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END OF THE SEASON!

A Sweeping Clearing Sale of all Black and Colored Dress Goods Remnants Monday, August 6th.

Included in the lot are some of the most beautiful fabrics and weaves seen this season. The goods Thompson, Belden & Co. sell at special prices are widely different from the usual "bankrupt stock" or "damaged" goods invariably called "bargains."

Cream Serge, one of this season's most popular fabrics, seven yards in remnant, for \$2.48. Fine All Wool Poplin, color navy, regular \$1.00 quality, 42 inches, 4 1/2 yards in remnant, for \$1.96.

Customers' Deposit Account Department. WORTH KNOWING ABOUT. A system whereby you have your purchases charged to the money you have on deposit. We pay 4 per cent interest, compounded every three months.

embroidered, \$1.50 and \$2.00 each. Charge Robes in light blue and white eyelet lace with wash ribbon and feather stitching, trimmed with large bow, \$2.00 and \$3.00 each. Main Floor.

First Showing of New Fall Suits. From now on every day we will be showing the new fall suits. As quick as anything really new and choice appears in New York, we show it here, though we do not make as much fuss as some other stores; we always lead. You will find more really new garments in our Cloak Department than any store in Omaha.

Wash Waists from the famous Standard Waist purchase at \$6, \$1.25, \$1.40 and \$1.65. Separate Skirts, new styles arriving daily. SEPARATE SKIRTS—There are only a few more of the pretty brown and white check all wool skirts at \$2.50, worth \$7.25. Second Floor.

Great Mid-Summer Sale of Linens. Monday morning begins the great clearing sale of all odds and ends of broken lines of table linens and napkins at greatly reduced prices.

- TABLE CLOTHS: All \$2.25 Table Cloths, \$1.00 each. All \$2.50 Table Cloths, \$1.25 each. All \$3.00 Table Cloths, \$1.50 each. All \$3.50 Table Cloths, \$1.75 each. All \$4.00 Table Cloths, \$2.00 each. All \$4.50 Table Cloths, \$2.25 each. All \$5.00 Table Cloths, \$2.50 each. All \$5.50 Table Cloths, \$2.75 each. All \$6.00 Table Cloths, \$3.00 each. All \$6.50 Table Cloths, \$3.25 each. All \$7.00 Table Cloths, \$3.50 each. All \$7.50 Table Cloths, \$3.75 each. All \$8.00 Table Cloths, \$4.00 each. All \$8.50 Table Cloths, \$4.25 each. All \$9.00 Table Cloths, \$4.50 each. All \$9.50 Table Cloths, \$4.75 each. All \$10.00 Table Cloths, \$5.00 each.

Magnificent Showing of Pretty Black Dress Remnants Monday.

All Wool Chiffon Batiste, soft and clinging, 6 1/2 yards in remnant, for \$2.98. Imported Poplin, beautiful fabric, regular \$1.50 quality, 42 1/2 yards in remnant, for \$1.38. All Wool French Serge, 4 1/2 yards in remnant, for \$1.49. Silk and Wool Crepe de Paris, regular \$1.00 quality, fine imported fabric, 7 1/2 yards in remnant, for \$2.98.

Wash Goods Special Monday. All the fine Wash Materials that remain to be closed out. Goods that sold regularly at 50c, 75c, 90c and 1.00 per yard. Some of the season's choicest fabrics go on sale MONDAY AT 10c PER YARD.

New Jackets Just Arrived—Infants' Wear Department. It will pay you to visit this department often, as the new goods are beginning to arrive, and so dainty and pretty are they that it is impossible to give you an idea of their beauty by trying to describe them. Come and see them. These items ought to interest you.

We close evenings at 5 o'clock, except Saturday at 9:30.

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which would compel the government to come to terms on the Jewish question. The Novoe Vremya, the only unofficial paper to appear today, declares the nation "seems determined to commit Harakiri" and reviews the bestiality of the mutineers at Cronstadt in their attacks upon the officers as showing "what the country may expect if the mob gets the upper hand. The paper says the mutineers tied a rope with a stone at one end around the neck of one of the officers and threw him into the lake, where he was drowned; beat in the face of another officer with the butt of a rifle and broke the legs of a poor mad woman after bayonetting her.

peror during the negotiations with Premier Stolypin looking to the prince's entering a reorganized ministry, gives a remarkable account of the interview. He says the emperor in the midst of the prince's explanation of the extreme gravity of the situation interrupted him and questioned him regarding the condition of the roads in Saratov province for motorcars. Later the emperor said he was certain the army was perfectly loyal to him.

is now with the legion guard at Péking. has resigned. He is one of the Larrard brothers of Princeton who distinguished themselves as tennis players.

EARTHQUAKE CLAUSE IN FAVOR

All Pacific Coast Insurance Companies Prepare to Insert It in Policies. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—It is stated on good authority that all insurance companies which have not previously had the earthquake clause in their policies will henceforth insert it in all policies written on the Pacific coast, and that within a short time there will be none but earthquake-clause companies doing business here. The organized policyholders wish to cut out the earthquake clause and many other restrictive clauses of policies, and hope to have the next legislature make the form of policy they adopt mandatory with all companies engaged in business in California.

DELAY IN CONSPIRACY CASE

Prosecutions at Pittsburg Will Await End of the Hartle Divorce Case. PITTSBURG, Aug. 4.—Admission was made today by detectives employed on the Hartle case that the conspiracy charges against at least two prominent men as a result of the divorce trial had not been dropped, but that proceedings merely had been suspended to await the conclusion of the arguments which will start before Judge Probert Fraser next Monday.

SAN FRANCISCO LENDS MONEY

Thirty Million Dollars Are Placed in New York Since the Earthquake. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—San Francisco national banks, since the fire, have loaned in New York, on six months' paper, \$30,000,000 at rates of interest ranging from 4 1/2 to 5 per cent.

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RADICAL INSURANCE REPORT

Auditor Carroll Goes After Both Old Line and the Fraternal. INJUDICIOUS INVESTMENT OF FUNDS. Judge Wade Announces that Under No Circumstances Will He Accept Democratic Nomination for Governor.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—In his annual life insurance report made to the legislature and filed with Governor Cummins today Auditor R. F. Carroll makes the most radical recommendations for life insurance legislation and management that has ever been made officially in this state. He reports that an investigation has disclosed that fraternal companies are making investments all the way from the forest lands of Washington Oregon to the stock in the Transiberian railway of Russia and China. He states that he found the Des Moines Life Insurance company has invested to the extent of \$130,000 in land in the Boise valley in Idaho and included in the desert land act of congress, the value of which depended on its being irrigated. That it was not being irrigated yet and hence on his order the company has called in the loan. Though the loan did not make the company insolvent it is given by the auditor as a sample of reckless investment.

The report recommends that the deferred dividend be abolished by law, as most of the evils in insurance are to be traced to that practice. Auditor Carroll states that fraternal and assessment company rates are entirely inadequate and recommends that legislation be enacted providing further companies being formed unless on rates that are much higher, and says that many companies organized in the past have been purely as speculations and to furnish positions for the officers. He states "experience has sufficiently demonstrated the fact that fraternal companies are not to be depended upon to reorganize and bring about conditions that can be looked upon and regarded as permanent."

The auditor points to the fact that eighteen assessment companies have been organized in the state and only four remain. The others having retired or failed. During the year ending December 31, 1905, the life insurance business has increased from \$7,000,000 in force to \$82,000,000; premium receipts increased over previous years from \$2,000,000 to \$28,000,000; admitted assets from a little under \$10,000,000 to \$100,000,000; amount paid policyholders from \$10,000 to \$95,000, these figures being for Iowa companies.

The report recommends a standard form of policy and that companies be prohibited from using any other form without first submitting it to the governor, attorney general and auditor, who recommends that proxies be prohibited.

Waste Out of the Race. Judge M. J. Wade, late congressman from the Second congressional district, in an interview in Iowa City today stated that under no conditions would he accept the nomination for governor. He said he had a ticket at the convention in Waterloo next Tuesday. This is taken as eliminating Judge Wade from all possibility as a candidate for that office.

London, Aug. 4.—The duke of Rutland (John James Robert Manners) died today. He was born in 1818.

ALLEGED VICTIM OF BLACKHAND

Paquale Greco Found Gagged and Bound in Hallway in New York City. NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Paquale Greco, 25 years old, who was reported several days ago as having been kidnaped by a black hand gang, was found today in a hallway on Eleventh street, gagged and blindfolded and with his feet and hands tied. He told the police that since his kidnaping he had been a prisoner of the kidnapers, who had given him neither food nor water in the eighty hours of his captivity. Eugene Duché, a tailor, who notified the police of Greco's presence in the hallway, was arrested on suspicion of knowing something of the kidnaping. Attorney Riegel was arrested on Wednesday last charged with accepting a payment of \$500 to prevent death by black hand methods of Alfonso Schettini, an Italian grocer, and his friend, Greco. Riegel then told the police that Greco had been kidnaped and detectives were at once started in search of him. Greco told the police today that five men seized him at Bleeker and Sullivan streets about midnight Tuesday and placed him in a cellar, the location of which he does not know, and kept him there until early today, when he was removed to a hallway, still gagged and bound. Greco said he would know three of the men who kidnaped him.

The suspicious of the police that Greco's story would bear a investigation were aroused by the manner in which he was bound, the marks of the ropes indicating that he had not long been a captive. A piece of rope similar to that which Greco was tied with was discovered in the pocket of Duché.

PEST SHIP IS UNDER BAN

Steamer Whitehall, Declared Menace to Health of All Ports, is Quarantined. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4.—The steamer Whitehall, from Colon, was today declared a menace to the health of all ports and orders were given by the State Board of Health to hold it indefinitely at the Mississippi river quarantine station. The Whitehall has one of the worst fever epidemics on shipboard in the records of tropical shipping, having arrived here two days ago with an outbreak of chagras fever.

DEATH RECORD.

Colonel Cuthbert Billie. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 4.—Colonel Cuthbert Billie, one of the most widely known Kentuckians, died today, aged 73. He was appointed collector of customs at New Orleans by President Lincoln and served in that capacity for several years, afterward holding other federal appointments. He was known as a great hero and was extremely popular regarding his personal appearance up to his last illness. David W. Aldridge, well known in local railroad circles, died Thursday at Detroit. Seven years ago Mr. Aldridge was traveling freight agent for the Northwestern at this point, later holding the same position at Denver and Detroit. At one time he was agent for the Union Pacific at Shelbyville. Rev. Oscar Filippo. WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 4.—Rev. Oscar Filippo, for thirteen years secretary for the Baptist Publication society of Phil-

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Philadelphia, died at his home in this city today, aged 70 years. He was at times editor of various Baptist publications.

Judge Robert Sedgwick. HALIFAX, N.S., Aug. 4.—Associate Justice Robert Sedgwick of the supreme court of Canada died at Colchester, N. S., today, aged 83 years.

D. B. Wesson. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 4.—D. B. Wesson, head of the firm of the Smith & Wesson Arms company, died at 5:15 this afternoon.

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France Enters Denial. PARIS, Aug. 4.—An official denial was published today to the report from San Francisco that France was abandoning its official and military establishments on the island of Tahiti, preliminary to ceding the island to Great Britain.

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Changes in Cabinet.

The Bourne Gazette says General Trepoft will be appointed minister of war, succeeding General Rudiger. M. Goremynkin, who was premier from May 2 to July 22, has left St. Petersburg and gone abroad.

Miners Are Marching.

IZOVKA, Russia, Aug. 4.—The situation here is very serious. At Izovka, the center of the mining and smelting industry, a procession of over 6,000 strikers marched today, singing the "Marseillaise," to the residence of Governor General Hartung and demanded the release of the strikers arrested at last night's meeting. Many of those in the procession carried clubs. The governor general refused to release the prisoners, and when the processionists declined to obey a summons to disperse a detachment of dragoons went down on them with sabers and whips, wounding about 100 persons, some of them seriously. Wholesale arrests were made, including the leaders of the strikers.

Polish Socialists Active.

WARSAW, Aug. 4.—The Jewish socialist, in a proclamation today, urge the Jews to the revolutionary fight, and should the signal be given, they are requested to appear in the streets armed. The appeal has given rise to a serious panic and fears are expressed that a general railway strike may break out here. Stringent measures have been adopted for the preservation of order.

Lieutenant Larned Resigns.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Second Lieutenant E. P. Larned of the marine corps, who

Organized Policy Holders Start First of Eight Actions Against Policies.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Organized policy holders of the Williamsburg City Fire Insurance company yesterday commenced suit against the company to recover \$50,250, alleged to be due the plaintiffs on account of policies due and unpaid. This is the first of a series of eight actions which attorneys have been empowered to institute.

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