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Our special drive this week is a lot of Colored Satin Bladders in the newest shades, and a good quality, that we can recommend to wear well, at only \$1 per yard.

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We have the exclusive control of two makes of silk for this market, and we guarantee every yard. We are making a run on one number that usually sells for \$1.50 at 1.25; color black. Call for it at the silk counter.

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This is a season for plushes. We show the newest colorings in several qualities and the prices will surprise you. The closest buyers will admit they are cheaper than ever seen before.

STRIPED VELVETS.

This is important as there is a rage on striped velvets this season. They are a very desirable trimming for all kinds of wool dress goods. They are in two, three and four tones, and some of the fine goods are perfect works of art. Prices from \$1.20 to \$7.50 per yard. An idea of our assortment can be had from the fact that we show sixty-eight different styles and combinations of colors.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.

We have shown handsome dress trimmings before, but never did we display anything to compare in elegance to those we have opened this

season. We earnestly invite you to examine our dress trimmings.

UNDERWEAR.

One case Ladies Vests and Pants at 35c each, worth 40c per cent more. One case Ladies all wool Scarlet vests and pants at 85c each, worth 40c per cent more.

Another lot of fine imported Ruching at 5 and 10c per yard. One case Ladies all wool, regular made Hose at 25c per pair.

One of our best bargains in Hose is a case of fine wool Hose at 50c per pair, usually sold at 75c.

Ladies, Misses and Childrens Saxony underwear in cream, pink, blue, and cardinal. Lovely goods. Call and examine them.

25 dozen ladies Cashmere Gloves at 25c per pair; very fine and worth 50c cents.

YARNS OF ALL KINDS.

Saxony, Spanish, German, Shelland Floss, Fairy Floss, Zephyrs. We are opening new lines of Novelties now.

We show choice and pretty Knit goods for the infants.

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This season our Dress Goods stock could truthfully be called mammoth; with an endless variety of plain fabrics; with an endless variety of novelties; with an endless variety of combination suits of the latest productions. We fairly eclipse all previous efforts.

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SPECIAL -- SALE

THIS WEEK.

200 Pair all Wool

Scarlet Blankets at

\$3.50 PER PAIR.

Worth Fully \$5.

For This Week Only.

A. KATZ.

S. W. Corner Douglas Ave. and Market St.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

The Third Day of the Great Labor Conviction Passed and

Nothing Accomplished in the Way of Organization; the Time Spent in

Wrangling Over the Admission of Contending Factions of Delegations, Causing

Impatience Among Representatives at the Prolongation of the Senseless Contest.

No Intimation from Officials as to When the Acrimonious Squabble will End.

THE K. OF L. CONVENTION.

The Committee on Credentials Fail to Agree on a Report.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 6.—Powderly and the members of the executive board of Knights of Labor were all up this morning, and the majority of them on the way to Army Hall before 9 o'clock. Although it was the third day of the convention, the men were not ready to begin the actual work they had come to do. There still remained to be settled the question of seating eight of ten delegates whose cases the committee on credentials have referred to the convention. Throughout the city today the principal topic of discussion was one of bitter resentment of the colored delegate, Farrell, to a seat in the orchestra circle in the Academy of Music, a section of the auditorium in Richmond hitherto sacredly guarded from the intrusion of all persons of his race. The general feeling among the Virginians is one of bitter resentment. They regard the delegates from District Number 44 with anything but a friendly feeling. It is said that a majority of the local knights are much provoked at the action of their visiting brothers, and it is reported that knights living here declared their intention of joining the Law and Order League, organized in sworn opposition to the knights.

At noon recess was taken until 2 o'clock. Mr. Powderly announced to the representatives of the press that he had nothing to communicate to them. Some secret business had been transacted, but of course he could not say as to its nature. The morning session was mainly devoted, he said, to consideration of the reports of the committee on credentials, which has not been finally acted upon. It seems safe to say that whatever action has been taken by the credential committee in the case of District No. 44 and the Brooklyn delegates, it is unfavorable to the latter. The feeling of a majority of the delegates outside of New York is in favor of Brooklyn.

It now seems possible that the third day's session may end with the convention still unorganized. The afternoon session, beginning at 2 o'clock, lasted nearly an hour beyond the regular time for adjournment. Matters then stood about where they were this morning. Mr. Powderly thought if all official news of the proceedings were given to the press, the reporters had nothing in the way of news to give. Then the morning session was still considering the report of the committee on credentials and had not yet acted on it. This means that the fight over the admission of eight or ten delegates whom the committee referred to the convention is still in progress.

Who those delegates are Mr. Powderly and other leading knights refused to say, which report them to the city. Then the visiting and local physicians are now caring for them. The register of the passengers was lost with the La Mascotte and it is thought that some were drowned or killed, whose bodies have not been recovered.

South Carolina Tragedies.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 6.—A terrible accident occurred at Chester Sunday night by which two children and an old woman were roasted alive. Dave Henry went with his wife to a camp meeting, leaving the house and two children in charge of Caroline Berry. Upon the return of the parents they found the house in flames and heard the screaming of their children on the inside. An ineffectual attempt was made to save them. Their charred remains were recovered from the ruins. It is supposed that Caroline Berry went to sleep while smoking and that the bed clothes caught fire from her pipe.

In Chester county Monday evening Charles White, colored, shot his wife and then hung himself. White shot his wife for misconduct.

A Burglar's Suicide.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—A C. Foreman, the burglar who was found in Grommes & Rich's liquor store last night, fatally stabbed himself this morning at the Harrison street station. He had a knife concealed on his person, which the officers overlooked in searching him, and this morning he stabbed himself into his stomach. There is no chance for his recovery. Foreman, who came here from Montana, worked his way into the confidence of Grommes & Rich as a liquor dealer, pretending to be about to purchase a bill of goods. He brought into the store a dry goods box addressed to himself, and it being allowed to stay there night after night, filled the box with 2,000 choice cigars. He was caught in the act and locked up. He is believed to be a clever professional.

The Case of the Anarchists.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—Attorney Foster concluded his speech today in favor of a new trial for the condemned anarchists.

Mr. Ingram made the opening speech for the state. He said the most serious contention made on this motion for a new trial was the meaning of a jury. He said that the logical conclusion of the proposition of the defense was that while times of frenzy were guilty of a misdemeanor which did not appeal to the prejudices of the jurors they could not be brought to justice and punished as a criminal guilty of a crime unparalleled in the diabolism of his acts, and that his teachings secured his safety. The speaker then read from Michigan decision as to the qualification of jurors.

Burglars' Breaks.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—Burglars entered the office of the Ashland Avenue Building and Loan association on West Twelfth street this morning and secured \$2,000 in money, \$5,000 in government bonds and carried off bonds and mortgages representing \$12,000. The papers of the association were afterwards found in an alley in the rear of the building.

Fatal Boiler Burst.

WARSAW, Ind., Oct. 6.—A steam boiler in Jordan Birdwell's new mill, seven miles northwest of here, exploded yesterday, fatally injuring George Parcel and Thomas Aglin.

Two to One for the Bonds.

Special Dispatch to the Eagle.
REECE, Kan., Oct. 6.—Spring Creek township voted \$25,000 aid to the Kansas City and Panhandle railroad to-day by more than two to one.

Bonds for the Midland.

Special Dispatch to the Daily Eagle.
LINCOLN, Kan., Oct. 6.—Bonds to the amount of \$18,000 in aid of the Kansas Midland railroad were voted for in Beaver township, Lincoln county, on Tuesday and carried by a very large majority. A. A.

THE LA MASCOTTE HORROR.

Additional Details of the Burning of the Mississippi River Steamer.

St. Louis, Oct. 6.—No cause can be assigned as yet for the explosion and burning of the boat on the river steamer La Mascotte, which caused such great loss of life. The boat is said to have been steaming along under a hundred and fifty pounds of steam, the usual amount, when the explosion suddenly occurred, blowing the fire in every direction. The attempt was made to escape by the means of a plank, but the plank was turned by the current and the boat's bow out into the river, and her stern hung close to the bank, which afforded no means of escape for those who were at the end of the boat. The stage plank was lowered. Many were placed upon it. Mostly women and children, who would have been saved had not the smoke-stack fallen squarely across it, and all who were not killed by it were drowned. The boat drifted two hundred feet into the river, and the only thing now visible is her wheel.

J. J. Hanlan, pilot of La Mascotte, says: The steamer Eagle was near us when the disaster occurred, and could easily have pushed us ashore without much trouble or danger, but I understand the captain did not wish to render any assistance whatever. The pilot of the Eagle told me that the captain ordered him not to go near La Mascotte, as he did not wish to endanger his boat. If he had pushed us ashore not a single person would have been killed. The explosion occurred in the engine room and only the crew and roustabouts suffered from being scalded by the escaping steam. Eleven of the latter were so horribly burned that huge scales of flesh peeled from their bodies. Six of them have died.

William Shitzer, Evansville, Ind., Dallas Webster, Evansville, Ind., The others known to be drowned are the following: Mrs. Wm. Wheeling and two young daughters, of Cape Girardeau. Judge William Hogan, of Cape Girardeau. Young man, name unknown. Geo. Keywood, Nashville, Tenn. Marshall Holden, Walnut Hills, Tenn. Jack Finegan, St. Louis. Thos. Lay, St. Louis. Wm. Jones, St. Louis. J. H. Turner, Evansville, Ind.

The following deck hands are so severely burned that their lives are despaired of: Wm. Davis, Midway, Ky. Alper Price, Cape Girardeau. Levi Chatham, Paducah, Ky. Miss Amelia Kruger, of Cape Girardeau. J. H. Perkins, Evansville, Ind.

The first clerk of the La Mascotte, Miss Julia Robesch, of Cape Girardeau. Head engineer of the La Mascotte, Mac Shearer, a deck hand. Two chambermaids. Low D. Adams, the second mate. Lady and two children, supposed to be Mrs. Burmes and her daughters, of Mexico, Mo.

D. S. Davidson was so badly burned around the face and throat that he will probably die. After the bodies of the killed and injured had been brought ashore they were placed on the steamer Eagle, which brought them to the city. The visiting and local physicians are now caring for them. The register of the passengers was lost with the La Mascotte and it is thought that some were drowned or killed, whose bodies have not been recovered.

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THE MORMON QUESTION.

The Utah Commission, in Their Report to the Secretary of the Interior,

Announce that the Laws of Congress Relating to Polygamy

Have Been Fully and Successfully Enforced Against Those Who Violate Them.

A Grand Gala Day at Camp Fairchild, near Emporia—Twenty Thousand Visitors Present.

A Day's Work 'Among the Servants of the Dear People—Conventions and Elections.

Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7, 1 a. m.—Indications for Missouri: Fair weather, southerly wind, slight changes in temperature. For Kansas and Nebraska: Fair weather, followed by local rains, variable winds shifting to northerly, cooler.

CAPITAL BUDGET.

MRS. C. AND MRS. F. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 6.—Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Folsom returned to Washington this morning. They arrived at the railroad station at 5:20 and were met by the president.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY.

Among the officials directly affected by the president's conclusion that a candidate for an electoral office should relinquish his federal office, are A. K. DeLaney, United States attorney for the eastern district of Wisconsin, and P. H. Kumbler, United States attorney for the southern district of Ohio.

Mr. DeLaney was appointed to his present office by President Cleveland mainly through the efforts of Gen. Bragg and has now been nominated to succeed that gentleman in congress. Mr. Kumbler is a Republican and was appointed under a previous administration. He has been nominated for judge of the court of common pleas of Hamilton county. After he accepted the nomination he wrote to the attorney general informing him of his action and desiring that his retention of the district attorneyship pending the result of the state election conflicted in any way with the president's policy of civil service reform, he would resign his present office. As already stated, the cabinet considered the question at yesterday's meeting and decided as a general principle that an official desiring to enter a political campaign had better give up his federal office. It is therefore likely that changes will shortly be made in behalf of the officers mentioned.

REPORT ON POLYGAMY.

The Utah commission by its chairman, A. B. Carleton, has filed with the secretary of the interior its annual report, of which the following is a synopsis.

During the year the law regarding the disfranchisement of polygamists and those living in unlawful cohabitation has been fully and successfully enforced. All such persons, with very few if any exceptions, have been excluded from voting and holding office; a large number have been fined and imprisoned. The law against polygamy or unlawful cohabitation, chiefly for the latter offense.

It is reported and believed by many residents of the territory, that during the year a large number of polygamous marriages have taken place in the temples of Logan City and St. George. They have not the means of verifying such reports, yet we have no doubt that a considerable number of such marriages have been celebrated with the knowledge, approbation and active co-operation of leading men of the Mormon church. Whether upon the whole polygamous marriages are on the decrease is a matter on which different opinions are expressed; but undoubtedly many have been restrained by the fear of disfranchisement and the penitentiary, and we think that it is safe to say that in the more enlightened portions of the territory, as for example Salt Lake City and its vicinity, very few polygamist marriages have occurred within the last year.

Referring to the joint resolution now pending in both houses of congress, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States prohibiting and punishing polygamy in all the states and territories extending the judicial power of the federal government to the prosecution of such offenses, the report says: "While we are of the opinion that this should not supersede other measures, we are satisfied that it would be an efficient factor in effecting the desired result. In addition to the reasons presented by the judiciary committee we suggest that the incorporation of this provision in the constitution would serve as an advertisement to the people of all civilized nations that in the United States polygamy had been put under a ban in the most authoritative and emphatic manner."

The report calls attention to the magnitude of the evil by saying there are more than 200,000 Mormons in the world, and that while only a portion of them practice polygamy, they all believe it as a divine revelation and have been taught it in their schools for a third of a century. They are men of great skill and ability and are far advanced to a marked degree, the only immediate effective remedy would be the use of the military, but that the sense of modern civilization will not permit the employment of bayonets against women and children; yet the American people regard polygamy as a crime, and it cannot be ignored by the government. We see no obligation of the government to protect the personal property rights of the Mormon people and to deal with them as equals before the law; yet it is equally the duty of the government to punish crime within its jurisdiction, and religious liberty cannot be pleaded as a bar to punishment for criminal acts in violation of the laws of the land and of social order. If the present laws and proposed constitutional amendments are not sufficient to suppress the evil, more stringent enactments must be adopted, and the result will be that at no distant day this relic of Asiatic barbarism, this blot on the fair fame of America will be swept from the land.

THE PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION.

This afternoon was the largest held since his return from the mountains. The call-

ers numbered 500 and completely filled the east room.

NON COMPOS MENTIS.

Jan. L. Williams, who was arrested at the white house in March '85, while insisting on the president paying him \$500, 000 on a claim against the government and sent to the insane asylum, was today brought into the district court on a writ of habeas corpus and released. The court decided that no person can be restrained of his liberty as an insane person unless the question has been passed upon by a jury. There are about 200 cases of 1200 patients in the government insane asylum whose sanity has not been passed upon by a jury de lunatico inquirendo.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Frank Cox Nominated. STAFFORD, Kans., Oct. 6.—Frank Cox was unanimously nominated for representative today by the Republicans of Stafford county.

The Governor at Sterling.

STERLING, Kans., Oct. 6.—Governor Martin, General Tim McCarthy and Colonel W. F. Cloud addressed a large and enthusiastic audience in this city last evening. Governor Martin and party went this morning to the Emporia soldiers' reunion.

Atchison Republicans.

ATCHISON, Kans., Oct. 6.—The Republicans met in county convention today and nominated the following ticket: For county attorney, William B. Gilbert; probate judge, Thos. B. McGee, district clerk, John Moore; county superintendent, Frank Class; county commissioner, A. J. Reek, representatives in the legislature, Chas. W. Benning and G. A. Griffith. Mr. Griffith is a colored man and is running against Joe Donahue, formerly a member of the legislature.

Ingaill's Opening Speech.

WASHINGTON, Kan., Oct. 6.—Judge A. S. Wilson spoke here this afternoon in the skating rink and Senator Ingaill made his first speech of the campaign tonight. Many visitors were here from the country.

Wisconsin Republicans.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 6.—The Republicans of the fourth district today renominated J. W. Van Schaak for congress by acclamation. He sent a letter of declination, whereupon J. H. Brown, of Milwaukee, was nominated.

Capital vs. Labor and Socialism.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Lists were posted on exchange today for pledges to vote for J. E. Simmons for mayor. In two hours two-thirds of the members pledged themselves. The aggregate capital represented was nearly a billion of dollars. Edward C. Fox, who initiated the movement said Simmons would be the only candidate against labor and socialism, that business men of New York would not allow socialism to rule this city. Similar lists will be posted up in other exchanges. Simmons was president of the stock exchange last year and is grand master of Masonry in the state. He is a Democrat, but the movement is irrespective of politics.

The Georgia Election.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 6.—The state election passed off quietly and without incident. The Democrats had a clean sweep everywhere. Following is the state ticket: For governor, John B. Gordon; secretary of state, Nathan C. Barnett; comptroller general, Wm. A. Wright; treasurer, Robt. M. Hardman; attorney general, Clifford Anderson.

The Shriekers at Abilene.

ABILENE, Kans., Oct. 6.—The Woman's Suffrage convention for the fifth congressional district opened a two day's session this evening. Miss Susan B. Anthony addressed the meeting, which was largely attended. Mrs. Colby, Mrs. E. L. Saxon and other prominent champions of the cause will speak tomorrow. A number of residents of neighboring cities interested in woman's suffrage are in attendance.

A Great Time at Emporia.

EMPORIA, Kans., Oct. 6.—Over 20,000 people were on the camp grounds today at Camp Fairchild at one time, and the crowd still continues to increase. The day was generally given up to having a good time by the boys and to the organization of state associations.

Governor Martin made a speech in the afternoon, and after some campaign songs by the Modoc club of Topeka, was followed by several other speakers.

In the evening camp fires were held and an elegant reception and collation was given by General Hood, at his residence, to the members of the press, at which Senator Plumb, Governor Martin, and others were present.

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COUNCILS OF WAR.

King Charles, of Roumania, Confers with the Generals of His Army

In Reference to an Alliance with Russia in the Bulgarian Matter.

The Russian Newspapers Discuss the Situation and Conclude that it is Better to

Abandon Bulgaria to her Fate than to Drive Her into the Arms of Russia's Enemies.

Another Great Strike Among the Miners in Belgium—Cholera Still Raging in Corea.

OVER THE OCEAN.

Roumania.

BUCHAREST, Oct. 6.—King Charles has presided over a series of councils of war in this city during the past few days. Several Roumanian generals favor an alliance between Roumania and Russia.

Belgium.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 6.—The miners have again gone out on a strike at Charleroi. They attempted to kill their manager. He escaped death but was wounded.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 6.—The Svet, the Russian military organ, referring to the reports current in Hungary concerning the alleged existence of a secret anti-Russian alliance between Serbia and Bulgaria advises Russia to avoid harsh measures toward Bulgaria. It is better, says the Svet, to abandon Bulgaria to its fate than to drive it into the arms of Russia's foes.

The newspapers here publish a telegram from Giorgios, Roumania, dated last Sunday, which states that the movement in favor of Russia which started in the Bulgarian army under the leadership of the garrison at Shumla is now in full progress. The dispatch says the movement has spread rapidly and that the adhesion of the garrisons at Rostchuk, Widon, Plewna and Seva appears unquestionable.

India.

RANGOON, Oct. 6.—Troops sent from Miritha to relieve the surrounded garrison at Myothet, Burmah, succeeded in performing their mission. It took six days to march thirty miles through one jungle. In this the troops found several crates of British munitions. Every officer and nearly every man in the rescued garrison was prostrated with fever when the troops reached them.

Corea.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 2.—Reports from Me-divostok show that cholera continues to make most frightful ravages in the Zouk district of Corea. Hundreds of people are said to be dying daily.

England.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The European press considers that Lord Randolph Churchill's visit to Berlin is connected with the Bulgarian question.

The Irish Land Commission held their first sitting today. And after arranging the order of proceedings adjourned.

The Races.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 6.—The third day's trading races again had splendid weather and a fine track in their favor. The free-for-all pacers attracted marked attention, fully 2,000 people having gathered in the grand stand and at various points around the track to witness it, while even more than that number were crowded into the amphitheatre to see the exhibition of high bred draft horses, matched horses and horses for all work, for which large premiums were offered.

The two last heats of the race were hotly contested by Jewitt and Mike Wilke, the third heat being won by only a neck. The whole race is said to have been the finest pacing contest of the season. The following is a summary of the day's events:

First race—Free for all pacers; purse \$300, divided.
Jewitt..... 1 1 1
Mike Wilke..... 2 2 2
Gospie, Jr..... 3 3 3
Little Mack..... 4 4 4
Tommy Lynn..... 5 5 5
Time—3:16, 2:45, 2:35.

Second race—240 class, purse \$1,000, divided.
White Stoking..... 1 2 1 1
Jack Hayden..... 1 2 5 6
Earl..... 2 5 2 2
Josee Boland..... 7 6 5 2
Emma D..... 8 6 4 5
Jennie Maxwell..... 7 6 5 2
Globe..... 2 5 2 4 7 6
Time—2:28, 2:10, 2:05, 1:55, 1:50.

Benjamin Britton, Oct. 6.—Winnem-Glenbar, Gouffon, Benz, Carrian, Ten Strike and Topsway.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 6.—Lafayette Nora M. won first race—Seven furlongs. Nora M. won. Clatter second, Archbishop third, time 31:24.

Nine furlongs—Logan won, Kemington second, Annie Woodcock third, time 1:37:14.

Five furlongs—Linda Payne won, Variana second, Violet third, time 1:03:34.

Six furlongs—Withdraw won, Passion second, Broadhead third, time 1:19:24.

One mile—Fest won, Bonita second, Monarch third, time 1:42:34.

Ball and Bat.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 6.—Cincinnati 12, Metropolitanians 8. Metropolitanians 8, Cincinnati 3; two games. Louisville—Brooklyn 7; Louisville 4. Pittsburgh—Baltimore 6; Pittsburgh 9. Boston—Boston 11; St. Louis 7. Washington—Detroit 2; Washington 11; Washington, Philadelphia—Kansas City 6; Philadelphia 6; seven innings. Louisville—Brooklyn 7; Louisville 4. New York—New York 4; Chicago 0.

Distressing Occurrences.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 6.—A big cabin in the east bottom on the city's outskirts was burned today and the wife of Nathan Laufenberg, a laborer, was burned to death. Her baby four months old was also severely burned. Mrs. Laufenberg had shown symptoms of mental aberration since the birth of her child, and it is probable that the fire was the result of her own act.

The body of the unknown man found yesterday near Wyandotte has not yet been identified, though it has been proven that it was a case of suicide.