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All wool Toques in plain or fancy colors, regular prices 75c and $1.00, on sale Thursday, each 50c.
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Fine Jersey Leggings, in black, regular prices 50c and 60c, on sale Thursday, per pair, 35c; three pairs for $1.00.
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wires to Lincoln and Omaha were similarly affected. The temperature was mild.

Near Zero in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—With the thermometer registered 1 degree above zero at 7 o'clock this morning, New York experienced a taste of real winter. It was 3 degrees colder than any previous day this season and within 1 degree of the cold weather record in New York for the past five years. Charity institutions were overcrowded with homeless men last night. Early today when those without shelter were put into the streets from the saloons many of them built fires in the streets along the Bowery to keep from freezing. An unidentified man was frozen to death in Brooklyn.

New York harbor was filled with a great field of drift ice, which impeded the passage of all except the powerful steamers. Reports from northern parts of New York showed colder weather than ever before recorded there. At Saranac Lake it was 45 degrees below zero.

BALLSTON, N. Y., Feb. 5.—A new cold weather record for this section of the state was made today, when the mercury dropped to 45 degrees below zero. There is great suffering among the poor.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—The weather bureau thermometer registered 5 degrees above zero this morning, the coldest weather in five years.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 5.—The worst sleet storm in years prevails today. Interurban railway travel between South Bend, Niles, St. Joseph and Benton Harbor is practically suspended. Business in these cities is also practically suspended.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 5.—Dispatches from the state report the worst snow storm of the winter raging today. Country roads are blockaded.

Ice Gorge at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 5.—Ice gorged nearly twenty-five feet high and extending three miles from lock No. 4, at Charleroi, Pa., near here, threatens to destroy six steamboats and damage other craft unless some means is quickly employed to loosen it.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—The cold wave throughout New England continued today with lower figures than have been recorded at any time during the season. Northfield, Vt., was the coldest spot recorded with the thermometer registering thirty-four degrees below zero.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 5.—In Kansas City, Kan., today the heavy wind blew the brick wall of a livery stable recently destroyed by fire, and it demolished a dwelling adjoining, occupied by Mrs. William Teempen, aged 35, and four young children. Mrs. Teempen was seriously hurt, but will recover. The children were slightly injured.

SNOWSLIDES IN MOUNTAINS

Heavy Fall in San Juan County, Colorado, Causes Avalanche.

TELLURIDE, Colo., Feb. 5.—The first heavy snowfall of the winter in the San Juan country has been followed by snowslides in the mountains in the vicinity of Telluride, in which eight men narrowly escaped death. The men were carried long distances and buried, but rescuers speedily dug them out and found but one whose injuries were serious. He may not survive.

The Silverton & Northern and Rio Grande Southern roads are blocked and telegraph and telephone service is crippled.

SNOW AND SLEET HELPS ASPHALT

Mixture Under Foot Mighty Good for Pavements, Says Flynn.

While the mixture of sleet, ice and snow on the streets of the city of Omaha may not be very pleasant for pedestrians, still, in the opinion of Street Commissioner Flynn, it is a "mighty good thing for the pavements." The asphalt is saved much wear and tear, says the commissioner, and if the weather of today would last forever there would be no need of repair work done on them.

"If you would paste brown paper on the soles of your shoes they would last much longer, wouldn't they?" says Mr. Flynn. "On the same principle, then, the 'pasting' of this coating of sleet on the pavements will make them wear longer." On account of the sleet being frozen to the pavement it would be impossible for the street force to remove it, and the commissioner is furnished an excuse for saving his appropriation until summer and dust comes.

Miss Harriman a Patient.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 5.—Miss Cornelia H. Harriman, daughter of E. H. Harriman, is a patient at John Hopkins hospital. She contracted a cold recently which settled in one of her ears. Her condition is not serious. Mrs. Harriman is here from New Yorw with her daughter.

PRESIDENT TO START TRAINS

He Will Touch Button that Will Open Tunnel Under Hudson River.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The tunnels under the Hudson river, connecting New York and New Jersey, will be opened to the public on February 25. President Roosevelt will touch a button on his desk in the executive offices in the White House at Washington, which will mark the formal opening of the tunnel trains, on which will be the governors of the two states and various other distinguished guests. They will start on the signal which the president will give.

HOSPITAL BED FOR VICTIMS

Motorists in Philadelphia and Persons They Injure to Have Retreat.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—A bed for the sole use of the persons injured in automobile accidents is to be endowed in the New Garrettson hospital here by members of the Quaker City Ladies' Memorial club. The deed of gift will provide that persons injured in accidents to their own cars will have the first right to the bed, those injured by reckless or careless motorists only being allowed to use it when no motor car owner is occupying it.

HUSBAND ACCUSED OF CRIME

Death of Mrs. Fred Van Meter of Galliopolis Creates Big Sensation.

GALLIOPOLIS, O., Feb. 5.—Sumner, a hamlet in Meigs county, is in the throes of excitement over the death of Mrs. Fred Van Meter, who it has been discovered, died from poison, alleged to have been administered by her husband. Van Meter is in jail. Several persons who dined with Mrs. Van Meter were made deathly sick, but Van Meter escaped sickness himself.

RAILROAD CUTTING SALARIES

Louisville & Nashville Line Reduces Pay of Its High-Price Employes.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 5.—The Louisville & Nashville railroad today reduced the salaries of all employes making more than $250 per month. These receiving $400 and over are cut 10 per cent, while those making more than $250 and less than $400 suffer a reduction of 8 per cent.

Search for Missing Lumberman.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Chief Wade of the Sioux Falls police department has been requested to aid in the search for Nels Nelson, a prominent lumberman of Dorchester, Wis., who has been missing since about the middle of January, after he had stated he would meet George L. Woods, a Dell Rapids lumberman, in Sioux Falls on a matter of business. Mr. Woods opened a correspondence with Mr. Nelson on January 12 from Minneapolis. Mr. Nelson wrote both to his family and to his firm that he was about to leave for Sioux Falls to meet Mr. Woods in regard to the matter concerning which they had been corresponding. Nothing further has been heard of the missing man since that time.

Man Found Dead in His Cabin.

STURGIS, S. D., Feb. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—John Kinley, aged near 60, was found dead in bed in a cabin three miles from Tilford today. Appearances indicate that Kinley had been dead over four days. He was in Tilford a week ago, complained of being sick and was advised by friends to stay, but he went home. Friends became uneasy about him, sending boys to see how he was, who discovered him dead. Evidently he expected to die. He had a string tied to the latch on the door, holding it back so the cabin could be entered. The body was brought here tonight. He has a brother in Minneapolis.

South Omaha Man Buys Cattle.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—A deed was filed in the office of the county clerk today transferring from J. S. Bilbee of Quitman, Mo., to John A. Wisherd of South Omaha, Neb., all of the cattle owned by Bilbee in this, Laramie county, numbering about 1,300 head. Mr. Bilbee's company is known as the O-O. The deal includes about 3,000 head of cattle, 1,800 being located in Converse and other counties. This is one of the largest cattle deals made recently in Wyoming.

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NO TARIFF COMMISSION NOW

Revision Delegation Calls Upon Cannon and Chairman Payne.

ACTION PROBABLE NEXT YEAR

Congressional Leaders Say Plan is Impracticable and That Matter Will Be Taken Up Next Year.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The present congress will not appoint a tariff commission. A revision of the tariff will be undertaken next winter in the short term. These announcements, in substance, were made today by Chairman Payne of the house committee on ways and means, in the presence and with the tacit approval of Speaker Cannon, the occasion being a call upon those leaders by a tariff revision delegation from various parts of the country, comprising representatives of many of the biggest manufacturing and industrial concerns in the United States and headed by James W. Van Cleave of St. Louis, president of the National Association of Manufacturers. Former Governor J. N. Batchelder of New Hampshire and H. E. Miles of Racine, Wis., chairman of the tariff committee of the National Association of Manufacturers.

The delegation spent more than an hour presenting its case and listening to replies by the two foremost republican leaders in the house, who, while they were cordially couched, were practically a refusal of all that the delegation had journeyed to Washington to plead for.

Argument of Van Cleave.

In introducing the subject of the appointment of a tariff commission, in line with the Beveridge bill recently offered in the senate, Mr. Van Cleave said the delegation was unanimous in the belief that the matter of the tariff can best be handled by the passage of a hard headed "business bill" which would so amend the tariff schedules as to encourage the development of foreign commerce by the producers of the United States without at the same time exposing their goods to the reactionary effects of free trade. He said it was the firm belief of the vast interests represented by the members of the delegation that a wholesome revision of the tariff could be best gotten at by a commission appointed to ascertain the costs of domestic production, the relative profits derivable from home and foreign sales and all the multitudinous facts appertaining to so complex and important a subject.

"We want," he said, "and we believe we can truthfully state to you that the whole country wants, a sound and rational business consideration of the subject, and we believe after long and earnest study of the situation that the suggestion of the appointment of a tariff commission to stand between us and you, to receive and weigh and formulate the mass of technical information we have to offer and to then present it to congress in compact and intelligent shape, embodies the best means of arriving at that result."

Several other speakers talked along these lines. Speaker Cannon, interrupting one of them, asked:

"Do I understand that you favor on the part of the United States an even tariff with every other country in the world, except that we shall enforce our maximum tariff against such countries as discriminate against our exports—that you favor a minimum and maximum tariff with that application?"

The answer was strongly affirmative.

"Then," said the speaker, "I am glad to hear your medicine, for that is precisely the kind of tariff I believe in myself."

Speech of Mr. Cannon.

In his general answer to the statements of the delegation, Mr. Cannon spoke in part as follows:

You say the tariff ought to be revised. You have virtually said that it ought to have been revised the day it was enacted—that it was wrong in the beginning. Well, it was not perfect and it is not perfect now. Protection, gentlemen is with God, not with humanity and as our 90,000,000 of people constitute sovereignty in this country and can only exercise that sovereignty at the ballot box they divide up into a majority and minority, so that when you come to enact legislation some party has always been and always will be—at least for a generation and some times for longer—responsible for that legislation and the other party will occupy the standpoint of criticism. That is as it should be. And now that the underbrush is cleared away, as it were, let's get to the point. Let me suggest that should the house pass such a tariff commission bill as you ask for, there is no certainty of what the senate would do. In the senate there is no "previous question." There three senators can by virtue of their right to an unlimited occupancy of the floor hold up any measure for as long as two years without possibility of prevention.

We once, I remember, had a tariff commission. And I am told that its report was so voluminous that it was never even read. It is one thing to make suggestions; it is another thing to enact those suggestions into law and take the consequences if you make a mistake.

"The national conventions," continued Speaker Cannon, "may determine that the next congress shall revise the tariff for it goes without saying that the policies to be enunciated by those conventions will be the policies governing the two parties, and if the democrats should be entrusted with the power we know the tariff will be revised and if with the republicans remains the majority we know the power to revise will be in the next congress vested. But let me ask you frankly: In this present time of financial depression and liquidation, hw faor in the hands of a partisan commission would a tariff investigation progress toward accomplishment?"

Mr. Payne is Emphatic.

Mr. Cannon then in giving way to Representative Payne, commended the chairman of the ways and means committee as one who "knows as much about tariff schedules and all the facts underlying them as any man in the United States"

Mr. Payne made his position clear at once by appealing to the delegation to see the unwisdom of the appointment of a necessarily "partisan tariff commission as proposed in the Beveridge bill" at the heels of a financial panic and on the eve of a presidential campaign. You would not ask a committee of congress to undertake a tariff revision at such a time," he said, "yet how much more disturbing it will be to a commission holding public hearings on the tariff at this time." He continued.

My position is that when it shall be best for the interests of the American people to undertake a revision of the tariff, that is the time when I shall favor a revision and I should urge a minimum and maximum tariff coupled with the existing law, empowering the United States to make trade agreements with other countries; and I would follow France, Germany and Russia in the provision that the minimum tariff should afford a fair protection to home products.

I think the signs of the times are that next winter the congress will undertake a revision of the tariff. Shall we get our working information at first hand from the producers themselves, or shall we content ourselves with getting it second hand from a body of men appointed as a tariff investigation commission? From what I have seen of the formation of tariff bills, and I have been eighteen years a member of the ways and means committee and for the last nine years its chairman, I should by all means seek it at first hand. You cannot convince me, gentlemen, of the wisdom of appointing such a commission at this session.

Cousins to Retire.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Feb. 4.—In a letter made public here tonight Hon. Robert G. Cousins, now serving his eighth term in congress as representative of the Fifth district, announces that he will not again be a candidate. "My reason for withdrawing," he says, "is that having given the best part of my life to the public service and having opportunity I must now do something for myself."

FUNERAL OF KING

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were present at the state council held in Lisbon after the assassinations. The duke charged Franco with responsibility for the death of the king and the crown prince. He even attacked Franco and tried to strike him in the face, but members of the council intervened and the men were separated.

King Answers President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Cable messages to President Roosevelt from Lisbon dated yesterday were received at the White House today as follows:

Theodore Roosevelt, President of the Republic, Washington: I and the queen, my afflicted mother, are deeply grateful for your kind message of condolence in our great suffering and we wish to express our thanks to you and to the American people in your anguish. MANUEL R.

BRITISH SHIPS TO PACIFIC

Advices Received at Halifax that More Vessels Will Be Sent West.

HALIFAX, Feb. 5.—Advices have been received to the effect that the North Pacific squadron is to be increased and some time this year, probably this May, the cruiser squadron will proceed to the Pacific, presumably bound for the British naal base at Esquimault, B. C. The fourth cruiser squadron consists of the cruisers Cressy, Euryalus, Hogue, Brilliant and Indefatigable and six cruisers of the county class. The fortress of Esquimault is now garrisoned by dominion troops, as is that of Halifax.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—At the British consulate in this city today it was stated that the fourth cruiser squadron, which Halifax advices say will be ordered to the Pacific coast some time this year, is now stationed in the West Indies. The only British war vessels now on the Pacific coast of America, so far as is known at the consulate here, is the Shearwater, with headquarters at Esquimault. Nothing has been heard at the consulate regarding any movement of British vessels to the Pacific.

DROWNING SHOCK TO WOMAN

Witnesses Death of Three Boys and Dies in the Faint that Follows.

NYACK, N. Y., Feb. 5.—"Death from shock" was the verdict yesterday of physicians who examined into the sudden death of Mrs. Claudine Abry of this place. Mrs. Abry on Friday saw three boys skating on the Hudson break through the ice and drown. She watched the work of rescue and when the bodies of the boys were brought out of the river she fainted. She died later without recovering consciousness.

LID GOES ON IN DULUTH

Anti-Saloon Candidate for Mayor is Elected by Majority of About One Thousand.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 4.—Alderman R. D. Dehaven, republican, was today elected mayor of Duluth, over Emil A. Tessman, democrat and president of the city council in the bitterest campaign ever conducted in Duluth. The issue was the enforcement of anti-saloon laws, to which mayor-elect Dehaven is pledged. His majority is estimated at 1,000.

VETERAN OF GRAY STRICKEN

Suffers Stroke of Paralysis While Viewing Play in Which Father is Hero.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 5.—While watching a play in which his father, the late General Nathan Bedford Forrest, famous confederate cavalry leader, was portrayed, Captain William Forrest, an ex-confederate soldier, was the victim of a paralytic stroke last night at the Lyceum theater. His condition is considered critical.

DEATH RECORD.

Shepard Knapp.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Shepard Knapp, 62 years old, former newspaper man and member of an old St. Louis family, died today at his home in Kirkwood, a suburb, of kidney trouble. Mr. Knapp was the eldest of six sons of the late Colonel George Knapp, at one time head of the company that owned and published the Missouri Republican, now the St. Louis Republic. The deceased retired from connection with the paper twenty years ago.

Robert Jones.

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Robert Jones, employed as an engineer on the Burlington for the last fifteen years and who was operated upon at the Methodist hospital at Omaha recently, died at his home in Wymore today. He was a candidate for sheriff on the republican ticket at the last election. He was 48 years of age and leaves a widow and four children.

Mrs. Ida Swanson.

Mrs. Ida Swanson, aged 45 years, died at her home, 3824 North Twenty-second street, Tuesday. She had been a resident of Omaha for twenty-three years. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon and interment will be in Forest Lawn cemetery.

Infant of Arthur Jacobs.

Ueda Jacobs, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jacobs, 3351 Fowler avenue, died Tuesday. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the house. Interment was in Forest Lawn cemetery.

Alfred Carr.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Alfred Carr, 70 years old, pioneer and member of one of the oldest families of St. Louis, died here today of pneumonia.

Weak Little Boys
may become fine strong men. Some of the strong men of today were sickly boys years ago. Many of them received
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at their mother's knee. This had a power in it that changed them from weak, delicate boys into strong, robust boys.
It has the same power to-day. Boys and girls who are pale and weak get food and energy out of SCOTT'S EMULSION. It makes children grow.
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All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of 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.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no posible harm can result from their continued use, but, on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefitted by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

Send your name and address today for a free trial package and see for yourself. F. A. Stuart Co., 200 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

SECRECY PLEDGE MAINTAINED

Manufacturers Visit White House to Talk of Tariff, but Refuse to Talk.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Thirty representatives of the National Association of Manufacturers conferred with President Roosevelt in pursuance of their desire to have him send to congress a special message recommending legislation providing for a tariff commission. After the conference James Van Cleve, chairman of the commission, announced that a pledge of entire secrecy regarding the conference had been taken. The delegates seemed satisfied with their interview.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE

Day Devoted to General Discussion of Political Situation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Tariff revision and the president's recent special message to congress again were the main topics of discussion in the house of representatives today. As has been the case for nearly a week the Indian appropriation bill ostensibly was before the house, but in no quarter was any word spoken in regard to it. The house apparently had made up its mind to discuss the issues of the day at this time and no effort was made to check the flow of general debate which will be continued tomorrow.

A long speech by Sereno Payne of New York, the majority leader, was considered important because of his assurances that a tariff revision plank would be incorporated in the republican national platform of this year. He devoted some attention to Mr. Bryan, who he accredited with going about the country accusing President Roosevelt of grand or petit larceny in purloining his ideas.

Other speakers were Messrs. Thomas of North Carolina, Cox of Indiana, Hardy of Texas and Nelson of Wisconsin.

At 4:45 p. m. the house adjourned.

WANTS SEVENTY-THREE MILLIONS

Secretary of Navy Asks This Amount as Needed for Vessels.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Before the house committee on naval affairs today Secretary Metcalf asked for an appropriation of $73,770,00 for construction and conversion of war vessels. The impression prevails that the secretary's estimate will be reduced materially, possibly to $40,000,000.

Matters of alleged defective construction of battleships and the hospital ship controversy were not touched upon by either the secretary or the committee. The hearing was confined strictly to the appropriation bill and Secretary Metcalf followed closely the lines laid down by him in the department in the estimates previously submitted to congress.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE

Mr. Beveridge Speaks on His Bill for Tariff Commission.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Senator Beveridge of Indiana today delivered an appeal to the senate to adopt his bill providing for a nonpartisan tariff commission, a plan which he declared conformed to modern and business ideas on this subject. He spoke for an hour and a half, receiving the careful attention of the senators and a large gallery. There were present many delegates of commercial bodies now in session in this city.

Following Senator Beveridge's address, several democratic senators spoke briefly on the general subject of the tariff and at 4:57 p. m. the senate adjourned.

STONE IS FOR RELINQUISHMENT

Senator Wants to Give Up Philippines in 1913.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Senator Stone of Missouri today introduced a joint resolution authorizing the president to relinquish control of the Philippine islands in 1913, upon first securing a pledge from other nations to preserve the neutrality of the islands.

Call for Democratic Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Representative Edwards of Georgia, as secretary of the democratic house caucus committee, today issued a call for a caucus next Monday night to organize and elect officers of the democratic congressional committee.

FIRE RECORD.

Wire Rope Factory Burns.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 5.—Two buildings of the John A. Roeblings Sons company, wire rope manufacturers in this city, were destroyed by fire today. Loss, $200,000. Three Italian laborers who were assisting the firemen had a narrow escape from death.

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PATIENTS DEFEND HOSPITAL

Thirty-Four Sick Ones Sign Statement Emergency is All Right.

DECLARE FALSE SANDERS' STORY

"Every Word, Line and Sentence" of Published Statement of Ill Treatment They Declare to Be Incorrect.

Stating that everything at the Emergency hospital is clean, that excellent care is taken of the patients, and that good board is furnished, thirty-four patients at the hospital signed a statement refuting in toto the statements ascribed to one "John F. Sanders" by a sheet. "Sanders" declared that during the time he was in the hospital he never saw a nurse, that the meals were "something awful," that the patients had to make their own beds and that they were given no medicine. In direct contradiction the thirty-four patients signing the statement "certify that every word, line and sentence uttered by 'Sanders' is absolutely false."

"John F. Sanders'" principal complaint was on account of the daily bill of fare, but the professional cook employed at a weekly wage of $17.50 was formerly employed at the Paxton and in the Market eating houses. Other employes at the hospital include a professional nurse, a dishwasher and helper, a laundress, a man who waits on the table and scrubs out, and Dr. and Mrs. Strause, who have not been off the premises in six or seven weeks.

Text of the Statement.

The statement subscribed to by the patients is as follows:

We, the undersigned, who are patients at the Emergency hospital at the present time, desire to state that we have seen the article purporting to be an interview of a Mr. Sanders, printed in the Omaha Daily News of January 28, 1908.

We hereby certify that every word, line and sentence in said article is absolutely false. Each of the four wards has its own toilet room and bath room, which are at all times supplied with plenty of hot and cold water. The beds are kept neat and clean, plenty of clean towels are furnished, the board is first-class and everything connected with the hospital is as good as could be expected in such a place.

Dr. Connell has given us instructions to notify him immediately of any lack of care, cleanliness or food supply, and he would at once take steps to right the matter.

We sign this statement cheerfully and only with the desire that the conditions at the Emergency hospital may be presented to the people of Omaha as they honestly exist.

Mrs. F. Moore	W. J. Callon
Miss Nettie Livosy	Hiram Staley
Mrs. McLaud	Bert Van Demark
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Fred Brown	Tom Jenkins
William Crowl	W. H. Callow

IMPORTS OF LUXURIES LESS

Entries for January at New York Twenty-Seven Million Below Year Ago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The appraised value of precious stones and pearls imported at this port during the month of January, 1908, is more than $3,000,000 less than for the corresponding month of 1907. It showed a gain, however, over last December of $106,977.50.

The par appraised value of these imports for the month of January was $313,456.67. A year before the value was $3,586,100 and in 1906 it was $2,706,996.

There was also a falling off in value of automobiles imported in January. The figures for the month were 109 cars, valued at $209,318, against 112 cars, valued at $370,158, in January, 1907, and 136 cars, valued at $434,442 in 1906.

The total appraised value of merchandise for the month of December, 1907, was $57,467,316, a decrease of about $7,000,000 from the previous month. For January, 1908, the amount was $50,474,514, a decrease of more than $27,000,000 for January, 1907.

ENGLISHMAN STUDIES ROADS

Sir Edgar Vincent Pays Visit to Western Territory in Search of Information.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Sir Edgar Vincent, an English financier, who is now a guest with Ambassador Whitelaw Reid at the home of D. O. Mills in Milbrat, is making his visit to the Pacific coast, it is said, a part of a trip devoted to the study of the condition of railroad stocks and securities in the United States with a view to directing the investment of English capital in American transportation enterprises.

Sir Edgar's visit to the coast is understood to have as its object an investigation of Harriman's interests in the west and also of the united railroads of San Francisco.

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