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A Rousing Sale

of Women's and Misses' Coats, Suits and Raincoats at \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00 former prices \$10, \$15, \$20

This week will see great activity in our Cloak and Suit Department. Severe reductions have been made to clear cases and tables. The supreme energy of this store has been put forth to present a lot of merchandise at prices never before quoted. Be on hand early and reap the benefit of this Clean-Up Sale.

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Children's Hats, 50c values up to.....\$ 3.00
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Let Us Take Care of Your Savings Until They Take Care of You.

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Oil City Trust Company,
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Charles L. Schultz of Dunkirk Tells How He Regained His Health.

When, six months ago, I began using Thompson's Barosma, I had made up my mind to sell out and go out of business. But a friend of mine asked me if I had taken Barosma. I had not, but was willing to try most anything as I began using it as directed. I was very pale and weak. I continued using it as directed and today I weigh 35 pounds more than when I commenced using Barosma. I was a skeleton compared with what I am now and shall remain in business. When I would get up in the morning I would feel

dull and sleepy and not rested, felt like going back to bed again. CHAS. L. SCHULTZ.
 I know Charles L. Schultz; he is a man of truth, having worked as drayman in Dunkirk for years. C. J. WITSEK, Mayor.
 P. S.—The above was written five years ago, and my health has been all that a man could desire ever since, and my weight is 285 pounds. CHAS. L. SCHULTZ.
 October 30, 1908.

Immediate relief from backache, pain in the side, groin or hips is experienced by taking a few doses of Thompson's Barosma, Kidney and Liver Care. A continuation of its use will make a positive cure. Thompson's Barosma does not contain opiates and a large reward is offered for any injurious drug found in its composition. It is purely vegetable and a remedy adapted to all ages. Thompson's Barosma has positively made wonderful cures in Bright's disease, sciatic rheumatism, kidney, liver and bladder diseases, lumbago, palpitation of the heart and nervousness. Thompson's Barosma is pleasant to take. All druggists, 50c and \$1.00.

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 makes the light that rests the eyes. Nearest approach to natural sunlight known.
 Most economical too—burns to the very last drop without re-adjusting wick. Does not char, smoke or "smell." Clear, water-white, free from sediment. Not to be compared with ordinary tank wagon oil.
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VALIDITY OF PROCESS

Questioned by Counsel For World's Five Employes.

Counsel Claim That Subpoenas Were Worded in General Terms and Failed to Make it Plain What the Action Is or Against Whom It Is Directed. District Attorney Stimson Argues For Validity—Briefs to Be Submitted This Afternoon.

New York, Jan. 19.—The right of the five employes of the New York World subpoenaed to appear before the federal grand jury to give information, presumably regarding the publication of alleged libelous matter reflecting upon the integrity of the United States government, to ignore the said subpoenas on the ground that their issuance was an abuse of process, was left undetermined at the hearing of the case in the United States circuit court here.

After arguments by United States District Attorney Henry L. Stimson, representing the government, and DeLancey Nicoll and John M. Bowers, representing the World, Judge Henry G. Ward gave both sides until today at 4 o'clock to submit briefs.

While the proceedings are believed to have been brought upon the initiative of President Roosevelt and in connection with the publication of a story alleging irregularities in the purchase of the French Panama Canal company by the United States government, there is nothing in the subpoenas issued, not only against the World employes but against several other individuals, to indicate what the inquiry is about, who the complainant is and against whom the action is brought.

In the arguments in support of the contention of Messrs. Nicoll and Bowers that the subpoenas should be quashed particular stress was laid upon that part of the documents in question which calls for the appearance before the federal grand jury of those subpoenaed for the purpose of testifying "to all and everything you may know generally on the part of the United States."

Subpoenas worded in such general terms, which failed to make it plain what the action was or against whom it was directed, Mr. Bowers argued, had uniformly been adjudged faulty by the courts, and as such dismissed. Mr. Stimson, on the other hand, contended that the subpoenas were in every way valid and that their legality had been tested in the cases of the government against Charles W. Morse, F. Augustus Helme and Theodore Price, to name only a few.

The general inquiry was not halted, however, by the action of the World men in questioning the validity of the process by which they had been summoned to appear before the federal grand jury. H. H. Bjornson, a clerk in the law office of William Nelson Cromwell, through whom the purchase of the canal property was affected, and Jonas Whitley, formerly a newspaper man, but now attached to Mr. Cromwell's law office, were both examined in the course of the day.

MILES ON PRESIDENT'S RIDE

Says He Rode As Far Not Long Ago In Half the Time.

New York, Jan. 19.—Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles, United States army, retired, returned on the steamer Minnehaha from a three months' automobile tour in Europe.

In speaking of the recent ninety-eight mile horseback ride of President Roosevelt, the general said it did not seem so long ago when he himself made a ninety mile trip on horseback in nine hours, reviewing troops at the end of the journey.

"Aren't you afraid that some strenuous person may get after you in regard to those figures?" he was asked by a reporter.

"Well, if I'm pushed hard enough, I may go so far as to make the journey again," said General Miles.

OFFICIAL LIST OF DEAD

Body Supposed to Be George Olson Later Found to Be George Mahon.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., Jan. 19.—The official list of those killed in the Denver and Rio Grande railroad wreck at Dotsero, Friday night, shows that 21 persons were killed as previously reported.

It was discovered that George H. Olson was not killed. The body supposed to be his was identified today as that of George Mahon. The official list contains the following Easterners: Rev. R. L. Melley, Mechanicsburg, Pa.; Clarence A. Gooding, Washington, D. C.; John P. Cregan, Hennessee, N. Y.

Cabinet Chairs as Souvenirs.
 Washington, Jan. 19.—President Roosevelt and the nine members of his cabinet will take with them as souvenirs the chairs they have occupied at cabinet meetings when the president retires from office on March 4. They will replace them, at their own expense. This, Secretary Loeb said, has been the custom of former presidents and cabinet members.

Remonstrance Against Navy Increase.
 Boston, Jan. 19.—A remonstrance against a further increase of the United States navy, signed by 224 clergymen of various denominations in Boston and vicinity, was sent to congress today.

Fever Sores.
 Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by DUNN & FULTON.

Pinules for the Kidneys are little golden globules which act directly on the kidneys. A trial will convince you of quick results for Backache, Rheumatism, Lumbago and tired worn-out feeling. 30 days' trial \$1.00. They purify the blood. Sold by J. R. Morgan.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Summary of the Week's News of the World.

Hap, enings From All Parts of the Globe Put Into Shape For Easy Reading—What All the World Is Talking About—Cream of the News Culled From Long Dispatches.

Hearings in the government's suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company were resumed.

Lady William Beresford, who was Miss Lillian Warren Price, daughter of the late Commodore Price, died at Dorking, England.

Advices from Tokio show that the Japanese press still comments bitterly on the proposed anti-Japanese legislation in California.

Work in the Pennsylvania railroad subway between Long Island City and the Manhattan terminal was completed except the laying of rails.

Senator Tillman replied to the president's charges in connection with government land transactions, declaring they were inspired by personal vindictiveness.

The Turkish government accepts the Austro-Hungarian offer of \$10,000,000 indemnity for the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, thus removing every possibility of war.

Thursday.

Senator Foraker on the floor of the upper house attacked the president's procedure in the Brownsville case.

Theodore E. Burton of Cleveland was elected United States senator by the Ohio legislature to succeed J. B. Foraker.

Counsel of Thornton Jenkins Hains, on trial for the murder of William E. Annis, urged the "unwritten law" in summing up before the jury.

Professor Abbot was named by the overseers of Harvard as president of the university to succeed Charles W. Elliot, whose resignation takes place next May.

One hundred miners are dead as a result of an explosion at the Lick Branch colliery in West Virginia, where fifty were killed in a similar explosion two weeks ago.

Friday.

The new Cuban congress held its first preliminary session and examined the credentials of members.

Officers of the marine corps appeared before the house committee to urge the return of marines to navy vessels.

General Jose M. Hernandez ("El Mocho") arrived in New York on his way back to Venezuela, where he returns at the call of President Gomez.

Fire that destroyed the home at New Haven of Samuel Higgins, general manager of the New Haven road, caused the death of his mother and injury of six other persons.

Clark Williams, New York state superintendent of banks, in his annual report suggested rigid legislation regarding savings banks in department stores.

Saturday.

J. B. F. Rinehart, former banker of Waynesburg, Pa., was found guilty of wrecking a bank and was sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary.

Appeal for better facilities in the subway was made to the public service commission by a delegation from the New York Federation of Women's clubs.

In a speech at Augusta, Ga., President-elect Taft asserted that the constitution should be upheld as it stands without attempt to violate or vary its provisions.

Under the new senate rule as to the confirmation of appointees, as recently stated by Senator Dewey, it was announced that Samuel B. Donnelly would not be confirmed until he had proved to every senator his fitness for the place.

Monday.

Congress decided to "investigate" the president's barber, listed as a treasury clerk at \$1,600 a year.

According to a London dispatch, the falling off in ocean passenger traffic in the year 1908 amounted to a million persons.

President Roosevelt predicted a great hydro-electric power monopoly in vetoing a bill providing for a dam across the James river in Missouri.

According to advices from Messina, a boy ten years of age and his two sisters were rescued from the ruins of the city after being interred nineteen days.

About twenty thousand members of the United Hatters of North America struck following the discontinuance of the use of the union label by the manufacturers' association.

Tuesday.

Right Rev. Bernard J. McQuaid died yesterday in Fochester, aged 85 years. Buffalo's population is 415,532, according to a census made by the police department.

The Hochi warned America, says a dispatch from Yokohama, that "ceaseless insults to Japan" may cause war.

New cases of foot and mouth disease appeared in Lancaster county, Pa. State veterinarian Pearson has ordered the animals killed and a quarantine established.

The supreme court has affirmed the decree of the state courts of Texas imposing a fine of \$1,623,900 on the Waters-Pierce Oil company of St. Louis and ousting it from the state.

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INCREASE FOR SPEAKER

Senator Raynor Seeks Information About Government's Libel Suit.

Washington, Jan. 19.—By a vote of 37 to 27 the senate fixed the salary of the speaker of the house of representatives at \$15,000, instead of \$12,000 as at present, and instead of \$20,000 adopted by the committee on appropriations.

Senator Raynor endeavored to have the senate adopt a resolution calling on the attorney general for information as to whether the president had ordered a suit brought against the New York World and the Indianapolis News because of libel in publications relative to the purchase of the Panama canal property, and under what statute this action had been taken.

Mr. Raynor declared that there was no statute authorizing such legal procedure and the attempt to sue the newspapers in the name of the United States, if entered upon, was an attempt to apply the sedition laws long since repealed. He declared that there was no law under which the libel laws could be made to apply to statements respecting the government. Under objection further consideration was postponed.

VISITING WARSHIPS

Honored by a Parade Commanded by Governor Sir H. F. Grant.

Malta, Jan. 19.—A ceremonial parade was held here in honor of the visiting American warships, Sir H. F. Grant, governor of Malta, was in command, and the review was witnessed by the Duke of Connaught, Rear Admiral W. P. Potter and a numerous gathering of American officers and men.

In the afternoon Admiral Potter and a party of officers left here by train and visited the ancient capital of Malta, where they were entertained by the officers of the British garrison.

A case of smallpox has occurred on board the battleship Kearsarge. The illness was contracted at Cairo. A very strict quarantine is being maintained and none of the men of the Kearsarge have been permitted to come ashore.

HOWE EYE HOSPITAL

Board of Charities Approves Certificate of Incorporation.

Albany, Jan. 19.—The state board of charities announced that it had approved the certificate of incorporation of the Howe Eye hospital of Buffalo. Through this certificate Dr. Luellen Howe of Buffalo is given an opportunity to provide for the disposition of his property by the endowment of a hospital which will permit him to continue his present charitable work after the death of himself and wife.

The state board of charities also announced that its committee on the construction of buildings has reported favorably on the plans and specifications for the new tuberculosis infirmary of the city of New York which is to be built on Blackwells island, near Metropolitan hospital. It will be under the management and control of the department of public charities.

PAY IROQUOIS DAMAGES

Man Who Lost Wife and Three Children in Fire Accepts Cash.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—After five years of hotly contested litigation, settlements have been made outside of court for 30 of the nearly 600 deaths caused by the Iroquois theater fire. In each of the 30 cases \$750 is to be paid by one of the firm responsible for the construction of the theater.

One of the cases thus settled was for a man who lost his wife and three children in the fire. Many other suits against firms and individuals interested in the theater are still pending. The number of unsettled cases is estimated at more than 400.

OVERPOWERED THE JAILER

Party of Young Men Hanged a Negro to Telegraph Pole.

Hope, Ark., Jan. 19.—After forcing the engineer of the light plant to cut off the current leaving the town in darkness, a party of young men early Monday took an 18-year-old negro named Hilliard from the county jail and hanged him to a telegraph pole.

The negro had spoken insultingly to a woman clerk in Haynes Brothers' store Friday. Only the jailor was on duty, the sheriff being out of town when the lynchers attacked the jail and overpowered the jailor.

James Oil City, Pa.
Semi-Annual Clearance Sale
 Started Monday morning and ends Saturday night, January 23d—just one week.
 Twice a year this store finds it absolutely necessary to convert surplus stock into ready cash. To that end we resort to a Semi-Annual Clearance Sale in January and July of each year. The enormous quantity of merchandise disposed of at these sales enables us to keep our stocks fresh and clean at all times, and our reserve stock within reasonable bounds. That it is necessary to sell at this time a great deal of merchandise at cost—much of it at less than cost—does not deter us in the least. This is a live, progressive store, and it is imperative that we keep the merchandise "up to date" at all times.
 A circular containing particulars of this sale will be left at your door. There's hardly a department in the store, up or down stairs, but what contributes to the sale. Cloak room racks, millinery cases and boxes are to be cleared—so the greatest reductions of any Semi-Annual Sale are in force.
WILLIAM B. JAMES, OIL CITY, PA.

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TOTAL ASSETS OVER \$3,000,000.00
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WAS FACIAL EMBELLISHER
 Suits For Injuries Believed to Have Been Cause of His Suicide.
 New York, Jan. 19.—John P. Woodbury, who had been engaged for some years in the business of removing facial deformities and otherwise improving the physical appearance, committed suicide in the Sea Cliff Inn at Coney Island by shooting himself in the head and abdomen.
 It is believed that Mr. Woodbury had been much worried by suits brought against him by several persons who alleged that his treatment had been harmful.
 Woodbury had been separated from his wife for some time and since the separation he had lived at the Sea Cliff Inn, which he owned. He is believed at one time to have been worth \$1,000,000.
River Coal Mines Resume.
 Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Due directly to the recent rise in the river which permitted the shipment of 15,000,000 bushels of coal to Southern ports, a large number of river coal mines in this vicinity have resumed operations, affording employment to about 5,000 miners. Last October the mines suspended owing to a shortage of shipping facilities.
Her Father.
 "Mrs. Mudgerson seems to be so affected since her husband succeeded in getting money."
 "Yes, she does appear to be afflicted a little in that way. I heard her referring yesterday to her father, who was a blacksmith, as one who used to be able to make such beautiful designs in wrought iron."—Chicago Record-Herald.
Marked Him.
 "Are you aware who I am?"
 "Sure! Didn't I just call you an old idiot?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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