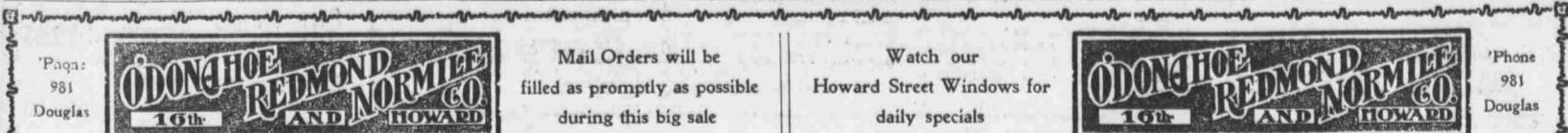
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Mail Orders will be filled as promptly as possible during this big sale

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Tremendous Rush at "The Daylight Store

What crowds thronged the aisles of three great floors Saturday! What a rush for bargains! How they clamored to be waited upon! A tremendous business! A pleased multitude! But watch us Monday! Watch us please a still greater multitude! Watch us send out thousands of bargains into tho discussion in over twenty-five thousands homes is the gigantic unloading sale now in progress at the Daylight Store. It is a sale for all the people and not the favored few. It is a sale on everything! The best merchandise in the store is going at decidedly remarkable prices. We prove it every day. The crowds increase, that's evidence. Then too, our's is a new store and every dollar's worth of goods in it is new, fresh and seasonable. Consequently, when we offer such dependable merchandise at such marvelous low prices. The crowds respond and take advantage of it. Do you blame them?. Follow the crowds to this mighty sale Monday.

Interest in the Linen Section continues still unabated and our special offers at Money-Saving Prices attract increased numbers of patrons. In order to make Monday a record-breaker we give the following special bargains:

We will place on sale three numbers of Table Damask, Bleached, Silver Bleached and Unbleached, which we sell at 60c per yard. They are broken lines, that's why they go at this figure-

Two numbers of table linen, both strictly pure linen, heavyweight double damask, two yards wide, come bleached and silver bleached, and sells ordinarily at \$1.15 and \$1.25 per yard. Unloading Sale Price, per yard, 89c.

Pattern Table Cloths

Our line of Unhemmed Pattern Table Cloths is without doubt the finest in the city. In this particular branch we pride ourselves in saying we cannot be excelled in range of patterns, prices and sizes, carrying, as we do, Liddell's Celebrated "Gold Medal Brand" Linens, each and every piece stamped, which is in itself a guarantee against imposition and denotes its purity and quality.

A pattern table cloth, very heavy quality, all pure linen, usually sold at the rate of \$1.35 per-

Special for Monday-2-yard cloth for ... \$1.85 2 16-yard cloth for. 2.25 3-yard cloth for ... 2.75

All our better grades of pattern table cloths, including the very best qualities of Irish satin damask, ranging in price from \$5.00 to \$20.00 and size from 2 yards to 4 yards long, we shall dispose of during this sale by giving 20% discount on each.

This is an opportunity that cannot be overlooked, as these goods are already marked at a price below cost of production.

A broken lot of napkins to match above lot will be slaughtered at same terms.

Napkins in Half Doz Lots The entire accumulation of odds and ends of last week's selling in 5-8 and 6-8 sizes, and worth double what we ask for them, in four lots at the Unloading Sale

Price of 6 for 19c

Linen Towels

As a leader in our towel section tomorrow we shall place on sale about three hundred dozen towels at a price fully one-third less than the jobber's or manufacturer's fig-

ure today. This lot consists of hemmed hucks, fringed hucks and bath towels, suitable for barber, hotel, dental and other purposes,

at, each, 3c. A hemstitched huck towel, pure white, good, large size, heavy and absorbent, which cannot be landed today at the price which we will unload it, at, each, 714 c.

A Devonshire huck towel, hemmed, all ready for use, comes in plain white and colored borders, a snap for the shrewd buyer, ut, each, 12c.

About 25 dozen "Webb's" celebrated hemmed and hemstitched huck towels, all pure linen, a leftover purchase from the holiday trade, which we will close at, each,

Towelings

In view of the great advance in price of towelings we were fortunate in placing an order for two hundred bolts of this goods a month and a half ago, which we just received, and shall place on sale tomorrow. It is a good width, plain, heavy and absorbent; while it lasts at, per yard, 8 14 c.

An all-linen Barnsley toweling, regular 12 % c value, in red border suitable for roller and general kitchen use, at, per yard, 9c.

A glass toweling, good for drying, leaves no lint, very wide, comes in red and blue checks, at, per yard, 11c.

A very heavy all-linen Barnsley toweling, which cannot be replaced today at 17 %c wholesale, our Unloading Sale Price, per yard, 14c.

Bath Towels and Face Cloths

An unbleached Turkish bath towel, large size, heavy twisted thread, regular 12 1/2 c quality, at,

A full bleached Oriental Turkish bath towel, soft and absorbent, the round twisted thread, at less than the price of the raw material, each, 12c.

A large size hemmed face cloth, made of heavy Russia Terry, in plain white and red and blue borders, also the celebrated "Rub Dry" face cloth, never sold less than 5c, at, each, 236c.

200,000 Yards of Embroideries and Laces

at Less Than Manufacturer's Cost. Great cash purchase of big New York firm's Annual Clearing Sale. These lines sacrificed to us at 50c on the dollar. We offer the public this great advantage.

Embroideries

Imported hand-loomed embroidery edges, fine nainsooks and very sheer swisses, from 6 to 15 inches wide, regular 50c to \$1.50 values, for this sale only, the yard, 39c.

Fine all-over embroideries for waists, 18 and 22 inches wide, neat patterns, ranging from \$1.00 down to 50c, the yard, Unloading Sale Price, 50c and 29c.

Corset Cover Embroideries, with or without beaded edge, 12 and 18 inches wide, 6 to 10 inch waist insertions and wide flouncing embroidery; this lot sells from 25c to 75c yard; Unloading Sale Price, 39c, 29c and 19c.

Laces

All-over laces and nets, creams, ecrus and white, 18 to 48 inches wide, German and Normandy vals, Irish crochet, Venice and Orientals, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 the yard, Unloading Price, 75c, 50c

Beautiful trimming laces, in creams, white and ecrus, consisting of heavy edge net tops, Point Paris and Normandy Vals, widths from 3 to 6 inches, 20c to 45c values, at, the yard, 15c and 10c.

Here is a chance for trimming embroidery. All widths of edges, insertions and beadings, in fine

and heavy Nainsooks, sell regular from 10c to 50c the yard, Unloading Sale, 19c, 15c, 10c and 5c.

Extraordinary Special Three bargain tables filled with the greatest lot of fine French, Mechlin and German Valenciennes, wash laces, Point Paris, Normandy Vals and Venise Bands, all widths and qualities, worth to 35c yard-Unloading Sale Price, 5c

5c and 10c Laces at 2c-Consisting of 3,000 yards of fine wash Torchons, Imitation Clunys and Venise Appliques - cream and white, 2c a yard.

In our money-saving basement

Monday Will Be a Gala Day in New Basement \$1.50 AND \$2.00 LACE CUR- |

100 dozen manufacturers' sample Lace Curtains bought at half price. The entire lot goes on sale Monday at about Half Usual

1 lot handsome Lace Curtains, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, Monday, 98c pr. 1 lot handsome Lace Curtains,

worth \$2.80, Monday, \$1.89 pr. 1 lot handsome Lace Curtains, worth \$3.00, Monday, \$1.49 pr.

1 lot handsome Lace Curtains, worth \$1.50, Monday, 75c pr. 1 lot handsome Lace Curtains,

worth \$1.00, Monday, 50c pr. 100 PAIRS SAMPLE BLAN-KETS, 19c.

This is an extraordinary offer. These are single grey Blankets, worth considerably more. As a leader Monday the entire lot will be placed on sale at 19c each. Another strong line will be placed out on sale at 29c each, worth 40c.

40 prs. 11-4 fine Oregon Wool Blankets, in white and grey or fancy plaids, worth \$5.50, special Monday, \$4.25 pr.

25 regular \$2.00 Comforts, special, Monday, \$1.60.

Factory Ends Are Drawing the Crowds Immense new lots have been

added for Monday's selling. Prices allowed broadland with a second broadland broadland broadland broadland broadland broadland broadland broadland

214 c, 8c, 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c. Every conceivable fabric, at every conceivable price. On each line the reduction is stupendous!

Notion Bargains Monday Fine Taffeta Silk Ribbons, 7 to 16 in width, worth 8c, 10c, 12 1/2 c,

special, Monday, at 4c. One lot plain Taffeta Ribbons, extra wide and firm, in all colors, black and white, worth 20c and 25c, Monday, 9c yd.

One special lot fancy Ribbons, extra fine and wide, worth 30c, special, Monday, 1216c yard! 200-yard Machine Thread, Monday, 2c spool.

Pins, 2 papers for 1c. Hooks and Eyes, 1c card, worth 5c. 5c Safety Pins, 1c. Ironing Wax, 2 for 1c. 12 1/2 c and 15c Hose Supporters, 7c pair. 10c Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c. Skirt Binding, worth 10c and 12 1/2 c, at 1c yard,

200 doz. Ladies' Fast Black Hose, worth 12 %c, at 5c pr., Monday.

200 doz. Boys' and Girls' extra quality 15c Stockings, 8c pr., Mon-Gigantic values in Underwear at

Come to the Underwear Section

19c, 21c, 29c, 89c, Suits, Vests and Union Suits. Underwear

and note the wonderful bargains. You will realize the advantage of buying here, now and at all times. For example:

All of our broken lines of ladies' Vests, Drawers and Union Suits will be placed on separate table Monday and sold for 59c each.

Merode hand felled four-thread combed cotton Union Suits, perfect fitting and an excellent value at \$1.25, on sale Monday, 79c garment.

Dinner Ware Cut to the Quick!

Special, extraordinary offerings for Monday. Beautiful flow blue and gold decorated 100-piece English Dinner Sets, worth \$20.00, Monday, \$13.20. Homer Laughlin's best American

Dinnerware, with gold floral decorations, 100-piece sets, worth \$11.50, Monday, \$7.95. Fine thin Austrian China Dinner Sets, in dainty pink and blue

floral decorations, 100-piece sets, worth \$21.00, \$13.48. Haviland Dinner Sets, artistic pattern with dainty floral and gold decorations, 100-piece sets, worth

\$40, special Monday \$29.00. White English Dinnerware in nice thin semi-porcelain, with neat embossing, 100-piece sets, worth \$11.50, Monday \$7.20.

Great Unloading Sale of Coats

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Infant's. LADIES' COATS MARKED , \$8.95 for \$5.00. \$19.00 for \$9.50. \$10.00 for \$5.00. \$20.75 for \$10.38. \$9.50 for \$4.75. \$17.50 for \$8.75. \$12.50 for \$5.00 \$30.00 for \$15.00. \$12.50 for \$6.25, \$22.50 for \$11.25. \$15.00 for \$7.50. \$65.00 for \$31.88.

\$17.50 for 88.75. CHILDREN'S COATS MARKED \$6.90 for \$3.45. \$9.00 for \$4.48.

\$7.00 for \$3.48. \$12.50 for \$6.25. \$8.90 for \$4.45. \$14.50 for \$7.25. \$7.00 for \$3.48.

Ladies' Waists -- Three Bargain Tables WAISTS MARKED \$1.00, \$1.25. WAISTS MARKED \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.75, all at 79c. \$2.00, \$2.25, all at \$1.19.

WAISTS MARKED \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25, all at \$1.98.

MISSES' COATS MARKED

\$7.50 for \$3.75. \$15.00 for \$7.50.

INFANTS' COATS MARKED

\$5.00 for \$2.48. \$9.00 for \$4.48.

\$5.95 for \$2.98, \$12.50 for \$6.25.

\$6.95 for \$3.45. \$14.50 for \$7.25.

Ladies' Tailored Suits--All stock without any reserve in 3 Lots LOT 1-Ladies' Suits Marked All Ladies' Fur Coats at half off \$8.95, \$9.90, \$10.50, marked prices.

\$12,50, all at \$3.95. All Fur Scarfs, Boas and Muffs, LOT 2-Ladies' Suits Marked 25% off marked prices. \$16.50, \$18.50, \$19.50, \$20.00, Discount Sales at long counter \$22.50, all at \$10.00,

on the second floor. LOT 3-Ladies' Suits Marked We sell May Manton Patterns, \$25.00, \$28.50, \$32.50, \$37.50, all kinds, 10c. \$45.00, all at \$20.00.

White Goods

We have made every preparation to meet the needs and the demands of a great city in our white goods section, having made our purchases months ago. We are better fitted to retail these goods at a lower figure than any other house in the west. Below are a few UNLOADING SALE PRICES, worthy of your investigation. A fine grade of mercerized

A line of plain white India linons, full widths, made of the finest combed yarns of best Sea Island cottons, worth today fully 33 % per cent more than we sell them for, Unloading Sale Price, per yard, 20c, 14c, 11c and 7c.

A 36-inch Imperial English long cloth, also a 36-inch Sea Island Nainsook, both of a soft fine texture, suitable for underclothing, dresses, etc., etc., worth at least 15c per yard, Unloading Sale Price, per yard, 9c.

The prices you will find on the yellow tags in the Silk Department will speak more eloquently than words, and will demonstrate that Bargain Hunters never had a grander opportunity. Monday morning we place on our counters:

Hundreds of yards of fancy. Crepe de Chine that sold for 75c, our great lines of China Silks that sold for 45c and an immense quantity of neat fancy figured Silks that sold for 59c. Your choice of the entire lot Monday at 25c yard.

Don't be the last one to come. Another Great Value in stripes. checks and plaid Silks that sold for 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard will be sold Monday. And a full line of plain color Chiffon

BARGAINS THAT TALK Taffeta, all at 59c a yard. The possibilities in dress goods

less values.

white goods novelties for waist-

ings, dresses and other purposes,

which come in a great variety of

pretty figures, usually sold at 35c

per yard, our Unloading Sale

waistings, poplin effect novelties,

most beautiful floral and spray

figures, worth fully 50c per yard.

Unloading Sale Price, per yard,

are enormous, the whole depart-

ment one grand showing of fault-

An elegant line of mercerized

Price, per yard, 19c.

44 to 56-in. Tailor Suitings, in the mannish effects, Panama weaves, dark grounds, with delicate checks and plaids and shadow checks, regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.25 yd., Unloading Sale Price, Monday, 59e yard.

56-in. all wool fancy Cloakings that sold for \$2.00 to \$2.50 a yd., Unloading Price, Monday, \$1.25

HARRIMANTHE WHOLE THING Directors of Four Pacifics Confer Practically Unlimited Power Upon Their President.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF DIVIDEND HELD UP

Union and Southern Pacific Companies Declare Increase Two Days Before Fact is Given to the Public.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.-The Interstate Commerce commission concluded the preliminary portion of its inquiry into the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific rallroads and allied Harriman lines here today and adjourned to meet again Tuesday morning at Chicago. The testimony today tended further to show the great scope of the power conferred on President E. H. Harriman by the boards of directors of the

various lines under Union Pacific control. All the facts of records as to the declaration of dividends last August by the Union and Southern Pacifics were brought out. The dividends were declared on August 15, but were not announced until two days later. It was at Mr. Harriman's suggestion that the dividends were declared. It was also at his suggestion that the announcement was deferred. It was explained that a number of directors of the companies were not present and he thought it nothing but fair that they should be ad vised before the matter became public.

The executive committees of the Union

Dr. Humphreys' Seventy-Seven breaks up Colds and

is not the sneezing, coughing kind, but is just as bad if not worse than the hitherto familiar style of influenza. It starts with general weakness and chills in hands and feet, followed by a high fever. The temperature rises rapidly and the patient aches all over. The outbreak of Grip has been widespread lately, last week's damp weath er having helped it along. The doctors say that the new style of influenza, without coughing and sneezing; has

been the common variety this season. Exchange. The use of "Seventy-seven" breaks up the Grip.

At Druggists, 35 cents or mailed. Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., William and John Streets, New York.

and Southern Pacifics were given authority to announce the dividends at such time as they deemed proper. Mr. Harriman was and is chairman of both committees. The ommittees were also authorized to designate the funds from which the dividends should be paid. What these funds were could not be learned today, but the commission was promised a complete state-Inexplained Deal with Rockefeller.

From the minutes of the Oregon Short Line executive committee, it was disclosed that in March, 1903, Mr. Harriman sold to William Rockefeller 300,000 shares of the Oregon Short Line's holdings of Southern Pacific common stock. A letter from Mr Rockefeller referring to their "agreement" as to the stock was next placed in evidence. Mr. Rockefeller in November, 1903 asked Mr. Harriman to take back the stock at the time instead of waiting for the expiration of the agreement in the spring of 1904. The minutes of the Short Lipe showed that the stock was bought back from Mr. Rockefeller and it was further shown that he was paid a commission of \$187.500. Today's witnesses knew nothing concerning the agreement between

Mr. Harriman and Mr. Rockefeller. A subpoem was issued for Mr. Rockefeller to appear at such time as the commission shall designate. Mr. Harriman, when he is able to testify, will also be

asked regarding this agreement. Combine Stops Competition. E. T. Jeffery, president of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad and affiliated lines.

was the first witness before the session of the Interstate Commerce commission, which is inquiring into the mergers of the socalled Harriman lines. Mr. Jeffery described the Rio Grande system and its connections. It exchanged

business with the Oregon Short Line and Oregon Railroad and Navigation company. When the Union Pacific took control the of the Southern Pacific there was a shrinkage in the amount of business received by the Rio Grande from the Oregon lines, "due, no doubt," added Mr. Jeffery, the control the Union Pacific had of the Southern Pacific."

Mr. Jeffery next described the Western Pacific railroad, which has a line under construction from Salt Lake City to San Francisco.

The attention of the witness was called o the letters between E. H. Harriman and eorge J. Gould, in which Mr. Gould said he had determined to support the building of the Western Pacific and Mr. Harriman replied that he regretted the loss of Mr Gould's advice. Mr. Jeffery said Mr. Gould was largely interested in the Rio Grande.

Unexpected Difficulties.

The witness read from a recent annual report he had submitted to the Rio Grande ockholders, in which it was stated that nion Pacific control of Southern Pacific ince had resulted in "unexpected difficulties" and "unlooked-for impediments" in cetting business through to the coast, and herefore the building of a competitive line from Salt Lake City to San Francisco had in the Northern Pacific railway?" been undertaken to protect Rie Grande in-

orents. "Prior to the concentration were the

Union Pacific and Southern Pacific competing lines?" Mr. Severance asked. "Within certain territory, yes," replied

the witness. "Within what territory?" "At Chicago, for instance, the Union Pa-

cific would compete for business to the coast as against the Illinois Central, which sought business to be handled to the west by way of New Orleans and the Southern Pacific. Not all the business was competitive, but there was competition at a umber of points." Mr. Jeffrey was cross-examined by John

G. Milburn of counsel for the Union Pacific. Mr. Milburn asked if it was not true that the great trunk lines leading west from New York are just as keenly competing today for California business against the Southern Pacific steamers to New Orleans as they were before the Union Pacific control of the Southern Pacific.

Mr. Jeffrey replied that there was competition, but he would hesitate to say positively that it was as keen as formerly. The trunk lines ultimately delivered their California business to the Union Pacific. Some of it also went to the Santa Fe. Mr. Jeffery said the eastern business was

bld for by commercial agents. At Pittsburg, for instance, the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific formerly had their separate agents. "Do you think," Mr. Jeffery was saked, "that the competition in Pittsburg is as

keen today with only one agent there?" "It is difficult for a man to compete with "I think so myself," said the commis sion's attorney. "That opens a question," Mr. Milburn

rejoined, "upon which we could take a mass Mr. Jeffery repeated that the Rio Grande business has been diminished by the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific consolidation and declared because of the consolidation the Western Pacific was decided upon. W. D. Cornish, vice president of the

Union Pacific and several other Harriman lines. was the next witness. Mr. Cornish would not admit that the "four Pacifics" were under the same operation. "But the financial statements are consolidated?" he was asked.

"Yes," he said. Disposition of Convertible Bonds. Mr. Cornish was questioned as to what came of the \$100,000,000 of convertible bonds issued in March, 1901, by the Union Pacific Railway company, but he remembered few of the details. He said he presumed the bonds were sold at less than par. They were convertible into common stock, an issue of \$100,000,000 being made at the same time the bonds were issued. "As a matter of fact," asked Mr. Keilogg,

used to enable the Union Pacific to speculate in railway stocks?" "I don't know how I can trace that money." said Mr. Cornish. "Various sums of money came into the treasury and was used in various ways." "About this time, didn't the Union Pa

weren't these bonds issued and the money

cific buy about \$80,000,000 worth of stock "I don't know, it was a large block." "It was a majority, wasn't it?"

"Wasn't the primary purpose of the bond issue to purchase Northern Pacific stock?" "My remembrance is that the bond issue had nothing to do with the Northern Pacific purchase. That was a matter which came up later."

"Did you ever have anything to do with the purchase or sale of stocks? Mr. Cornish thought a long while and did not answer, as counsel for the Union Pacific came forward and said a statement as to what had been done with the \$100,000, 000 would be prepared for the commission W. V. S. Thorne, director of purchases of the Union Pacific, the Southern Pacific, the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company, was the first witness of the afternoon session. He said that contracts for buying locomotives and other rolling stock was all made in the name of the Union Pacific, the builders being notified later as to the distribution of the stock among the "four Pacifics." Charges are made against the separate companies according to the distribution.

Mr. Thorne's salary was paid by check from the Union Pacific. Alexander Millar, secretary of the Unio Pacific railway, was re-called. He testified regarding the deal between E. H. Harriman and William G. Rockefeller and the declaration of dividends, after which the commission adjourned to meet in Chicago

COWELL TO HAVE THE PLACE

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ter Friday. She was over 68 years and came to this county in the year 1866. Her husband died a few years 190. First children are left. SCHUYLER-The annual meeting of th

SCHUTLER—The annual meeting of the Wells-Abbott-Neiman Milling company was held January 2 and the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: Chauncey Abbott, president; N. W. Wells, vice president; Gerald Ehernberger, secretary, and Mrs. H. W. Neiman and Chauncey Abbott, jr., treasurer. GRAND ISLAND—John frish, an in-mate of the Soldiers' Home was found at 6:30 last evening just inside the en-closure of the home grounds, was picked up and taken to the hospital, where he died at about 9 o'clock of heart trouble. He had walked home from the city, a distance of a mile and a half.

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DAVID CITY—M. L. Parker, who has been bookkeeper for the Spelts Grain company for several years, resigned his position January 1 and left Friday morning for Omaha. J. L. Buckley, who has been bookkeeper for the Clarke-Jones Commission house in South Omaha, has been secured to take Mr. Parker's place.

BEATRICE—At a meeting of hose company No. 6 last evening Charles Mudge was elected a delegate to attend the state firemen's convention to be held at Grand Island. The members of the company presented Henry Steffen with a beautiful rocking chair as a token of their appreciation of his services as steward the last year.

PAIRBLINY—The Jefferson county mortof his services as steward the last year.

PAIRBLIRY—The Jefferson county mortgage indebtedness for 1906 is as follows:

Parm mortgages. 208 recorded; amount.

\$670,192.56; cancelled. \$27; amount. \$50.51.35;

city mortgages. 196 recorded; amount. \$135.—

211.86; cancelled. \$12; amount. \$100.001.45;

chattel mortgages. 79 recorded; amount.

\$163.574.21; cancelled. \$42; amount. \$161.434.24 ARLINGTON-Solomon Pfeiffer, a farmer lying east of town, had his shoulder dis-

present he is doing as well as can be ex-YORK-The first annual ball and recep

YORK—The first annual ball and reception of the Elks' lodge was pronounced to be one of the best entertainments ever given in the city. Messrs. Hervy, Edwards, Belcher. Schneider and Johnson decorated the hall and W. D. Fisher of the York opera house assisted in the stage setting. The ball lasted until a late hour and was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd. BEATRICE—The funeral services Miss Beulah Troxel, the nurse who in Denver Thursday morning, were this afternoon from the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Troxel, were largely attended by sympathizing friends. Rev. J. E. Davis of the Christian church conducted the services and inter-ment was in Evergreen Home cemetery. ment was in Evergreen Home cemetery.
YORK—The open house held by the
Young Men's Christian association, under
the auspices of the ladies' auxiliary committee, who had charge of the decorating
and the evening entertainment and refreshments, was largely attended. The women
had a Japanese room, an American room,
a German room and served candles and
light refreshments. A musical program was
rendered.

rendered.

NORTH PLATTE Secretary Burgess, secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association has tendered his resignation to take effect February 1. Mr. Burgess has been offered the secretaryship of the association at Temple, Tex., at a decided increase of salary. The board of directors regret the loss of so efficient a secretary as Mr. Burgess has proved himself to be.

self to be.

COLUMBUS—Carl Kramer postmaster, accompanied Mr. Richard Pourchay, a government inspector for the Postoffice department, over town yesterday. There had been about a dozen bids sent to the department by persons who had sites for sale for the new postoffice and government building, for which an appropriation of the property of the proper

ress of \$7,500. gress of \$7.500.

COLUMBUS—Mortgages for the last year, as shown by the record of County Clerk John Graf's office were: Filings, \$1.595,667.82; releases, \$1.072,311.33; showing an increased indebtedness of \$522.356.49. This record shows that there was more money loaned on mortgage to farmers and city people for the year 1906 than any other year that the county has been in existence. in existence.

GRAND ISLAND-The old county board

GRAND ISLAND—The old county board adjourned sine die yesterday afternoon. Chairman Moncrief was presented with a fine gold fountain pen by the members of the board. Resolutions commending the faithful services of retiring members Roeser of this city and Denman of Doniphan were adpoted. The new board will meet on Tuesday, January 8, for organization. It consists of five republicans and two democrats. BROKEN BOW-The office of register of BROKEN BOW—The office of register of deeds at Broken Bow probably ranks third this year among the twelve of the state Register J. T. Wood has just completed his annual report, which represents the banner year of this office. Of the total number of instruments filed approximately 100 are warranty deeds. The county's population is estimated at 25,000, with about 5,000 voters, giving every two voters out of five a change of title during the year.

COLUMBUS - Grace Episcopal church he Baptist church, the Congregationa Methodist Episcopal church have united for a week of prayer and meetings will be held each evening in the different churches. Next Monday evening the first meeting will be held in the Baptist church with Rev. Westcott, the Episcopal rector, delivering the address, with a good old fashloned exhortation by Rev. L. R. DeWolf, the M. E. pastor. Rev. E. J. Ulmer. Rev. R. E. L. Hayes, Rev. L. R. DeWolf, Rev. G. A. Munro and Rev. Dr. Westcott are on the program for the different union meetings. iving east of town, had his shoulder dislocated Saturday morning by a victous
male hog. Mr. Pfeiffer was trying to drive
the animal when he became enraged and
rushed upon its owner. Mr. Pfeiffer is seventy-six years old and the accident will undoubtedly lay him up for some time. At

barly needed to insure the security of prisbarly needed to insure the security of pris-oners. In times past at least two men suc-ceeded in drilling through the walls and escaping. In the future such things cannot happen, as the cement floor is of good thickness and between the brick wall and the cement coating a heavy woven wire was placed. A number of other improve-ments were made, which enhances the ap-pearance of the rooms.

ments were made, which enhances the appearance of the rooms.

COLUMBUS — Albert Hagi, who was brought before Judge Ratterman on the complaint of the father of the li-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dhaboit, who now live in Merrick county, near Silver Creek, has been discharged because of a question as to jurisdiction. The girl was placed on the stand, but could not tell whether the offense was committed in Platte or Merrick county. It is presumed that as Hagi is over fifty years of age and will likely marry the girl, the charges against him will be dropped. Hagi has been married twice before and has a daughter older than the girl on whose behalf the complaint was made.

BEATRICE—The Women's Rellef corps and Rawlins post, Grand Atony of the Re-

BEATRICE—The Women's Relief corps and Rawlins post, Grand Aony of the Republic, held joint installation of officers ast night, with a large attendance. The retiring president of the Relief corps, Mrs. Mary Schreve, was presented with a handsome pin as a token of esteem in which she is held by the members of the corps. Mrs. Libble Lescher installed the following officers of the Woman's Relief corps. Rachael Laymon, president; Lucy Glimore, senior vice president; Maggie Sisco, junior vice president; Susan Gould, secretary; Sarah Werner, treasurer; Polly Bull, chaplain; Libble Lescher, patriotic instructor; Mary Kimmerly, patriotic conductor; Jennie Walker, conductor; Sarah Roller, guard; Mary A. Dunn, assistant guard; Sarah Heutson, assistant conductor; Ejda Sarah Heutson, assistant conductor; Eida Freadwell, Lucy Shottenkirk and Mattle Wayham, color bearers; Mrs. L. A. Bates, nusician. Dr. Brother installed these offimusician. Dr. Brother installed these offi cers for the Grand Army of the Republic Stephen Bull, commander; J. G. Carnahan Stephen Bull, commander; J. G. Carnahan, senior vice commander; William Shotten-kirk, junior vice commander; J. R. Craig, quartermaster; A. H. Fox. chaplain; George Pease, guard; C. J. Schmidt, adjutant; W. N. Whitlock, officer of the day; H. A. Laselle, quartermaster serxeant; Charles Treadwell, sergeant major; Thomas Mayborn and Phillip Hess, guards, A banquet was held at the close of the business meeting.

CLEVELAND GETS SOME GAS

One Woman Dies and Others May Succumb as Result of Fuel Shortage.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 5 .- The natural gasupply which was completely cut off in this city yesterday following the blowing up of both mains leading from West Virginia was partly restored this morning. The East Ohio Gas company succeeding in repairing the break in its twelve-inch it is, that no possible harm can result main shortly after daybreak, which furnished consumers in this city a very limited supply of fuel.

It is thought the eighteen-inch main will be repaired before night. Both mains blew art's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients sufup almost simultaneously yesterday mornin Summit county. There has been to clear the complexion and purity the great suffering for more than twenty-four breath, mouth and throat; I also believe hours by the 24,000 consumers of na- the liver is greatly benefited by the daily tural gas in this city, who in many instances depend entirely on gas for fuel. One woman died as a result of lack of heat sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I in her home. Physicians state many deaths get more and better charcoal in Stuart's from pneumonis and other allments caused | Charcoal Lozenges than in any of by exposure to the cold will inevitably fol- dinary charcoal tablets."

Since early yesterday many hotels and were patrons with warm food.

44 to 46-in. rain-proof Covert Cloths, plain and fancy weaves, sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25 vd., Unloading Sale Price, Monday, 48c

CATHOLICS ENTER PROTEST Societies Object to Interference by

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- Strong protests have been received by the administration ment in the affairs of the Congo.

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ther odorous vegetables. Charcoal effectually clears and improves he complexion, it whitens the teeth and

fects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh. All druggists sell charcoal in one form and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of

tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of from their continued use, but, on the con-

trary, great benefit. benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stu-

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America in Congo Free State Affairs.

against any interference by this govern-These protests come from Catholics and Catholic organizations throughout the country. They assert that all the reports of alleged cruelties against the natives are made by Protestants and are blased and

are founded on inaccurate and misleading

Few People Know How Useful It Is in

value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purposes.

purities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the sys-Charcoal sweetens the breath after smokng, drinking or after eating onions and

further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic. It absorbs the injurious gases which colect in the stomach and bowels; it distn-

another, but probably the best charcoal the finest powdered Willow charcoal and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the

fering from gas in stomach and bowels, and use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some

restaurants have been unable to supply F. A. Stuart Co., 56 Stuart Bidg., Marshall, patrons with warm food.