

KELLEY, STIGER & CO.

Prices Cut Deeply and Only Slightly Wet

Great Fire Sale

This sale continues until 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, when we close to take our annual inventory.

Only Slightly Wet

All these Dress Goods must be sold before Thursday noon, for then we close on account of inventory.

DRESS GOODS

Chance of your life to get a FINE Dress Pattern for Nearly Nothing.

20% OFF ON—

Linens.

Table Damasks, Napkins, Fine Linen Sets, Doilies and Center Pieces, Huck and Damask Towels, Butchers' Linens, Plain Irish Linens, Embroidery Crashes, Roller and Kitchen Crashes, Linen Diapers, Everything to be found in a first-class Linen stock.

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A Fire Sale—

is not to our notion—it will last but three days longer. We propose to close out the damaged goods—not reserving a yard—so that we will have nothing in our dress goods stock when we get our new goods, but that will be up to our usual well known standard of excellence.

MUSLIN AND SHEETINGS AT COST DURING THIS SALE.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO., Selling Wet Dress Goods 3 days Farnam and 15th Sts.

FIVE COAL BARGES FOUNDER

Broke Loose from the Towing Tug During a Furious Gale.

THIRTEEN OF THEIR CREW DROWNED

Among the Lost Are Three Women and Three Children—Only Two Persons on Board Were Saved—Story of the Captain.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Jan. 26.—The ocean tug Sea King of Philadelphia, from New York to Providence, with a tow of five coal laden barges, put into port late this morning and reported the loss of her entire tow and the consequent death of thirteen persons, including three women and three children. The drowned are: From the barge Crocus—Captain Frank Hoffman, his wife and daughter, and a deck hand named Herman, all of South Amboy; From the Albert M.—Captain Henry Tucker, of South Amboy; Deck Hand Charles Carney of Providence. From the barge Padinege—The captain, his wife and daughter, one deck hand, name unknown; all supposed to be of South Amboy. From the barge American Eagle—Captain Harshorn and wife, one deck hand, name unknown. The saved were: Edward Mellican of Providence; Andrew Purich of Hoboken, N. J. Captain W. F. Umsted of Philadelphia, who was in charge of the tug at the time of the wreck. "We left New York Wednesday with the five barges in tow. Race Rock was passed about 5 o'clock with the weather good and everything favorable for a good run. Just before midnight a stiff breeze sprang from the east and soon blew up a strong southeast gale. The blow was accompanied by blinding snow gusts and at 1 o'clock this morning the tow began pulling and hauling in a way that indicated trouble. All hands had gathered all in order to do something to avert the threatened catastrophe, but when the three stern barges broke away and began to founder we watched them for half an hour, all the time struggling to save the tug and the two remaining barges from destruction. Then the three barges went down. At 6 o'clock the two remaining barges foundered and the hawser from them to the tug was put aback and after repeated efforts lines were got to the men who, through the blinding snow could be discerned on the barge Nulty, which still floated. They jumped overboard and were pulled aboard the Sea King fearfully exhausted. The tug unsuccessfully searched for the others and it was necessary to run for port to save the tug from the increasing storm. None of the tug's crew has any hope that any of the barges besides Mellican and Purich survived.

CYCLONE IN ALABAMA.

Several Persons Killed and Considerable Property Destroyed Near Asheville.

ASHVILLE, Ala., Jan. 26.—A cyclone struck the western portion of this parish, almost impossible to contend with. Almost every house of Mr. Spien was blown to pieces, one of his little children killed and another seriously injured. At Crowley a heavy wind and rain storm prevailed. The residence of D. Miller at Port Leger was completely demolished. Miller was killed and his children badly but not fatally injured. A number of buildings were unroofed and others demolished.

Telegraph Wires Badly Delayed.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 26.—The storm of last night was the most disastrous to telephone and telegraph lines that has occurred in this section for many years. East of this city along the Lake Shore and Nickel Plate roads hundreds of telegraph poles are prostrated and wires are down for many miles at a stretch. For the first time in ten years the wire of Erie is completely cut off from all city communication with the out-

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