

FREE to each juvenile patron tomorrow, a pleasing Toy Novelty.

Low Prices For Pretty Shoes.

There never was a time when such pretty shoes as we are showing could be bought as low as we are now selling them.

- Child's Pretty Shoes. Misses' and Children's Black or Tan Kid... Misses' "Dandy" Shoes... Ladies' Tan Shoes... Ladies' "Cycle" Boots... Ladies' hand-made boots...

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Truth In a Nutshell.

It's a genuine satisfaction to be way beyond competition. We know from daily experience. The people marvel at our achievements; they visit us—

Then talk and wonder, and the more they talk the faster goes the business. It's an illustration of the modern maxim, "Nothing succeeds like success."

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Saturday night will see the close of our special sale—

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MR. ADRIANS' DENIAL.

His Reply to the Charge of Unprofessional Conduct.

Attorney John H. Adrians, counsel for the next-of-kin of the late Ezra W. Leach, who are contesting the decedent's will, today filed his answer to the suit issued against him last Friday.

2 Greatest \$50 Bicycles In the World.

Having already made a prestige for the most beautiful '97 models yet shown. The color is the famous "Yale" blue.

Jacobs Bros., Agents for Stearns, Famous Yellow Pelicans, Wolf American, High Art Cycles and Mervin Cycle Co.

MORE FUN

To Be Well Than All the Rest of the Fun on Earth.

Some physicians say that all nervous disorders arise from a disordered stomach, and that even the peculiar diseases of females are directly traceable to an unbalanced nervous system caused by stomach troubles.

Beware of the fraudulent imitations of the original Postum Cereal grain coffee. Insist on Postum.

MR. SIBLEY'S WILL.

The Many Bequests Made by the Dead Man.

The will of the late Wm. J. Sibley, dated December 3, 1896, and naming the Washington Loan and Trust Company as executor, was filed today.

The executor is to divide the surplus of the rents, profits, etc., of the estate equally between the Central Union Mission, the Young Men's Christian Association, the Methodist Home and the National Training School for Missions.

Upon the death of the last survivor of the testator's said nieces and nephews, or upon the arrival at the age of twenty-one years of the youngest child of any deceased niece, the estate is to be equally divided between the above mentioned institutions or their survivors.

LAD TO REST.

Funeral Services Over the Late Robert Ball.

The funeral of the late Robert Ball took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, under the auspices of the several Masonic bodies of which he was a member.

YESTERDAY'S TARIFF SPEECHES.

Those Made Late in the Afternoon and at Night.

Mr. Payne (N. Y.), a member of the ways and means committee, delivered a very exhaustive speech of an hour in support of the tariff bill yesterday afternoon.

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THE NORTH CAROLINA DIFFERENCES

Some Appointments Believed to Be Determined Upon.

A FEW OF THE VISITORS

The office seekers and the official and non-official friends of that numerous body of American citizens are beginning to respect the busy days of the President and to leave him undisturbed on such occasions.

Will Vary His Exercise. The President has decided to vary the form of his outdoor exercise. Instead of taking a walk each afternoon he will frequently go horseback riding.

North Carolina Division. It is learned that the North Carolina leaders are having a serious division of opinion over state offices.

Representative Pierson and Linney want the President to give the judgeship to Representative Thomas Settle, who lives in the western part of the State.

The Spanish Mission. Herbert Bowen, consul general at Barcelona, Spain, has been appointed minister to Spain in place of Minister Hannis Taylor.

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Benson's Porous Plaster.

In LUNG and CHEST PAINE, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Pneumonia, no more extensive and AFFORDS PROMPT PREVENTION and QUICK CURE than a BENSON'S. But ONLY THE GENUINE effective. Price, 25 cents. 3

MODJESKA THE GRAND.

Found Paine's Celery Compound the Best of Remedies

For the Nervous Exhaustion Consequent Upon Her Arduous Work--The Remarkable Artiste Who Stands Pre-Eminently at the Head of Her Profession.

The news of Modjeska's recovery from the recent severe sickness that compelled her to leave the stage will be a source of congratulation to the whole world.

The need of purifying the blood and regulating the nervous and alimentary systems as spring come on. There is the danger that in their eagerness to take a spring remedy a thoughtless person may carry home some bogus concoction prepared with only such a smattering of medical knowledge as can be picked up behind a counter.



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It was as follows: W. E. Johnson collector of customs at Memphis; A. E. Clarke collector of customs at New York and J. N. C. and J. E. Allen of Columbia, Ohio, collector of customs at Eagle Pass, Texas; J. T. Settle of Memphis, Tenn., to be surveyor of customs at Memphis; A. E. Clarke of Manchester, N. H., to be naval officer at Boston; W. H. Martin of Raleigh, N. C., to be collector of internal revenue at Raleigh, N. C.; and J. E. Allen of Columbia, Ohio, to be collector of internal revenue at Cleveland; F. C. Dumas of New Orleans to be collector of customs at New Orleans; P. A. Bruce of Boston to be same at Boston; and F. H. Connell of New York to be same at New York.

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A Postmaster and a Prize Fight.

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