



Summery Dresses for Juniors and Small Women at Deep Reductions

We have gathered here in three lots the brightest, freshest hot weather dresses our stock affords. Plain white Percales; also Belfast and Lunette Dimities and Holly Bastes, in soft blues, red, gray, pink, maize and lavender. Fancy patterns, polka dots and fine stripes, some with the wide floral borders so popular now. Trimmed with insertion of dainty harmonizing colors. Dutch necks, kimono or regular sleeves—some fasten in front, others the back. Sizes 15, 17, 19, also 32 to 38. Careful buyers will add several of these beautiful dresses to their summer wardrobe. Dresses that have been snapped up eagerly at prices up to \$9.75—now go at—

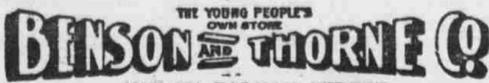
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House, Office and Street Dresses at \$1.95

A dainty, well made dress at this price shows the wisdom of shopping here—made of Percales, in pink, light or drift blue, tan, lavender and black and white checks. Long or short sleeves, Dutch or high necks, some open in front, others in back. A genuine bargain for the matron or business woman. Sizes 32 to 38. Values up to \$3.95, now **\$1.95**. Another lot of House Dresses of Scotch Ginghams and Linens. During the busy season, frequent handling has slightly soiled these garments. Sizes 32 to 38. Have sold up to \$9.75. To move them quickly **\$2.65**

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These come in plain and fancy colors and have sold the summer through at from \$2.50 to \$5. Your choice, Monday, at **\$1.95**



1248-1250 FARNAM STREET

DES MOINES SALOONS WIN

Canvass by County Board Held Conclusive on Petitions.

APPLIES IN EACH CASE IN CITY

Foreign Mission Board Holds Session at Drake University to Consider Whether to Charge Rev. G. W. Sarvis with Heresy.

Working on Railroad Values

The state executive council went to work today on the actual business of making the assessments of railroad property, following the hearings of the last week. It is anticipated the task will be a short one, as few changes will be needed from the old assessment.

Articles of Incorporation were Filed Today

for the Atlantic Ideal Oil Burner company, capital \$5,000.

Colored Masons Adjourn

E. T. Banks was selected as head of the Iowa grand lodge of negro Masons at their session here. The next convention will be held in Davenport in July of next year.

The State Board of Animal Health, which takes over the duties of the State Veterinary board, organized this week and is ready for work.

Two Frightened to Speak

Helen Emery, a girl student at Hillside Park college, from Humboldt, was so badly frightened at a fire at the college dormitories that she has since been unable to speak. About a dozen girls fainted and some had to be carried from their rooms. Two of the boys students were badly burned and one of them had his clothing catch fire. The dormitories were completely destroyed at a loss of \$20,000, but will be rebuilt.

City People Watch Fire

Thousands of people in a Des Moines office building watched for two hours today a prairie fire, which burned over a large pasture and destroyed a ten-acre apple orchard on the farm of Frank W. Press, south of the Des Moines river. A score of neighboring farmers, who rushed to give aid, succeeded in extinguishing the fire just before it reached an oak field.

Report on Life Insurance

The annual report on life insurance was issued by State Auditor Hieakley today. The report shows that the business done by life insurance companies in Iowa last year was larger than ever before, but that the gain was not as much as expected. The Iowa life companies received in premiums \$1,681,818 and paid out in death losses \$32,094. The other than Iowa companies received on Iowa business alone \$2,332,190 and paid out \$1,848,743. The big eastern companies made no material gain in business in Iowa.

Assess According to Law

Members of the state executive council are proceeding with the assessment of railroad, telegraph and telephone property in the state in accordance with the law and the custom, and it is expected the assessment will be quickly completed as only a few changes will be made. The method of distribution, which follows that laid down in the law will be followed as in the past.

Stevenson is Grand Master

Stymest Stevenson of Council Bluffs has been elected grand master of the Odd Fellows of Iowa. Grand Secretary B. L. Tilton, Des Moines, himself re-elected, made the announcement today following the receipt of reports from the different subordinate lodges.

Mr. Stevenson becomes head of the Iowa Odd Fellows at the next grand lodge session in Council Bluffs, October 23, succeeding

Naval Militia Will Attack New York City

NEW YORK, July 15.—Naval militia north embarking today all along the northern Atlantic coast for the coming attack on the New York harbor and its defense. The purpose of the maneuvers next week is to ascertain the strength of New York's back door. Seventeen battleships will try to reach the city through the Long Island Sound and the battle for the preservation of the metropolis will be fought in Gardiner's bay at the eastern end of Long Island.

Battleships Iowa, Mississippi and Maine today took aboard the amateur sailors from this state, who will participate in the attack.

The city will be defended by most of the naval militia details in their own ships, backed by a swarm of torpedo boats, submarines and an aeroplane.

Participating in the maneuvers are the naval organizations of New York, Massachusetts, Maine, Rhode Island, Conn., New Jersey, Maryland, South Carolina and the District of Columbia.

The maneuvers in these waters will last until the amateur sailors go home on July 22, when the warships will go to Provincetown for the regular practice.

Mildred Bridges in Custody of Father

CHICAGO, July 15.—An echo of the trial of Evelyn Arthur See of "Absolute Life" notoriety was heard in the juvenile court today, when Stephen Bridges asked that his daughter Mildred be taken from Mrs. Bessie Clingen, a probation officer.

Girl Who Figured in See Trial is Taken from Probation Officer.

It was for the abduction of Mildred that See was convicted. Bridges told the court Mrs. Clingen was an unfit custodian of his daughter, having allowed the latter to read "absolute life on trial" and to visit See's lawyers during the trial.

Mrs. Bridges also was in court. Bridges, who is suing for a divorce from his wife, added that the latter was not a fit person to care for his daughter. Mrs. Bridges is a member of the "absolute life" cult.

Custody of the girl was awarded to Mr. Bridges until September, when the case will be decided finally.

Directors Must Meet Often

Orders issued to Examiners to Request Banks to Hold Meetings at Least Once a Month.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Directors of national banks who fail to hold meetings frequently and who give other evidences of a lack of personal interest in the affairs of their banks will hereafter find a national examiner overhauling their institution at least four times a year. Orders were issued to all examiners to request banks in their districts to hold directors' meetings at least once a month, to maintain a discount committee, an examining committee and to adopt a permanent system of approving loans and discounts.

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STELLA, Neb., July 15.—(Special.)—A herd of seventeen hogs sought refuge from the heat in a slough in Harve Findlay's pasture. They buried themselves in the mud, and the slough dried up while the hogs were taking comfort in this way. The mud dried about their bodies and they couldn't get out. After being missing two days, when Mr. Findlay found them, four were dead. He and a neighbor used spades to rescue the others by digging them out of the dry mire.

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FALLERS SAVED GOODLY SUM

Bridge Toll Collector Had \$3,000 in Safety Deposit Box.

GREAT SURPRISE TO HIS WIDOW

Administratrix of Estate Had Expected to Find Five Hundred Dollars at Most in Strong Box in Omaha.

H. E. Fallers, the toll collector who disappeared from the Douglas street bridge the night of July 3, left \$3,000 that his wife knew nothing about.

His safe deposit box was opened by his wife and he had been appointed administratrix of his estate, the American Bank deposit vaults in the Bee building yesterday and it was found to contain a little over \$3,000 in money and life insurance policies aggregating \$4,000.

An expert from the DeWight Safe company was called in to open the box. Fallers having had the keys to it in his pockets at the time of his disappearance. The expert worked with especially made tools for more than an hour on the box before being able to open it.

When the box was opened Mrs. Fallers was surprised to find that her husband had saved so much money. She expected, she said, to find that he had saved \$500, but did not have any idea that his savings would reach the amount she found in the box.

Fallers had kept all his valuables in the depository vault, including papers, life insurance policies and cash. The insurance policies had been taken out from two companies—a lodge and an Illinois company.

Mrs. Fallers visited the American Safe deposit vaults in company with her attorney. She was recently appointed administratrix of her husband's estate.

FOUR DAYS ARE TO BE SPENT IN TALK

(Continued from First Page.)

and time and by the combined assistance of several able seamen under the command of Major "Archie" Butt and Secretary Hillis, "Bob" Taylor was rescued from Mrs. Geesle's bath tub. Confidently he told the deputation party later on that he never appreciated the awful power of water as he did during the bath and that he would use it only for drinking purposes hereafter.

Taylor Life of Party.

Senator "Bob" Taylor was a "joy forever" during the trip. He was really the life of the party and made a tremendous hit with President Taft with his stories. Those who do not believe that he began telling stories when he ascended the gang plank on the first night out and was still continuing telling stories as he descended the gang plank in Washington.

He told one story which pleased the president mightily, a story depicting the division of democratic ranks over reciprocity and tariff. He said that there was one in his section of Tennessee a most famous tobacco chewer. He probably was the most inveterate chewer of the weed that anybody ever saw. He was not a devotee of any particular kind of tobacco, he said, but he liked to smoke it. One day some mischievous boys cup up a lot of shavings, dipped them into licorice and gave the package to the famous tobacco eater. After turning it around for ten or fifteen minutes, sucking out the licorice, he said to the bystanders: "This tobacco tastes all right, but it doesn't stick together as well as it should."

"Can't you tell us a story about the republicans?" said the president.

"What's the use," replied "Bob" Taylor, "they are telling all kinds of stories about the republicans, but I am persuaded, however, he told the following story about another tobacco chewer: He said that down in Tennessee a man had grown expert in expectorating tobacco juice. In fact, he had grown so adept in spitting on objects that the boys used to make pools on his being able to spit on chips six and eight feet away. One afternoon in front of the village store this famous expectorator of the juices of cut plug was showing off his dexterity to the amusement of the bystanders, among the number being a traveling salesman. He watched the native spit and spit and finally said to the countryman: "Stranger, do you belong to the human species?"

"No," replied the artist of the weed, "I am a republican."

NORTH PLATTE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ORGANIZES

E. F. Seeburger is Chosen President of New Body of Business Men.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., July 15.—(Special.)—The North Platte Chamber of Commerce was organized Thursday night at the court house with a membership of 145. An enthusiastic meeting was held and a constitution adopted. A board of nine directors will be in charge of the affairs of the organization. The general object of the chamber is to promote the general welfare of North Platte. E. F. Seeburger was elected president and M. J. Forbes vice president. The remaining directors chosen were W. V. Hoagland, Ira L. Bare, J. Q. Wilcox, F. H. Garlow, W. P. Snyder and R. H. Stuart.

KENYON SPEAKS FOR HIS BILL

Would Make Punishment for Violating Interstate Commerce Law Imprisonment Only.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Senator Kenyon made an argument before the senate committee on interstate commerce today in support of his bill amending the interstate commerce law so as to eliminate the provision permitting the punishment of offenders by fine. As the law stands it allows either fine or imprisonment.

The Iowa senator said it was impossible to get some courts to impose prison sentences so long as there is an alternative and he contends that no other punishment is effective in preventing violations of the law.

Mr. Kenyon also urged favorable action on the portions of the bill forfeiting patents used in the formation of trusts and forbidding interstate corporations from owning the stock of other corporations of a similar character.

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Kinkaid Has Bill to Conserve Flood Water on Reserves

Plan is to Give Secretary of Interior Authority to Act at Time of Spring Freshets.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, July 15.—(Special Telegram.)—Representative Kinkaid today introduced a bill for the purpose of granting authority and money to the secretary of the interior to conserve flood waters in reserves and in Indian reservations so that damage resulting from spring freshets to contiguous agricultural lands may be reduced to a minimum. As the situation in today, waters at the reserves or Indian reservations have no authority to attempt, if they had the means to take any steps, to safeguard their property against floods which may have their origin either in a forest reserve or an Indian reservation.

The Kinkaid bill grants authority and money to the secretary to prevent floods by means of dams or other methods to divert the flood waters. Senator Chamberlain will introduce a similar bill in the senate next week.

Thomas O'Keefe of Alliance, Neb., is in Washington today, waiting at the capitol being introduced to Speaker Clark and other prominent members of the house by Representative Kinkaid. Mr. O'Keefe also called upon Senators Brown and Hitchcock.

Chauncey J. Southard of South Omaha has been admitted to practice before the interior department.

Joseph H. Eager of Grand Island, Neb., has been appointed dairyman at the Carlisle Indian school and Jesse A. Cotterell of Pierre, S. D., a teacher at Pierre Indian school.

H. H. Humphrey of Lincoln, Neb., and H. J. Greenlich of New York have been appointed assistants in farm equipment located in Lincoln.

Republicans Name Delegates Saturday For the Convention

Committee of Three is Appointed to Submit a List of Delegates from Douglas County.

Arrangements for the selection of delegates to the republican state convention in Lincoln July 25 were made Saturday afternoon at a meeting of the Douglas county republican executive committee in court room No. 4. Judge Ben S. Baker, chairman of the committee, presided, and Henry Ostrom was secretary.

There was considerable enthusiasm manifested over the certainty of a harmonious convention next Saturday when representatives from each of the eighty-four precincts in the county will meet in court room No. 1 to select delegates to the state convention. The committee from each precinct in the county will select the men who will take part in nominating and electing the state delegates. As each precinct is entitled to two representatives at the gathering next Saturday a total representation of 168 active republicans is expected to be present.

Douglas county is entitled to over ninety delegates in the republican state convention and the men who will be named next Saturday will carry the G. O. P. banner aloft in favor of the nomination of the best men in the party for public office.

A committee of three members of the executive committee, consisting of W. A. Foster, A. C. Kugel and George Houseman, was appointed to prepare a list of delegates as the choice of Douglas county to go to the state convention. The committee will make a report immediately preceding the county convention next Saturday.

Gas Explosion Tears Up Piece of Ground

One Man Seriously Injured, Five Horses Killed and Valuable Machinery Demolished.

TULSA, Okl., July 15.—A gas explosion on the David Shipman farm seven miles south of here, today tore up earth for twenty acres, injured one man seriously, killed five horses and demolished a large amount of valuable machinery.

The explosion was preceded by a rumbling noise resembling an earthquake. There was a mighty concussion and then the earth gave way. Charles Reed, a rig builder, jumped from a height of forty feet and was badly hurt. The horses were a considerable distance from the place where the explosion first broke, but before they had time to get away the earth broke under them and the gas burst forth. The animals were thrown a great distance.

It is thought that gas gathered near the top of an oil well being dug on the land.

John W. Gates Has Bad Night, but Rallies

FARIS, July 15.—John W. Gates had a bad night, but rallied this morning and at noon his condition was about the same as it has been generally for two or three days.

Mrs. Gates and their son, Charles G. Gates, are constantly at the bedside or in an adjoining room and both are quite exhausted by the anxious watch.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Gates was said to be somewhat better. His physicians are watching the heart action which varies from 82 to 90 and when irregular responds readily to stimulants.

Dr. Russell Ryan of London who will arrive here tonight will remain over Sunday in frequent consultations with Dr. Gros and the other attending physicians.

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Diamonds—Good Advertising

You advertise yourself and your business every day. You never thought about this fact, did you? You probably do not run ads in papers. But when you go out upon the street you are advertising. Your appearance—your clothes, your shoes, your hat, your ring, your jewelry—is your medium. You know what appearance does toward making an impression. Every hour you see some man who leaves a bad impression. His clothes do not hang right, his hat is not the right shape for his head, his shoes are not shined—there is something radically wrong with him. If he is a business man he does not create a desire in you to trade with him. You feel inclined to go to the establishment in every respect, and do go to this man's place.

Now you find that in a great majority of the cases in which a man makes a favorable impression upon you by his appearance that he is wearing a diamond, either a pin or a ring. This stone is everywhere recognized as an emblem of affluence and prosperity. It does more to lend substantiality to the impression a man makes than any other thing—even more than his clothes. Most people who wear diamonds are neat in their appearance—their clothes fit well and are of good material.

To create a good impression—to gain in prestige—one should wear a diamond of quality. Of course, a cheap stone—imitation—detracts from that first impression. If you recognize a diamond as an imitation you lose respect for its wearer at once, no matter how well he may be dressed.

Very few people indeed discount the position of the diamond, but some seek inferior stones. The Edholm store offers a wide assortment of the purest diamonds at prices that will make you blame your luck if you have purchased a cheap stone elsewhere. If you contemplate buying a stone, you owe it to yourself to inspect the Edholm stock.

Don't Merely Buy—Invest.

Albert Edholm, Jeweler 16th and Harney