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CHAIRMAN RICHARDSON'S SPEECH.

He Makes Curious Use of a Text From "16 to 1."

Representative Richardson of Tennessee, chairman of the democratic national convention at Kansas City, on taking the chair said:

The last great national contest for supremacy was fought mainly upon one issue—that is to say, one issue was paramount in the struggle. That issue was familiarly called "16 to 1." It involved the question of the free coinage of gold and silver at a ratio of sixteen parts of silver to one part of gold, with which all of us are familiar.

The momentous issue this year is again 16 to 1, but the sixteen parts to the one part of this campaign, which I will briefly discuss, are wholly different from those of 1896. I will first refer to the sixteen parts and then to the one part. These sixteen parts are:

First. We have the issue fraught with indescribable importance to our people native born and those who have for patriotic reasons cast their fortunes with us, namely,

Representative Richardson.

that of the republic against the empire. On this part alone of the sixteen, if there were no other, we confidently expect to win a sweeping victory in November. The republican party stands for empire. The democratic party stands for the republic, for the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of our country.

Second. The paternal and fostering care given by those with whom we contend to the combinations of corporations and companies into powerful organizations familiarly known as trusts. Under three years of republican rule, while they controlled the presidency, the Senate and the House of Representatives, that is, the law-making power of the government, trusts have been propagated and fostered by legislation until they not only dominate all markets, both the buying and the selling, but defy the very power of the government itself. The farcical efforts put forth by the republican party in an alleged attempt to restrain them in the dying hours of the late session of Congress only excited ridicule and contempt, and served to emphasize their inability and disinclination to grapple the monsters and regulate their conduct and actions. No matter what their excuses may be, the fact remains that their policies have created them, and, though clothed with all power, they refuse to enact legislation to control them.

Third. Called to power March 4, 1897, under a pledge to reform the currency, they seized the first opportunity to fasten upon the land the highest protective tariff law ever put upon the statute books of any country. This law was enacted not to raise revenue, but to give protection to favored manufacturers. It failed to raise sufficient revenue for the government, but answered the purpose of enriching the favored few, while it robbed the many, and at the same time brought forth trusts to plague us as numerous as the lice and locusts of Egypt. Their high protective tariff is the mother of trusts.

The Record on Finance.

Fourth. This administration came into power with a solemn declaration in favor of bimetallism and a pledge to promote it. It has failed to keep that pledge. It has erected in its stead the single standard of gold, and has endeavored to destroy all hope of bimetallism. In doing this, it has built up a powerful national bank trust, and has given us a currency based upon the debts and liabilities of the government. We stand for bimetallism and not for a monometallic standard of either one or the other metal.

Fifth. The dominant party has recently made the fraudulent declaration that it favored the Monroe doctrine; and yet their President and Secretary of State have done all in their power to nullify and abrogate that famous and much-revered democratic doctrine. In the name of its democratic author, James Monroe, I denounce their vaunted advocacy of this truly American doctrine as false and hypocritical. We stand for this doctrine in its essence and form, and demand its rigid enforcement.

Sixth. In order to obtain place and power they pledged themselves, in the interest of an expanding commerce, to construct a waterway to connect the two great oceans. They have repudiated this promise. They have negotiated the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, which, while it virtually abrogates the Monroe doctrine, renders it impossible to build an American canal. Under the terms and provisions of this treaty, which is English and not American, the canal can never be constructed. We stand for an American canal, owned, constructed, operated and fortified by America.

Seventh. They declared in their platform that their party was responsible for the merit system; that it was their creature and that the civil service law should be protected and its operation extended. Their protection of this law has been such as the wolf gives the lamb. They did not dare openly repeal the law or to modify it by an act of Congress, but they have insidiously by an order from the President, extorted from him to aid them to obtain and hold political power, greatly impaired the efficiency of the law. By the President's order many thousand lucrative offices regularly covered by the civil service law were taken from under its protection and these places turned over to his partisan followers in a vain effort to satisfy their political greed.

Territories Still Out of the Union.

Eighth. They declared in their platform in favor of the admission of the territories of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma as states of the Union, yet, after nearly four years of full power, they are still territories. Under the wicked rule of law as now applied by the republican party to some of our territories, they may, at an early date, find erected between themselves and the balance of the Union a tariff wall which will serve to pauperize them while it enriches others.

Ninth. When Congress last assembled, the President, in his first utterance, addressed to the representatives fresh from the people, solemnly urged upon them that it was their plain duty to give free trade to Porto Rico. His party leaders, quick to obey his injunction, made ready to comply with his recommendation. But in a night, almost in the twinkling of an eye, the mighty magnates of the trusts swept down upon Washington and interposed their strong arm, and plain duty vanished like mist before the rising sun. The President wheeled into line, the republican party reversed its policy, and set up a tariff wall between the Island of Porto Rico and the remainder of the United States. It is not at all surprising that the recent somewhat lengthy declarations of principles enunciated by the party in convention assembled, while they enlarged upon almost every political question, they could not find the space to point with pride to the achievements of their party in its dealings with that unhappy island. The democratic party stands for equal taxation, equal rights and opportunities to all who come under the folds of the flag.

Tenth. They wholly failed by their legislation or by the cheaper method of platform declaration to tell the country what their policy is in respect to the Philippine Islands. For two years, by their equivocating policy, and no policy at all, they have contitnued in that archipelago a war, expensive in human blood, as well as in money. Incompetent to deal with this question, and too cowardly to avow their real purpose of imperialism and militarism in dealing with these and kindred colonial questions, they should be retired from power and the control should be given to a party honest, bold and patriotic enough to apply American theories and precepts to existing conditions, and thereby solve them in harmony with the underlying principles of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of our country.

Attack on Secretary Gage.

Eleventh. Another part of the issue of the campaign this year is the scandalous dealings of a high cabinet officer with private banks of the country. These scandals are notorious, and are based upon the earnest and repeated written demands of the officers of some of these banks that they should be favored by this admisintration because of money contributed by them with which to buy the presidency of 1896. Correspondence submitted to Congress shows that, in one case at least, an appeal from an institution in New York city to the Secretary of the Treasury for financial assistance because, as it was claimed, the officers of that bank had contributed liberally to the election of the present chief executive, was not made in vein, and the asked for assistance in this case from the government was freely, if not corruptly, given.

Twelfth. The scandals which surrounded the War Department in feeding embalmed beef to the soldiers, in its purchase of old yachts, tugs, ocean liners, ocean tramps, barges, scows, etc., for use as army transports constitute an important chapter.

Thirteenth. So also the scandals in connection with the post office matters in Cuba, and the scandals in connection with the expenditure of the funds of the Paris exposition. Time will not permit an amplification of all these scandals.

Fourteenth. They loudly proclaim that theirs is the party of liberty, and in their vainglory boast of their very name, republican, yet they are caught coqueting and forming secret entangling alliances of the most detestable character with the old mother monarchy. They stand supinely by and refuse even an expression of sympathy with the Boer republics in their heroic and unequal struggle for existence as against the gross oppressions and brutal efforts at enslavement of the same old tyrant who went down in defeat when she sought to prevent the establishment of our own liberty-loving republic. They thus permit a brave people in love with their free republican institutions to perish from the earth, lest by one word of sympathy and comfort they might offend the delicate sensibilities of their new-found ally, Great Britain.

Continuance of War Burdens.

Fifteenth. An important chapter is the oft-repeated promise, made to be broken, that when the war ceased the oppressive, burdensome and vexatious war taxes on many articles of prime necessity should be repealed or reduced. Though the war closed two years ago, and notwithstanding there is a large and growing surplus in the treasury, not one dollar of reduction in these taxes has been made. It is known that delegation after delegation of citizens, suffering from these burdens, crowded the committee rooms at Washington and literally begged for some relief. It is true that those of us who constitute the minority of Congress joined in that appeal and declared our readiness to support any and all measures that might in some degree remove these burdens of taxation. But a deaf ear was turned by the republicans to all such efforts for relief, and none came. It is well known also that no relief will be given by the party in power, and it is vain for overburdened people to look to them while present policies are attempted to be enforced. The only hope for relief lies in hurling from power the republican party and the restoration of the party which believes in simple and economical government.

Sixteenth and lastly. The cost of republicanism and its twin monster, imperialism.

This is neither the time nor the occasion to discuss in detail the increased appropriation made necessary by the republican policy of imperialism.

Briefly, however, I will mention that the average of appropriations per year for all purposes of government for the two years immediately preceding the Spanish-American war was about $475,000,000. The average expenditures per annum for each of the three years since that war, including the fiscal year upon which we have just entered, shows an increase of nearly $300,000,000. The total increase for the three years will be nearly $900,000,000. And in like proportion it will go on.

This shows the difference in cost of the empire as against the republic. These figures refer alone to the money cost of the change, and do not include the expense of the blood of the American boys, the price of which is far beyond computation. In the republican Congress, just closed, not one dollar could be had for much-needed public buildings throughout the country at home, but many millions were promptly voted to prosecute a war in the faraway Philippine Islands. Not a dollar for necessary improvements of our rivers and harbors at home, but millions to be stolen and squandered in Cuba and our new insular possessions. Nothing for Isthmian canal, and many other enterprises and objects, but more than $200,000,000 were freely given for the army and navy, for imperialism and military, for gold and glory.

The One Part of the Issue.

I said at the outset the issue this year was again 16 to 1. The foregoing are briefly the sixteen parts of the issue. What is the one part?

We have seen that platform pledges are made and broken. That good intentions of men are many times set at naught. That plain duty, clearly set forth and understood, is disregarded. That some men are weak and vacillating, and may change their solemn opinions in a day. It is apparent, therefore, to all that in this supreme exigency of the republic a demand goes forth, not for a faint-hearted declaration of platform platitudes, but for a man. Yes, a man who stands like a mighty rock in the desert; a man who, knowing the right, will dare do the right; a man who, "rather than follow a multitude to do evil, will stand, like Pompey's pillar, conspicuous by himself, and single in integrity." Such a man as the one part, this convention will tender to the nation as their candidate for President. A man who is unsurpassed as a citizen, unequaled as an orator, courageous as a soldier, conspicuous in every element that constitutes the typical and the true American, William J. Bryan of Nebraska.

Neckwear.

Odds and ends of Ladies' Neckwear, sold up to 25c. and 39c.—comprising fine Pique Puffs, Plain or Tucked Silk or Satin Stock Collars, Band Bows, Silk or Satin Ties, etc.—go on sale Friday marked for prompt clearance at..... 5c.

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Children's Hose, in white, pink and blue, and Men's Full Seamless Hose, in fast black—with double heel and toe—odds and ends left from recent selling—go, per pair, for ..... 5c.

The Best Bargain Time of the Year Is at Hand!

Friday bargaining will reach the zenith of its power. From now on our efforts are turned toward reducing every stock. Not only broken lots—but many complete lines—fall under the clearance ban. Prices are all marked to one common level—for every day from now on must see a gradual emptying of shelves. Thus the saving opportunities are doubled and trebled.

Immense Values in Shirt Waists.

Lot of fine White India Linon Shirt Waists, extra good quality and with fancy tucked fronts—mostly all sizes. Sold at 59c. Friday for..... 29c.

A broken lot of fine White and Colored Waists, of India Linons, Lawns and Percales, in all the newest colorings and effects—some with fine tucking and cluster of tucking in front, others with hemstitched fronts, some all-over fronts and embroidery insertion trimmed—fine qualities—sold at $1 and $1.25—for..... 49c.

Lot of finest quality White India Linon and Persian Lawn Shirt Waists, a trifle soiled from handling—some with finest quality embroidery fronts and handsome insertion of embroidery and tucking—qualities sold at $1, $1.25 and up to $2—for..... 69c.

$1 and $1.25 Wrappers, 59c.

For Friday's remnant selling we will offer a lot of 3 dozen Ladies' Fine Quality Percale Wrappers, with deep flounce skirts and ruffles over shoulder, tastefully trimmed with braid—and in almost every size. Well-made garments, every one, with wide skirts and splendid finishing. Wrappers which sold at $1.25—for 59c. Come early if you want one.

A great sale of Untrimmed Hats, sold as high as 98c., for only - - - - 10c.

Another sensational chapter in millinery circles will be opened up tomorrow—when we put on sale about 50 dozen Ladies' Untrimmed Hats, at 10 cents each. These are the finest qualities and most popular shapes of the season, not passe styles—and will create the greatest sensation at this price. Comprising Hats—ladies', misses' and children's—in all styles and shapes—dress shapes, Neapolitans, fancy braids, Panama straws, Short-back Panamas, mode hats, walking shapes, etc.—in all colors and effects that have been most fashionable this season. Up to now they have been selling as high as 98 cents. Choice is offered at 10 cents.

Mattings & Upholsteries

A big remnant lot of finest quality Mattings, comprising the heaviest Seamless Chinas and best Linen-warp Japanese Mattings, in this season's handsomest and most attractive styles and patterns. Qualities which sold at 25c., 30c. and 35c. a yard off the roll—go on sale Friday, per yard, at..... 12½c.

Remnants of Draperies, including Denims, Silkolines, Cretonnes and fine Curtain Swisses—in a great variety of best patterns—sold up to 19c. a yard—for..... 7¾c.

A remnant lot of 5 dozen Head Rests, covered with art silkolines in oblong shape—will be closed out to the first comers Friday at..... 7c.

A lot of Guaranteed All-wool Smyrna Rugs, size 30 by 60—which sold for $2.98—but because they're mussed we'll close them out for..... $1.19

5 reels of Heavy Mercerized Cord for making Cushions, &c.—in various colors, which sold at 8c. to 10c. yard—go Friday for..... 2⅞c.

Odd lot of Yale Holland and Opaque Window Shades, mounted on strong spring rollers, which sold at 39c. and 50c. each—go Friday for..... 17c.

$1.00 Gloves.

The balance of our stock of Women's White Washable Chamois Gloves, in 2-clasp style—all this season's newest effects—not old, passe kinds—in sizes 6¾ to 7¾—which are the regular dollar value—will be closed out tomorrow at the unheard-of low price, per pair, of..... 39c.

Large size Palm-leaf Fans, to keep the air cool, will be sold Friday—eight of them for..... 5c.

Handkerchiefs.

200 dozen Ladies' Plain White Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched border, and others with fast color fancy border—regular price is 5c.—go Friday for..... 2⅞c.

Ribbons.

All-silk Baby Ribbons, in a good assortment of the most wanted summer shades for trimming purposes, including pinks, creams, whites, light blues, reds, black, etc. Sell everywhere at 2c. yard—not remnants, but full pieces—go on sale Friday for..... 1c.

Remnants of Number 5 All-silk Satin Gros Grain Ribbons, from 1 to 3-yard lengths, in white, black, light blue, pink, violet, cardinal, etc.—worth 5c. yard—for... 2½c.

Guaranteed best quality All-silk Taffeta Ribbons, in plenty of white, light pinks and blues and other wanted colors—also a few double-faced Satin Ribbons, from 3 to 4 inches wide—sold off the piece at 10c. to 23c. 8¾c. yard—for.....

Notions.

Regular 23c. strips of Silk Frilled Garter Web, in all colors—for..... 10c.

100-yard spools of Basting Cotton, worth 2c. a spool—12 spools for..... 11c.

Regular 10c. Stockinet Dress Shields..... 5c.

10c. Shell and Amber Hairpins, plain and crimped, per dozen..... 4c.

5c. Feather-stitched Braid, 25 different patterns—per piece..... 2½c.

Wash Skirts, Etc.

A lot of 3 dozen good quality Wash Skirts of White Duck with silk embroidery stitching and Galatea duck trimmed with rows of blue blue bands. Regular $1 values for.. 39c.

18 finest quality Habutai Silk Waists, in white, hello and blue, which are worth $4.50—go on sale tomorrow at $1.98

Fine quality Skirts, comprising Irish linens and linen crashes, English piques, black and navy ducks and a few polka dot ducks, which are regular $1.50 values, for.... 69c.

Lot of 9 Ladies' finest quality Black Silk Mohair Bathing Suits, neatly trimmed with white braid—all sizes—Regular $5 values, for..... $2.98

Lot of 8 Rainy-Day Skirts, in all lengths, in blues and grays, with reverse side of plaids—worth $5—for..... $2.98

Men's Department.

25 dozen Men's 2100 Pure 4-ply Linen Collars, in comfortable turn-down style—and all sizes. Regular 2-for-a-quarter kind. Friday at..... 5c.

A lot of Men's Nainsook Drawers, full regular made, with double seat, pearl buttons and suspender tapes. Regular 50c. quality—for..... 29c.

A remnant lot of Men's Working Shirts, of percales and cheviots, full regular made, with double yoke and extension band—almost every size. Friday for..... 25c.

Odd lot of Men's Silver Gray and White Lisle Thread Underwear, Shirts and Drawers to match—broken sizes—full regular made, with Otis patent tailor-made seams. Regular 50c. qualities—for..... 29c.

Men's Summer Neckwear, comprising Madras Shield and Band Bows, and best Madras String Ties—qualities worth 5c. and 10c.—for..... 2½c.

Muslin Wear Department.

Odds and ends of Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Undergarments, comprising Gowns, Skirts, Drawers, Chemise and Corset Covers, all elaborately trimmed with lace and embroidery. Values sold up to $1.69—for..... 59c.

Balance of "drummers' samples" of "American Lady" Corsets, made of best quality French coutil, and net, in short and long styles, but only in size 21. Sell regularly from $1 to $1.50. Go Friday for..... 59c.

Children's Mull Caps and Bonnets, in a great variety of styles—slightly mussed from handling—sold up to $1.25—go for..... 25c.

Lot of 14 Ladies' Dressing Sacques and Komonas, in white and colored lawns, trimmed with fine lace and inserting. Sold at $2 to $2.69. Soiled. Choice..... 79c.

Ladies' Striped Madras Wash Petticoats, made with 3 bias ruffles on large umbrella flounce. Regular 89c. value, for..... 49c.

Domestics.

2 cases of "mill ends" of good quality Percales, in good lengths for waists and dresses, and a host of popular styles. Remnant price, per yard..... 5c.

2,500 yards of Cheesecloth remnants, full yard wide—in all shades—go on sale Friday for..... 2⅞c.

A remnant lot of Hemstitched Pillow Cases, extra length, size 45x38½—go on sale tomorrow at..... 11½c.

Remnants of best quality Apron Ginghams, in a large variety of checks and colors. Remnant price, per yard..... 4⅞c.

3,000 yards of Unbleached Muslin, in desirable lengths from 3 to 12 yards—Friday's price, per yard..... 3½c.

Boys' Department.

Odds and ends of Boys' and Children's Straw Hats, large and small brims, none sold for less than 50c—others for more—go Friday for..... 25c.

Lot of Children's Duck, Crash and Pique Eton and Tam O'Shanter Caps—which sold up to 23c. each—go tomorrow for... 9c.

Boys' regular 19c. and 25c. Blue and Light-colored Percale Shirt Waists; sizes 8 to 12 only—will be closed out Friday for..... 12½c.

6 dozen Boys' Fast-color Sweaters, in red and blue, and black and gold—for boys of 6 to 10 years—Friday for..... 35c.

6 dozen Boys' Wash Suits, mostly medium and dark patterns—sizes 3 to 8 years—go on sale tomorrow at..... 29c.

39 Boys' Double-breasted Crash Suits, with knee pants—nearly all sizes from 8 to 14—always sold at $1.50 and $1.98—for..... 89c.

32 Boys' Navy Blue Serge Suits, with double-breasted coat—sizes 7, 8, 9 and 10 only—made of all-wool genuine "Washington Mills" serge—guaranteed fast color—sold everywhere at $3.50. This lot of 32 for.. $1.98

Great Silk Selling.

We have culled from stock all the odds and ends of Silks left from recent selling, and they go on sale tomorrow at less than cost. Comprising strictly All-silk Plain Indias in all shades, Figured Foulards, Striped, Check and Plaid Habutais, Brocaded Grenadines in black and colors, fine Corded Wash Silks, Black Figured Indias, Satin Plisse, in various colors, Figured Indias with dark grounds and Plain Colored Taffetalines, in a full line of popular colors. These are the last of lines sold up to 50c. a yard—for..... 25c.

Biggest Selling White Goods Remnants.

2,000 yards of remnants of plain White India Linon, in good lengths, go on sale Friday for..... 4½c.

800 yards of Plain White India Linon, the quality that sells regularly at 10c. yard, and 900 yards of Plain-colored Swisses, 40 inches wide, worth 10c. yard, in all leading shades—Friday for..... 5¾c.

Remnant lot of Plain White India Linons, 40 inches wide, sold for 18c. yard off the piece—at..... 11c.

A big remnant accumulation, comprising Organdies, fine Lawns, Dimities, Swisses and Piques, qualities worth 12½c. to 18c., for..... 8½c.

Remnant lot of Check Nainsooks, India Linons and Victoria Lawns, worth 8c. and 10c., for..... 4⅞c.

600 remnants of Persian Lawns, India Linons, Dimities, Piques and Stripe and Plaid Lawns—qualities worth 12½c. and 15c. yard—for..... 9¾c.

Wash Goods Remnants Galore!

Remnants of 40-inch Lawns, in an endless assortment of choice styles, in stripes, plaids, checks and all colors—10c. value for..... 5¾c.

Big lot of fine Wash Goods, comprising Dimities, Batistes, Lawns, &c.—in the best selling styles and effects—sold at 12½c. yard—Friday for..... 6½c.

1,500 yards of Wash Goods, of Corded Dimities and Lawns, good lengths and styles—go Friday for..... 3⅞c.

Remnant lot of Dimities, Lawns, Batistes, Sateens and Organdies, the last of many popular lines—sold up to 19c. yard—for..... 8¾c.

Shoes.

Children's and Misses' Tan and Black Slippers, in Strap, Bow and Buckle styles—and also Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers. These are odds and ends of regular lines sold up to $1—for..... 49c.

A lot of Infants' Black Shoes, in lace and button styles—and sizes 2 to 6—go on sale this Friday at..... 25c.

Children's Button and Lace Shoes, with hand-turned soles; patent leather tips, spring-heel style—sizes 4 to 8—go on sale Friday at..... 48c.

180 pairs of Women's Tan Goat Oxfords, the best wearing leathers—and regular $1 values—Friday for..... 65c.

Art Department.

An odd lot of finest Spachtel Bureau Scarfs, 54 in. long. Spachtel Pillow Shams, Centerpieces and Tray Covers. Slightly soiled from handling. Sold at $1.25—for..... 49c.

Ladies' Vests.

Odd lot of 30 dozen Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, finished with taped neck—will be closed out tomorrow at..... 5c.

Ladies' Black Pure Lisle Thread Combination Suits—low neck, sleeveless vests, trimmed with ribbon and lace—drawers knee length; which sold at 75 cents. Also 2 dozen regular 39c. Mercerized Silk Vests, in pink, blue and cardinal, which sold at 39c. Choice Friday for..... 23c.

$2.50 Parasols.

A remnant lot of 65 High-grade Parasols, consisting of all-silk Chinas and taffetas, in plaids and stripes, and some with ruffles. Sold up to $2.50—choice Friday for.... 86c.

Embroideries & Laces.

A big remnant accumulation of Val. and Torchon Laces, in various styles and beautiful patterns, and Cambric Edgings. Among them are values sold up to 10c. yard. First comers will get best choice at..... 2½c.

A remnant lot containing about 8,000 yards of fine Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries, up to 4 inches wide, insertings to match. Choice of an endless variety of the most popular styles. Regular 10c. qualities, for only..... 3¾c.

Another remnant lot of fine quality Embroideries, in Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook—up to 7 inches wide—insertings to match. Including many elaborate patterns, among them exquisite Irish point effects—15c. qualities, for..... 7¾c.

Remnant pieces of fine quality All-over Tuckings with lace insertion and All-over Laces with embroidery effect—each piece ¾ and ⅞-yard length and 18 inches wide; enough for shirt waist fronts or yoklings. Worth up to $1.50 yard. Each piece for..... 19c.

Linens.

100 remnant lengths of Table Damasks, all qualities in the lot—goods that sold from 25c. to $2.00 yard. From 1¼ to 4-yard pieces. Some of the Cream German Damask, some of the Fine Scotch and Irish—in full bleached. Go on sale tomorrow marked at—

⅓ to ½ less than regular.

Black Goods.

A remnant lot of Fine Black Fabrics left from recent selling—embracing Brocaded Satin Berbers, Plain Black English Mohairs, 44-inch Black Silk Figured Brilliantines, Novelty Organdies, Plain All-wool Serges and Cashmeres and All-wool Brocaded Etamines—in a variety of handsome designs. These are qualities sold off the piece as high as 69c. yard—go Friday for..... 25c.

FALLS CHURCH.

Observance of Independence Day—School Board Meeting.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star.

FALLS CHURCH, Va., July 5, 1900.

The celebration of the Fourth of July under the auspices of the Village Improvement Society here was quite an elaborate affair. The morning was devoted to athletic sports, which commenced at 10 o'clock on the Lawton house lawn, the first event being the 100-yard dash, by the seniors, which was won by Dr. T. C. Quick in 11 seconds, with Mr. W. T. Wescott second. The 100-yard dash by the juniors was won by Master Dannie Wells in 12 seconds, with Meredith Munns second; 220-yard dash, won by Mr. Roy Nicholson in 25 seconds, with Mr. Robert Hodgkin second; sack race, won by Willie Mabin, with Berry Hodgson second; three-legged race, seniors, was won by Robert Hodgkin and Roy Nicholson; junior race, won by Dannie Wells and James Hodgkin; wheelbarrow race, seniors, won by Robert Hodgkin, with Roy Nicholson second; juniors, by James Hodgkin, with Dannie Wells second; standing broad jump, seniors, won by Mr. Caldwell; juniors, by James Luttrell; standing high jump, seniors, by Mr. Hayes; running broad jump, by Mr. Caldwell; climbing slack rope, by Guy Luttrell; throwing base ball, by R. C. Lowe.

In the afternoon the exercises commenced on the Eagle House lawn at 2 o'clock, in charge of Mr. Pickering Dodge, vice president of the society, and opened with prayer by Rev. Robert Nourse, D. D., followed with an address by Dr. T. C. Quick, president of the society; recitation, "The Unknown Speaker," by Miss Lillian I. Christman; reading, Declaration of Independence, by Mr. Pickering Dodge; oration, Mr. Henry A. Castle, auditor for the Post Office Department; benediction, Rev. A. B. Schmavonian. The exercises were interspersed with music by the cavalry band from Fort Myer.

At a meeting of the school board of the town held Tuesday, Dr. J. B. Gould qualified as trustee, vice Mr. Geo. W. Hawxhurst, resigned, and was elected clerk, and Mr. J. W. Brown was made chairman. Miss M. Lillian Divine of Waterford, Loudoun county, was elected teacher of the primary department of the graded school, vice Miss Matilda Rawlings, resigned.

A series of resolutions offered by Trustee J. S. Riley was adopted, expressing the regrets of the board at the resignation of Mr. Hawxhurst as clerk and member, and appreciation of his long service in the cause of education.

Perseverance Lodge of Good Templars of Washington will pay a fraternal visit to Pioneer Lodge of this town Tuesday night. The night of July 31 a public temperance meeting will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall.

LAUREL NEWS.

Ball Given in Honor of Lady Visitors—Personal Items.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star.

LAUREL, Md., July 5, 1900.

A ball was given last night at the Academy of Music here in honor of the lady visitors to this town, Mesdames Fred Dallam, Evans Duvall, T. Hall Brehme and Jay C. Howell acting as chaperones. Among the many present may be mentioned Mrs. Cronmiller and Mrs. W. H. Harrison, the Misses Maud, Martha and Josephine Hamilton, Jennie and Mary Berry, Nettie and Sophie Snowden, Lillian Snowden, Maud Harrison, Lena Brehme, Margaret, Emma and Mary Sadler, Marjorie Loweree of Laurel, Mae Phelps of Washington, Elizabeth Cushing and Hattie Christian of Baltimore, Elizabeth C. Claytor and Sophie Sheppard of West River, Md., Messrs. Frank Hamilton, Granville Bennett, T. Hall Brehme, Jay C. Howell, Dr. Taylor, Ogle Marbury, John Cronmiller, Percy and Myron Cassard, D. G. Adee, Church of Washington, Harvey Stanley, Arthur Gambrill, William Tyson, Edward Flannery, John Haviland, Lee and Elmer Duvall and R. A. Clark.

In a game of ball played here yesterday between the Laurel High School team and the Young Maryland team of Baltimore the local boys clearly proved their ownership to the title of being amateurish. From the number of errors made and the way the home boys had of throwing the ball away many of the onlookers were led to think they had burned their fingers playing with firecrackers, or that the ball was so hot and their hands so tender, the best policy to pursue was to throw it anywhere. The score was 32 to 6.

Mrs. A. P. Gorman, wife of the ex-senator, is quite ill at her home near this town.

Mr. Myron Burk of Baltimore spent several days at the home of his parents near this town.

The Sunday School of Trinity M. E. Church South held its annual picnic in the grove yesterday, games, songs and various amusements being the order of the day.

Miss Elizabeth C. Claytor of West River is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Evans Duvall, on Prince George street.

Illinois Steel Co. Works Resume.

CHICAGO, July 5.—The South Side works of the Illinois Steel Company started up today with a full force of men. The departments which were closed down recently included the rail mill, the plate mill and the slab mill. Other departments have been running at full force.

Steamship Arrivals.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Lahn, Bremen; Kaiser Wilhelm II, from Naples.

Marquis Ito Forming New Party.

YOKOHAMA, July 5.—The Seoul and Chemulpo railway has been completed and is being operated today.

Marquis Ito is making progress in the formation of a new political party, with the ultimate object of forming a new cabinet.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10 cents. fe26-6m,14

Crocker's,
939 Pa. Ave.

CURE FOR HOT FEET!

HERE is just what you need to keep your feet cool during the summer! Will reduce the temperature of the body 10 degrees, and less to pay than usual!

500 pairs Ladies' Linen Oxfords—well made—perfect shape and fit—light weight—good value at $2.
FRIDAY, $1.40.

500 pairs Men's Stylish, Comfortable, Light-weight Canvas Shoes—good value at $3.
FRIDAY, $2.49.

CROCKER'S,
939 Pa. Ave.

We'll help you out of town.

Hot?

Should say so, but it's going to be worse. Better not put off until the last moment, but have your old Trunk and Satchels put in good order at once. We

REPAIR TRUNKS

and repair them well and at little expense. Two or three dollars invested in this way will save the expense of purchasing a new Trunk, &c.
REMEMBER—
"Everything for Travelers"
HERE ALSO.

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Trunk and Leather Goods Manufactory,
1231-1233 Pa. Ave.
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The well-known strengthening properties of IRON, combined with other tonics and a most perfect nervine, are found in Carter's Iron Pills. Strengthens nerves and body; improves blood and complexion. no10-s,tuath-1y

Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters is the best remedy for removing indigestion and all diseases of the digestive organs.

Mayer Bros. & Co.

6 Big Purchases.

—We watch the market closely at this season for snap purchases. They're plentiful now, but we only accept the cream.
6 big purchases that result in six big bargains for tomorrow's buyers.

In Skirts.

Purchase I. A large selection of White P. K. Skirts, flare bottoms, proper fit and finish. Worth $1.50 to $2.25.....99c.

Purchase II. Pure Linen Wash Skirts, accordion pleated bottom or strap seam trimming, flounce bottom. $3.50 to $4.98 values..... $1.99

Purchase III. Crash Skirts, pleated back, wide hem on bottom. 49c. values.....19c.

In Shirt Waists.

Purchase IV. Hundreds of different styles in Shirt Waists, sizes 32 to 44. Worth $1.50, $1.75 and $2.....99c.

Purchase V. Shirt Waists, all sizes, choice patterns. Regular $1 values..... 69c.

Purchase VI. One table filled with 69c. and 75c. Shirt Waists at..... 35c.

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