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Black Dress Goods Bargains—

We cannot speak too extravagantly of the splendid opportunity offered by our CUT PRICES on high class Black Dress Goods. Every day shows an increase in sales, which is evident enough that our low prices on these fine goods are appreciated.

$1.25 Pierola Novelty, on sale now at $1.00 yard.

$2.25 Parisian Novelty, beautiful luster, very popular for skirts or full suits, now $1.75 yard.

$3.50 Parisian Silk and Wool Matalase; one of this season's handsomest materials, now $2.50 yard.

Colored Dress Goods— This reason's tailor-made suits are very popular, but quietly beautiful, striking, and stylish and the cloth used has a great deal to do with it. We have a splendid showing of these much wanted materials.

STYLISH CHEVIOTS, splendid value, 25c yard.

CAMEL'S HAIR CHEVIOT, 38 inches wide, 50c yard.

TAILOR SUITINGS, beautiful, rich finish, 60c yard.

VENETIANS—the one most popular high class material for tailor-made suits, we have reached out with a long arm, and have brought together the most beautiful line of colors and black ever shown in this city, all new choice colors, at $1.25, $1.50 and $2.50 a yard.

Shirt Special—

A line of the celebrated Eighmie unlaundered white shirts that have became somewhat soiled will be placed on the counter Monday at one-half price. We have all sizes excepting 16 and 16½.

The regular price of these are $1.00 each. Your choice Monday of this soiled line 50c each.

Men's Underwear— Special prices to close out all odd and broken lines. Note these reductions.

Men's Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, reduced from 50c to 25c each.

Men's brown Underwear, good heavy fleecing, reduced from 50c to 25c each.

Men's fancy striped wool Underwear, reduced from 75c to 35c or 3 pair for $1.00.

Come early for these as they are priced very low.

Real Laces— What women is there who does not admire them?

We have just received another choice lot of Real Duchesse, Point and Cluny Lace Collars and Fichues. These, together with a large assortment of Duchesse and Real Valenciennes lace edgings make a fine showing. You are invited to inspect them.

Duchesse and Point Lace Pieces from $10.00 to $20.00 each.

Duchesse lace from $2.00 to $6.00 a yard.

Real Valenciennes lace edgings and insertings for handkerchiefs from 35c to $1.75 a yard.

Combs— Of every kind, Empire side, pompadour, dressing, pocket and barber.

Empire combs at 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $2.00 and $2.25 each.

Pompadour at 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 50c.

Side Combs in pairs at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

Dressing Combs at 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c and 75c each.

Barber combs at 10c, 15c and 20c.

Fine combs at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c.

Pocket combs at 5c, 10c, 15c and 20c.

Children's Round combs at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c each.

New French Flannel Waists— Some new, pretty styles in Flannel Waists came in Saturday, the colors are particularly pretty, the style is the sailor effects.

The price is $5.00.

Genuine brown Martin Muffs—we make a specialty of Martin Fur, the muff which we sell for $8.50 is the same as you usually pay $10.00 and $12.00 for.

Pretty Petticoats in all the new and late styles—artistic effects in fine Black Mercerized goods at $2.50, $3.00 $3.50, $4.00 and $4.50.

Handsome Coats made with the new half fitting back in all the new lengths and most desirable shades, from $10.00 to $45.00.

Tailor-made Suits, exclusive styles in the latest blouse effects, at $20.00, $25.00 and $30.00.

A Silk Flannel— We have just received this new material for shirt waists, purely all silk; can be made without lining, good weight, though the fabric is soft and clinging, all plain colors.

At silk counter, at $1.00 yard.

Has No Equal, "The Marvel"—

Washable Glove is not spoiled by perspiration or water.

They can be washed with soap and water and still retain their elasticity—colors pearl, brown and black, $2.00 per pair.

Special—$1.50 Kid Gloves, reduced to $1.00—colors pearl, cream, black, green and red.

Leave your kid gloves here to be cleaned.

Blankets

No matter what price you want to pay for a blanket, no matter what weight, what size or what style you prefer the assortment here justly satisfies you and you buy with the knowledge that it's the most for your money obtainable anywhere.

Gray Fleeced Blankets, size 54x74 inches, at 55c and 75c a pair.

All white, without border, Fleeced Blankets at 70c, $1.00, $1.25 pair.

Gray heavy fleeced, size 66x80, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.35, $1.50 and $1.65 a pair.

Gray, tan or white, extra large size, 72x84 inches, heavy Fleeced Blankets at $1.75, $1.85, $2.00 pair.

All wool white Blankets, heavy quality, size 60x72, at $3.20 a pair.

Size 66x80, at $3.80 a pair.

All wool gray Blankets at $3.60, $4.40, $5.00, $5.25, $6.00, $6.75, $7.50, $8.50, $10.00 a pair.

All wool white Blankets at $4.00, $4.50, $5.00, $5.50, $6.00, $6.50, $7.00, $7.50, $8.50, $9.00, $10.00, $11.00, $12.00 a pair.

Plaid Blankets, all wool, at $3.50, $4.75, $5.00, $6.00, $6.50 a pair.

Corset Bargains in La Vida—

We've too many sorts of corsets, so when we found these two styles with sizes missing instead of filling up stock we drop the price to send them out quickly.

"La Vida" corset, low bust and medium short hip; made of coutelle bone with genuine whalebone. It is needless to say anything in regard to fit, "La Vida" is guarantee enough for that. Regular price $2.75, reduced to $1.50 each.

"La Vida," long waist, boned with real whalebone, black or white, regular prices $3.50 and $3.00, reduced to $1.75 each.

Splendid bargains in corsets if we have your size.

We Close Our Store Saturdays at 6 P. M.

AGENTS FOR FOSTER KID GLOVES AND McCALL'S PATTERNS.

THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO.

THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE DRY GOODS HOUSE IN OMAHA.

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING, COR. 16TH AND DOUGLAS STS.

LOOKS BAD FOR MINISTERS

Cabinet Officials Mixed Up with a Large Number of Corporations.

CHAMBERLAIN THE CHIEF OFFENDER

Another Money-Making Scheme of His is Brought to Light—Prisoners Quartered in His Houses.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Minimum news and maximum rain were the distinguishing features of the week. Such gloomy, wet days as have been experienced here recently are unusual, even for London. Joseph Chamberlain, that central figure in British politics, can congratulate himself, for more reasons than one, upon his absence from his murky, native land. He is disporting himself on the sunny Mediterranean. Thus, the colonial secretary is temporarily safe from the effects of the vigorous personal attacks which continue to be made upon him by the liberals, from Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman down. The latest and most important of these is a statement made by the Morning Leader, showing Mr. Chamberlain holds £7,000 of shares in the Colombo Commercial company, which is receiving large contracts for housing Boer prisoners in Ceylon. What makes the case still more damaging is the fact that Mr. Chamberlain sanctioned, as colonial secretary, a regulation laid down by the governor of Ceylon, strictly prohibiting any officer of the local government from interesting himself or his family in private business. In other words, Mr. Chamberlain forbids his subordinates, under pain of severe penalties, to do what he himself is doing on a large scale. It now seems impossible for Mr. Chamberlain to avoid explanations, for which he will undoubtedly be asked, when Parliament reassembles.

All Are in the Box.

Another feature in the same connection, of which the liberals are making not a little capital, is the extraordinary number of directorships in private companies held by government officials. Of the twenty cabinet ministers, thirteen are directors, while between the thirty-six ministers, twenty-seven directorships are held. The list begins with Lord Salisbury, which assists with an insurance company, and includes Lord Selborne, who is both first lord of the admiralty and a director of the Peninsular & Oriental Steamship company; Mr. Gerald Balfour, who unites a directorship in an aluminum company with the presidency of the Board of Trade, and many other incongruous associations, several of the companies being financially discredited. With such flagrantly weak spots in the armor of the new cabinet it is no wonder the liberals are imploring Lord Roseberry to lead the party. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's appeal to the ex-premier only voiced the feeling of the majority of the party, but it was accompanied by such bitter denunciations of the so-called imperialists that it can scarcely be expected to produce much result.

American enterprise in Great Britain now promises to revolutionize the methods of the War office. The problem of transportation of stores, guns and men over a country having no railroads has long exercised the army experts. Traction engines, bullocks, elephants, horses and mules have been tried with only moderate success. With the view of displacing these a series of experiments is occurring in England, before a War office commission, in which an America motor car, suitable for war service, having on board the driver, an American, and the inventor, attained a speed of thirty miles an hour on grass, going over obstacles and undulations without the slightest difficulty or injury. Further trials are still necessary, but the British officers were favorably impressed with the performance of the motor car and are likely to recommend its adoption by the War office.

Rancor Against Americans.

The fact that so conservative a paper as Punch devotes a cartoon this week to the representation of an American jockey perched on a horse's neck, while the trainer says: "Now, this horse is as fit as chemicals can make him; you have got a galvanic saddle, an electric whip and hypodermic spurs and if you shin a bit further up his neck you ought to lick anything with hair on it," fairly indicates the length to which British rancor toward American jockeys has gone. As a leading American trainer said this week: "It is true Americans use liniments and lotions to take soreness out of horses. What a few of the English need is a lotion to take the soreness out of a few of their bad losers."

The failure of the stewards of the Jockey club to announce any decision after two days of investigation of Lord Durham's charges against Lester Reiff leads to the belief that if any action is taken it will appear when Reiff applies for a license for 1901. The tone of Lord Durham's letter to the stewards of the Jockey club and the personal inconvenience and financial loss Reiff has been put to by the Jockey club officials' failure to notify him in time of the place of their meeting have served to create a reaction of sentiment not only toward Reiff, but toward American jockeys in general. Americans who have watched the progress of a crusade against their jockeys and trainers point out the significant fact that since their importation began every important English race, from the five-furlong dash to the Derby, has been run from four to thirty seconds faster than ever before.

There is a strong intimation in many quarters that Lord Durham's move is particularly an excuse to curtail Richard Croker's English racing career and that the fight against the latter's horse, The Scotchman II, was largely due to his being the owner of that racer.

Prosperity continues to be the keynote of the theatrical season.

SEND FOR FREE SAMPLE

Any person who is suffering with backache caused by kidney trouble, sleeplessnes or a desire to urinate often during the night can be cured if they will use Cramer's Kidney Cure. For urinary and bladder troubles it is without doubt the acme kidney cure on the market. If you have weak kidneys commence taking it at once. Nine-tenths of female troubles are traced to the kidneys. It is pleasant to take. It brightens you up, gives you ambition, drives away that sluggish feeling; gives you strength and makes you feel like a different person Testimonials from people who have used Cramer's Kidney and Liver Cure:

His Case Was a Bad One.

OMAHA, June 16, 1900.—Cramer Chemical Co., Albany, N. Y.—Gentlemen: Your remedy for kidney trouble, with which I suffered for several years, gave me such relief that I felt in duty bound to address you this letter to say that I do not think there is a medicine today that equals it for complaints of the kidneys. My case was a bad one, with severe pains at times. In fact, I had so much distress that I was often compelled to lay awake nights. Seeing your remedy advertised extensively I was induced to try it. After the use of a few bottles I am again in perfect health and have to thank your wonderful remedy for it. I shall recommend it to all my friends having this dire trouble. Respectfully yours, DAVID O'BRIEN.

No Other So Good.

245 Central Ave., Albany, N. Y. Mr. Hanebeck, 2420 Hamilton street, Omaha, says he has tried many remedies for kidney cure, but until he tried Cramer's he failed to find one to give him relief; that after using Cramer's he felt like a new man.

It Made Him a New Man.

James Richardson, jr., connected with the Richardson Drug Co., Omaha, suffered greatly with kidney trouble. He, like thousands of others, after using Cramer's is cured and a new man once more. He is glad to recommend this great remedy to all sufferers and cannot say too much for Cramer's.

Invigorates the Blood.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 12, 1900.—Cramer Chemical Co.: It has been on my mind to testify to the benefits we have had from the use of your unequalled kidney remedy. My father has suffered from kidney trouble for some time. This winter he tried your remedy and found it all and more to him than it promised. He will continue to use it, and feels certain of an entire cure. I have used it myself with inexpressible results. I feel my whole system entirely renovated. I find that besides curing kidney disease it also nourishes and invigorates the blood. We are never without it in our family. ROSE MUEHLICK.

Was Much Run Down.

OMAHA, July 12, 1900.—I was a sufferer with kidney complaint. Very much run down and thought it was all up with me for awhile. I heard of Cramer's and with a few bottles I was entirely cured. I recommend this remedy to all who are sick and need a good kidney regulator. ARTHUR JONES, Manager Western Car Service Association.

The "Boss" Medicine.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 21, 1897.—Cramer Chemical Co., Albany, N. Y.: I can cheerfully recommend your kidney remedy as the "boss" medicine for kidney complaint. The contents of two bottles has cured me and I have ordered five bottles to be sent to my mother-in-law, who is suffering from kidney trouble. Yours truly, JOHN HAUFF.

Insist on having Cramer's—take no substitute. Samples mailed free by addressing

CRAMER CHEMICAL CO., Albany, N. Y.

"Force and Will Power"

Says Dr. Bennett, "Are Absolutely Necessary in This Age of Rush and Push if You Would Succeed, for the Weak Must Give Way to the Strong."

ALL WEAKNESSES ARISING FROM INDISCRETION AND EXCESSES IN BOTH SEXES MAY BE PERFECTLY CURED BY THE APPLICATION OF ELECTRICITY—THE DOCTOR GUARANTEES HIS ELECTRIC BELT TO CURE EVERY PHASE AND GUISE OF LOST VITALITY AND MANHOOD AND MAKE YOU AS WELL AND STRONG AS NATURE INTENDED YOU TO BE—DR. BENNETT IS THE DISCOVERER OF HIS METHOD OF APPLYING ELECTRICITY AND THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT GIVES HIM THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF HIS METHODS AS A REWARD FOR HIS DISVOERY AND RESEARCH—WRITE FOR EXPOSE OF "FREE (?) TRIAL" AND "PAY WHEN YOU ARE CURED" CONCERNS.

You take no chances when you begin treatment with my Electric Belt. It will make you well again — as strong and as vigorous as Nature intended you to be. I warrant the cure in every case where I recommend the treatment of my Electric Belt; if it will not cure you I will not sell it to you. I have no dissatisfied patients, nor am I going to have any. My Electric Belt is no experiment. It represents my years of hard work, study and money. I know exactly what it will do—that is why I can warrant a cure. If my Belt would not cure the weaknesses of men and women the public would have discovered the fact long ago—no humbug can keep up a pretense very long. The people whom my Belt has cured can be found living out their lives in health and comfort. Electricity is the Vital and Nerve Force of every human being. When there is a lack of Electricity in the system you are sick. Nature will not supply it, for perhaps Nature has been abused. That is what my Belt is for—to supply what Nature will not.

Dr. Bennett's Electric Belt

is entirely different from all other Electric Belts. It has soft, silken, chamois-covered sponge, water-chamber electrodes that do away with that frightful burning and blistering caused by all other makes of belts (if they give a current), which have bare metal electrodes, upon which verdigris accumulates. Verdigris is a deadly poison. Some concerns attempt to imitate my electrodes, which are my exclusive patent, by covering the bare metal discs with a thin coating of chamois or felt, through which a current of electricy cannot pass, but through which verdigris will soak. My Electric Belt can be renewed when burned out for only 75 cents; no other belt can be renewed for any price and when burned out is worthless. My Electrical Suspensory for the perfect cure of diseases of men free to each male patient.

If you have ben led into buying one of these counterfeit belts, and it burns you full of holes, or if you are afraid of the verdigris, or if it gives no current, send it to me as half price of one of mine.

I guarantee my Belt to cure Sexual Impotency, Lost Manhood, Varicocele, Spermatorrhea, and all Sexual Weaknesses in either sex; restore Shrunken or Undeveloped Organs and Vitality; cure Kidney, Liver and Bladder troubles, Rheumatism in any form, Chronic Constipation, Nervous and General Debility, Dyspepsia, all Female Complaints, etc.

10,000 Persons Write Like This.

R. G. Barr, 1229 9th St., Denver, Colo., says: "I am a poor man, but I would not take $100 in gold for my belt if I could not get another. I consulted three prominent physicians of this city for a serious KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE, but without relief. At last I was persuaded to try one of your belts. After wearing it a few times I commenced to improve, and now I again feel like a young man. From my own experience I do not think the claim you make for your Electric Belt is any too strong."

A plain, complete statement of facts is what I want to make to you regarding the merits of my Electric Belt. "Truth is the firmest ground upon which people can live." I believe in plain truths and honest facts. I do business in a business way, and do not advertise that I will give you a free (?) trial of my Electric Belt and then not do it; neither do I advertise that you may "Pay me when cured" just in order to have you write to me, so I can offer you a belt at half the list price, as you know some concerns do. I have the best Electric Belt in the world and know; and I also know it will cure you. If you become cured through the agency of my Electric Belt you will certainly have to pay for it. I could not make a living unless you paid. Neither could others; therefore, when they offer you a free (?) trial look out for the "trick." Electricity as applied by my Belt cannot help but cure the weaknesses of men and women, therefore I guarantee the cure in every case.

Call or write today. I will send you my book, "The Finding of the Fountain of Eternal Youth," and literature free for the asking. Book will tell you all about it. Advice and consultation without cost.

DR. BENNETT Electric Belt Company,

Rooms 18 to 21 Douglas Block, Dodge and 16th Sts., Omaha, Neb. Open Sundays 10 to 1.

GO TO SEE VON WALDERSEE

Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang Received by Commander of Allies.

PRINCE TUAN IS SAID TO BE UNDER ARREST

Imperial Edict Condemning to Death Yu Hsien, Governor of Shan Si, is Expected by the Foreigners at Shanghai.

PEKIN, Thursday, Nov. 15.—The commander-in-chief of the international forces, Count von Waldersee, received Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang, the Chinese peace commissioners, today at the imperial palace. Von Waldersee demanded that the Chinese troops be withdrawn from the vicinity of the territory occupied by the allied forces, adding that if this was done the despatch of military expeditions by the allies would be discontinued.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—A news agency dispatch from Shanghai says Prince Tuan is under arrest at Nighsia, province of Shan Si; that Governor Yu Hsien has been arrested at Pinan, near Sian Fu, and that Sheng, the director of telegraphs and railroads, has memorialized the throne, denouncing Yu Hsien.

The dispatch adds that an edict is expected condemning Yu Hsien to death.

Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be.

This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long.

The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is to give vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cured the niece of Frank Fay, 106 N. St., South Boston, Mass., who writes that she had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia for six years; had been without appetite and had been troubled with sour stomach and headache. She had tried many other medicines in vain. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla made her well.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Don't wait till you are worse, but buy a bottle today.

ROBBER REPUBLIC IN CHINA

Russian Troops Engage Followers of Shaidengue and Capture Several Guns.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 17.—The Russian troops are encountering a robber republic lying south of Kirin, Manchuria, in the mountainous basin of the Upper Sungari. The president of this clan of banditti is a certain Shaidengue. According to general staff dispatches, Lieutenant Colonel Ruroff, with two companies of infantry and a troops of Cossacks, who were reconnoitering recently, collided with Shaidengue and two battalions of Chinese regular troops, who were operating with him. Lieutenant Colonel Duroff captured two guns in the engagement. General Foh, a few days later, with a mixed Russian force, engaged 3,000 of Shaindengue's followers in the same pass in which Lieutenant Colonel Duroff fought the bandits. General Foh also took two guns.

General Rennenkampf, with five sotnais of Cossacks, had a sharp fight on November 11, twenty versts from Kerein on the Kerein-Mukden road, with Chinese regular troops. Twenty Cossacks were killed and twenty were wounded.

A reconnaissance developed the fact that Moguesshan is enclosed with a stone wall eighteen feet high and that the inner city also is walled.

PAY FOR MISSION PROPERTY

Chinese Order the First Installment Turned Over to American Consul.

CANTON, Nov. 17.—The American consul here has been notified that the Board of Reconstruction has been ordered to pay $10,000 as the first installment in settlement of American claims. All the consuls are pressing for indemnity for the destroyed missions. A special deputy has been appointed for each district to estimate the damage done, the Chinese apparently realizing that settlement of the claims is the only method of ridding Canton of foreign gunboats.

A fire has occurred here which destroyed between 200 and 300 houses.

HELPED IN THE MASSACRES

Tartar Marshal and Chinese Officer to Pay Penalty for Aiding Recent Atrocities.

PARIS, Nov. 17.—At a council of the ministers today M. Delcasse, the French minister of foreign affairs, announced that the ministers at Pekin had transmitted to their respective governments a number of articles of their joint note and they contemplated adding six points to those already reached as a basis for peace negotiations.

A dispatch from General Voyron, the commander of the French forces in China, said the French column returning from Pao Ting Fu had occupied the imperial tombs 100 kilometers southwest of Pekin. French and Russian forces, the dispatch also said, occupied the tombs situated the same distance from Pekin.

The French commander also announced that a Tartar marshal and a Chinese officer had been condemned to death by an international commission for having participated in the massacres. The conditions were quieter in the vicinity of Pao Ting Fu, though some Boxers were still there.

STANDS IN AWE OF FRANCE

Cantonese Aver That a Certain Power Has Demanded Leave to Garrison Point of Vantage.

HONG KONG, Nov. 17.—Chinese officials aver that a certain power has demanded leave to place troops upon a hill overlooking Canton. No foreign authority confirms the assertion, but the Cantonese continue to fear French designs upon the city.

TRIBUTES OF RICE STOPPED

Viceroys of Yang Tse Afraid That Shipments to Tsang Yu Will Be Intercepted.

TIEN TSIN, Nov. 17.—The viceroys of the Yang Tse region have stopped the shipment of tributes of rice to Tsang Yu, being afraid they will be intercepted. The court, it is evident, will proceed to Chen Tu.

DEATH RECORD.

W. M. Fuller.

William McPherson Fuller, 40 years of age, for more than fourteen years a traveling salesman for E. E. Bruce & Co., died November 14 after a protracted illness. The funeral will be held today from All Saints' church, after a brief ceremony at the residence, 4110 Lafayette avenue; interment at Forest Lawn cemetery under auspices of Covert lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

Mr. Fuller met with singular success as a traveling salesman, was popular with his patrons and business associates and was held in high esteem by his firm. He was best known perhaps in the Elkhorn country and Black Hills. Last summer he traveled for his health throughout Arizona and Texas, during which time his employers continued his salary.

Two Old Settlers.

STORM LAKE, Ia., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Oliver Rae died Wednesday, last, of pleurisy and heart failure. He was 59 years old and had lived in Storm Lake, since 1882. The funeral took place Friday afternoon.

On Thursday, November 15, Mrs. George Brown passed away after a long period of intense suffering from catarrh of the stomach. She was 45 years of age, the wife of a prominent merchant, and located in this city twenty-two years ago. The funeral will be held from the Methodist church, Sunday, November 18.

Mrs. Augusta Metz.

WEST POINT, Neb., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—The remains of Mrs. Augusta Metz, aged 62 years, who died in Omaha Wednesday night, were interred today in the public cemetery under the auspices of the German Lutheran church, Rev. A. R. E. Oelschlaeger officiating. She leaves four daughters, Mrs. Frank Drahos of Beemer, Mrs. Charles Korb of this place, Miss Elsie Metz of the Millard hotel, Omaha, and Miss Antonia Metz. The deceased was one of the pioneer women of West Point, having been the widow of one of Cuming county's first county clerks. She was a woman of great force of character and possessed of many graces of mind and heart.

Joseph Armbruster.

WEST POINT, Neb., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Joseph Armbruster, one of the best known farmers in Monterey precinct, in this county, died last week and was buried in the cemetery of St. Boniface in Monterey on Wednesday. He had resided in Cuming county continually for thirty years. He was 53 years of age and leaves six children and a large and valuable estate. The cause of his death was typhoid fever.

Mrs. J. B. Cope.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. J. B. Cope, an elderly lady, who has for the last twenty years made her home here, died as the result of a paralytic stroke which came upon her last week. The deceased leaves a husband and three small children. Rev. J. H. Beery conducted the funeral service at the Christian church and the interment took place at the city cemetery.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Ropers.

WEST POINT, Neb., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Wilhelmina Ropers died in the hospital at Sioux City, Ia., and was interred in the German Lutheran cemetery in this place yesterday afternoon. Deceased was an old resident of this county, a widow, leaving three children.

Dies in the Philippines.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Senator Kyle is advised by the War department that Eltan J. Rumsey of Columbia died in the Philippines on October 21. He was a member of Troop L of the regular army.

ODD FELLOWS TO MEET

Sovereign Grand Lodge to Consider Admission of Delegates from Foreign Countries.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 17.—Indiana grand lodge of Odd Fellows' officers today made arrangements for the meeting of the sovereign grand lodge in this city September 15 to 21 of next year. It was agreed to offer prizes aggregating $1,000 for drills and considerable sums for prizes for degree work. A parade and display of fireworks will be features of the meeting. There are 186 members of the sovereign grand lodge.

The convention will act on a constitutional amendment for the admission of delegates from Germany, Australia and other countries. The delegate representation is now confined to the United States and Canada.

HYMENEAL.

Ewing-Wagner.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Mr. L. A. Ewing and Miss Celia Wagner were married this morning at St. Bonaventura's Catholic church, Rev. Father Kollmyer officiating. There was a large number of invited friends present to witness the ceremony. Mr. Ewing is a newspaper man well known in Omaha and Lincoln, and is connected with the Humphrey Democrat. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner, and has lived here five years, coming from West Point.

Young-Stonehocker.

SIDNEY, Neb., Nov. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—At the residence of the county judge in this city, Miss Bertha Stonehocker of Milo, Neb., was married to George B. Young of Kirk, S. D., Judge Sanders officiating.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

MIND AND FOOD.

Kind of Food that Affects the Mind.

"One of the most remarkable effects of the food Grape-Nuts is the effect on the mind; it makes one feel buoyant, hopeful and cheerful," says Alice L. Glunt of 2422 Broad street, Altoona, Pa. She continues: "As a result of prolonged mental work I was stricken with paralysis of the right side about two years and a half ago. For about two years I was treated constantly with powerful drugs to stimulate the nerve centers, with only partial success.

"About six months ago I was theatened with nervous prostration again, when a friend advised me to eat Grape-Nuts food. I was entirely skeptical concerning any beneficial results, but, finding the food very palatable, I bought package after package and since beginning the use of Grape-Nuts have taken no medicine or nerve tonics of any kind and the effect of this perfect food on my health is something very remarkable. All headaches, insomnia and a disagreeable cough and my symptoms of paralysis have disappeared.

"I am satisfied that all the ills that I have suffered were due to the fact that I lived just as thousands of others who think they are well fed, but are in a state of semi-starvation, owing to imperfect assimilation of food. The nerve centers can not be properly nourished and rebuilt except by good food and food that can be digested and assimilated. Grape-Nuts food is the most perfect food I have ever seen and I know of its value from practical results."

This is another evidence of the fact that Grape-Nuts food contains the phosphate of potash which unites with albumen to make the gray matter in the nerve centers and brain. Any brain worked who values health, strength and vigor should pay heed to the character of food he uses.

MOCK REFORM IN NEW YORK

District Attorney Gardiner Secures Many Warrants, but Gamblers Are Not Afraid.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—District Attorney Gardiner, to whom Mayor Van Wyck, upon the receipt of Bishop Potter's anti-vice letter, directed a communication requesting that steps be taken by the district attorney's office to suppress the vicious conditions existing on the east side, today secured fifty warrants, returnable tomorrow. Colonel Gardiner's assistants secured 100 warrants when Superintendent McCullough submitted his evidence and affidavits against the disorderly resorts on the east side, which resulted in three arrests.

In speaking of the crusade, Colonel Gardiner said: "We will start where Bishop Potter says things are in such a bad way, on the east side, and then, if necessary, the reform will take in other parts of the city. They are scared pretty badly now on the east side since my detectives have turned their attention in that direction."

The pool rooms and gambling houses were open as usual today, undisturbed by the wide advertisement of the Tammany crusade against vice. The only seeming effect of the publicity that has been given to Mr. Croker's declaration was that doorkeepers in the best patronized resorts for betting on the races performed their duty in something more than the perfunctory manner that ruled earlier in the week, and patrons who were not known had to go through the form of satisfying the guards before being admitted. No person who had money and the wish to bet found any real difficulty in placing wagers, however, and the down town pool rooms were more than ordinarily busy.

The down town gambling houses, nearly all of which are known as day games, and which are closed a short time after business in the trade centers is suspended, were open in the afternoon. In the gaming establishments of the tenderloin and hotel district it was said that there was no idea that a general closing would be ordered and interference by the police was not anticipated.

PREACHER SENT TO PRISON

Rev. Mr. Rich is Convicted of Perjury in United States Court at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 17.—Rev. Alonzo Rich was today, in the United States district court, sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and fined $100 for perjury in a pension claim. Rich formerly lived in Michigan, were he was a traveling preacher. He married the widow of an Iowa soldier, who afterward secured a divorce from him for cruelty. Then, to help her obtain a pension, Rich perjured himself by swearing that their marriage was illegal, asserting that he already had a wife. In his trial it was proved that he had no other wife. When sentence was about to be passed Rich said:

"I am an old man, 65 years old, broken in mind and body. I know I have sinned and deserve punishment. I throw myself upon the mercy of the court."

Cabinet Stays in Crimea.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 17.—A dispatch to the Novoe Vremya from Simferopol, in the Crimea, says the departure of the cabinet ministers from Yalta to St. Petersburg has been postponed.

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