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SALE 1903 EMBROIDERIES

Many have taken advantage of this sale. We have secured the greatest line ever shown here.

Muslin Under Wear Sale

If you have not attended the Muslin Underwear Sale, you surely have missed a real treat and our advice is, come early as possible.

Pre-Inventory Sale

Prices pleasing to every visitor. Lowest prices yet made on like goods.

- 20 Per Cent Discount on all Children's Wraps
20 Per Cent Discount on all Fannel Waists
25 Per Cent Discount on all Wraps, \$20 upwards
25 Per Cent Discount on all Ladies' Dress Suits.

GREAT

Clearance Sale

Only a few more days of this Great Clearance Sale, prior to inventory. Clearing of all Wool Dress Goods and Silks, many broken lines and short lengths at half price—never were Dress Goods so cheap as now.

CLEARING OF GOUTING FLANNEL GOWNS, KIMONOS AND DRESSING SACQUES—Still a very complete stock. See a window full of these.

GREAT CLEARING SALE OF CHILDREN'S JACKETS AND COATS—Every kind and color at a big cut in price.

CLEARING OF KNITTED UNDERWEAR—Women's and Children's Underwear is moving out at a rapid rate, the prices in many instances are half and less—buy now while sizes are not too much broken.

TO CLOSE—One lot of 10 dozen Men's Underwear, Fleece Shirts and Pants, 45c values for, each 21c Others—Worth 10c now half, each 25c

SILK CUFFS—Just 25 of them left, in black and in white and black, to close at half price. A table full of Women's and Children's Hose, in plain, in fast black, fine and heavy ribbed, worth 20c and 25c, choice, per pair 10c

Boy's Extra Heavy School Hose, in a full line of sizes wear like leather, clearance Price 25c

Millinery Clearance

Trimmed Hats—A good assortment—most any style and all at half price. Children's School Hats and Caps at half and less to close before inventory.

Every department has exceptional bargains to offer the next ten days.

G. Y. SMITH, Eighth and Houston Streets

HAS SLEPT FOR 100 DAYS

MISS DORA MEEKS SHOWS NO SIGN OF AWAKENING

RESULT OF A QUARREL

She Loses Consciousness Sept. 28 Following an Altercation With Her Lover—Her Eyes Remain Half-Shut, Seeing Nothing—She Takes a Little Nourishment and Is in Good Physical Condition

CENTRALIA, Ills., Jan. 7.—The one hundredth day of the remarkable sleep of Miss Dora Meek finds her better than last week, though showing no sign of awakening. She has been silent since September 28, sleeping soundly about eighteen hours a day and the remainder of the time sitting with her head drooping as though asleep, eyes half shut, apparently hearing nothing.

AUSTRIA AND ITALY WILL ALSO PROTEST

Follow the Action of Great Britain in Regard to the Passage of Four Torpedo Boats into Black Sea

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 7.—Great Britain's protest against the permission granted in September last to four unarmed Russian torpedo boat destroyers to pass through the Dardanelles into the Black sea, under the commercial flag of Russia, will, it is believed, be followed by similar action on the part of Austria-Hungary and Italy, while Germany and France will remain aloof.

Germany's position is in consonance with her traditional policy not to embarrass the port, while France abstains from acting against the interests of her ally, Russia.

JOINT NOTE OF POWERS SUGGESTS CONDITIONS

Germany Would Prefer to Close Up the Matter Through Minister Bowen Rather Than Wait on The Hague Tribunal

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—That portion of the joint reply of the powers to Venezuela suggesting settlement without arbitration, only goes so far as to offer to treat for the settlement of the trouble after the payment of \$250,000 to each power.

THE FATE OF THE BALFOUR MINISTRY WOULD BE SEALED IF ENGLAND WERE TO BE INVOLVED IN SLIGHTEST COMPLICATION WITH THE UNITED STATES BY GERMANY—BRITISH INTERESTS FAVORED BY MONROE DOCTRINE

BRITONS CHAFE UNDER THE GERMAN ALLIANCE

There are warnings from the provincial press that Lord Lansdowne must make strenuous efforts to remove the obstacles which Germany is placing in the way of a speedy settlement, and there are also elaborate arguments in demonstration of the position that British interests will be served best by a frank acceptance of the Monroe doctrine as a safeguard against European schemes of annexation or of a partition of the western hemisphere.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A growing feeling of impatience at Berlin over the prospect of a prolonged delay in regard to a settlement of the Venezuela claims is, according to the Tribune's London correspondent, noted judiciously by a good many writers of the press. The Germany embassy in London is reported as reflecting the opinion of the Berlin foreign office that an award must be made within three months from the opening of the proceedings at The Hague tribunal.

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WHOLE TOWN WIPED OUT BY A FIRE

A Colorado Summer Resort Is Nothing But Ashes—Caught By Sparks From a Passing Engine

CANSEL, Colo., Jan. 7.—The town of Webster, a summer resort five miles above Cassels in Platte Canon, has been totally destroyed by fire. The fire was started by a spark from a passing locomotive, which set the Webster hotel afire, and soon the flames spread to adjacent barns and out-houses.

MORE ABOUT THE DURBAR

MAGNIFICENCE OF THE DISPLAY REACHES CLIMAX

REVIEW OF THE CHIEFS

Viceroy and Lady Curzon Review a Vast Procession of the Emperor's Retainers—The Variety and Color of the Costumes and Equipages the Most Striking Picture of the Festivities

DELHI, Ind., Jan. 7.—Viceroy and Lady Curzon and the duke and duchess of Connaught today reviewed the retainers of the ruling chief in the durbar arena. The variety of costumes and paraphernalia afforded one of the most striking pictures of the durbar festivities.

Flags and other emblems of the different states, gold and silver guns of state of Baroda and ancient Maharaja's flags descended from the mogul emperors were borne past on elephants. Carriages in which were seated bands with kettle drums, drawn by richly caparisoned elephants and horses; agile swordsmen accompanied by many shouting battle cries followed one another in quick succession.

BAD DAY FOR BURGLARS AND SAFE BLOWERS

EAGLE, Wis., Jan. 7.—As a result of an early morning encounter between a posse of Eagle citizens and a gang of four burglars and safe blowers four miles from here, one robber was fatally shot, one captured and two escaped, the woods being surrounded.

SENATOR MACLAURIN TO CALL

To Present Statement of the Indiana Case to Department

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Senator MacLaurin will call at the postoffice department this afternoon in regard to Indiana postoffice case. The senator wrote for a complete statement of the case the other day. He expects the statement from Indiana this afternoon, which he will present to the department.

CHARTERS FILED AT AUSTIN

Dallas Trust Company Records Capital of \$1,000,000

ASSAULTED IN DAYLIGHT

J. J. Barnett of Bay City Held up and Robbed of His Money

WELLS ON SPINDLE TOP ARE FLOWING AGAIN

BEAUMONT, Tex., Jan. 7.—Two wells in Spindle Top, which had practically been abandoned, are today flowing pure oil. It is believed that water can be pumped from the hill, making all the wells producers.

CLEVER ACTRESS IS DYING

Miss Etta Butler in Hospital With Unknown Ailment

HANGED FOR TWO MURDERS CAMDEN N. J., Jan. 7.—Paul Woodward was hanged here this morning for the murder of two boys.

HEIRESS SELLS HER RIGHTS

CLAIM TO ITALIAN INHERITANCE DISPOSED OF

PREFERS BIRD IN HAND

Miss Bruton of Alameda, Cal., Is Satisfied With \$6,000 in American Gold in Lieu of What Might Come to Her Through Adoption by Italian Nobleman

ADMIRAL DEWEY COMING HOME

PURPOSE IS ACCOMPLISHED

The Mayflower and Dolphin Will Sail for Washington Thursday—Admiral Sumner Transfers His Flag to the Cruiser Newark, and Will Return to His Atlantic Station

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OUR GRAND SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE!

Inaugurated last Monday, continues to attract the attention of economical shoppers. Prices announced Sunday morning still prevail.

Special Tomorrow

Satin Gros Grain, Cream Moire and Satin Taffeta—In lengths suitable for the neck and hair and fancy pillow ruffling, values 4c to 50c the yard, Clearance Sale

Half Price

Early Shoppers Will Get Fine Picking

22 PHYSICIANS COULD NOT SAVE HIS LIFE

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—William Venzlage, 37 years old, an optician formerly of San Francisco, but for the last three months a resident of Mont Clair, N. J., committed suicide at the home of his brother-in-law, David H. McIlvain, shortly after midnight Monday night by shooting himself in the left breast.

BUFFALO NOW POSSESSES RICHEST COACHMAN

BUFFALO, Jan. 7.—This city can probably boast of having the richest coachman in the world. He is Frank Smith, for the past eleven years coachman to William I. Mills, one of Buffalo's wealthiest citizens, who died here a few days since.

WILL INTRODUCE NEW STYLE OF TROTTER

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Arrangements are now being made to introduce next season a new style of trotting races for testing and developing the combined speed and stamina of the American carriage horse.

STATE PRIMARY CAN NOT BE ENJOINED

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 7.—Circuit Judge Cantrill has refused to grant an injunction to restrain the holding of a state primary by the democratic party of this state.

HARVESTERS SENT TO THE BLACK SEA

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 7.—The Russian steamer Baron Dreisen has arrived and will load 8,500 tons of harvesting machinery for the Black Sea, to be used by the wheat growers of Southern Russia.

