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CLEARANCE SALE AT THE FAIR.

Our Special Reduction on Clothing, Heavy Underwear, Ladies' Wraps and Wrappers continues until our present stock is reduced sufficiently to make room for our spring stock. Consider the prices quoted below.

Men's Suits from \$5.20 to \$14.40.
Men's Overcoats from \$3.60 to \$12.00.
Boys' suits from \$1.20 to \$6.40.
Boys' Overcoats from \$1.60 to \$3.20.
Ladies' Jackets from \$2.50 to \$8.00.
Ladies' Capes from \$4.00 to \$10.40.
Ladies' Flannelette wrappers from 69c to \$1.70.

See our goods and compare values before buying elsewhere.

THE FAIR, Bennett & Tarbet, Props.

TERRIBLE FIRE IN AN ORPHAN HOME.

One Hundred Children Pinned in by Flames.

TWENTY-EIGHT VICTIMS OF THE FIRE

Heroic Work on the Part of People Before the Firemen Could Arrive on the Scene. Many Jumped to Death.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Not since the holocaust which occurred at the lantern works fire in this city in 1888, has such an awful catastrophe afflicted Rochester as the fire that occurred here early this morning, which destroyed the orphan asylum in Hubbel park. Shortly before 1 o'clock this morning Mrs. Cline, a nurse in the Potter annex, smelled smoke, which was located as coming from the boiler room by the matron, who had been aroused. Three alarms were immediately sent in, but before the arrival of the department the flames spread rapidly and ran throughout the large building. People for blocks around rushed to the rescue of the little ones pinned up in the building, whose escape by stairways had been cut off. Windows were crowded with people, whose agonized faces urged the rescuers to hasten with beds and blankets to catch those who could jump.

Many of them took the leap, some from the third story. One woman miscalculated the distance and crashed to the pavement a corpse. Many suffered broken limbs from the fall, those holding the blankets being unable to maintain sufficient rigidity to catch the falling bodies. Firemen upon their arrival, ran up ladders to the windows and the roof and began carrying down the children. Body after body, however, was only a blackened corpse. The living and dead were taken to houses near by and laid on floors, couches and beds. In one house 12 dead bodies were lying at one time. Ambulances soon arrived and the wounded were speedily taken to the hospitals. At 5 o'clock sixteen bodies had arrived at the morgue and it is expected the number will be increased to twenty-five and possibly thirty. The nurses and employes behaved most bravely, some of the former being frightfully burned in an effort to see their charges safely out.

There Were 109 Inmates.

There were 109 inmates in the institution, 95 of whom were children. The survivors are quartered at the various hospitals and residences. The victims, who at noon numbered 28, are laid out at the morgue for identification. An accurate list is unobtainable at this hour. Several deaths will probably occur during the day among the injured.

The financial loss will not exceed \$20,000, the west wing only of the asylum being destroyed. With few exceptions, the children killed were less than ten years old. Three-fourths of the inmates were not orphans, but private patients left to the care of the asylum.

GENERAL NEWS.

W. J. Bryan says the first issue of his paper, "The Commoner," will appear about the 20th inst.

Five bags of registered letters have been stolen on the road between Turin and Rome. Three of the bags came from New York.

Former United States Senator J. A. Bradley died at his home in Augusta, Maine, Sunday, of bronchitis, aged nearly 98 years.

Daniel J. Davis, father of Webster Davis, the former assistant secretary of the interior, died at Kansas City, aged 64. He was a veteran of the union army.

The Vienna correspondent of the London Chronicle asserts that Russia in her agreement with China undertakes to defend the latter against an attack on her forts.

Nikola Tesla, the wizard of electricity, is completely satisfied that attempts are being made by the inhabitants of some other planet to communicate with the people of this earth.

A distinctive feature of the inauguration of President McKinley, 11 plans under way to fill their early program, will be a large representation of the colleges and universities of the United States in the line of parade.

Mrs. Mary E. Lease has decided not to sue her husband, Charles Lease, for divorce. The conciliation was brought about by their children. Mrs. Lease will shortly return to Wichita, Kan., quit politics and settle down to private domestic life.

It is asserted by the Cape Town correspondent that unless the forces in Cape Colony are increased a most undesirable state of affairs may result, as the success in arms of the invaders, however slight, might be the signal for a Dutch uprising.

Phillip Danforth Armour, financier and multi-millionaire, head of the vast commercial establishment that bears his name, died at his home in Chicago Sunday evening, aged 66 years, of an affection of the heart. He leaves a fortune estimated at \$40,000,000 to \$60,000,000. He was born in Oneida county, New York.

During the absence of William Chilesier and his wife from their home near Marietta, Ohio, Thomas, a 9-year-old son, shot and killed his sister Florence, aged 14. No reason is known. He apparently does not realize the enormity of his crime, and fought for possession of the gun when a neighbor tried to take it. The parents are prostrated, and the mother may die.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Ex-Senator Dubois was nominated by joint caucus for United States senator at Boise City Monday morning.

John James is missing from his cabin near Desolation Lake, and has not been heard of for three weeks.

Mrs. W. K. Beane, wife of the former pastor of the Vincent Methodist church at Spokane, died Saturday at Los Angeles, Cal.

Montana is the chief wool producing state in the union, and has more sheep than any other state except one. The state's clip this year exceeded 24,000,000 pounds.

The socialist party of the state of Washington was organized at Colfax, Wash., by F. J. Spring, state organizer, assisted by several socialist leaders of Whitman county.

State Treasurer Charles S. Moore of Oregon reports the receipts for the past six months amounting to \$785,372.08, and the disbursements, \$921,599.89 balance on hand January 1, 1901, \$944,623.40.

The O. R. & N. Co. has quoted a rate of a single fare for the round trip from its territory to the convention of the National Woolgrowers' and National Livestock Associations in Salt Lake City January 15-18.

The Sherman County Poultry Association has organized with the following officers: J. B. Mewry, president; E. C. Tozier, vice-president; W. B. Johnston, secretary and treasurer; A. C. Thompson, S. Huff, H. A. Page, executive committee.

David J. Schelby died at his home at Ellensburg, Wash., Saturday. He was the oldest newspaper man in the Northwest, having been editor of the Oregon City Spectator in 1852, and was contemporaneous with the Oregonian. He was born in Hagerstown, Maryland, in 1818.

Young Mothers

Stand in special need of help while the baby is being nursed. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription not only strengthens the woman for motherhood and makes the birth hour practically painless, but it increases the nutritive secretions on which the child is fed. It soothes the nerves, encourages the appetite, and rapidly restores the mother to robust health. There is no alcohol in "Favorite Prescription," neither opium, cocaine, nor any other narcotic.

"I wish to let you know the great benefit my wife derived through taking your 'Favorite Prescription' writes Mr. Robert Harden of Brandon, Manitoba, Box 236, '21 1/2' ails at childbirth. We had heard so much of it that my wife decided to try it. (I may say my wife is thirty-three and this child is her first child.) She commenced to take 'Favorite Prescription' five months before her child was born. We have a healthy girl, and we believe that this was mainly owing to the 'Favorite Prescription' taken faithfully according to directions. We shall certainly recommend it to all our friends who are in the same condition."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets put the bowels in a healthy condition.

NOTABLE SPEECH BY LODGE

Addressed the Senate on the Amendment to the Army Bill.

SHOWS THE NEED FOR 100,000 MEN

Burlleigh Substitute for the Hopkins Apportionment Measure Passes, Making the House Membership 386.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A notable speech was made in the senate by Lodge of Massachusetts. Addressing the senate on the amendment to the army bill, striking out the provision for a veterinary corps, he discussed briefly and principally in the form of a colloquy with Senator Bacon, of Georgia, on the Philippine question and the necessity for an army of 100,000 men. In conclusion he drew a brilliant word picture of the commercial future of the United States declaring that the trade conflict with Europe had already begun and could result only in the commercial and economical supremacy of this country over the entire world. In this industrial conflict he apprehended no danger from a material contest with any nation of the world but urged the necessity for a strong and scientifically organized army and a powerful navy, in order that the United States might be prepared to defend its rights against any possible foe.

REAPPORTIONMENT BILL.

Final Action Will Be Taken on the Measure.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The animated debate in the house on the reapportionment of representation from the various states is nearing its close, it being unanimously agreed today that the final vote would be taken before the session closes tomorrow. Hopkins expressed confidence that the bill bearing his name will be passed tomorrow, although there may be a slight change giving an additional member to Florida, Colorado and North Dakota. Notable speeches today were by Crumpacker of Indiana, dealing with the alleged disfranchisement in the south; by Hepburn of Iowa, severely arraigning the present rules annihilating constitutional prerogatives of the house and by Grow of Pennsylvania, comparing the old system in the house with that of the present.

The Burlleigh Bill Adopted.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The house at 4:25 o'clock this afternoon began voting on the Burlleigh substitute for Hopkins's apportionment bill, providing for a membership of 386, and the Burlleigh measure was passed by a vote of 165 to 102.

Married His Wife.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Norman, Selby (Kid McCoy) and his former wife Julia were remarried at Gould's hotel last night. They were recently divorced, and McCoy feeling himself in the wrong upon reflection, apologized to his wife and a second marriage was agreed to.

Marching on Panama.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Consul General Guider, at Panama, cables that the Colombian government announces a body of revolutionists is approaching Panama prepared for a fight and a battle is imminent.

Sugar Goes Up.

New York, Jan. 8.—The announcement was made today that all refiners had advanced all grades of refined sugar 10 cents.

The Kansas Legislature Convenes.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 8.—The legislature convened at noon. The republican caucus nominees for officers of the senate and house were elected.

HAWAIIAN ISLAND NEWS.

The Volcano Maunakea Threatens Again; to Proceed Against the Trusts.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—New just received here from Honolulu by steamer state that the indications are that the volcano Maunakea will soon be in eruption again. Dense volumes of smoke hang about the crater and the rumblings that always precede a flow are heard.

The American schooner Twilight from the south seas put in at Honolulu in a badly damaged condition. She is leaking at the rate of ten inches an hour and had to be beached to keep her afloat. She has a cargo of two hundred tons of copra aboard.

District attorney Baird has received positive instructions from Attorney General Griggs to make a thorough investigation of all concerns and combinations which are formed in restraint of trade and to proceed against them if his investigations warrant him in so doing, criminally or civilly as the circumstances of the case demand. Mr. Baird says "Trusts as they are known in the United States are not the trusts that are known here. Those of Honolulu are those of business combinations in restraint of trade. My instructions are of such a nature that I will proceed to investigate them immediately. I will certainly proceed against all that do not dissolve or cancel their legal agreements." If lumber, oil and other trusts which tend to hurt the community exist, they will receive the attention of the district attorney.

That left the coast about the middle of December arrived in more or less damaged condition here. They report passing through the severest gale in recent years. The storm evidently originated between here and the mainland, for not a trace was felt at Honolulu. The new steamer Sierra of the Spreckles line arrived two days overdue. Her cargo and the mail was badly damaged by the water that washed over her deck. The Canadian steamer Warrimoon, and the Pacific vessel rough voyage, laboring fearfully for five days and nights under slow

Knock-Out Drops

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