

WARM RIVALRY IN D. A. R. ELECTION

Mrs. Fairbanks Retires and Several Candidates Are After Chief Office.

By W. W. Jermans. Washington, March 8.—The political situation among the daughters of the American Revolution grows more interesting as the time for the holding of the national convention approaches.

Miss Alice Roosevelt very recently celebrated her twenty-first birthday anniversary, and the occasion was made notable among the younger set in Washington.

Another local social affair of the past week was a dance at the home of Secretary and Mrs. Morton, in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Miss Pauline.

Hot Springs and Return, \$47.50. Via the old reliable St. Louis Short Line & St. L. & N. O. R. On sale daily, with ninety days' limit.

\$27.75—To the Southwest—\$27.75. The Rock Island System will sell round-trip tickets to principal points in Texas and Louisiana March 7th and 21st at less than the regular rate.

To Southern Texas, \$27.75. Round Trip. Galveston, Fort Worth, Houston and Beaumont. To Mexico City and return, \$62.25.

CLEVELAND CLIFFS BUYS 19,500 Acres, Concentrating Works and the Jackson Mine.

Negaunee, Mich., March 8.—A deal was made today whereby the Cleveland Iron company acquires possession of all the property owned by the Jackson Iron company of this city.

"BUFFALO BILL" WILL NOT FORGIVE OR FORGET

Omaha, Neb., March 8.—In the course of his deposition in his petition for divorce, William F. Cody declared that he could not accept any reconciliation with Mrs. Cody and would have nothing to do with her in the future.

ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLING

Butte, Mont., March 8.—Julius Self, who is wanted in Camden, N. J., is under arrest here. It is charged that he is under indictment for embezzling \$1,900 from Mrs. Ella O'Brien.

BELLE PLAINE, MINN.—A son of Albert Schultz of the German settlement had part of his hand taken off in a circular saw today.

Wash Goods.

FRENCH BOULEVARD—Another new wash fabric, just opened, made of silk and fine combed Egyptian cotton, 39 inches wide, in brown, navy blue, cream, reseda, black, tan and French blue.

Flannel Department

LOBBRAINE IONA FLANNEL—Just opened, it is the softest, handsomest and best wearing flannel made, not only for shirtwaists, but also for children's dresses, pajamas, men's shirts, etc.

Donaldson's Glass Block.

Reputation.

A REPUTATION for fairness is desirable. The confidence of the public is one of the most valuable assets of a business house. We pass judgment upon the individual as to character from his associations.

One-Third Off on Picture Frames

Made to Order. Furniture Department, Fourth Floor.

Trade Tidings for Thursday.

EACH Department represented in this advertisement has contributed its share of bargain offerings for Thursday. Every item printed means a saving and it will repay you well to read it all carefully and take advantage of special values.

New Waistings and White Goods. Linen Department, Main Floor.

- OUR SHOWING OF Linen Waistings and Mercerized Goods is one of which we are justly proud. The stock is larger than in former years and the assortment more varied. The most beautiful designs conceivable. A visit to this department is necessary if you would be posted.

Tea

- An excellent quality of Uncolored Japan Tea, which we are enabled to sell at a low price through buying it in large quantities, 28c pound.

Lace Curtain Dept., Third Floor.

- 12 PAIRS Verona Velour Portieres, \$25 quality, pair \$9.50. HEAVY figured Damask Portieres, with 5-inch Oriental band. For this sale, per pair \$6.75.

Cloak & Suit Dept., Second Floor.

- WOMEN'S SUITS—New blouse models, handsomely trimmed, made of fine cheviot cloth; new style skirts. Thursday \$15.00 only.

The Mid-Week Flower Showing.

The Flower Department is always beautiful—only some days a little more so. All flowers are fresh and full of their early sweetness.

Visit Phonograph Room, 4th Floor.

The Phonograph Room has been remodeled and greatly improved, having been enclosed with swinging plate-glass doors and windows.

Tea Rooms and Cafe on 4th Floor.

The efforts of the Tea Room manager to make this a popular resort are meeting with well-deserved success and every day sees new additions to the regular patronage.

Carpet Department.

- Specials for Thursday Only. ONE LOT, about twenty-five patterns, Beauvais Axminster rugs, extra heavy quality, all beautiful oriental designs, regular price \$30 and \$32.50, size 9 x 12, choice Thursday, only \$22.50.

Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets for Spring.

- STYLE 296 for the medium figures. Medium bust, long skirt with supporters attached to front and hip; tapering waist; made of good quality Batiste; price \$1.

New Silk Belts and Notions.

- SPECIAL OFFER of new Silk Belts, made of taffeta, peau de soie and messaline, in black, white and the new shades of brown and blue, made with girle belt and plain or buckle fronts, excellent value, each \$4.90.

China Department.

- Fourth Floor. JAPANESE WARE—We have just opened and are now showing a varied line of these popular and well known goods at prices amazingly small.

Art Needlework.

- JAPANESE hand made doilies, 6 inches, special, each 10c. TENNERIFFE DOILIES, 7 inches, regular 25c value, special 15c.

Basement Linens.

- BLEACHED twill and linen finished crash, Thursday, yard 4c. 12 1/2c QUALITY of sheer India Linon, Thursday, yard 8c.

Corset Covers.

- CAMBIC CORSET COVERS—Full French style, with two Torchon lace insertions in front, wide lace edge around neck, drawn with ribbon, regular value 50c, special 39c.

Folding, Reclining and Latest Go-Carts.

These in the Basement. We Handle the Best Make Only. See the New Features for 1905. Cream Handle Grips, Contracting Gears. Specials for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Specials in the Hardware Department.

Gas Mantels with loop or wire hanger, will fit any kind of gas lamp, from 35c down to 80c. Carpet Beaters, made of real heavy wire, black enameled handles, very heavy and serviceable, regular 15c. Special 10c.