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Extra Special Reductions in Dress Goods for Friday, 49c, 59c, 69c Yd.

Every woman in Omaha and vicinity should visit the Dress Goods Department Friday. You can choose from this season's most lustrous, beautiful silk finished brilliants in choice pretty patterns that have never sold for less than \$1.00 a yard.

For Friday's extra special selling, in pressed checks, just a suggestion of novelty in fine hair stripes, the new dainty shadow stripes, here and there fine dots peeping through the surface, fine pin stripes with tiny satin dots in clusters of two and three, in brown, blue, red, hunter's green, national blue, etc.

Black Dress Goods of Special Value for Friday's Selling.

We could stop right there and you would surely be here, for customers realize that a reduction sale of Black Goods means in this store, we give this partial list to indicate the extraordinary goods to be sold and the extent of the reductions.

- Regular \$1.25 quality Black Silk and Wool Crepe de Chine, Friday 80c a yard. Regular \$1.00 all-wool Melrose, in the new soft finish, Friday 49c a yard. Regular \$1.00 Panama Novelty, handsome, rich, black, 53-in., Friday 59c a yard.

- PERLAN LAINES. 2c shear Perlan Lawn, 15c. 2c shear Perlan Lawn, 15c. 2c shear Perlan Lawn, 20c. 2c shear Perlan Lawn, 25c.

- LONG CLOTH. No. 300 Imperial Long Cloth, 15c quality, 9c a yard. No. 300 Imperial Long Cloth, 15c quality, 9c a yard.

- SILVER BLEACHED GERMAN NAPKINS. \$1.50 silver bleached Napkins, \$1.25. \$1.25 silver bleached Napkins, \$1.00.

- LINEN SHEETING. \$1.50 50-inch Linen Sheeting, \$1.25. \$1.25 50-inch Linen Sheeting, \$1.00.

The New Pony Suits, the New Polo Suits, and the New Jaunty Little Eton Suits.

Are now being shown in our Clook department, second floor. As the leading store in Omaha, naturally we are the first to show the new ideas. As they are evolved from Paris, Berlin and New York, every style we show has the latest touches of the tailor artist.

THE NEW SPRING SKIRTS ARE ALSO READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION.

Choice new styles, pretty designs and most perfect fitting garments, just received from our high class designers, all the latest colors. Prices from \$2.50 to \$3.00 each.

In Our Economy Basement—Clook Department.

Will be found choice garments well made, of good materials, at real bargain prices. Every garment we purchase for our Economy Basement possesses real merit and extra value.

TILLENMAN IS TURNED DOWN

Southern Senator Introduces Resolution for Investigation of Morris Incident. IT IS PROMPTLY LAID ON TABLE. Motion Made by Senator Daniels to This Effect is Carried by a Vote of 54 to 2.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—There was an echo of yesterday's stormy session in the senate today when Mr. Tillman presented his resolution directing a senatorial investigation into the removal of Mr. Morris from the office of collector of customs at Chicago.

CHASE ON NEW CENTURY

Omaha Man Addresses the Minneapolis Church Club at Minneapolis Concerning Opportunities. MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 18.—The Church club of the diocese of Minnesota held its annual dinner at the Hotel Nicolet this evening, preceded by a reception.

WORLD PRESERVE CONSTITUTION

House Asks Estimate of Cost of Keeping Historic Ship Intact. WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—After paying a tribute to the frigate Constitution today and ordering an investigation to ascertain the annual amount necessary to preserve the ship the house devoted the day until 5:45 o'clock to the perfection and passage of a bill providing for the final disposition of the affairs of the five civilized tribes in Indian Territory.

STORMY COMMITTEE MEETING

Arizona Men Declare They Are Not Being Given a Fair Show. WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—There was another stormy meeting of the senate committee on territories today, Chairman Hamilton and Representative Lloyd had an angry exchange of words over Mr. Hamilton's former position on statehood.

PEABODY FAMILY POISONED

Attempt to Kill Former Governor of Colorado, Wife and Daughter Nearly Successful. DENVER, Colo., Jan. 18.—A special to the News from Canon City, Colo., says that former Governor James H. Peabody, his wife and their daughter were poisoned by food eaten at breakfast this morning and the daughter, Miss Cora Peabody, is in a dangerous condition as a result.

SENATE CONFIRMS NOMINATIONS

Appointments of Consuls and Agents Approved. WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations: Elmer E. McKinney, consul at Caliao, Mexico; George R. Walker, consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad.

BIG NINE WILL MEET TODAY

Conference of College Football Today Determine Fate of Football in Middle West. CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—College football will be played on trial tomorrow at a conference of the "Big Nine" schools called by President Angell of the University of Michigan.

LIBERAL TIDE STILL RISING

Six More Members of Balfour Cabinet Down in Defeat. UNIONISTS LOSE MANY MORE SEATS. Total Gain of Ministerialists Up to Last Night is 122, with a Loss of Only Three.

Balfour Ministers Unseated

Taken altogether, the returns, although less sensational than those previously reported, are most disastrous from the unionist standpoint. No less than six members of the Balfour ministry have been unseated, namely, C. Scott Dickson, solicitor general for Scotland; William St. John Brodick, secretary of state for India; A. Bonar Law, St. George Grey, secretary to the Admiralty; Lord Stanley, postmaster general; and Alwynne E. Fellowes, president of the Board of Education.

Since the elections opened the unionists have gained only three seats, while the ministerialists have gained 132 seats. The seats up to the present are distributed as follows: Liberals, 32; unionists, 27; laborites, 35; nationalists, 60.

Balfour and Bannerman Speak

Mr. Balfour and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman arrived on the same train at Inverness, Scotland, today to fulfill political engagements. The enormous crowd which gathered on the platform greeted each of them with a hail of cheers, each of whom was greeted with a hurricane of cheers.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. Mary J. Tall. LITTLE ROCK, Mo., Jan. 18.—(Special.) The funeral of Mrs. Mary J. Tall, who died aged 72 years, occurred here. The deceased married Thomas Stewart, February 25, 1864, by which union were born the following children: Henry, Thomas and Mrs. F. M. Terry of Little Sioux, Charles S. and Mrs. W. H. Hilliard of Piquette, Mo.; and Mrs. W. H. Hilliard of Piquette, Mo.

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FADS AND FANCIES HEARING

Instructions to Town Topics Correspondents Now Part of Records of Case. NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Instructions issued by Town Topics, a weekly publication, to its correspondents were read in the United States court today during the trial of Norman Haggood, editor of Collier's Weekly, on a charge of criminal libel brought by Justice Joseph M. Deuel of the court of special sessions.

Justice Deuel Asked by Mr. Osborne

"Is not a fact that people who refused to subscribe to 'Fads and Fancies' were abused in Town Topics?" "I do not know."

"Was not Dr. Seward Webb abused in Town Topics for refusing to subscribe to 'Fads and Fancies'?"

"Justice Deuel said he did not know, whether such abuse was leveled at a copy of Town Topics bearing the alleged attack on Dr. Webb and the trial stopped while the jurors read the article. Later Justice Deuel testified that Dr. Webb refused to subscribe to 'Fads and Fancies'."

"Did you not know that when men refused they were abused in Town Topics?"

"No," Mr. Osborne asked. "Then why did you want to know immediately of their refusal?" "To go to them in a different way."

"The witness refused to answer what the different way was and the court sustained him."

"Do you know that F. L. Baker, a Baltimore gentleman, was approached to subscribe and that after he refused to be sent to him from Town Topics?" "I have no knowledge on that subject."

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ton and said there were others, but he declined to give the names. Several members of the committee, notably Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Knox and Mr. Higgins urged that Mr. Bigelow be compelled to answer.

"Mr. Roosevelt can tell you," said Mr. Bigelow.

"Mr. Roosevelt is not on the stand," said Mr. Knox severely.

It was denied by Mr. Hopkins and Mr. Knittridge that there is any controversy between the secretary and the witness.

After a long discussion Mr. Knox formally moved that the witness be compelled to give the names of all persons who furnished him information concerning affairs on the isthmus or to confine his testimony to matters of which he was an eye witness.

The motion was carried and the witness instructed to proceed. Beginning a discursive form of testimony Mr. Bigelow was brought to an abrupt pause by several members of the committee.

Mr. Knox said: "I insist, Mr. Bigelow, that you adapt yourself to the ruling of the committee and give the information as demanded."

"I can put me on bread and water, or even condemn me to Colon, but you cannot make me disclose that which has been given me in confidence," replied the witness. His response was cut short by a motion by Mr. Knox that the committee go into executive session.

Freeman Contradicts Bigelow. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 18.—Regarding Postum Bigelow's assertion before the senate committee on inter-oceanic canals today that among prominent engineers who have declined appointments to assist in the construction of the Panama isthmian canal was John R. Freeman, the latter today stated in an interview here that Mr. Bigelow was mistaken.

CHINESE AT STATE CAPITAL (Continued from First Page.) and other noted men welcomed us and we responded.

Object of Trip. "Our object here is to study your commercial, political and educational institutions. Thirty-seven of us will go back to China, after we have visited Europe, to tell the people of conditions existing in other countries beside their own.

GOVERNOR WHIPS CONVICT Chief Executive of Mississippi Thrashes Negro Trustee for Leaving Executive Mansion.

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 18.—Governor Vandaman's whipping of a negro convict employed as a trustee around the executive mansion, which is to be given a thorough investigation by the penitentiary investigating committee, according to assurances from members of the body, has aroused the liveliest sensation of recent years and is now the most absorbing topic of discussion among the members of the legislature.

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