

TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 614

Fall Opening in the Millinery Section

No Flowers No Music We Substitute in Value Giving Instead

Grand openings usually necessitate the expenditure of considerable sums of money for flowers, music, etc. We intend to follow the same plan as last spring and dispense with these, and give the buying public the extreme limit in value instead.

Millinery will no doubt be the center of interest on our second floor during the occasion of this opening, and right well we've prepared to make it the most attractive, elegant, thoroughly and exclusive show of the new season's creations ever placed on view in Omaha.

The Paris hats are, of course, the center of admiration, but New York and our own work room also contribute largely to the display. The women of Omaha are most cordially invited to be here during the opening season. Welcome.

Great Linen Sale Monday of High-Class Odd Table Cloths and Napkins at One-Half Price.

In an immense linen business like ours it becomes necessary periodically to close out broken lines, where in many cases the cloths and napkins do not match. These sales present an opportunity to the housewife to supply her needs at a saving of one-half the regular price.

ODD LINE TABLECLOTHS AT 1/2 PRICE
10 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$5.00, now \$2.50 each.
6 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$6.00, now \$3.00 each.
4 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$7.00, now \$3.50 each.
15 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$8.00, now \$4.00 each.
4 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$10.00, now \$5.00 each.
2 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$12.00, now \$6.00 each.
1 cloth, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$13.00, now \$6.50 each.
4 cloths, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$15.00, now \$7.50 each.
1 cloth, 2 1/2 yds long; regular \$20.00, now \$10.00 each.

ODD FINE NAPKINS AT 1/2 PRICE
10 dozen 1/2 napkins; regular \$4.00, now \$2.00 a dozen.
4 dozen 1/2 napkins; regular \$5.00, now \$2.50 a dozen.
8 dozen 1/2 napkins; regular \$6.00, now \$3.00 a dozen.
4 dozen 1/2 napkins; regular \$8.00, now \$4.00 a dozen.

Ladies' Gloves
The new and beautiful styles are here. Elbow length lace kid gloves—Trefouic. Best quality, made with three new clasps, per pair—\$3.50.
Elbow length gloves, either suede or lace, in all the leading shades and white, per pair—\$2.00.
Street gloves, either Founes or Dent



"So warm and so light"

When you sleep every muscle of your body should be relaxed. Heavy covers are a strain that makes it impossible to get the full benefit of your rest.

Maish Laminated Cotton-Down Comforts

are very light and luxuriously warm.

See the "Maish" at our store. New and attractive patterns.

PRICES:
Size 72x91, \$3.00 each.
Size 81x90, \$4.00 each.

Open Saturday Evenings.

THOMPSON BELDEN & CO.

Howard Street, Corner Sixteenth.

"Viyella" Flannels.

England's most famous flannel and guaranteed, non-shrinkable, color fast in washing. Our new line, which has just arrived, comprises all the latest styles in stripes, plaids and fancies, also plain colors. Price the world over—75c per yard, 2 1/2 inches wide.

Hosiery, With Split Soles

That means hosiery with soles of undyed yarn—black uppers with unbleached soles. They wear better and do not burn the feet like the black stockings of other stores. Women's black cotton hose, with moco split soles, double soles, heels and toes—50c per pair.
Women's medium or heavy weight black cotton hose, moco split soles, high spliced heels and toes—50c per pair, or three pairs for \$1.00.
Women's black cotton hose, medium weight, double soles, heels and toes—50c per pair.

Monday Specials—Second Floor.

FINAL CLEARANCE OF WOMEN'S GOWNS.
All the odds and ends of high grade gowns, made of sheer nainsook, low neck, short sleeves, prettily trimmed with lace or embroidery. Gowns that sold at \$7.50 to \$15.00.

Monday's Price \$1.75 Each.

Special Sale of Women's Drawers.
Women's drawers, of fine nainsook, prettily trimmed with embroidery. Regularly priced at 75c and 85c—

Monday's Price 50c Each.

Investigate.

We have what we call "The Deposit Account Department." You profit by the high values and low prices of the Thompson, Belden & Co. cash system, and THROUGH THIS DEPARTMENT enjoy all the conveniences of a credit system WITHOUT ITS HIGH COST. We do not run a bank; there is no cashing of checks. Your money earns 4 per cent as long as it is in our Deposit Account Department.

Enjoy Our Rest Room.

When tired out from shopping come to our rest room and recline in the large easy chairs; free telephone, magazines and writing material, all for your convenience. Manufacturing room, in connection. Miss Logan, expert manicurist, is in charge. Make your engagements with her by phone if you wish.

St. Mary's Blankets.

We carry a most complete line of St. Mary's blankets. Comparison of prices will show that we are always below the so-called special prices of other stores. We make no advanced prices on present stock. These are the grades made by the St. Mary's Woolen Mills carried by us and sold at the old prices as long as they last.

New Fall Trimmings.

We are showing the latest fall novelties in dress trimmings, in handsome new shades and combinations. Braids, Persian trimmings, appliques and silk knife plaiting, all to be used extensively.

Veilings.

A positive necessity for windy days, it also adds a finishing touch to the costume.

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GENERAL TREPOFF IS DEAD

Evil Genius of Emperor Nicholas Dies Suddenly of Angina Pectoris.

PRUSSIAN DICTATOR A REMARKABLE MAN

He Was a Natural Despot, a Tyrant by Inclination, Education and Conviction—His Attempts to Kill Him.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 15.—General Dmitri Fodorovich Trepoff, commandant of the imperial palace, died at 8 o'clock this evening in his villa at Peterhof, of angina pectoris.

General Trepoff, whose name was indelibly linked with reaction and oppression in Russia, was a remarkable man. He was a natural despot, a tyrant by inclination, education and conviction. He was one of those men who have constantly appeared in Russian history just at the time when conditions were most promising for putting an end to despotism to return the Russian rulers from liberalism to reaction. It was he who became the guiding spirit of the reaction after Nicholas II. had issued his manifesto in the fall of 1905, promising the people a share in the government. Holding the position of master of the palace, in league with the court intriguers, who were determined to restore the old regime, he constantly had the emperor's ear.

Like his father before him, Trepoff was a police master with all that the name involved in Russia, and the story of father and son is full of dramatic incidents. The elder was a founding member of the secret police, and his name was never known. He was found one morning upon the back doorstep of a German family by whom he was playfully named "Trepo-Hof" (German for doorman). The father distinguished himself as a member of the secret police. During the reign of the nihilists conspiracies in the late seventies, it was to him that Alexander II. confided the task of running down terrorists plotting against his life. The fight between liberalism and reaction then, as later, was a struggle in full swing, and then, as later, the energies of the police were directed against the student agitation.

Detester of Russia. Dmitri followed his father's footsteps. He attracted the attention of Grand Duke Sergius, then governor general of Moscow, and he was named police master of Moscow. Trepoff, soon became Sergius' right arm in fighting the revolutionary student agitation, of which the ancient capital was the hotbed. When Sergius was assassinated Trepoff was named governor general of Moscow. Later he was summoned to St. Petersburg and given the command of the imperial guard and made governor general of the city. He took up his residence in the winter palace and became, in fact, if not in name, dictator of Russia. Anarchy prevailed when he arrived. An uprising on a large scale was momentarily expected. Thousands had fled the city, but with Trepoff in command the aspect of affairs changed. Troops filled the streets and dead walls were placarded with notices that the slightest disorders would be suppressed without mercy. And under his iron hand the city became quiet.

During four trying weeks plot after plot to kill him was discovered and frustrated. Two of his own nephews attempted to execute the sentence. But in his dungeon-like room in the center of the palace no bomb could reach him save by shattering a dozen walls. With a telephone constantly at his side he issued orders and received reports.

His personal courage was beyond all question. "I am no fool," he said to the socialist press correspondent a few days after he assumed the dictatorship. "I am no fool to be potted in the street. I have work to do and I propose to do it. I have given my word to my imperial master to maintain the tranquility of the city, and I will answer for the preservation of order with my life."

Trepoff made a pretense of acquiescing in the manifesto of October of that year and in Witte's elevation to the premiership. But in reality he was only awaiting a favorable opportunity to give battle to the new regime. And when the orgy of liberty which followed the manifesto was in full blast, threatening to sweep away the foundations of the government, even Witte was glad to turn to the great police master to restore order. He accomplished his task and was hailed by the reactionaries as the savior of the situation. The emperor was made to believe Treppoff alone was capable of safeguarding the lives of himself and the imperial family. And so, with the populace howling at his heels, he retired to Tsarskoe-Selo to become master of the police. There, in a more congenial atmosphere, he took the direction of the campaign for the restoration of the old order.

Personally Treppoff was a handsome man, tall, square shouldered, with close cropped hair and beard, his whole face and figure instinct with life and alertness. In all six actual attempts on the life of General Treppoff had been made within three years and only last July General Kouloff of the headquarters staff was assassinated by Peterhoff by a terrorist who believed he was firing upon Treppoff.

Fifty Years Old.

General Treppoff would have been 51 years old December 15. For several months he had been suffering from a heart affection and amatic troubles and some time ago was forced to abandon a large amount of his routine work.

IOWA BOY LOOKS FOR PARENTS

Gets Off at the Wrong Depot and Finds No One to Meet Him.

Gilbert Thompson, aged 12 late of Odebolt, Ia., is being given temporary lodging at the Omaha police station to await a search for his parents, who he came here to join. Somewhere on Pierce street, Gilbert does not know just where, live his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thompson, but he has implicit confidence that the big blue-coated policemen will find them for him all right.

Loss of Life at Odebolt.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 15.—One life is believed to have been lost and six persons were severely injured in the fire which destroyed the Odebolt hotel early today.

Opportunity Knocks Once

at the door of every man and woman. You will have the chance to hear it all this week at our store, where we have on sale this week some of the choicest bargains ever advertised in the furniture and stove history of Omaha. When you come here we show you just what we advertise, and send you home exactly what you select. Whatever your wants are in furniture this week

SEE US FIRST--WE WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

Your Money's Worth or Your Money Back

Everything Marked in Plain Figures

Remember, a handsome Gift With Each Sale of \$10 and over.

Here is a picture of our bargain bed, heavy chilled iron posts, brass rails and top. A beautiful design in all colors. An \$8 bed on sale—

\$5.75

A beautiful rocker with each purchase of \$10 or more. This offer good until Sept. 22.

FREE

Here's a Big Bargain—This Oak Stove, guaranteed to keep steady fire for 24 hours, nicely nicked, only—

2.98

This massive side oak solidboard, swell top drawers, French plate bevel mirror, velvet lined silver chest, large size, a handsome design. The biggest bargain in Omaha. This week

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raided holiday yesterday, taking horses. He says his information does not confirm press dispatches as to the destruction of sugar plantations.

From dispatches received today from Mr. Mueser, charge of the American legation at Havana, it appears that the extent of damage to American property near Cienfuegos had been exaggerated. The report that the Huastec estate had been destroyed is contradicted, and thus far, he has not been able to confirm the report that the Constancia estate buildings have been burned. It is also said the buildings on the Hormiguera estate were not burned by the insurgents.

A dispatch from American Consul Holladay at Santiago de Cuba, says that, so far as he can learn, there has been no actual warfare in Santiago province, but that it is reported 400 men are in arms.

Marines Under Orders.
BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Orders for a detachment of marines to proceed to Norfolk were received today at the Charlestown navy yard. Upon arrival at Norfolk it was arranged to embark upon a United States cruiser bound for Cuba in connection with the Cuban insurrection. It was planned to send the men away on an after-noon train.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 15.—A detachment of sixty-six marines left for the Portsmouth navy yard under hurry orders today on their way to Norfolk, Va., where they will embark on one of the cruisers which is under orders to sail for Cuba next Monday night.

HYMENEAL.
Married—Honor.
DUNLAP, Ia., Sept. 15.—(Special).—The marriage of Clinton Moorehead and Minnie B. Bonar occurred Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, James Bonar. Rev. Van Horn of the Free Methodist church officiated. A wedding dinner was served immediately following the ceremony.

Russian Charged with Bigamy.
MURKIN, S. D., Sept. 15.—(Special).—A. Aktorsky, who came here some months since and engaged in the tailoring business, is under arrest on the charge of bigamy. A woman arrived here from Alexandria, Russia, a day or two since, claiming Aktorsky as her husband, and to prove her claim she presents a marriage certificate, photographs of Aktorsky, two children and herself. Aktorsky gave bonds for his appearance and an examination may reveal some interesting facts, as he is living here with a woman who he claims to have married about a year ago in the south part of this state. Wife No. 1 is a pleasant appearing woman of about 45 years of age, but is unable to speak the English language.

State Ownership of Railroads.
He referred to the railroad rate law and said he was going a step further, and continued:

Two years ago I had reached the conclusion that the government ownership of railroads was the only solution of the question. My position has been mislabeled, and in some places misconstrued. I have been accused of favoring a thing that would lead to centralization. Let me remind you that this plan not only does not lead to centralization, but it is the first suggestion made that looks to the practical strengthening of the state and making a federal ownership of the railroads. People have been discussing public ownership with the idea that the federal government would own the railroads, and that the federal government and all the local lines under control of the state government, and if anybody else is to be practical, instead of being told them that in the empire of Germany, almost all the railroads are owned by the separate states, and that the empire wants to get the railroads in order to strengthen the general government, but the states refuse to surrender them because they are the influential in the strength of the state government, and if anybody else is to be practical, instead of being told them that in the empire of Germany, almost all the railroads are owned by the separate states, and that the empire wants to get the railroads in order to strengthen the general government, but the states refuse to surrender them because they are the influential in the strength of the state government, and if anybody else is to be practical, instead of being told 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