



IVORY SOAP PASTE.

In fifteen minutes, with only a cake of Ivory Soap and water, you can make a better cleansing paste than you can buy.

Ivory Soap Paste will take spots from clothing; and will clean carpets, rugs, kid gloves, slippers, patent, enamel, russet leather and canvas shoes, leather belts, painted wood-work and furniture.

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LABOR'S FIELD

M. E. Neary, president of the State Federation of Labor, called the new members of the State Federation council to order at a meeting held at Assembly hall last evening.

TWO MORE SCHOOLS CLOSE

The Humboldt high school on the West side and the Sibley on Dayton's bluff closed and the children were sent home.

HUMBOLDT AND SIBLEY BUILDINGS CANNOT BE HEATED WITHOUT COAL

Three of the largest public schools in the city, including one high school, have been compelled to close their doors and send the children in attendance home owing to the inability to get coal to heat the buildings.

HE COLLECTED \$185.

A trio of disgruntled junk dealers called at the central police station yesterday to relate how they claim to have been wronged.

PUT WHERE ARE THEY?

Charles Cohen, Putney Smith and "Doc" Kennedy, charged with the theft of a diamond stud from P. T. Wagner, the Seven corners groceryman, were arraigned in the police court yesterday.

QUICK TIME TO MARQUETTE.

By taking the "Twilight Limited," on the Omaha road, leaving Minneapolis at 4:35 p. m., and St. Paul at 4:35 p. m., connection is made at Biron with South Shore Road, and in the early morning you are at Marquette 4:45, Houghton 5:30 and Calumet 6:20. Don't forget it.

TRAVELING IN PRIVATE CARS.

New compartment sleeping cars leaving Chicago daily at 8:15 p. m. via Pennsylvania Short Lines for Louisville and Cincinnati have cozy apartments affording the seclusion of private rooms.

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DAUGHTERS OF PATRIOTS

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Moss will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage today. They will be at home from 4 to 6 o'clock in the evening at No. 239 South Exchange street, where they have resided for the past forty-six years.

The St. Paul chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet at the Aberdeen this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. James F. Wade will read a paper on "The Regular Army," and Dr. Helen Bissell will read one on "Patriotism Up to Date."

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wallich will entertain this evening at their home on Selby avenue, in honor of their twenty-second wedding anniversary.

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Just to the west of the camp is a large bath house. Bath tubs are arranged around the walls in such manner as to allow several men to bathe at one time.

Hot water will flow from the pipes, and altogether the camp will be equipped in the latest approved style.

Edward Johnson and John McGraw, two of the Fort Snelling soldiers arrested on the charge of assaulting Conductor C. P. Edlund and Motorman C. L. Boogle, on a Fort Snelling car, Sept. 16, were yesterday sentenced to the workhouse for fifteen days each.

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Dress Goods--A Crepon Sale. Now that the Fall Season has fairly started these fabrics are much discussed and sought after. A Crepon Wednesday. Black English Crepon, real mohair, a quality that can't be bought elsewhere for less than \$1.50 a yard, new designs in raised effects. \$1.00. Real Mohair Crepons, new designs, shown now for the first time, very bright and high lustre, \$1.25. Real Mohair Crepons, the sort that wears well and gives perfect satisfaction—the \$1.75 a yard sort, for \$1.50. Real Silk and Wool Crepons, goods that sell right along at \$3.50 a yard. Our Wednesday special. \$3.00.

Silk Features For Wednesday. All the new and popular weaves of Black Silks, worth 87c to \$1.50, for 69c to 98c. A splendid quality of Plain Colored Corded Taffeta 69c. 500 yards of Colored Taffeta Silks, one yard wide, excellent quality, worth \$1.50 a yard. For Wednesday only \$1.18.

"DON'T PUT OFF TILL TOMORROW THE DUTIES OF TODAY." BUY A CAKE OF SAPOLIO. UP FOR CONTEMPT. VITAL STATISTICS. MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Illinois Miners Sent to Jail for Six Months. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 19.—Judge Allen in the United States district court this afternoon sentenced Lindolph Betz, alias Wolfy, and William Cansler and James "Calloway," both colored, to serve six months in the Sangamon county jail for contempt of court. Betz, Cansler and Calloway are union miners, formerly employed at the St. Louis and Big Muddy iron mines at Carterville, and are now leaders of the strikers. They violated an injunction issued by Judge Allen, restraining all persons from interfering with the management of the property.

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