

Monday Begins Another Week of Bargain Giving Benson & Thorne's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

Mothers will find this great assemblage of actual savings a welcome aid in fitting out the children for the school session, commencing tomorrow.

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Table listing various dress styles and prices, such as 'Charming models, and handsomely made from French Challies, plaids, serges, Panamas'.

Children's Coats 33 1/2% Discount

Table listing children's coats and suits with prices, including 'Full cut, smartly tailored models in corduroy, chinchilla, cheviot and broadcloth'.

Stunning models in Suits for Juniors and small Women 33 1/2% Discount

Table listing suits for juniors and small women with prices, including 'There is still a beautiful showing of suits in rich novelties and mixtures'.

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NEW DRUG STORE RULING

Special Counsel Says Partners in Iowa May Not Sell Liquor.

MULCT LAW IS VERY STRICT

Industrial Safety Conference Held in Des Moines to Consider How to Prevent Accidents—New Masters in Chancery.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Jan. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—C. A. Robbins, special counsel in the office of the attorney general, wrote an opinion today stating that it is illegal for drug stores to sell by partners to retail in intoxicating liquors.

Safety Conference. The first state industrial safety conference was held in the office of State Labor Commissioner Van Duzen this morning at the state house.

Masters in Chancery. Judge McPherson this morning announced the names of the various masters in chancery who would serve in Iowa for the ensuing year.

To Name New Bishop. The official announcement of the choice of bishop for the recently established Catholic see of Des Moines is expected next week.

Sportsmen Will Meet. The Iowa Association of Sportsmen's league, called the Conservation and Sportsmen's league, will meet here next week.

Fever Epidemic is Ended. President Farley of the state teachers' college at Cedar Falls reports that the recent typhoid fever epidemic there has come to an end.

State Case is Waiting. The suit for injunction brought by Frank Pierce of Marshalltown on behalf of the Iowa League of Municipalities, to enjoin the state executive council from the assessment of state property and collection of taxes on an assessment said to be irregular, is waiting in district court for action.

Road Abandonment Undecided. Judge Smith McPherson announced he would take time for deciding the question as to whether or not the receivers of the Des Moines, Fort Dodge & Southern railroad should tear up the tracks of the abandoned portion of their road.

NO CESSATION OF CRUEL COLD IS PREDICTED (Continued from First Page.)

probably on account of being accompanied by a brisk northwest wind. It was intensely cold all over Nebraska, even down into the southern part of the state.

Broken Bow, 15; Dunning, 25; Seneca, 30; Whitman, 30; Alliance, 18; Crawford, 18; Syracuse, 20; Blue Hill, 20; Webster, 20; Minden, 21; Wilcoxville, 24; Red Cloud, 20; McCook, Imperial, 20; Eustis, 24; Sidney, 18; Scott's Bluff, 15; Long Pine and Norfolk, 22; North Platte, 16; Grand Island, 20; Gothenberg, 20; Lincoln, 17.

WYOMING WARNING UP. Through portions of Wyoming the weather seems to have moderated somewhat. Saturday morning at Cheyenne the mercury registered zero, while at Ogden, Utah, it was 40 above.

At Warner, S. D., the temperature at 7 o'clock was 25 degrees below zero. Between Pierre and Rapid City temperatures ranged from 19 to 25 below.

Out in Wyoming, from Lander east as far as Casper, a peculiar condition maintained Friday night and yesterday morning. In this section of the country the temperature was from 10 to 20 degrees below.

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Stock in Danger. The railroad offices in the city are making every possible effort to keep in touch with the live stock situation in Kansas, the western portion of Nebraska and Wyoming.

Cold Haris Travel. The continued cold is getting in its work on railroad travel, which has now reached a minimum.

the passenger trains are running on time, nor are they even attempting to do so. No railroad operating in or out of Omaha has any call on any other, for all of the trains are from one to six hours late. However, none of the passenger trains have been abandoned.

RICHARDSON COUNTY PIONEER VERY SUDDENLY STRICKEN

STELLA, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—C. P. Aller, one of the early settlers in Richardson county, was suddenly stricken with apoplexy and died in two hours.

Rev. J. J. Bell, the pastor, is holding revival meetings in the Baptist church. Six Young Men's Christian association students from the Wesleyan university visited this place during the holidays, and were entertained by the four churches of the city.

Rev. H. A. Wolfe has accepted a call as pastor of the Lutheran church and has moved his family from Davenport, where he was formerly pastor of a church at that place.

ALLEGED BLACKHAND MAN HELD TO FEDERAL COURT

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The makers state positively that these new Nemo Corsets not only reduce the figure immediately by the repression and readjustment of the flesh, but will make the figure permanently smaller by a process of automatic massage, whereby the surplus fat is softened, absorbed and taken away by natural processes.

Advertisement for Nemo corsets, featuring an illustration of a woman in a corset and text describing the 'AUTO-MASSAGE SELF-REDUCING' feature.

ON SALE HAYDEN BROS. SALE

Yes, You Can Afford a "Victor Victrola" Now That Brandeis Stores are selling the handsome outfit pictured here complete at only—

\$22.50 Outfit includes the new No. 4 "Victrola," selling at \$15.00, in connection with a magnificent golden oak cabinet.

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that the time has arrived for the powers to act.

Banking groups, however, are in a different position for they are free from political considerations. The idea is that the banking combinations of Russia and Japan might join the banking groups of America, England, France and Germany in arranging a concrete plan for the settlement of the Chinese difficulty, which, if China itself should be unable to solve its own destiny, might be submitted to the conflicting elements and backed by the offer of substantial loans in order to help place China on its feet.

For the present the idea of an international banking conference on the subject has not advanced beyond an idea. It is in no way connected with the arrival of J. P. Morgan in Paris, where he is going to stay for four or five days on a private visit before his departure for Egypt.

Germany Ready to Act. BERLIN, Jan. 6.—No inquiry concerning the dispatch of troops to China has been received here from Washington. There is no doubt as to what Germany's answer will be. "The government is fully in accord with its minister who, with the other diplomats there, already has determined to send international troops to guard the railroad from Peking to Chin Wang Tao against either the revolutionists or the government troops.

San Francisco for Funds. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—A personal message from Sun Yat Sen at Nanking received today by the Chinese National association calls on the Chinese of the United States to rush all available funds for the use of the new republic.

RICHESON ADMITS MURDER OF GIRL (Continued from First Page.)

and signed the confession in the presence of the lawyers without a tremor. As he handed the document to his counsel, he exclaimed: "Thank God, I have eased my conscience of that load."

A second copy of the confession was drawn up and signed by Richeson yesterday and this copy, dated January 5, was turned over to District Attorney Pelletier late yesterday.

Extreme Penalty Not Expected. District Attorney Pelletier pointed out today that the confession is not a plea of guilty to the indictment, although it is available as evidence in a trial and to a jury it would mean only conviction.

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which encouraged him to stand up for a constitutional monarchy. The first was the resolution of the Mongol princes pledging their allegiance to the reigning dynasty. The second was the memorial from Imperial generals refusing to submit to a republic.

Prompted by these facts Premier Yuan Shi Kai became defiant. Well informed quarters here, however, maintain a belief that it is totally impossible for Premier Yuan Shi Kai to raise funds enough to carry on effective military operations.

The powers for the present are simply watching further developments of the situation. The four parliors have not yet taken place for deciding their future attitude.

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A conference followed, but whether it had any bearing upon what is in store for Richeson was not made known.

Mr. Pelletier informed Richeson's counsel that they should make the confession public and at 10 o'clock today in Mr. Morse's office, the typewritten confession was handed to newspapermen.

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BURNS IS GIVEN HIS FREEDOM (Continued from First Page.)

week together with the McNamara brothers and McManigal, but United States District Attorney A. J. McCormick intimated that arrests of other men might occur both in San Francisco and Los Angeles at any time.

After filing the indictments the grand jury presented its final report and was discharged.

It was later learned that no arrests were expected here today and this was taken as an indication that only those named in the first true bill had been indicted.

ALLEGED BOOTLEGGERS ARE IN HASTINGS JAIL

HOLDREGE, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Milo Williams, Emil Gustavson and Frank Zellers, the three local young men arrested Thursday on a charge of selling liquor without a license, were arraigned before Police Judge G. H. Johnson Friday morning and pleaded not guilty.

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