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Wednesday Morning In Our Cloak Department

We will show for the first time this season new and beautiful TAILOR MADE SUITS—NEW AND SWAGGER COATS—and all the latest and very newest styles in Ladies' Waists—also RAINCOATS. Wednesday we promise to show you the very latest modes and fashionable garments, all our own exclusive styles, and every garment made to the special order of Thompson, Belden & Co.

NEW AND NOBBY TAILOR MADE SUITS, with the jaunty short coats and fitted skirts, at \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00. ELBOGANT SUITS, made with the 42-inch coat, very distinguished looking garments, at \$25.00. BEAUTIFUL TAILOR-MADE SUITS, with the always staple and useful 37-inch coat, at \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00. HANDSOME COVERT SUITS, at \$27.50 and \$35.00. NEW AND SWAGGER COATS, in the Peggy from Paris style, the Napoleon, the Cosack and the Boucher coat, all fresh and new from New York TODAY; they arrived just in time for our thousands of out-of-town customers. Come in and let us show you these new and beautiful coats. Prices, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$22.00, \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$40.00.

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cartridges and medical stores, and also a few dead horses. About two officers and two Cosacks were wounded. The same day a Japanese force of one hundred and fifty men, and a detachment of cavalry attacked in three divisions our outpost between the Hun river and the Ono. Towards evening this movement was checked with the help of another company of Japanese. One Cosack and one Japanese were killed and one wounded. Ona Russian patrol dispersed the Japanese on the right bank of the Hun river, taking three Japanese prisoners. Another Russian patrol sent in an easterly direction discovered Tawangshan pass occupied by 200 Chinese bandits commanded by Japanese officers. During the reconnaissance one Cosack was killed.

Deny Story of Plot. ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 4.—The authorities of the police department make also a denial of the story published in Vienna on the authority of Polish newspapers that an attempt was made to blow up the train on which Emperor Nicholas was traveling during his recent visit to southern Russia.

WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL. New National Bank Authorized to Begin Business at Randolph, Neb. WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—(Special Telegram)—Rural free delivery carriers appointed for Iowa, Kansas, Arkansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and Newfoundland.

LAND OFFICE DENIES REPORT Designing Pezons Circulate False Statements About Soldiers' Rights. WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The general land office today issued a statement denying the following statement, intended for the purpose of circulating false information among the public: "Information has been received at the general land office that designing persons are circulating reports through Indiana and elsewhere to the effect that old soldiers are to be given a large tract of land in western Nebraska and receive patent therefor without residing upon or cultivating the land as is required by law."

ROCK ISLAND IS IN CONTROL. Comes to Meeting of Alton Stockholders with Large Majority of Shares. CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—At the annual meeting of the Chicago & Alton railroad held today J. H. Moore, D. G. Reid and Robert Mather were elected directors in place of F. P. Winston, C. H. Chapelle and Mortimer L. Shaw. The meeting was entirely harmonious and the new directors were chosen by unanimous vote.

WONDERFUL CURE OF SORE HANDS. By Cuticura After the Most Awful Suffering Ever Experienced. EIGHT DOCTORS. And Many Remedies Failed to do a Cent's Worth of Good.

"About five years ago I was troubled with sore hands, so sore that when I would put them in water the pain would give me a headache, and I would feel very nearly as if I were being tortured. My hands would peel off and the flesh would get hard and break. There would be blood flowing from at least fifty places on each hand. Words could never tell the suffering I endured for three years. I tried everything that I was told to use for fully three years, but could get no relief. I tried at least eight different doctors, but none of them seemed to do me any good, as my hands were as bad when I got through doctoring as when I first began. I also tried many remedies, but none of them ever did me a cent's worth of good. I was discouraged and heart-sore. I would feel so bad mornings when I got up, to think I had to go to work and stand the pain for ten hours, and I often felt like giving up my position. Before I started to wrap every finger up separately, so as to try and keep them soft and then wear gloves, some one told me to keep the grease from getting on my work. At night I would have to wear gloves in bed. In fact, I had to wear gloves all the time. But thanks to Cuticura, the greatest of all great skin cures, after doctoring for three years, and spending much money, a 25c. box of Cuticura Ointment cured all my sufferings. It's been two years since I used any more of it, and my hands are as good as new, and never lose a day's work while using Cuticura Ointment."

THOMAS A. CLANCY, 810 N. Montgomery St., Trenton, N. J.

HONEYMOON SPENT IN JAIL. Blissful Period of Black Man and White Woman Begins in Prison. "Well, guess we spend our honeymoon in jail," said James Hall when he and his bride were sentenced ten days by Judge Burke in police court. Hall is colored, while his wife is white. They were married Saturday at Council Bluffs and took rooms at the Cambridge hotel in Omaha.

RETAIL GROCERS' ELECTION. Charles L. Courtney Selected President for the ensuing Year. The annual meeting of the Omaha Retail Grocers' association was held last night at the Commercial club. The general purpose of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year. In the absence of President C. F. Munro, Vice President C. P. Munro, in his absence, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Charles L. Courtney; vice president, J. Barta; treasurer, D. Gross; secretary, R. Fischer; directors, Charles W. Johnson, Henry Klingensmith, J. E. Crissman, Julius Dreifus, Fred Armburst, M. Howell.

SEVEN MEN ARE MISSING. Trying to Save Wagon Bridge in Oklahoma When it Went Out. THREE MORE RAILWAY BRIDGES GONE. All Telephone and Telegraph Lines in the Southwestern Part of Territory Are Down—Train Service Suspended. OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 4.—Seven men are missing of a party of eight men who went down with the wagon bridge between Lexington and Purcell last night at 9 o'clock after battling with the swift rush of waters for many hours in their vain attempt to prevent the bridge from going. The only connection between the two towns, Judge Hocker, who lives at Byers, near Lexington, is the man heard from, but he can tell nothing of the other men. The names of five others known to have been on the bridge when it went down are: WILLIAM LIVER, manager of the oil mill at Purcell; CLIFF COOLEY, a boy, Purcell; CARROLL, near Lexington; WILL TAYLOR, a boy, Lexington.

LEVELERS. The Mission of Whiskey, Tobacco and Coffee. The Creator made all things, we believe. If so, He must have made these. We know that He made food and water for, and air and sunshin, but why Whiskey, Tobacco and Coffee? They are here—sure enough and each performing its work. There must be some great plan behind it, the only connection between the two towns, Judge Hocker, who lives at Byers, near Lexington, is the man heard from, but he can tell nothing of the other men. The names of five others known to have been on the bridge when it went down are: WILLIAM LIVER, manager of the oil mill at Purcell; CLIFF COOLEY, a boy, Purcell; CARROLL, near Lexington; WILL TAYLOR, a boy, Lexington.

BRIDAL CHAMBER ON PIKE. charge of the parade. His masterpiece for the season of Ak-Sar-Ben X is the great white. This marvellous creation is the Quivera in captivity. Great precautions are being taken by the board of governors to protect the people along the line of march from the rapacious jaws of the leviathan. He has not been able to eat a man for three days, and his trumpeting and shouting are said to have driven the inhabitants of North Twentieth street to the verge of hysteria. The predictions of the weather department have cast a gloom over the whole populace. In the temple of the gods indoors is being burned as fast as the drays can deliver it. A delegation will visit the local representative of the weather god with gifts and prayers. If the hope is of any use these efforts will be successful and the unparalleled Fiskepaugh parade will pass through the streets in sunshine.

NOTE—The following article has been widely published and is one of the value of careful marshalling and analysis of facts in presenting a subject to the public.

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DECLARATION IN NEW MEXICO. ROSWELL, N. M., Oct. 4.—Roswell is a scene of desolation. The flood that started Thursday night has receded. The damage will be over \$100,000. For days it was impossible to get in telegraphic communication with outside points. The electric plant was flooded and the city was in darkness. Water was 3 feet deep in the main part of the city and ran in streams through residences and business houses. The Roswell opera house and about fifteen business and residence houses collapsed. The dyke that was erected by the city was washed out. There have been no trains either north or south since Thursday. The railroad bridges along the Pecos river have been washed away.

WESTERN LIVES LOST IN FLOODS. SANTA FE, N. M., Oct. 4.—Reports received from different points in the territory show that the loss of life in the floods that have occurred in the past week was greater than at first thought. At least twenty persons, both men and women, have not been definitely heard from. Ten Santa Fe passenger trains are tied up at Santa Fe tonight, but passengers are being sent east and west over the Rock Island and Southern Pacific roads, connection being effected through the Santa Fe Central, which resumed operations today.

GREAT PIANO HOUSE OPEN. Schmoller & Mueller's Factory and Store Will Be Inspected by Order of the King. Ak-Sar-Ben is king and during this week all his subjects are supposed to display their loyalty. According to a recent edict emanating from "his highness," Schmoller & Mueller have been invited to extend an invitation to Ak-Sar-Ben, king of the world, to inspect their piano factory at 1316 Paarnam street. All Omaha people are proud of this Nebraska act enterprise and a trip through the factory undoubtedly will prove interesting to those who take advantage of the courteous invitation.

PRaises JAPANESE DOCTORS. United States Surgeon Says Nation's Sanitation is Far Ahead of Others. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—Among the passengers arriving on the liner Mongolia from the Orient was Major Louis L. Beaman, surgeon in the United States engineer corps, who has been studying the Japanese methods of surgery in the campaign of the army against the Russian.

LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. Boyd's Theater Monday Evening, October 10, 8 o'clock, by Judge Septimus J. Hanna, C. S. D., of Columbus Springs. Member of the Christian Science Board of Lecturers of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. ADMISSION FREE.

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FAIRBANKS ON RETURN TRIP. (Continued from First Page.)

DEMOCRATS CALL UPON PARKER. James H. Eckles and Captain Hobson Will Take the Stump. NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—More prominent democrats today called upon Judge Parker than on any previous day since the St. Louis convention.

CHANGES ON ROCK ISLAND. L. F. Lorie, Chairman of Executive Committee Resigns and is Succeeded by Robert Mather. CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—L. F. Lorie today resigned as chairman of the executive committee and director of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company and of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad company.

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