

POWERS

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IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

Except Restaurant, Soda Fountain, Patent Medicines, Hair Goods, Eastman Kodak Co.'s Goods, Flour, Sugar and Meats,

With Cash Purchases Wednesday, November 30.

Sanitary Meat Dept.

Under Management of Witt Bros. The Largest and Best Equipped Market West of New York.

Extra Specials For Wednesday Only

- Picnic Hams, 7c per lb.
 - Reg. Hams, 10c per lb.
 - Bacon, 11c per lb.
 - Good Dairy Butter, 19c per pound.
 - Good Cooking Apples, per pk. 20c
 - Spring Chickens, 10c per lb.
 - Ducks, 11c per lb.
 - Geese, 11c per lb.
- Telephones—Twin City, 86, 116. N. W.—Main 4500, 4501. Deliveries to all parts of the city.

CONGRESS TO PUT A CURB ON ROADS

Cooper Bill to Strengthen Interstate Commerce Commission Likely to Pass.

New York Sun Special Service. Washington, Nov. 29.—There is a strong probability that the next session of congress will enact legislation giving the interstate commerce commission power to prevent railroads charging unreasonable and unjust rates. A determined effort will be made to secure favorable action on the Cooper-Quarles bill.

This measure gives the interstate commerce commission power to hear complaints against unjust freight rates. After hearing all the testimony on both sides, the commission may pronounce the rate unjust and it will be suspended during its appeal to the courts. Frank Barry, secretary of the interstate commerce law convention, will remain here during the session and is hopeful of accomplishing remedial legislation. The convention, which met in St. Louis Oct. 28, is composed of 419 representative bodies, the membership being those who ship and receive freight. More than a million individuals are included in the organizations. Thoroughly Memorialized.

Both interstate commerce committees in congress have been thoroughly memorialized on the subject of passing the Cooper-Quarles bill. In the last session forty senators and 160 representatives offered petitions from their constituents on the subject. The legislators of eight states have adopted concurrent resolutions asking for legislation. They include Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, South Dakota and Louisiana. President Roosevelt, in two annual messages, has recommended increasing the powers of the interstate commerce commission to prevent the levying of unjust and unreasonable rates by railroad companies.

Senator Elkins, chairman of the senate interstate committee, in the last congress introduced a bill similar to the Cooper-Quarles measure, and his assistance is regarded as certain in securing a favorable report on the subject. The president has conveyed the impression that he will exercise his influence toward securing remedial legislation. He did not promise to make a recommendation to that effect in his message. Authority Limited.

At present the only authority exercised by the interstate commerce commission is limited to pronouncing a rate unreasonable and unjust, and to assist in using it. This mandate is disregarded by the offending company and there is no way by which the commission can enforce its orders. A fractional reduction can be made in a rate and its use continued until another mandate is obtained. Recourse is had in each instance to the courts and from four to ten years is required for a final opinion from the supreme court. Every possible effort will be made by those interested in protection from railroad companies to secure the passage of the Cooper-Quarles bill at the short session of congress.

PRESIDENT BACK IN WHITE HOUSE

Roosevelt Party Returns Safely from Trip to St. Louis Fair.

Washington, Nov. 29.—President Roosevelt arrived here today at 7:02 a.m. from his visit to the St. Louis exposition. The special train was awaited by a throng of admirers and persons who, as the train drew into the station, broke into cheers. The trip of the president, ended by his safe arrival at the White House today, in some circumstances was one of the most notable he ever took. The arrangements for the comfort, convenience and personal safety of the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were the most thorough ever made. They were planned, with the approval of Mr. Roosevelt, by Secretary Loeb and John E. Wilkie, chief of the secret service. They were carried into effect absolutely to a letter.

Only once, during Saturday, was there a variation in the program, and that was not to affect, in the least way, the safety of the president. Some points in the Philippine exhibit were visited which the president had not expected to see. His interest in the exhibit was so marked, however, that he desired to view personally all that was to be seen about it. The delay of twenty minutes in the Philippine concession did not affect materially the plan of the arrangements and it afforded genuine pleasure to the president who voiced his interest many times. The trip from St. Louis to Washington was without a hitch or incident. The president and Mrs. Roosevelt rested quietly in their car, spending the time in reading and in conversation with members of the party. Few stops were made en route, those being at division terminals. Crowds assembled at almost every station and cheered as the train swept by. At points where stops were made the president invariably appeared on the platform of his car and addressed the crowds briefly.

A Missouri man who has whiskers 11 feet long, was exhibited at the St. Louis exposition, not as an exhibit.

A WARNING

One of Nature's warnings that the Stomach, Liver and Bowels are weak and out of order is inability to sleep. The system is so clogged with impurities that the nerves are affected and sleep is impossible. Better try

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters

before it is too late and sickness comes upon you. You will not correct these ailments promptly and insure you a perfect night's rest. It also cures Vomiting, Flatulency, Nervousness, Insomnia, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Chills, Colds and Malaria. We hope you'll try a bottle at once.



A Slaughter Sale of Blankets, Comforts, Etc.

- Blankets and Comforts
 - 10-4 gray cotton Blankets, large size, regular \$1.00 kind, Wednesday, pair..... 79c
 - 500 Comforters, filled with white cotton, hand filled, regular \$1.25 comforters, special for Wed. ea.... 90c
 - 60 Comforters, nice, light and fluffy, regular \$2.00 comforters, special for Wednesday, each... \$1.50
 - 80 pairs all wool gray Blankets, regular \$4.25 blankets, Wednesday, per pair..... \$2.98
 - 72 pairs white all wool North Star Blankets, regular \$5.50 blankets, special for Wed. pair..... \$4.25
- Draperies and Lace Curtains
 - 200 pairs Scotch Lace Net Curtains, regular width and length, all \$2.50 curtains, special for Wednesday, per pair..... \$1.35
 - 80 pairs Tapestry Door Curtains, in all colors and all new patterns, regular \$6.00 curtains, special for Wednesday, per pair..... \$3.98
 - 72 Couch Covers, all 60 inches wide, all choice patterns, fringed all around, regular \$7.00 covers, special for Wednesday, each..... \$4.50
 - 100 pairs of fine corded Arabian lace, hand-made Cluny, Brussels Net and Swiss Point Lace Curtains, all \$8 curtains, special for Wed. per pair..... \$5.50

Don't forget this is Asbury Hospital week—Bring in your cards.



A very substantial brass bed, heavy 2-inch posts, finished with the best quality of French copper, made in full and three-quarter sizes. Guaranteed in every way..... \$25.00

An all iron child's bed, has best quality woven wire spring; drop sides; finished in white..... \$5.25

Complete outfit only..... \$9.95

BOUTELL BROTHERS

Complete Home, Hotel and Club Furnishers. FIFTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE SOUTH.

DEWEY DECLINES TO SIT AS UMPIRE

Admiral Shuns Appointment to Court of Inquiry Into North Sea Attack.

Washington, Nov. 29.—In the fear that some of his rulings might involve this country in strained relations with England or Russia, Admiral Dewey has declined to be a member of the international commission of inquiry into the North Sea incident, in which a British fishing fleet was fired upon by the Russian Baltic squadron. The commission will consist of Russian, British, American and French naval officers, and a fifth whom they are to select. If they cannot agree, the other member will be named by the emperor of Russia. There was an intimation some time ago that this country would be invited to appoint one of the commissioners, and Admiral Dewey was unofficially asked to take the place. He has concluded that it would be unwise for him to accept it. On account of his rank as a full admiral, doubtless he would be made chairman of the commission. In that capacity he would have to decide the votes and virtually he would be the referee, as the Russian and French members of the board are expected to stand together. His decision on disputed points, he thinks, would certainly be resented either by Russia or England. The international commission might follow. Admiral Dewey has no fear of what might follow on his own account, but he does not think the chief burden of the investigation should be placed on the American member of the board.

CHAUFFEUR AS BAIL

Then Fair Autoist's Friend Put Up Diamond Ring. New York Times. She was stylishly groomed and she knew how to handle an automobile. Bicycle Policeman Put Her on Chauffeur, but the latter had nothing to do but to look pleasant whenever she sped by a policeman, and there were many who saw her speeding along Fifth avenue. Bicycle Policeman Put Her on Chauffeur, but the latter had nothing to do but to look pleasant whenever she sped by a policeman, and there were many who saw her speeding along Fifth avenue. Bicycle Policeman Put Her on Chauffeur, but the latter had nothing to do but to look pleasant whenever she sped by a policeman, and there were many who saw her speeding along Fifth avenue.

"ADAM'S GRAVE"

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BEEFSTEAK EATING MATCH

"Tony" Wamser, known as the "Mayor of Great Jones Street," and who is the champion of the "Little Tim" Sullivan, Tammany leader of the sixth assembly district, sent out yesterday several hundred invitations for a beefsteak "blowout" at the headquarters of the Elm association, at No. 38 Great Jones street, on Wednesday evening next. "Mayor" Wamser has invited all the champion beefsteak eaters in the city, and also candidates running for political office below Fourteenth street, to be present on the festive occasion. "Mayor" Wamser, who is a champion beefsteak eater himself, has ordered 500 pounds of the juiciest beef for the occasion. On his list of champion eaters are Henry Campbell, president of the Horatio Seymour club of the second assembly district; Detective Sergeant Michael J. Galvin, who was recently awarded a gold medal by Commissioner McAdoo for capturing a prisoner who had shot the detective; "Jimmy" Divver, son of the late ex-Police Justice "Paddy" Divver, who has taken his father's place as the champion beefsteak eater of the Divver association; Civil Justice Herman Bolte, who can eat ten pounds, but who has to take several hours' walk to work up an appetite; Assistant Corporation Counsel Herman Stiefel, who is the champion beefsteak eater of the ten assembly district; ex-Register Isaac Promms, who once defeated ex-Mayor Van Wyck in a contest; David L. Kaufman, the champion beefsteak eater of the tenth assembly district; and Captain Tighe of the Mercer street station, who holds the championship of the police department. "Mayor" Wamser will be present and will help eat the beef for his constituents, he will not be a contestant for the championship. He will look after the candidates who are running for office. Among those who have promised to attend are Congressman "Billy" Sulzer, who is down for a long speech; Congressman Henry Goldfogel, Senator John C. Fitzgerald, Assemblyman "Sam" Prince, Senator "Barney" Martin, Senator "Dan" Riordan, "Big Tom" Foley and Civil Justice "Battery Dan" Finn. "Ten and a half pounds is the record for beefsteak eating," said "Mayor" Wamser, "but I am going to try to beat it."

Elegant Xmas Gifts



GREAT WESTERN CYCLE & AUTO CO. 612 to 623 1st Ave. S.

- Burrows' Billiard and Pool Tables, \$15 to \$50. The great home entertainer. Sweets, Footballs, Whitley Exercisers, Skates, Sleds, Games of all kinds. We carry the largest line of Auto Supplies—Robes, Caps, Gloves, Lamps, Tires, Goggles, etc.
- Rambler Automobiles The popular car of the day. The above cut shows the 1905 model, \$1,350. Equal to any car at twice the price. Orders must be received now or you won't get a car when you want it. \$650 to \$3,000. Demonstrations daily. Agents for the entire State for Ramblers. St. Paul Garage, 98 E. Fifth Street.
- Talking Machines Edison, Victor and Columbia. Cylinder and Disc, \$10 to \$50. 10,000 records to select from. Cash or easy payments. We rent them for parties and dances. Select one now for Xmas.

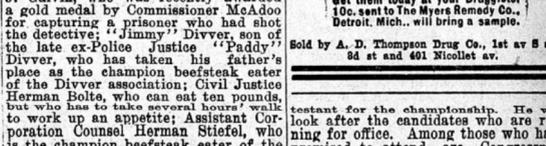
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are the best medicine to take for Dyspepsia, Indigestion Constipation. BECAUSE they act in any of the three conditions of the stomach—other "cures" may act in one. They are harmless and very pleasant to take. They will digest any food you may eat. They will give you a natural appetite. They not only relieve at once, but absolutely cure. Get them today at your Druggist. 10c. sent to The Myers Remedy Co., Detroit, Mich., will bring a sample. Sold by A. D. Thompson Drug Co., 1st at 5 and 8d at and 401 Nicollet av.

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Brings to your home a Columbia Graphophone Complete Line of Disc Records and Both Cylinder and Disc Machines



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WALNUT PIANOLA, practically new, used 3 months, was \$250. \$190.
2 OAK PIANOLAS, regular \$250 model, perfect condition, each \$195.
OAK PIANOLA, used some time, but thoroughly overhauled \$125.
EBONY PIANOLA, slightly used, metronome motor \$200.
MAHOAGNY PIANOLA, used about 2 years \$100.
MAHOAGNY ANGELUS, 20 rolls music, fine case \$125.
DARK MAHOAGNY ANGELUS, model of 3 years ago, 15 rolls music \$75.

Steinway, Knabe, Ivers & Pond, Emerson, Gabler, Ludwig, Smith & Barnes and other high grade PIANOS.
Metropolitan Music Co. 41-43 So. Sixth Street.

He Had Gall Stones

"Minneapolis, Minn., July 2, 1904. "Dr. Shaffer: "Dear Sir: I am only too glad to give you a testimonial in regard to your treatment. Will say that I had gall stones, which caused me stomach and kidney trouble, which I had been doctoring for ten years and gradually grew worse, and being advised by one of my friends to try your treatments, can say that after six weeks' treatment from you, I am entirely cured from all my ailments. I can recommend your treatment to all suffering humanity. "Yours truly, "PETER EKES, "220 Central av."

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Every mother feels a great dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of misery. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of Mother's Friend. "It is worth its weight in gold," says many who have used it. \$1.00 per bottle at drug stores. Book containing valuable information of interest to all women, will be sent to any address free upon application to BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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