeming to suffer much pain. As many as are seen fine animals have succumbed to this disease near town, and many more are reported to have died in the country. Some people think the trouble is caused by feeding milt and others ascribe it to the damp weather, while still others think the breaking down of the horses has been caused by the extra exertions horses have been obliged to make this year on account of the unusual mud. The fatality is especially alarming from the fact that very few horses are being raised now, making it probable that good horses will be very scarce soon, and consequently valuable. No one, however, has yet been found for this equine disease.

TRIAL OF FRANK COLE'S SLAYERS. Hearing of the Prisoners is Postponed a Couple of Days. O'NEILL, Neb., April 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The hearing of the case against Stuart last night for the murder of Frank Cole, was postponed to this morning for preliminary hearing. The prisoners were not ready today, and the hearing was postponed to Tuesday.

WHISKY INDUCES HEART FAILURE. Sudden Death of a Fremont Man After Heavy Drinking. FREMONT, April 24.—(Special.)—H. C. Daniels died yesterday afternoon. As there were some peculiar circumstances connected with his death, County Marshal Lincoln paneled a jury and heard the evidence this morning. It appeared that Daniels, who was a heavy drinker, yesterday morning, according to the testimony of one witness, he proceeded to have a "double drink" of whisky besides. This brought on heart trouble. He was taken home and lived till 3 o'clock. The coroner's jury decided that he came to his death by heart failure, which was caused by excessive use of intoxicating liquor. He was 32 years of age, served during the war in an Illinois regiment and leaves a widow and a married daughter, a Mrs. Scott, who resides at South Omaha. He will be buried here on Sunday.

Eighteen Months for Stealing Hides. FREMONT, April 24.—(Special.)—Frank Haines, who was convicted in the district court this week of the larceny of a wagonload of hides from Turner & Hoebner, was sentenced by Judge Marshall this morning to eighteen months in the penitentiary. He will be taken to Lincoln next week. The jury, except those in the case now on trial, was excused for the term. All of the Dodge cases against the plaintiffs have been dismissed, the records show, at the costs of the plaintiffs. It is thought that the plaintiffs made some sort of a settlement with the company.

Farmer's Mysterious Disappearance. PERU, Neb., April 24.—(Special.)—The farmer, James Adams, who so mysteriously disappeared from near here a month ago, is still missing. Every clue has been followed to the end. The river has been carefully searched and no trace of him has yet been learned concerning him. His family offers a reward of \$75 for any information leading to his discovery. No cause is known for his disappearance. He was well to do financially and has had a happy home with his wife and children.

Celebrate the Two Birthdays. NORTH LOUP, Neb., April 24.—(Special.)—Miss Cella Hoshaw and Miss Marcella Young celebrated a large number of their young friends last evening at the home of the former, the occasion being their birthday, both occurring on the same date.

MORE LIVES THAN A CAT

Philadelphian is Hanged and Falls Into a Well and Still Lives. LIVELY EXPERIENCE OF AN AMERICAN Strong Up and Left for Dead by Cuban Insurgents—Saved by the Breaking of the Rope Only to Be Shot at by Spaniards.

HAVANA, April 24.—Michael J. Kelly, a Philadelphian, who left Havana a fortnight ago for the insurgent camp and was strung up on a charge of being a spy, but finally managed to escape, was interviewed on his arrival here. He confirmed the adventure, but was reticent when questioned as to his reason for going to the insurgent camp. He states, however, that he had an understanding or contract with the Cuban junta in New York. He says he went out from Havana alone and joined the insurgent force as an electrician. After a few days he was sent with a sergeant and twelve men on an alleged mission to meet Sylvester Scovel, who, the insurgent said, had just landed. After the party had gone a few leagues from the camp the sergeant halted his men near an old well, accused Kelly, so he says, of being a spy, stripped him absolutely naked, shot him, and, believing that he was dead, put a rope around his neck and hung him over the open well. The rope broke and he fell forty feet. The water was up to his armpits. Then he rose away and about midnight he escaped from the well and walked several miles to a Spanish outpost, where he presented himself, entirely naked, with a view of securing pardon and the amnesty decree. When the commandant called out the guard to receive him Kelly was frightened. He ran and was fired at. The Spaniards started in pursuit and he was finally caught and taken into the camp. The commandant, on learning why he had run off, ordered his men to be released and Kelly, he says, with all consideration, gave him food and clothing, furnished him with a bed and kept him comfortable until the morning of his release.

REUSES TO VOTE FOR DEBOE. Importunities Avail Nothing with the Louisiana Legislature. LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 24.—A special to the Evening Post from Frankfort says: The biggest crowd of the extra session assembled in the house of representatives shortly before noon today, the hour for the joint session at which it was expected that the long and tedious work would be ended by the election of W. J. Deboe to the United States senate. All during the morning there were rumors to the effect that Senator Linney of Louisiana, who was one of the bolters in the Hunter race, would not be present and that Representative Lieberth of Newport would also be missing. Both of these rumors were unfounded. Lieberth, however, was present and the roll call showed his name. The roll call showed fifty-eight present; necessary to a quorum, seventy. A call for the absentees was demanded and the Deboe men crowded about Linney and Lieberth in an endeavor to get them to answer. Linney finally answered, but Lieberth, however, refused to do so.

Insurance Company Sues Its Little Rock. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 24.—The supreme court of Arkansas today granted a rehearing in the case of James Reid, convicted of the murder of W. F. Skilper, in Drew county last April. Skilper's life was insured for \$10,000, and the insurance company is now resisting payment on the grounds that Skilper committed suicide.

New Governor of Oklahoma. ST. LOUIS, April 24.—A special to the Republic from Washington says: President McKinley has appointed John H. Barnes of Guthrie, to be governor of Oklahoma. The decision was reached too late to go to the senate.

The Ins and Outs of It. If you get best wear out of a coat best work must have gone into it. You can't get good bread out of poor flour. Moral: You can't get the best out of anything unless the best is in it; and the best has to be put in before it can be taken out. Now, we have a rule to test those sarsaparillas with a big "best" on the bottle. "Tell us what's put in you and we'll decide for ourselves about the best." That's fair. But these modest sarsaparillas say: "Oh! we can't tell. It's a secret. Have faith in the label." . . . Stop! There's one exception; one sarsaparilla that has no secret to hide. It's Ayer's. If you want to know what goes into Ayer's Sarsaparilla, ask your doctor to write for the formula. Then you can satisfy yourself that you get the best of the sarsaparilla argument when you get Ayer's.