

When Embroideries Cost so Little as These You Can Have Two Dresses for the Price of One
 This sale starts **MONDAY MORNING**
 Swiss Flouncings and Insertions, 18, 27 and 54-inch flouncings
 Swiss Flouncings, 40c to \$2.75 a yard
 All-over Embroideries, 25c to \$4 a yard
 The Swiss Flouncings are beautiful for young girls' dresses, while the all-overs make handsome waists and dresses

January Clearing Sale of Bed Comforters at Greatly Reduced Prices

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 \$1.00 COTTON COMFORTERS, 69c
 \$1.25 COTTON COMFORTERS, 98c
 \$1.50 COTTON COMFORTERS, \$1.29
 \$2.00 COTTON COMFORTERS, \$1.69
 \$2.50 COTTON COMFORTERS, \$1.98
 \$4.00 WOOL COMFORTERS, \$3.29
 \$7.00 WOOL COMFORTERS, \$5.88
 \$7.50 DOWN COMFORTERS, \$5.69
 \$9.00 DOWN COMFORTERS, \$6.98
 \$27.50 DOWN COMFORTERS, \$17.50

Sale of CAVALIER GLOVES
 One-clasp Pique Gloves, suitable for dressy street wear, made of durable leather in Black, White, Tan or Gray
 Ask for "Cavalier" at . . . \$1.25 a pair

The January Clearance Sale of Coats Continues
 There are many excellent values. The styles and fabrics are most desirable. The coats offered at
\$14.75
 show many surprising values



Our Final Clearance of MILLINERY for Monday and Tuesday

We are determined to make a final clearance of all trimmed hats we have in our stock, regardless of their former prices
 All of our trimmed hats that sold up to \$12.50 for **\$1.75**
 All of our trimmed hats that sold up to \$18.75 for **\$3.95**

Thompson Belden & Co
 HOWARD AND SIXTEENTH STREETS

January Linen Sale

MONDAY SPECIALS
Fine Guest Towels
 50c Guest Huck Towels—now 35c each
 65c Guest Huck Towels—now 50c each
 \$10.00 Moravian Scalloped Napkins, size 18x18, \$5.00
 \$4.50 Blue Japanese Lunch Set \$2.89 a set

January Sale of JOHN S. BROWN'S DAMASKS BY THE YARD.

Brown's \$1.25 Bleached Damask, now 89c a yard
 Brown's \$1.50 Bleached Damask, now \$1.00 a yd.
BATH TOWEL SALE
 \$1.00 Fancy Colored Bath Towels 75c
 \$1.25 Fancy Colored Bath Towels \$1.00
 75c Fancy Colored Bath Towels 50c
 50c White Bath Towels, now 35c
 75c White Bath Towels, now 50c

Draperies Made Free!

During January and February we will make to your special order, free of all charge, any drapery material purchased from our lace curtain and drapery department. We carry a most complete assortment of—
 Bungalow Nets, per yard, from 20c to 15c
 Cheney Bros.' guaranteed Sunfast Silks, yard \$1.25
 Guaranteed Sunfast Materials for Overhangings—a yard 60c to \$1.50
 Serim, plain and figured—a yard 10c to 60c
 Portieres, tapestry, silk and velour, pr., \$2.95 to \$45

DOUBLE SUICIDE IN 'FRISCO

A. B. Wood and Niece Kill Themselves with Same Revolver.
VICTIMS ARE FROM TENNESSEE
 Friend of Dead Man Says He Was Using and Assumed Name and that He Was Formerly on the Supreme Bench.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—A woman known as Blanche Wood, 34 years old, seized a revolver and shot herself dead early this morning at a hotel here in the presence of her uncle, A. B. Wood, and a friend, Edward Roberts, as Roberts was attempting to dissuade Wood from committing suicide. Wood then took the weapon and killed himself.
 Earlier in the evening Wood, who had made several suicidal threats, had left a note to his niece in which he said he would take his life.
 Wood had been to a picture show with Edward Roberts. Roberts left him at Wood's hotel and went to his own home, where he found Miss Wood in a state of hysteria. She had found the note from her uncle, saying that he had decided to kill himself, as he had lost his money and his friends had deserted him.
 Roberts and Miss Wood hastened to the hotel and burst in on Wood. Roberts and Miss Wood upbraided him for what the woman termed a "ghastly joke." Suddenly she took a revolver from a bureau drawer and shot herself through the heart.
 Shoots Himself Through Heart.
 Wood leaped across his niece's body, snatched up the weapon and shot himself through the heart. Both died within a few minutes.
 Roberts said that Wood, until two years ago, was on the Tennessee supreme court bench. He came to San Francisco about a year ago.
 According to Roberts, Wood had become involved in a political matter that caused him to leave Tennessee. He said he did not know his friend's real name and assumed that he had adopted the name "Wood" after coming to California. He said Wood had a son living in Memphis and a daughter in Dexter, Mo. Wood was 54 years old.
 In San Francisco Wood engaged in the restaurant business, but six months ago he sold his business. His niece, Roberts said, had literary aspirations and wrote short stories and motion picture scenarios.

NEW ODD FELLOWS' LODGE INSTALLED AT BOSTWICK

SUPERIOR, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Guy Scott of Hardy and his staff, accompanied by two dozen Superior members, helped install a new Odd Fellows' lodge in Nuckolls county at Bostwick last night.

Norfolk Saloon Men Lose Case.
 MADISON, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—In the case of Forrest against Emil Koehn et al., saloon keepers of the city of Norfolk, the jury after being out all night returned a verdict of \$1,131 against Ralph L. Beveridge and the Fidelity and Deposit company of Maryland, Richard M. Adams and the Illinois Surety company, Martin A. Sporn and the Title Guaranty and Surety company and acquitted defendants Emil Koehn and Emil Moeller.
 Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

STEPHENS EXPLAINS ACTION

Third District Congressman Says He Was Justified.

CAUCUS HELD IN SILVER CREEK

Declares Due Notice Was Given and No Protest Filed, Hence He Regards Himself in the Clear.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Congressman Stephens, while justifying himself in recommending the appointment of W. S. Gray for postmaster at Silver Creek, admitted today that he had three or four similar cases where recommendations were made early last year and before he had decided upon the primary plan for settling postoffice matters.
 He said that Silver Creek was on an equality with at least five towns in which the party caucus was deemed sufficient and to withdraw the nominee for the Silver Creek office would undoubtedly cause dissensions and heart burnings in the other towns, and he was not prepared to do that.
 In explanation of the reasons for Gray's recommendation, Mr. Stephens said:
 "I recommended W. S. Gray to the postmaster general last spring after a democratic caucus had been held in Silver Creek at which Mr. Gray was elected. His opponent in that caucus, Mr. Young, protested against his appointment on the ground that he had not been consulted in the calling of the caucus, and I held up the recommendation of Mr. Gray for a considerable period at Mr. Young's request, awaiting a formal protest, which he did not file. In view of the fact that Mr. Gray was elected at this caucus and that the call of the caucus had been published in the weekly press of that town, and that the action of the caucus was certified by its officers and the candidate and the action of the caucus approved by the chairman of the democratic central committee, Dr. Earl E. Boyd, I had no other course open to me than to recommend Mr. Gray as postmaster, which I did."
 "Several months after this action a petition was filed with me requesting me to call a primary. I refused to grant the request for the reasons above given, namely, that I had already recommended Mr. Gray, and if there had been any objection to the action of the caucus there had been ample time given for those who objected to file a protest with me. The absence of such a protest led me to believe that the people approved the action of the caucus."
 "Now at this day, when the office is to become vacant January 31, a petition has been filed requesting me to recommend Arthur K. Roth. If the above reasons were not sufficient to justify me in refusing to grant the petition, the fact that I had been appealed to at this late date would be sufficient in itself to warrant me in refusing to consider it."
 "I did my best to get my instructions from the people and could act only upon the evidence of their wishes that was formally presented to me."
 Mr. Stephens will introduce a bill on Monday sending to the court of claims the claim of Medawkatan and Nahpaukoota Indians, part of the Santee Sioux of Nebraska, for lands unjustly taken by the government from their tribal holdings under the treaty of 1858.

TRAVELER'S LIFE LIVELY ONE

Iowa Convention Refuses to Change Its By-Laws.

LIABLE TO BE RIOT ANY TIME

War No Farther Away Than Mexico and Benefits Must Lie If Member is Caught in Either.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
 DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—At the convention of Iowa traveling men held today an amendment to the by-laws of their organization was rejected which would have made it impossible to recover benefits for any injury "resulting from war, insurrection or riots." They have become so common that traveling men are in danger of running into them at any time, and as for war there are members near enough to Mexico now to be in danger.
 The association has over 50,000 members, and today elected directors by ballot.
Father of Prohibition Dead.
 News of the death at Perry today of Josiah A. Harvey was received with temperance people. He was regarded as the father of the prohibition amendment which was adopted in Iowa many years ago. He at one time was register of the state land office, elected as a republican, but later ran for office numberless times on the prohibition ticket.

Woman Member of National Industrial Commission

Lead to possible national legislation looking to the betterment of relationships between employers and labor.

Examiner's Report On Bank Awaited

SUPERIOR, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Many local men are mentioned for receiver of the First National bank, the most prominent mentioned being Joe Weir, M. L. Pierce, O. L. Spohn, J. Tanner, Carl G. Jensen, W. L. Wilson and Mr. Gelselman. The depositor's committee is waiting to hear the report of the comptroller regarding the amount on hand, deposits and notes. There seems less questionable paper than first reported.

There is no trace of Cashier Felt.
OTES FROM ARAPAHOE AND FURNAS COUNTY
 ARAPAHOE, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The program and premium list for the Arapahoe farmers' institute and stock show is out and gives the dates as January 23-29. The speaking program will consist of afternoon and evening sessions on both days and the afternoon of the second day, Miss Aural Scott of Lincoln will give a cooking demonstration. The speakers will be W. C. Andrews of Beatrice, Representative James Pearson of Moorfield, A. H. Smith of Lincoln and Miss Scott, in addition to the usual local talent. Business men and others interested in a successful institute are offering a liberal number of premiums, in addition to which horsemen will give \$5 in special premiums, which assures a well represented horse show.
 Ex-Bank Examiner E. E. Emmett has resigned his position as cashier of the Citizens' State bank of Arapahoe, having been elected cashier of the Corn Exchange National bank of Omaha. He will ship his household goods next Tuesday and the following day will go to Omaha with his family.
 Another candidate for the Arapahoe postoffice job threw his hat in the ring yesterday, when J. W. Kimmel, an old-time pioneer, started out with a petition. County Clerk J. T. Nickerson made a change of deputies in his office this week, appointing Frank VanCleave as successor to W. O. Butler, who has held the position the last two years.
Chiropractor Test Case.
 BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—A complaint was filed in the county court Friday against Andrew J. Nielson, a chiropractor of this city, by County Attorney Cobbe charging him with unlawfully practicing medicine without a state certificate as required by law. Two counts were cited in the complaint, one for treating Dwight Coit and the other for treating Julia Mogan. Last July a complaint was filed against Nielson and carried to the district court, but was dismissed at the request of the county attorney owing to a technical flaw in the information.

Des Moines Man Held in Connection With Robbery of Train

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 17.—A man, who is in jail here, the police believe, is the bandit who last night terrorized passengers on a south-bound Western & Atlanta passenger train near here and robbed them of several hundred dollars. The prisoner, who was arrested near the scene of the holdup, gave his name as John Jones and said he lived in Atlanta. The police, however, say he is James Nolan of Des Moines, Ia.

Iowa Blue Sky Law is Declared Valid

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 17.—The validity of the so-called "blue sky law" of the state of Iowa was sustained in a decree filed in federal court today by Judge Smith McPherson. The law seeks to control the sale of investment securities in the state and its constitutionality was assailed. The original action against the law was brought by William R. Compton company of Kansas City, who was joined later by investment brokers of St. Louis and New York and other cities.

VOLLMER OF DAVENPORT LEADS FOR CONGRESSMAN

IOWA CITY, Ia., Jan. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Democrats of this county today practically assured the nomination of Henry Vollmer of Davenport to succeed the late L. S. Pepper as congressman from the Second Iowa district by failing to instruct for W. J. McDonald, the local candidate. The district is strongly democratic.
Iowa News Notes.
 DENISON—Denison electors on January 17 will decide whether the city will buy the electric lighting plant here and run it in the future by the municipality. The vote will be to lease \$5,000 bonds. The council favors such action.
 CRESTON—Victor Peterson, an aged employe of the Burlington railroad, had

MILITANT WOMAN IS TAKEN AFTER LONG CHASE

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Phyllis Brady, a well known militant suffragette, after evading the police for ten months, was arrested and brought before a police court today. The magistrate committed her for trial at the London sessions on a charge of arson. She is believed to be one of the suffragettes who set fire to the residence of Lady White, widow of Field Marshal Sir George White, at Englefield Green, on March 20.

Yankton Commission Vindicated.

YANKTON, S. D., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—In a referendum election here Friday the city commission was sustained by the small majority of fifteen votes. Litigation and trouble extending over almost a year, in which every legal step that could be taken was taken, up to the supreme court of the state, proceeded a hot election. The trouble was over the city commission granting a saloon license to William Poppe and which license other interests wanted.
Two Boys Frozen to Death.
 WINNIPEG, Manitoba, Jan. 17.—The bodies of Herman and Harold Jamieson, sons of a ranch owner near Swan river, northern Manitoba, were found today in the woods where they had trozen to death in the storm that swept that part of the province Thursday. The boys had gone to cut wood, became lost and perished.

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 Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are among the most common diseases that prevail, they are sometimes the last recognized by patients, who very often content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease may constantly undermine the system.
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 SPECIAL NOTES—You may obtain enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. This gives you the opportunity to prove the remarkable merit of this medicine. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from those who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Be sure to say you read this offer in The Omaha Sunday Bee.

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