

TALKING clothing today, as we will be closed ALL DAY in order to give our employes a chance to fittingly celebrate Independence Day...

Robinson & Chery Co., 12th and F Sts. N. W. All Wears for All Males.

The Times City Breviews.

Two addresses were attempted to force an entrance to the vacant house at No. 1255 K Street...

The July meeting of the executive committee of the National Christian Endeavor Union will be held this evening at 8 o'clock...

COOLER WEATHER COMING

The Weather Bureau Says the Hot Spell is Possibly Broken.

The Prolonged Hot Wave May Be Ended With a Thunderstorm This Afternoon.

Old Sol was the "hottest thing in town" yesterday. For the past four days he has been filling the role...

The pressure is still high off the Atlantic coast and in the central gulf, while the "low" in Maryland has been responsible for a great deal of the trouble...

Washington is not the only place that has been hit by a hot spell of warm days. The temperature has risen in the lower lake region...

There is a possibility, however, that the spell will be broken in this section by the storm this afternoon.

SHE WANTED TO DIE.

Eliza Brown Quarreled With Her Lover and Then Took Poison.

This woman, a recently married girl about twenty-five years of age, quarreled with her lover, Irving Brown, at her home, No. 102 Fourth street...

The woman drank to excess several times ago and the man chided her for her conduct. She then set her mind to commit suicide...

Instead of doing so she returned to the house and saw her lying apparently in a drunken stupor on the bed...

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NOT WEATHER BY PEPSI.

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WIKES A BROTHERS WITHOOD

Characteristics Often Shown that Distinguished the Man.

A TEACHER'S RECOLLECTIONS

As a Boy He Was Handsome, Proud, Talented and a Fine Elocutionist, but Disliked for His Cruelty and Insultation—Some of His Childish Pranks.

John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln, has been written of every week in some portion of the country...

The elder Booth owned a farm in Maryland, not far from Baltimore, and it was his custom to reside there when not in the city...

As the instructors in such institutions are not only thrown in contact with the boys in the classroom, but during after school hours...

When a student from the week of his entrance, while possessed of a splendid voice, he was a great singer and his influence was important in bringing about the same respect among those with whom he was associated...

He was the hero of a certain set at the school among the younger boys, whom he could lead more easily than those of his own age...

Both and some of these companions established acquaintances in the woods, and secured the lumber for their lot by despoiling out from the nearest farmer's fence...

When asked to leave he refused to do so, and when the teacher came to the door he would not budge. He was then taken to the principal's office...

At that time Booth had a hobby for negro minstrelsy. The Quaker principal of the school was not in favor of this kind of entertainment and he repeatedly stopped all attempts at performances...

No special notice was taken of this, as he was in bad repute with all of them. On the night of the performance the principal's theater was filled with the walls. There was little delay in raising the curtain...

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MAYER & PETTIT This will be a Furniture Bargain Week

One began so auspiciously should be a memorable one, and indeed it shall be, in the way of bargains. We will offer you such tempting ones that you will forget the comforts you are suffering from the weather.

MAYER & PETTIT, Reliable Outfitters, 415-417 7th Street.

FORD PARALYZED BY A DIVE

A Washington Bather Probably Fatally Injured at Bay Ridge.

Made a Plunge Into Two Feet of Water and Struck His Head Violently.

Mr. R. L. Ford, twenty-seven years old and a drummer, residing at No. 7515 Porter place, between U and V streets northwest, lies at the Emergency hospital suffering from concussion of the spinal cord...

When he reached the water he was struck by a large log, and he was thrown into the air. He fell into the water and struck his head on the bottom of the boat...

Mr. Ford is a traveling salesman for a New York novelty house, but he was in the city yesterday morning in company with some friends, he left home on an excursion train, to spend the day at Bay Ridge...

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A FOURTH OF JULY VICTIM

An Old Soldier Seriously Hurt in a Runaway Accident. WAS CELEBRATING THE DAY

Patrick Scablon and Three Other Inmates of the Soldiers' Home Drove Out the Hadenwood Road, Secured Whisky, Whipped Their Horse into a Gallop and Upset.

Four veterans from the Soldiers' Home met with a serious runaway accident about 6 o'clock yesterday evening at the junction of the Hadenwood and Queen's Chapel roads...

Being to the fact that the Fourth of July fell upon Sunday this year, the day was a quiet one at the home, the authorities having decided to do what celebrating would be done on Monday...

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KEEN'S \$35 SUITS Beat the World Featherweight in Serges and Cheviots. KEEN, Merchant Tailor, 1310 F St. N. W.

STRUCK BY A FAST EXPRESS

Frank A. Gunn's Remarkable Escape From Instant Death.

He Went to Sleep on the Track Near Long Bridge and Was Knocked Twenty Feet.

Frank A. Gunn, an employe at the Terminal, was struck by a fast train on the Southern Railway about 10 o'clock yesterday evening, near the south end of the Long Bridge...

When he reached the water he was struck by a large log, and he was thrown into the air. He fell into the water and struck his head on the bottom of the boat...

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Trunks, Trunks, Trunks. Canvas-covered, Flat-top, Iron-bottom Traveling Trunks...

Extra Heavy Canvas-covered Traveling Trunk, solid sheet-iron bottom, malleable iron corners...

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WOODBURY REMOVES FACIAL IMPURITIES. 187 W. 4th Street.

LABOR LEADERS OBJECT

Protest Against Employing Prisoners in the District Jail.

An Injustice Is Done to Honest Workmen by the Order, They Allege—New York System.

The order of court, in general terms, issued Saturday, authorizing Warden Leonard to utilize the prisoners in the country jail for general work in and about that institution...

Mr. William H. Maguire, president of the Bricklayers' Union, was very outspoken on the subject. The Government, he said, appropriated money for the support of the institution and Mr. Leonard ought to be satisfied in reference to the brick wall which is to be built...

Mr. James F. McHugh, ex-president of the local Federation of Labor, Mildred Spohn, president of the Central Labor Union, and William Silver, president of the Building Trades Council, also condemned the proposed plan in unmeasured terms.

Three small robberies were reported yesterday at police headquarters. Paul Cronin, manager of the Columbia Phonograph Company, reported the loss of two reproducers, two receivers and a gramophone...

A warm weather thief entered the tailor shop of William A. Fisher, at No. 707 Ninth street northwest, Saturday afternoon and stole a pair of linen pants with suspenders attached.

A Feminine Poker Player. "You've all read of women who took the place of men and filled the bill," said the veteran who had lived through all the border ruffian wars of Kansas and kept his health...

Strength of Troops on Long Runs on Bicycles. The army corps carrying dispatches from Chicago to army headquarters, Washington, on bicycles, to demonstrate the practicability of the rapid movement of troops over the distances on wheels...

Many people have had Postum poorly made. It is rich and delicious when boiled fifteen minutes and served hot, with enough in the boiler to make it a very deep seal brown color.

My principal recollection of a recent visit to Cairo is that I was always on a donkey, and that the donkey always took me to the most interesting spots...

"What! not smoke, Hassan?" said I. "I thought all the donkey boys smoked." "I don't," said Hassan, who looked about eleven, was short, very brown, very sturdy dressed, quite dirty, had only one eye, and looked behind the donkey with mangled shivers and bent craned forward...

"But who are you, and who are your family?" "Ah," he said, gravely, "we are Sudanese in the Sudan, we are a poor nation, but we are a brave nation, and we are a nation of warriors..."

"How happy we are when we hear one of our men has died for his country! Then we bring out the masts and make a brave show of it." "What! not smoke, Hassan?" said I. "I thought all the donkey boys smoked..."

"No," said the boy delicately. "You see, I have been a year in Cairo, and have grown to see that there may be some good people who are not Muslims, but my friends who have not seen the world would never understand it at all..."

"The donkey bearer, Hassan, the donkey boy from the Sudan, refused to smoke, saying that it would be against his principles to smoke. He refused to smoke, if so, the difference between him and the average donkey boy is infinite."—New York Journal.

"I'll stake myself, and make it all or nothing," she said, with a smile that would have frozen the god of mirth. "I should give you odds," was the gallant response to the challenge, and the Kestonian threw a roll of bills upon the table...

"Face up the cards were dealt, and the woman won. Her opponent arose with a low, dejected, and walked out. She turned her back and saw the maddest scene she ever saw. Her opponent was a very deep seal brown color and standing on his own merit..."

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