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FRIDAY

Continuation of the Silk Hosiery Sale.

Women's black silk hose, with silk or cotton soles, wide welt tops, regular \$2.00 value; in this sale at, a pair... \$1.25

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And See the First Demonstration of Metalography. On Our Second Floor.

The decoration of brass in raised or repoussé effects has never before been so easy as it is made by these new outfits and the simple directions. To morrow from 3 to 5 p. m. Metalography will be demonstrated on our second floor. Expert instructor in charge.

Saturday.

The Great Sale of Women's High Class Waists. See Friday's Papers.

Wash Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices.

East Basement.

Linen finished suitings, in stripes and dots, at per yard... 5c
15c Batistes and Swisses, in dainty designs, at per yard... 10c
20c and 25c solid colored batistes and mercerized fabrics, at, yd... 15c
50c all linen suitings, at per yard... 25c
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Remnants of wash materials of every description, values up to 15c per yard; Friday at, per yard... 5c

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the Indiana senator was upon his feet, exhibiting a stern countenance. "The senator must correct that," he said hotly. "That is what I understood," said Mr. Aldrich. "The senator is going very far to repeat private conversation. I did not say political allegiances."

Free crude asphalt offered by Senator Bailey. Inheritance tax offered by Senator Dixon. Abolishing the tin plate drawback offered by Senator Beveridge. Tea bounty offered by Senator Hayward. Eliminating the "Dutch standard" of color sugar test offered by Senator Brewster. Free carpenters' and blacksmiths' tools offered by Senator McLaughlin.

PROF. BYERS DIES IN LONDON

Member of Iowa University Faculty Succumbs Under Influence of Ether.

LONDON, July 8.—Lawrence Marshall Byers of Des Moines, Ia., died yesterday at a nursing hospital in London, where he underwent an operation.

Prof. Byers, who was a member of the faculty of the State University of Iowa, was suffering from an ulcerated tooth and died under ether. The inquest will be held July 10.

DES MOINES, July 8.—Lawrence Marshall Byers, whose death occurred at London yesterday from an ulcerated tooth, had been for five years one of the faculty of the Iowa State university college of law at Iowa City. He was a graduate of the Yale law school and was the only son of Major S. H. M. Byers, who was for twenty years consul general at Rome, Italy, and Bern, and St. Gall, Switzerland, and who is an author of note.

Corn Breeder Goes Insane. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 8.—(Special.)—Prolonged attempts to propagate a new species of corn has resulted in the mental derangement of J. B. Jones, a pioneer resident of this part of the state. His mental condition became so bad that Sheriff Quint of Lincoln county was notified and has taken the old man into custody.

If people with symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble could realize their danger they would without loss of time commence taking Foley's Kidney Pills. This great remedy stops the pain and the irregularities, strengthens and builds up these organs and there is no danger of Bright's disease or other serious disorder. Do not disregard the early symptoms. Sold by all druggists.

TWO THOUSAND HOMELESS

Six Dead, Two Others Injured in Big Floods.

HUNDRED REFUGEES IN CAMP

Considerable Suffering at Pattenburg Because of Lack of Food and Shelter—People Rescued from Tree-tops.

KANSAS CITY, July 8.—The flood situation in Missouri and Kansas tonight appeared to be gradually improving. At Kansas City the Kansas and Missouri rivers were both still rising, but the prediction was that tomorrow they would begin falling without causing damage here.

Springfield, Mo., on the Jordan river, and Ottawa, Kan., on the Marais Des Cygnes river, were the points where the most suffering was experienced today. The streets were buried under ten to fifteen feet of water. It is hoped by tomorrow the floods there will have subsided.

Two Thousand Homeless. Close to 2,000 persons rendered temporarily homeless, with a property loss estimated at \$1,000,000, six persons drowned and two others injured, railway traffic to the north, west and south of Kansas City demoralized and thousands of acres of rich farming land and miles of railway tracks inundated, summarizes the flood situation in Missouri and Kansas up to this afternoon.

The eight dead and injured were those reported yesterday. No additional casualties were reported today.

The greatest suffering today was at Springfield, in southern Missouri, and at Ottawa, Kan., fifty-seven miles southwest of Kansas City. Both these towns were practically submerged by the sudden overflow of local streams. Elsewhere in these two states nearly every stream was receding and the worst of the flood was believed to be over. Even at Springfield and Ottawa the water began to fall away almost as soon as it had accomplished its damage.

The body of the 4-year-old daughter of Mrs. Carrie Rose of Chicago, drowned yesterday in the derailment of a Santa Fe passenger train at Pattenburg, Kan., had been recovered up to 8 o'clock this morning. At Kansas City at 8 o'clock this morning the Missouri river stood at 24 feet 21 inches, a rise of two feet in the last twenty-four hours. The Kansas river was at 21 feet, also a rise of two feet. The damage here was confined to the west and east bottoms. In the west bottoms six inches of water stood in parts of the pens at the stock yards along the Kansas river, but the main yards were not in danger.

This overflow resulted from water backing up through the sewers. Argentine and Armourdale, Kan., packing house and railway suburbs of Kansas City, were still safe, a newly built dyke at Argentine safeguarding that place at least for the present. Earlton, Mo., across from Kansas City on the north, a small farming community, is partially submerged, but no great damage has been done there.

Water Falls at Pattenburg. At Pattenburg, Mo., the water fell fourteen inches during the night and will recede today. The last of the refugees had been removed from house and tree tops this morning, and the relief train from St. Joseph, which had been stalled near Santa Rosa, landed its passengers within two miles of Pattenburg, and from there the remainder of the journey was made in boats. The rescuers quickly went to work. Ample food, at least for present needs, was distributed to the refugees. In the last two days many persons have suffered acutely from exposure and lack of sleep.

At Pattenburg, Kan., all of the marooned passengers from the wrecked Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe passenger train, which ran into the river yesterday, had found shelter and were safe. The river that caused this flood, the Marais Des Cygnes, has spread out over a large territory, but today is receding.

At Topeka the flood situation improved since last night. There has been no more rain and Shunganunga creek, which drowns many persons out of their homes in South and East Topeka, had subsided and was within its banks. The Kansas river there showed a fall of four inches since last

JOYNER HEADS TEACHERS

North Carolina Educator Made President of National Association.

HE DEFEATS TWO CANDIDATES

His Election is Claimed as Victory for Those Who Oppose Regulation of Prices of School Textbooks.

DENVER, Colo., July 8.—The election of James Yacklin Joyner, superintendent of public instruction of North Carolina, as president of the National Educational association today is regarded by his supporters as a victory in their fight against any regulation of the prices of school text books. Mr. Joyner was elected over Ben Blewitt, head of the St. Louis schools, and Dr. J. H. Phillips of Birmingham, Ala. Among the other things done by the association were:

Went on record against the existence of textbooks in high schools in a resolution which declares such organizations to be opposed to the spirit of democracy. Decided to "investigate" the feasibility of simplified spelling, but took no decided stand, either for or against it.

URGES PORTO RICAN CITIZENSHIP

In the regular sessions, Edwin G. Dexter, commissioner of education for Porto Rico, offered a resolution urging that Congress be asked to confer citizenship upon the people of Porto Rico. He said this would be a glowing record of merit to hold before the eyes of the Porto Rican to tell him he would one day become a citizen of the United States.

Immediately a member from Alabama arose and proposed to tack on a little suggestion about freedom for the Philippines. He said the people there had been nurtured by the eagle of freedom going on ten years now, and thus far the only civilizing influence they had felt was the water cure.

Woman Suffragist Heard. Miss Mary Sherry of California then declared:

"Now, if there is going to be any freedom advocated here, I want to make another amendment. If the savages of Porto Rico and of the Philippines are going to get support here, I want the voice of those who deserve most—the women of 'United States'."

No action was taken on any of these suggestions. Irwin Shepherd of Winona, Minn., was re-elected secretary. A. H. Chamberlain of California was re-elected treasurer and Lorenzo D. Harvey, the retiring president, was elected first vice president.

Next Meeting at San Francisco. San Francisco was selected as the next meeting place of the National Education association. Milwaukee and Boston contended for it.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey, judge of the Denver juvenile court, known as the "boys' judge," spoke tonight instead of Dr. Henry B. Fabbitt of Chicago, who is delayed by a wreck in Kansas. Judge Lindsey declared there is no bad boy, but instead a bad atmosphere, and it is the duty of the state to remove evil influence.

Why College Boy is Wild. "Why is it that a young man degenerates within six months after he enters college?"

Charles Fordyce, dean of the University of Nebraska, who spoke before the education department this morning, said this question was not uncommonly asked of him by teachers in the lower schools.

"These teachers," said Mr. Fordyce, "tell me that their boys leave them clean in mind and strong in body, fitted for a college life and in six months they succumb to temptation."

"I'll tell you why. They have been going to a secondary school under a home influence. They come to college as their own masters and in a few months they fall under the alluring vice constantly flaunted before their eyes."

"It was nothing new that boys in their first two years at college gave way to temptation and 'degenerated.' He proposed the English and German methods to stop this lowering of moral standards. He said that the boys should be made self-reliant men before they enter college and then they would be able to cope with all the temptations without the necessity of constant supervision which tended to make them worse."

Mr. Fordyce was followed by Dr. J. H. T. Main, president of Iowa college at Grinnell, Ia.

College Interests Too Diverse. "The college muckraker has said, and has proved a point, that college education today is chiefly notable for its ineffectiveness," said Mr. Main. "But like all epigrammatic statements this is not the only thing that can be said and proved about college education. It may also be shown that it is the most effective method in existence for acquainting men with the world and making them efficient agents in it."

"The college bred man is, under normal conditions, the superior man, but he may be produced at too great expense when we consider all the time and labor and money spent upon him. Efficiency has a definite relation to cost of production."

"Lack of efficiency in college education is largely due to absence of inner-community in our colleges. This is due to diversity of interests cultivated by the elective system, the large and rapidly growing number of courses offered, the absence of a definite controlling purpose in the institution as a whole, the professional and technical methods that too often characterize the work, the absence of a relationship between teacher and pupil on a personal basis, and finally the absence of a genuine desire for a unified spirit and life."

"The correct condition there must first of all be a genuine desire for inner-community life. A strong purpose looking to this end will achieve it. There must be an institutional spirit developed by strong personalities in administrative and teaching positions. There must be organization of the elective system in such a way as to secure unity of spirit, particularly in lower classes. The college must first and foremost be a college, and not a collection of departments and departments. It must be a college in its intellectual and spiritual side as well as on the side of athletics and general activities. In the modern college the problem is a difficult one, but when we determine to solve it, we can do so."

ORCHARD & WILHELM CARPET CO. Announce Their After-Inventory Sale and Odd Curia Sale.

We take inventory July 1 and in going over our stock we sort out for special sale all short lengths of Swiss, madras, plain and fancy net, cretonnes and tapestry, together with all single curtains in lace, wool curtains and on and two-pair lots that will not be carried in stock next season. This sale commences Monday morning, July 12, for the entire week.

Note—Sale Monday morning, July 12, at 10 o'clock.

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WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL

Rural Routes Are Established in Nebraska and South Dakota—New Carrier at Arcadia, Neb.

ORIGIN BROKS

Great Rebuilding Sale Starts Saturday, July 10th.

Over \$30,000 worth of high grade women's wearing apparel will be sacrificed in order to dispose of it within three weeks. The store will close then and the Creighton university with their contractors and architects have promised to remodel store in the most up-to-date style that it will be a credit to Omaha.

The most important changes will be the lowering of the front and first floor even to the ground, new large show windows, steel ceiling—new, modern electric elevator, etc.

Orkin Bros. will install new up-to-date fixtures all over the store; each floor will be carpeted with heavy green velvet; the entire third floor will be devoted to the clothing department and fitting rooms. This will double our alterations department and give us three more fitting rooms. Our second floor will be suits, coats and costumers; on first floor will be skirts, waists, petticoats, etc. Speaking of the new changes about to be made, Mr. Julius Orkin said we expect to open Sept. 1st, the most complete modern and up-to-date cloak and suit store in the west, with everything new to wear for women and misses.

We propose to close out every bit of spring and summer goods, consisting of over \$5,000 worth of women's suits, coats, skirts, waists and dresses, and, on next Saturday, commencing at 9 a. m., the first day of the great alteration sale, we will sell any suit in our store, worth up to \$40.00 for \$10.00.

Officially Squadron Coming. LONDON, July 8.—Ambassador Reid has been informed that the fifth cruiser squadron of the fifth British naval arrangement has been designated to attend the Hudson-Fulton celebration to be held at New York August 15. The squadron consists of the armored cruisers, the Drake, Argyll, Duke of Edinburgh and Black Prince.

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GIRL'S STORY IS ATTACKED

Conflicting Statements Are Charged Up to Ella Gingles.

JOHN W. KERN IN EVIDENCE

Former Candidate for Vice President in Chicago, Possibly to Represent Thomas Taggart, Who Has Been "Mentioned."

CHICAGO, July 8.—The defense in the trial of Ella Gingles closed here today. Strong evidence both for and against the young lawbreaker was given during the day.

The action came to a close with P. H. O'Donnell, the girl's lawyer, and Captain F. D. O'Brien of the detective bureau, who investigated her first story about being attacked in the Wellington hotel, February 16, accusing each other of underhand motives in the case. Captain O'Brien testified that during a conversation he had with Attorney O'Donnell Wednesday night the lawyer said that he did not believe some parts of the girl's story.

The testimony of the police captain and of nurses at the Frances Willard hospital, where Miss Gingles was taken after the Wellington hotel incident, showed glowing discrepancies in the girl's various stories.

With the rebuttal testimony tomorrow a new sensation is promised in the story of Agnes May Barrette, the young woman against whom Miss Gingles has directed the stain of her narrative. Miss Barrette wept loudly in court when Assistant State Attorney B. J. Short said that justice would be done here.

John W. Kern on Scene. John W. Kern, an Indianapolis candidate for vice president of the United States on the democratic ticket last fall, called upon State Attorney Wayman today. Mr. Kern has acted in several legal matters for Thomas Taggart, former chairman of the democratic national committee, whose name has been brought into the record of this case repeatedly by Miss Gingles, as the man who was involved in the plot to send her to French Lick Springs, Ind., as a "white slave." Mr. Kern said his visit had nothing to do with this case, saying that he had come on a civil case.

Miss Bella Carston, who was a boarding house friend of the Gingles girl, testified that on January 11 the girl told her of having a dream about being attacked and locked in a room and subjected to indignities. Miss Carston advised the girl not to go out after dark.

Miss A. Davis, superintendent of the Frances Willard hospital, said that when Ella Gingles was brought there she told a story about being attacked on the street, having pepper thrown into her eyes, being thrown into a cab and taken to a hotel room. Miss Gingles, on this stand, denied that she had made any statement of this kind, and made no reference to it in her story of the attack.

Doctor Tella of Haywards. Dr. Mary A. Maxson, a trustee of the hospital, told of seeing the girl in bed at the hospital. "I hid behind the door," said Miss Maxson. "I heard the girl say, 'I did not tell Mr. O'Donnell everything. Don't cut me.'"

"I asked her who had cut her and she said 'Miss Barrette.'"

Captain O'Brien was recalled to the stand. "I went to the hospital to see her after she was taken out of the friend and room," he said. "I saw her friend and thought she had been mistreated. I asked her to tell me what had happened."

"Then she told of being attacked by a man and two women at Oesthe and Clark streets. She said Miss Barrette threw pepper in her eyes, and the man struck her on the head and pushed her into a car on the next morning."

"The girl said another woman whom she recognized as Mrs. Cecelia Kenyon, placed a damp cloth under her nose, and that she woke up in the hotel."

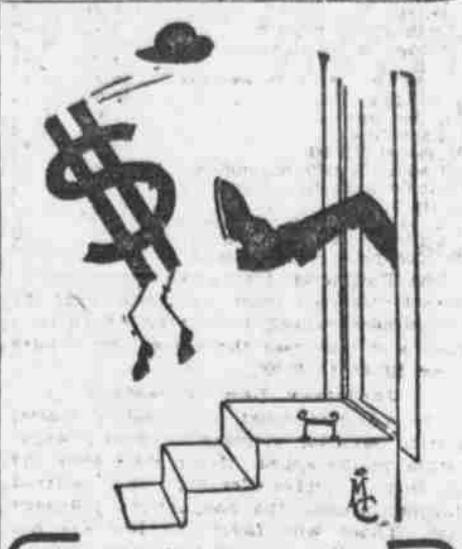
"I investigated her story and could not verify any part of it. I told her she must be mistaken and she said, 'Yes, that was like I told about the cab.'"

"Then she told the other story of going to the hotel of her own free will."

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