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Bee, Nov. 20, 1904.

"How many things, both just and unjust, are sanctioned by custom."

Fine Black Dress Goods from Paris

You can always count on finding here the very best things that Fashion creates in the way of exclusive black elegance.

New Black Crepe de Paris—Stylish, beautiful and elegantly finished in these new fabrics. All our own exclusive styles.

New Black Broadcloths—Here are two special qualities sold in Omaha exclusively by us. Go wherever you will—to church, to the opera, wherever well dressed women congregate—and you will see at least three out of five wearing a handsome costume made from our Princess or Opera Broadcloth.

SI Handsome 54-Inch Suiting. Monday, 47c Per Yard. Figures mean little, by themselves, but when we show you this handsome 54-inch carefully selected suiting for jackets, separate skirts, knock-out suits, for children's school dresses, at prices lower than have ever been quoted in Omaha, it means something out of the ordinary.

Beautiful Alaska Fox Scarfs—\$15, \$18, \$25, \$35, \$40. There is no prettier fur for the neck than those handsome shades of brown Alaska Fox. These elegant furs almost equal Russian Sable in color and silkiness of hair.

Special Sale of Ruffled Bobinet Curtains. \$1.85 Ruffled Net Curtains, 9c per pair. \$2.00 Ruffled Net Curtains, 11c per pair.

THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO. Y. M. C. A. Building, Corner Sixteenth and Douglas Sts.

GIFT OF EMPEROR WILLIAM

Statue of Frederick the Great Unveiled by Baroness von Sternberg.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES MARK THE DAY

Presentation Speech is Made by the German Ambassador and the Response is by President Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Hailed by a military band of twenty trumpets, the bronze statue of Frederick the Great, presented to the American people by Emperor William, was unveiled this afternoon by the Baroness Speck von Sternberg.

Perfect Fitting Kirts. No charge for alterations. We sell hundreds of pretty styles, so that nothing is ever old. Our skirts are always new.

Linen Decorations for Thanksgiving. Our new line of the Real Irish Hand Embroidered Tea Cloths, Scarfs, Centerpieces, Luncheon Cloths, Tray Cloths, Plate Doilies, Tumbler Doilies and Finger Bowl Doilies that are worked by the famous Irish artists are more beautiful than ever before shown by Thompson, Belden & Co.

Monday Offerings in Our Flannel Department. Shaker Flannel, 3/4c yard; regular 5/8c quality. Flannellette, 5c per yard; regular 10c and 12 1/2c qualities.

Winter Coats. There are hundreds of new and choice styles to select from in three-quarter length, 37-inch, fitted coats, loose coats, brown coats, black coats, covert coats and rain coats.

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proposed by the United States, reserving only the questions of the date of the meeting and the program.

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agents in many cases under the civil service.

"I have had a talk with the president and Secretary Hitchcock," said Commissioner Jones this morning, "and I have decided to retire soon. I came here to remain only two years and have been here seven. I have had the matter of resigning under consideration for some time past. I did not want to get out of office while the investigation was going on at the Winnebago agency. Now that Inspector Wright has completed his investigation it is about time for me to step down and out, for my private interest is to get home as soon as possible."

So far as can be learned, no one has been suggested as a successor to Mr. Jones. The position pays \$5,000 a year and is looked upon as one of the best places in the government service. In this connection it can be said that there were many rumors in circulation today at several of the departments that a number of heads of bureaus who have not reached the standards required by the president are also going to resign.

Governor Cummins of Iowa is due to arrive in Washington in a few days for the purpose of protesting against the decision of General Atkinson that names of certain Iowa regiments, and particularly the time they went into the battle at Shiloh, are not entitled to appear on monuments to be erected on that historic field. Governor Cummins believes the War department has erred in its decision and, if necessary, proposes to take the matter to the president.

White Governor Cummins has been mentioned for cabinet positions, there is no good ground for believing that either Secretary Shaw or Secretary Wilson will leave the cabinet for some time, and it is really expected that both Iowa members of the cabinet will be part of the president's official family during the next administration.

An effort was made by friends of Postmaster Wynne to bring about the resignation of Secretary Shaw's resignation from the Treasury department so that Mr. Cortelyou might be made secretary of the treasury, thereby permitting Mr. Wynne to remain as postmaster general, but Mr. Wynne said to your correspondent today that he expected Mr. Cortelyou to take hold of the postmastership about March 1. Just what the president has in view for Mr. Wynne is not known even to that gentleman. It is possible, however, that he may be given an ambassadorship should he so desire, probably the mission to Mexico.

It is not expected that Mr. Wynne, after having served as postmaster general, will agree to take his old position of first assistant postmaster general. While there are precedents for this, it would hardly comport with Mr. Wynne's standing to take a subordinate position after having once held a cabinet place. Governor Cummins of Iowa, who has two years yet to serve, as the people of Iowa voted him an extra year in extending the time of the next gubernatorial election to 1908, stoutly denies that he has any call of aspirations whatever, but on the contrary it is known that he will try for the congressional nomination in the Des Moines district against Captain Hull. The fate of Judge Froudy, who was Captain Hull's antagonist on several occasions, has no worries for the tariff revisionist governor of Iowa, and it is understood the governor is getting ready for his try for congress.

Ex-Senator Thurston of Nebraska, to celebrate his recent great republican victory in his state, gave a most delightful dinner Friday evening at his home on Wyoming avenue to a number of his old Nebraska friends resident at Washington. There were a number of felicitous speeches made particularly in congratulation to the senator for the work he did in the recent campaign. The guests were W. E. Andrews, auditor for the treasury department; M. J. Hull of Edgar, E. W. Woodruff of Sutton, E. C. Snyder of Omaha, John Hayes of Nebraska City, Emanuel Speich and C. Brundage of Tecumseh, C. Thatcher of Alliance, C. C. Heilman of Geneva, E. B. Henderson and P. H. Winter of Omaha, M. A. Kuykendall of O'Neill, John E. Wells of Lincoln, Dr. P. S. Nicholson of St. Paul, G. L. Austin of Fremont and Carroll Furman of this city.

The Iowa Manufacturing company of Oskaloosa, Ia., was today awarded the contract for installing the heating apparatus in the public building at Kirksville, Mo., for their bid of \$1,000.

Rural carriers appointed for Iowa routes: Hamilton, route No. 1, George Stillwell, carrier; Charles Stillwell, substitute. Tracy, route No. 1, Herschel N. Rouze, carrier; William V. Rouze, substitute.

TAKE SUIT TO FEDERAL COURT. St. Louis United Railways Company Case to Be Heard Later.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 19.—The suit of Celia Adler & Tilles against Bunt Bros. of Philadelphia, the National Bank of Commerce and the United Railways company of St. Louis, in which the plaintiffs seek to enjoin the defendants from disposing of certain syndicate stocks, including stock of the St. Louis Transit company, and in which arguments for a temporary injunction were to have been heard November 18 in the St. Louis circuit court, was sent to the United States circuit court on petition of the defendants, who made the point that one of the defendants, James Brown, was a resident of another state.

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"I recommend 'Pyramids' wherever I know of anyone suffering as I did. It gives me great pleasure to be able to say I am entirely cured, which my doctor says is true. I say God Bless Pyramid Pile Cure." From a former great sufferer, Mrs. E. Annett, 1236 Unity St., Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.

This remedy, which is sold by druggists generally, in fifty-cent and dollar packages, is in a supplementary form is applied directly to the parts affected and performs its work quietly and painlessly. Its value is evidenced by the testimony given above, and we urge all sufferers to buy a package now and give it a trial tonight. Accept no substitutes, and remember that there is no remedy "just as good." A little book on the Cause and Cure of Piles is published by the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., and will be sent free to any address.

STOVE SALE. The first blizzard may catch you unprepared. No such bargains ever offered in Omaha before. Heaters and Ranges at Greatly Reduced Prices. RADIANT HOME BASE BURNERS, up from \$29.00. Other Base Burners as low as \$17.75. PURITAN STEEL RANGES with high warming closet, easily worth \$35, cut to \$27.75. OAK STOVES, reliable, handsome, powerful heaters, \$8.45, \$6.35 and \$4.95. Carvers—Carvers—Carvers. MILTON ROGERS & SONS CO. Stoves and Ranges Sold on Payments. 14TH AND FARNAM STS.

MALE FIXINGS FOR THANKSGIVING. THE FASHION FURNISHERS FOR FASHIONABLE FELLOWS. C. H. FREDERICK CO. W. P. MARSHALL, 1504 FARNAM ST. D. C. HURLEY. The BEST of everything in MALE FIXINGS is at all times to be found here. All furnishing goods suitable for Thanksgiving and Christmas is now in stock. SHIRTS, SHIRTS—The best, the most stylish, the most durable shirt on the market today—\$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1.00. NECKWEAR—The latest in all styles—50c to \$1.50. UNDERWEAR—All the latest styles and patterns—Suits from \$1.00 to \$10.00. FANCY VESTS—White and figured—\$2.50 to \$3.00. For anything in MALE FIXINGS that any man may wish, we can fix you. THE EXCLUSIVE AGENTS FOR THE STETSON SPECIAL AND DUNLAP HATS, at 5.00. C. H. FREDERICK CO. 1504 FARNAM STREET.

Live Stock Exposition, Chicago and Return. November 26 to December 3. A big show in a big town by big breeders of cattle, horses, sheep and swine. A liberal education for the stockman and farmer, demonstrating methods of feeding and results in the bank account. That's what the International Live Stock Exposition for 1904 will be. Incidentally, there are the attractions of large stores, theatres, concerts and streets of the great city. Of course you are going over the Island. Reduced Rates will be made. The Rock Island Agent will tell you about it. F. P. RUTHERFORD, D. P. A., 1323 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.

Your Thanksgiving Turkey SHOULD BE COOKED WITH... Rock Springs Coal. BUY IT FROM THE TEN CARS OF FRESH COAL NOW ON TRACK. South Omaha Ice & Coal Company. 912 So. 13th St.—Phone 373—and 411 So. 15th St.—Phone 455.

COPLEY JEWELER. THE SELLER OF WATCHES. Will You Do Copley a Favor? Before selecting your Christmas jewelry, stop into Copley's—THAT'S ALL. Copley's goods and prices WILL DO THE BEST. RESERVE NOW. PAT LATER. PENNYROYAL PILLS. CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH. DR. MCGREW'S SPECIALIST. Treats all forms of DIARRHEA OF MEN. 28 Years' Experience. A Medical Expert whose remarkable success has never been excelled. His Home Treatment has permanently cured thousands of cases of chronic Nervous, Renal, Kidney and Bladder and Skin Diseases at small cost. Have time and money by despatching your order for FREE BOOK and course of treatment. Medicine sent in glass package. Charges Low. Consultation Free. Office hours: 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., Sundays, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Call or write, Box 144, Omaha, Neb.

ZEMSTVOS HOLD SESSION

Representatives of Rural Russia Unofficially Discuss Needed Reforms.

MEETING THAT WILL PROVE HISTORIC. Memoranda to Czar Adopted Which Says Steps Should Be Taken to Get Government in Touch with the People.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 19.—The meeting of representatives of zemstvos, which had been looked forward to with so much hope, was held this afternoon at a private residence in this city, but at the last moment the government withdrew the official auspices under which it was to be held, because the representatives declined to adhere to the original purposes of the convention.

A hundred earnest men, included among whom were some of the most prominent figures in Russia, therefore met and discussed a carefully prepared memorandum, practically embodying a recommendation for a national representative board to have a share in the government. This memorandum would be presented to Emperor Nicholas.

Prince Biatopolski-Mirsky, the minister of the interior, guaranteed the meeting protection from police interference, but secrecy was maintained as to the place of meeting and this effectively prevented demonstrations which had been announced would be made by students.

History Making Document. The memorandum included ten sections, of which seven were endorsed at today's meeting. The remainder, it is expected, will be approved at a meeting to be held tomorrow. The document, which is bound to hold a conspicuous place in Russian history, is as follows:

Section 1.—The abnormal system of government prevailing among us, and especially noticeable since the '80s, and due to complete estrangement of government and people and the absence of the mutual confidence so necessary to progress.

Section 2.—These relations between the government and the people originate from repulsive and arbitrary methods of administration and persistent efforts to exclude the people from participation in internal government. With this object the government endeavored to extend centralized administration to all branches of local government and impose a tutelage in every branch of national life, admitting co-operation with the popular institutions into harmony with the views of the government.

Section 3.—The bureaucratic system of government, which has become a hindrance to the development of the nation, and which has led to the stagnation of the country.

Section 4.—The normal current and evolution of state and nation is possible only under the condition of popular living and the co-operation of the imperial power with the people.

Section 5.—In order to exclude the possibility of the disunity of administrative organizations and to give them a real life, it is necessary to establish and consistently apply a principle by which the rights of the zemstvos and the restoration of rights without the decision of independent local authorities.

Section 6.—The unrestricted representation of public opinion and the free expression of opinion and speech and of the press, and also of the press, are the chief conditions of the progress and successful development of the political and economic life of the country. A considerable majority of the population of Russia belonging to the peasant class, it is necessary first of all to place the latter in a position favorable to the progress of the nation, and this is attainable only by radical reform of the present inequitable and burdensome conditions of the peasants. For this purpose it is necessary (a) to equalize the rights of the peasants with those of the other classes; (b) to release rural self-government from administrative tutelage; (c) to extend peasants by proper courts of justice.

Section 7.—Zemstvo institutions, in which local and popular life is usually concentrated, should be placed in conditions in which they can discharge their duties, for this purpose it is necessary that the zemstvo representation be based on a democratic basis and that the local population be admitted to share in zemstvo work, that zemstvo institutions be brought into closer touch with the people independent and that zemstvo institutions be secured the necessary permanent independence essential for their proper development and activity and mutual co-operation of government with popular institutions.

Section 8.—But for the creation and maintenance of local and popular living and the union of the imperial authority with the people upon the basis above pointed out, in order to attain the development of life, state and nation, it is unquestionably necessary for national representation in the form of a specially elective body to participate in legislation.

Section 9.—Popular demonstrations occurred here today owing to the refusal of the authorities to authorize an official meeting of the zemstvo representatives at St. Petersburg. Crowds in the streets in front of the palace of Grand Duke Bagration, governor general of Moscow, shouted: "Down with the Moscow Gazette!" the only newspaper in Russia which is fiercely opposed to the zemstvos. Later the crowds voluntarily dispersed.

The zemstvo supporters have telegraphed to M. Shipoff, president of the Moscow zemstvo, to make a final effort to induce the government to allow the meeting to be held under official auspices.

Section 10.—A majority of the city councilors have petitioned the government to restore the freedom of municipal elections and debates as guaranteed under the law of 1870, and also to suspend the state of siege.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Fair in Nebraska Today, Warmer in Northwest, Portion—Fair Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Forecast of the weather for Sunday and Monday: For Nebraska—Fair Sunday, warmer in northwest portion; Monday fair and warmer in east portion.

For Iowa—Fair Sunday, colder in east and south portions; Monday fair and warmer.

For Colorado—Fair Sunday and Monday. For South Dakota—Fair Sunday, warmer in western portion; Monday fair.

Local Record. OMAHA, Nov. 19.—WEATHER BUREAU. Official record of temperature and precipitation for the corresponding day of the last three years.

Maximum temperature... 104, 100, 102, 101. Minimum temperature... 49, 55, 53, 57. Precipitation... .00, .00, .00, .00.

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day, since March 1: Normal temperature... 50.00. Actual temperature for the day... 50.00. Normal precipitation... .00 inch. Deficiency for the day... .00 inch.

Deficiency since March 1... 4.08 inches. Excess for corresponding period... 2.01 inches.

Indicates trace of precipitation. L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

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MONEY DISAPPEARS DURING THE NIGHT. Season Ended Yesterday and Cash Had Been Collected to Pay Off the Employees—Several Arrests Made.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 19.—While enroute on a flat car between Greenville and Tarboro, N. C., early Saturday morning, the ticket wagon of the Forepaugh & Sells Bros. circus was entered and robbed of \$30,000.

The entrance to the wagon was effected by the use of the regular keys, which had been stolen from the treasurer of the circus. The robbery was not discovered until after the ticket wagon, which was traveling in three sections on the Atlantic Coast Line, had reached Tarboro. The ticket wagon was on the second section and arrived at Tarboro at 1 o'clock Saturday morning. The first section reached there a half hour earlier and the third at 5 o'clock in the morning.

It was 4 o'clock before the robbery had been discovered and from that time until late tonight, when the last report was received in Norfolk by telephone, a continuous search of the effects of the people connected with the circus had been in progress. The police are holding a man and woman, both performers, on suspicion of having committed the robbery. It has been impossible so far to secure the names of the two persons.

Several theories are held by the police and circus people. One of these is that the robbery was committed while the train was in motion and that the money was thrown off the train. Searching parties are at the present time being sent to the coast of Virginia in an effort to find any trace of the money or of any person who might have left the train with it. Up to this time no one has been missed from the circus crowd.

Another theory is that the cash has been hidden in Tarboro by the robbers and numerous search warrants have been sworn out. Armed with these regular police and special detectives are searching every place in Tarboro thought likely to conceal the money. There were a score of arrests made during the day among the circus people. All apprehended were taken into custody on suspicion and while in the town looking their belongings were searched at the show grounds. Absolutely no trace of the money has been found.

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HYMENEAL

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Crocker-Romager. J. W. Crocker and Miss Jennie Romager, both of South Omaha, were married by Rev. Charles W. Savidge at his residence, Twenty-fourth and Maple streets, Saturday afternoon.

Italy Authorizes American Treaty. ROME, Nov. 18.—Foreign Minister Titton today informed Ambassador Meyer that he had given instructions to the Italian ambassador at Washington to sign an arbitration treaty with the United States similar to those between the United States and France and Great Britain.

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