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TRADE COUNCIL BONA FIDE CIRCULATION. The circulation of The Times for the week ended December 23, 1896, was as follows: Saturday, December 19... 37,543 Sunday, December 20... 24,072 Monday, December 21... 37,830 Tuesday, December 22... 37,175 Wednesday, December 23... 37,101 Thursday, December 24... 37,130 Friday, December 25... 35,242

WILLIAM P. LEECH, Manager of Circulation. Advertisers are cordially invited to visit our press and mailing rooms at all times and verify the above statement.

City Brevities

The House document room at the Capitol is closed at noon during the holidays. Attorney A. A. Lipscomb is confined to his home because of a severe attack of lumbago.

A large number of persons enjoy the skating on the Eastern branch, which is now frozen solid.

Harry Nesbitt, of the Internal Revenue office, has returned from a visit to friends at Warrenton, Va.

Max Maxwell, who is a member of the freshman class at Cornell University, is home for the holidays.

A delegation of Sac and Fox Indians will have a hearing before the Indian Commissioner tomorrow morning.

No courts were in session yesterday, except criminal court, No. 2, presided over by Chief Justice Bingham.

The Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip met last night at the First Congregational Church in a business session.

Commissioner Truesdell has been absent from the city since the 24th instant on business and pleasure combined.

The extremely frosty weather of the past two weeks temporarily delayed the work of construction on the Wallace school building.

George M. Sperry, formerly of this city, but now of Trinidad, Colo., is spending the holidays with his parents, on M street northwest.

A number of local fanciers have entered poultry exhibits at the New York chicken show, which opens in Madison Square Garden this morning.

Judge Henry C. Nevitt, well known locally as a former Washington student and Treasurer of the club at Terre Haute, Ind., on the 21st instant.

A competitive examination for the position of junior assistant resident physician at the Columbian Hospital will be held at the institution on January 5.

Minnie Gessler and several other little girls in Northeast Washington are arranging to lead a "midwinter frolic" for the benefit of the police poor fund.

Secretary Williams, of the excise board, is still confined to his home by the injuries to his ankle, sustained several weeks ago, but hopes to resume his desk within a few days.

Chief Clerk Richard Sylvester, of the police department, yesterday presented Capt. Austin and Inspector Louis H. Reinberger with gold police whistles as Christmas gifts.

The new fire room which is being constructed in the rear center of the city will be completed in a day or two. This will do away with the rear entrance facing G street.

The labor leaders of the city are contemplating the organization of another central body to be known as the "Federal Union."

It is intended to be a sort of clearing house for all matters pertaining to organized labor in the District.

The new house of Thomas Nelson Page, at K street and New Hampshire avenue, is of the colonial style of architecture, but it differs from most colonial structures in two particulars. It is entirely fireproof and it has a billiard room.

The New Year's show of the National Fencibles, which will be given at their quarters on E street on Thursday evening, promises to be a most enjoyable affair.

The annual full-dress reception will be held on the evening of January 21.

David McNamee, residing at No. 618 G street, made a mistake while alighting from an Eckington and Folders' Home car, near the Ballou and Ohio depot this morning, and falling to the roadway received painful injuries about the face and head.

Mrs. John Cox, of 1413 Eighth street, who fell from an electric car at Ninth and D streets Friday, is still in a dazed condition on account of injuries to her head, brought on by the fall. She is not suffering from internal injuries, as was first thought.

STOLL'S "810" SEVENTH. IT'S ON NOW! JANUARY SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES. We have commenced a great reduction of stock sale with extraordinary bargains. All previous efforts will be eclipsed in the shoe-selling business, and values can be looked for and bargains gathered in from the top shelf to the bottom throughout "810."

THEY WOULD RUSH TO CUBA. Baliffs Kendig and Cole Ready to Aid Insurgents. FLYNN'S BITING REMARKS

Daniel, Not the Prophet, But a Wandering Willie, Thought the Street Refuse Boxes Were Cuspidors Painted Green in Honor of Ireland. Accepts the Judge's Invitation.

"I wonder if Markoe's dead?" said Cole to his brother Gailiff, Kendig, this morning. "Markoe?" said Kendig, in a horrified tone, "you mean Massena, that's the middle syllable, you know, Cole?"

"After calling me a number of names," continued the policeman, specifying the profanity, "he told me to go to h—l."

"And you say she is not his wife?" "No, sir," said the charge assaulter. "Why wasn't he charged assaulter?" demanded his honor imperatively.

Victor E. Adler, Outfitter to Men, 923, 925, Seventh St. N. W. Yes, Sir. We've got a warm, stylish suit here that will fit you, and the price needn't be more than \$10, if you say so.

Any Overcoating in our house we shall make a Great Offer. MERTZ & MERTZ, NEW ERA TAILORS, 906 F.

REDUCED RATES VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD FROM WASHINGTON. To BALTIMORE, MD. \$1.60. To WILMINGTON, DEL. \$4.34. To CHESTER, PA. \$4.90. To PHILADELPHIA, PA. \$5.34.

Full-Dress Requisites. No ready-made clothing stock in this city will yield up such style and comfort for evening wear for so little money as ours will.

The Result of the astonishingly low prices has caused big crowds on the big stock of "Himan" clothing. It'll pay you to look 'em over.

The Great Silver Sale. The remaining stock of silver ware, cutlery, and cut-glass ware on hand, together with an additional supply just opened from the reliable Taunton Silver-plate Company will be closed out at the competition of an auction sale.

DR. HAINES' GOLDEN SPECIFIC CURES DRUNKENNESS. It can be given without the knowledge of the patient in coffee, tea or articles of food, will effect a permanent and speedy cure.

Arbuckle's Coffee AT 16 1/2 CENTS. Tomorrow our special sale price—16 1/2 cents for Arbuckle's Package Coffee.

FOR 54 CENTS. 5 pounds best Mixed Nuts. FOR 33 CENTS. 10 lbs Best Mixed Cakes.

FOR 53 CENTS. 3 dozen Eggs tomorrow. JOHNSTONS, 729 7th St.

H. Friedlander & Bro. Corner 9th and E Sts. N. W. Men's Suits. Made in the most serviceable Scotch goods, in stylish patterns—a suit that cannot be duplicated for less than \$6 or \$8. \$2.50.

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The Busy Corner, 8th and Market Spacc. S. KANN, SONS & CO. THE Bargains continue to flow and go. LINENS. 17-inch Twilled Kitchen Toweling. 4-day Price, 2 1/2c. 22-inch Cotton Bird's-eye, 10-yard pieces. 4-day Price, 39c.

DOMESTICS. 5-4 Cohasset Beached Sheeting. Worth 12 1/2c. 4-day Price, 8 1/2c. 5-4 Cohasset Beached Sheeting. Worth 16c. 4-day Price, 11c.

DEAD! Not until Friday next. The old year is making a grand record. It's last days are its best days. It is going out in a blaze of glory!

Underwear, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Hosiery, Suspenders, Dress Shirts, Shirts with Fancy Bosoms, Cardigan Jackets, D. B. Jersey Jackets, Hats, Caps, and Umbrellas.

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