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WE CLOSE SATURDAYS AT 4 P. M.

Bee, Nov. 20, 1904.

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

Paris 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 Ribbons—6 inches wide, in three shades of burnt orange, green, copper, brown, navy and red, very pretty.

New Neckwear—White Wash Stocks—With embroidered dots, in black, navy, red and brown.

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.

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, Center Pieces, 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, 1/2c yard; regular 1/2c quality. Flannellette, 5c per yard; regular 10c and 12 1/2c qualities.

Rob Circus Ticket Wagon. Thirty Thousand Dollars Taken from Office of Forepaugh and Sells Show.

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 bar 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.

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.

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 out in all directions in an effort to find any trace of the money or of any person who might have left the train with it.

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.

Statue is Transferred. Lieutenant General von Loewenfeld, as the special commissioner of the German emperor, transferred the gift of the statue to the custody of his majesty's personal envoy, Baron Sternberg.

Physicians Everywhere. Know the Value of Pyramid Pile Cure. "Gratitude alone prompts me to testify to the efficacy of Pyramid Pile Cure."

Don't Forget Children Thrive Wonderfully on Grape-Nuts and Cream. Look in each package for the famous little book, "Road to Well-being."

Italy Will Join Conference. ROME, Nov. 18.—It is officially announced that Italy has agreed to take part in the new peace conference at The Hague, at

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

SCHELL IS ENDORSED

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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.

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.

The emperor's gift is a replica in bronze of the statue which stands in his palace at Potsdam, the original being the work of the sculptor, Christian Tieck, and is of heroic size, standing more than seven feet. It is mounted on a pedestal of massive granite.

Program of Speeches. The official program began with the invocation by the Right Rev. Dr. Satterlee, the bishop of Washington. Major General Gillespie then addressed the ambassador, saying in part: "The official program began with the invocation by the Right Rev. Dr. Satterlee, the bishop of Washington."

As he closed his address, Major General Gillespie turned to the ambassador and, offering her his arm, escorted her to the edge of the statue, where they were fastened to the statue by the American and German flags in which it was surrounded.

St. Louis United Railways Company. TAKE SUIT TO FEDERAL COURT. 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.

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.

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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.

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. 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. TWENTIETH CENTURY FARMER. Only One Dollar a Year.

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 conducted.

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.

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, due to complete estrangement of government and people and the absence of the mutual confidence so necessary to us.

Section 2.—These relations between the government and the people originate from repulsive and arbitrary measures, from legislative 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.

Section 3.—The administrative system of the zemstvos, which is based on the principle of mutual confidence between the government and the people, is the only one which is in harmony with the views of the government.

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