

1913 Has Been a Freakish Year; Few Will Mourn Its Passing

What a year of troubles on sea and land, wars and rumors of wars. There will be more believers in the notion that ill luck is somehow or other bound up in **number 13** than ever before—and yet for ourselves it has been a wonderful year! Wonderful development! Wonderful business! You have been very kind to **Thomas Kilpatrick & Company**, and to close the year we intend to celebrate with a **Three Days' Sale** which, we believe, will establish a new selling record in the sale of **High Class Merchandise**. Starting on **MONDAY MORNING at 8 of the clock—a general knocking down of prices and closing out of Dry Goods**. Come and participate—mayhap you'll think kindly of the year's close, and remember pleasantly the store whose sales **"ARE SO DIFFERENT."**

Let us start in the basement

Flannels First

12 1/2c and 15c Outing Flannels Monday. **11c**
 12 1/2c Flannel Monday. **10c**
 15c Ducking Fleece. **12 1/2c**
 Beacon Robing. **25c**
 55c all wool Flannels at **45c**
 Veyella Flannels. **45c**

Robes, Jackets, Etc.

Outing Flannel Night Shirts for men, the dollar kind at **85c**.
 Outing Flannel Pyjamas, **\$1.19** instead of \$1.50.
 Outing Flannel Pyjamas, **\$1.59** instead of \$2.00.
 Men's Lounging Robes at **\$3.98**, were up to \$7.50.
 Men's Lounging Robes at **\$7.45** were up to \$12.00.
 Men's Lounging Robes at **\$10.00**, were up to \$15.00.
 13 Smoking Jackets left. Come and get them at **\$2.50** each.

Women's Hosiery

Those of you who visited this wonderful department during the busy holidays will wonder that a pair should be left. But if you had seen the cases crowding in almost as big as houses, from over the seas and from our own American mills—if you had gazed into our stockroom before the busy days commenced—you would have wondered what on earth we meant to do with all the goods. Thousands upon thousands of stockings—cotton, lisle, mercerized and silk—plain weaves, fancy weaves and colors and blacks. 'Twould seem as if we had stocked every woman in Omaha with stockings and then some. And still there's stockings left. This will be the selling way on Monday: Cotton, lisle and mercerized—some fancy weaves—bunched together; the price will average 50c, yours Monday at **25c**. Regular \$1.00 Silk Stockings will move into the money drawers at **79c**.

Women's Underwear

19c each for Vests and Pants usually 25c. **39c** each for Merode and others, usually 50c. Vests, Pants and Union Suits—medium weight; cotton and light weight wool; these sold up to **\$1.25**—on Monday take your choice at **59c** each.
 Many are the makes, numerous the grades of high class goods—Pure Silk Vests, Stuttgart, silk and wool, etc.—sold up to **\$3.00**, at **85c** each.
 It may be proper to call attention here to the fact that there are decided advantages in buying **KILPATRICK** Underwear. Our reputation and the volume of our business on high grade goods enables us to buy direct from the mills (thus eliminating the middleman and his profit). Our long experience and knowledge of merchandise qualifies us as experts—and right proud are we of the courteous, experienced saleswomen who as members of our selling family are qualified to advise with you and meet your wants to your satisfaction. Not many stores thus equipped.
 Here is an array of aristocratic Underwear. Names pedigreed, as it were, indicative of quality:
 Special lot of Ecru and white heavy weights at—
85c E ch

Sterling	All at
Stretton	Cut
Richelieu	Prices
Carter	
Athena	
Merode	

Blankets

Wool, Part Wool, No Wool

\$1.39 for Plaid Blankets which were \$1.75.
\$2.98 for wool finish Blankets which were \$4.50.
\$1.98 for extra heavy Cotton Blankets which were \$2.50.
\$3.49 for wool mixed Blankets which were \$4.50.
\$5.00 for Wool instead of \$6.00 and \$6.50.
\$6.95 for All Wool Blankets which were \$8.50.
\$7.95 for All Wool Blankets which were \$10.
\$11.25 for All Wool Blankets which were \$12.50.
 Beacon Robes cut from \$3.50 to..... **\$2.95**
 Indian Robes cut from \$6.50 to..... **\$5.25**
 Indian Robes cut from \$9.50 to..... **\$6.75**
 Indian Robes cut from \$10.00 to..... **\$8.25**

Comforters

As prophets we rank with "Hicks" easily—for did we not predict snug weather with the lengthening days? We are having it, are we not? Avast there, Irl, and look to yourisaura.
 Comforters Monday **\$1.49** instead of \$2.00.
 Comforters Monday **\$1.89** instead of \$2.50.
 Comforters Monday **\$2.29** instead of \$3.00.
 Comforters Monday **\$2.49** instead of \$3.00.
 Comforters, wool filled, Monday **\$4.79** instead of \$6.50.
 Comforters, down, Monday **\$5.00** instead of \$6.50.
 Comforters, down, Monday **\$6.77** instead of \$8.50.
 Comforters, down, Monday **\$8.25** instead of \$10.00.
 Comforters, down, Monday **\$9.95** instead of \$12.50.
 Comforters, down, Monday **\$11.75** instead of \$15.00.
 Comforters, down, Monday **\$17.75** instead of \$25.00.

Woolen Goods

January the first, in the year of grace 1914 the new tariff on woolens goes into effect. No temporizing or dilly-dallying with the prices in this store. We will more than anticipate the reductions. Woolen manufacturers said such cutting of duties would spell ruin and Schedule K was held up as a sort of "Mauthe's Dhu" to scare the solons with. Mark us, they will be found doing business at the old stand. Now to out-herod Herod and anticipate the slaughter.

We will pull the Dress Goods out of the shelves, pile them high upon the counters in lots and let you pick and choose. **HERE'S HOW—9 great divisions:**
 Division No. 1—All Dress Goods which sold up to 50c at **29c** a yard.
 Division No. 2—Challis and so forth, sold up to 65c and 75c, at **39c** a yard.
 Division No. 3—All Dress Goods which sold at 75c and 85c at **49c** a yard.
 Division No. 4—All Dress Goods that sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25 at **69c** a yard.
 Division No. 5—All Dress Goods which sold at \$1.50 and \$1.75 at **95c** a yard.
 Division No. 6—All Dress Goods which sold at \$2.00 and \$2.50 at **\$1.29** a yard.
 Division No. 7—All Dress Goods which sold at \$3.00 and \$3.50 at **\$1.59** a yard.
 Division No. 8—All the Cloakings of every kind at 1/2 Price.
 Division No. 9—All wool Duvetine, newest goods, at 1/2 Price.

We have had splendid success in making Skirts to measure. As an extra inducement we will take orders to make to your measure for 3 days only skirts from any of the materials advertised. First measured, first made. At **\$1.75** for the making.

Men's Underwear

The Men of Harlech never marched to sweet strains, but the notes of price reductions in our Men's Section Monday.
 Men's Union Suits, various weights and colors, at **\$1.59** instead of \$2.25.
 Men's fine Worsted Suits which sold up to \$3.50 will go at **\$2.65**.
 Shirts and Drawers—worsted and Hygrade makes, both flat and rib, Monday **85c**.
 Men's Union Suits—well known brands—natural colors, fine wool, at **\$1.98** instead of \$2.50.
 Finest Vassar and Sterling Suits of all wool—these for men, at **\$3.98** instead of \$5.00.
 Fine and quite heavy Men's Underwear in wool and worsted, at **\$1.29** instead of \$1.50.

Closing Out Neckwear

25c leaders at **15c** 50c leaders at **35c**
 To get the 1.00 leaders at **65c**
 \$1.00 kind will sell at..... **79c**
 \$1.50 kind will sell at..... **\$1.29**
 \$2.00 kind will sell at..... **\$1.59**
 Pure Wool Underwear in natural and tan. Superb in the word. These for men, also. Were \$2.00; on Monday at **\$1.59**.

We Had Remarkable Business in Our Book Section During the Holidays

With us it is a season trade—the volume being greater during December than all the rest of the year put together. You can readily appreciate, therefore, that we can use much of the space to better advantage for something else and so as to make room we will conduct a 3-days' sale in the hope that we can make a clean sweep of all advertised items by the close of the year.

We present a partial list of cut prices on sets, etc. Booklovers will do well to be on hand promptly at 8 A. M. (if interested) for stock is limited.

Balzac De Luxe 3/4 morocco, 18 volumes, \$13.75 instead of \$18.00.	Gibbon's Rome, 4 volumes, \$2.75 instead of \$5.50.	Byron, 15 volumes; cloth, \$16.75 instead of \$25.00.
Longfellow De Luxe 10 volumes, \$5.25 instead of \$8.50.	Stevenson, 3/4 morocco, 10 volumes— \$7.75 instead of \$12.50.	Henry George's complete works, 10 volumes, \$10.75 set.
Hugo—cloth, 15 volumes, \$13.75 instead of \$20.00; 10 volumes \$4.50 instead of \$7.50.	Poe, 17 volumes—cloth, \$14.75 instead of \$25.00.	Switzerland, \$2.75 instead of \$5.00.
Fielding, \$4.50 instead of \$7.50.	Smollett, same price.	2 volumes Emerson, 75c instead of \$1.50.
Christian Herald History of All Nations—from the earliest times—15 volumes for \$16.75 .	Don Quixote, 4 volumes, \$1.75 instead of \$3.50.	Sterne, 2 volumes; \$1.75 instead of \$3.
Plato, 3/4 morocco, 3 volumes, \$2.75 instead of \$4.50.	Every Man's Library 25c per volume.	Boswell's Johnson—3 volumes, \$2.25 instead of \$4.50.
		Landor's South America; one set at \$5.75 .
		40 volumes Shakespeare; Aldine edition; leather, limp \$17.50 instead of \$24.00.
		Riley's Biographical Edition; morocco and 3/4 morocco; at a very special price.

All the other Calendars, Riley, Ryte-me, Friendships, etc., at 1/2 price. All the Novelties from the Pohlson Galleries at 1/2 price. 200 boxes Initial Stationery was on sale at 59c will close at 39c. All other box stationery and other stationery at 1/2 off.

Phenomenal Silk Business

leaves us with odd lots, cut pieces and varied weaves. Monday we make prices which should give us the biggest day's selling in our store experience. No damaged goods; no imperfect goods—our regular grades. Every piece of which we warrant will wear you well. If not, new goods freely to replace your loss.
 A big lot of fancy weaves and colors, \$1.00 grades at **59c** Monday.
 All the short lengths of Messalines from the manufacturers' clean up at **49c** instead of 85c.

For Just One Day

All our best \$1.00 and \$1.25 Foulards—made by the world's best makers, at **79c** yard. Brocade Crepe, measures 39 inches wide, **89c** instead of \$1.50.
 Diagona Crepe, a little wider, all colors—same price.
 Metectors and Fine Crepes, all pure silk, also crinkles; the finer kinds, usually \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50; Monday at **\$1.59**.
 Broken lines of Charmeuse, the \$2.50 kind, at **\$1.59** also.
 Black, white and fancy Cordorays, sold by us this season at \$1.00 and even \$1.50; on Monday at **49c** a yard.

Gloves of All Kinds—In Six Lots

Christmas Eve ended a most amazing Glove business. We made bounteous preparations for big business—but we had no idea the business would be so immense. Now we would clean out the odd lots—DRESSED and UNDRESSED KIDS—long and short—heavy and light weight. Perhaps not every size in each lot, but from the various lots you will be able to cull such glove values as you have probably never seen before.
 LOT 1—All the Smaschens—gloves made to sell at \$1.00 will go at **49c**.
 LOT 2—All the Kid and Lamb Gloves sold up to \$1.25 will go at **89c**.
 LOT 3—A splendid collection of Real Kid and Selected Lamb, Pique and Overseam, usually \$1.75, will sell at **\$1.29**.
 LOT 4—Our best Jouvins, Majestic, Fine Cape, etc., \$2.00 grades at **\$1.49**.
 LOT 5—All the Long Gloves, 16 button, formerly \$3.00, at **\$1.75**.
 LOT 6—All the Long Gloves, extra quality, formerly \$3.50 and \$3.75, at **\$2.25**.
 No gloves fitted on day of sale. We want to fit afterwards. Every pair of gloves which we fit we guarantee. Six pairs must be the limit to one person. We want everyone to share in this remarkable sale.

And Now a Few Closing Words

It was Emerson, we think, who said exaggeration is ever and always the worst kind of falsehood. In our statements we try to give you a plain, unvarnished tale, always a little under rather than over. Heaven knows we get the other kind ad libitum—and frequently ad nauseum. You have been very kind to us all the year through. We believe that you will recognize our full appreciation in this sort of Thank Offering Sale.
 The three closing days of the year will witness the most radical cutting of prices in our ready-to-wear sections ever seen or known,

we believe, in this land of the free and home of the brave. We would give you particulars, but as we write this on Saturday morning, we are rushed with business in the women's, juniors and children's sections. Suffice it to state that whatever may be left will be marked so low that you will not hesitate (if you need).
 Furs of the better kind. 1/2 off former low prices—the uninitiated, perhaps, should be informed that the "Kilpatrick furs" are like the rest of our merchandise, selected with great care. The name, to

those who know, is a warranty of excellence.
 It's a matter of convenience to us to close our books now for the year. Consequently nothing bought at this sale by charge customers will be billed to them till February first, all purchases taking date as if being bought on January 1st, 1914.
 Now please remember we open at 8 a. m. Stocks will be in full readiness and a force ready to serve you.
 You will trade with greater comfort in the morning.

Thomas Kilpatrick & Company

TO SHOW NEW AUTO MODELS

Fourteenth National Automobile Show in New York Next Week.

ALL TO BE UNDER ONE ROOF

Madison Square Garden Will Not Be Used This Year, but the Show Will Be Staged at Grand Central Palace.

Next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock will see the opening of the fourteenth national automobile show in New York. It will be housed in the Grand Central Palace and held under the auspices of the Automobile Chamber of Commerce. At this exposition the 1914 models of the majority of motor car manufacturers will be formally displayed to the public for the first time and the exhibits will reveal many striking novelties. The exposition will be the only one held in New York this season. Whereas in the past Madison Square Garden has been the scene of the show each year, the garden will not have a 1914 exposition. Last season there were two shows running simultaneously, in the garden and the palace, both under the same management. But this season it has been deemed advisable to stage the national show under one roof and the palace, offering more floor space, was selected. The show is under the direct personal management of S. A. Miles, who has managed all of the Chicago automobile shows, likewise some of those held in New York City. The show will remain open until Saturday, January 16. All told there are 59 exhibitors, of which number seventy-six will show passenger-carrying cars, 200 will display accessories and parts, twelve will be motorcycle exhibits and six will be displays of electric vehicles. Automobiles will occupy the first and second floors and all the wall spaces of the third floor. Elec-

APPAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Police Seem to Have Difficulty in Avoiding Trouble.

GAMBLING SAID TO EXIST NOW

Automobile Driver Tells of Losing Fare Because Man Entered Saloon and Forgot to Return and Pay Him.

It is said on good authority that the police have great difficulty in avoiding trouble with the powers that be. Christian was an auto driver told of a man who rode down from Omaha in his machine and then only paid part of the fare. The man went into a saloon and stayed there according to the driver of the machine. He waited for a long time at the police station to go and get the man, but the police books yesterday showed no arrest from the place in question.
 The cran joints and other places of amusement, which were heralded out of the city a few weeks back with a great blare of trumpets, have returned it is said to do business at the old stand.
 However, it appears that Commissioner Donahue is persuaded that things are going along smoothly for he has announced privately that he will enter the lists against McShane in Omaha for the warm berth now occupied by Sheriff Methane.
 Church Services.
 First Methodist Episcopal, Rev. J. W. Kirpatrick, Pastor—"Unto You is Born This Day, in the City of David, a Savior, Which is Christ, the Lord."
 Carol-Silent Night, Sacred night—Foster Hyon 112—Christmas Song—Harrington Frayer
 Lord's Prayer (Chant)—Lowness
 Scripture Lesson—Luke II, 5-11.
 Carol—Gloria to God in the Highest.
 Chorale—The Shepherd's Song
 Responsive Reading—The Psalter, page 79.
 "The Hymn of the Angels" (Chant)

LITTLE CHILDREN MADE GLAD

Salvation Army Workers Play Santa Claus to 200.

MEN AND WOMEN ARE TREATED

Presents Sent by Weary Old Man to His Grandchildren, Who Watched in Vain for Santa Claus on Xmas Day.

Right past Santa Claus with his long whiskers, past the wise men and under the shining star to the heaps of presents, under a Christmas tree where the Salvation Army workers proved conclusively that Saint Nick is a living, prosperous person.
 With a rather striking program of fifty-four numbers, Lodge No. 17, Ancient Order of United Workmen, celebrated its thirtieth Christmas at Washington hall last night, and distributed boxes of candy and nuts to over 600 children. The Christmas tree the lodge had prepared was a close rival of the municipal tree that stands in the court house square when the grandeur as a whole was taken into consideration.
 The hall was packed with no less than 500 people, young and old. The celebration was open to the public. The splendid drill team of twenty-one men under Captain H. E. Stewart acted as ushers in uniform.
 The Ancient Order of United Workmen concert band of twenty-two pieces, led by N. S. Reeves, furnished music throughout the evening. Over fifty children took part in the program. The Highland Bag, danced by the Misses Jennie and June Hishop, and the famous Scotch sword dance by Miss Jennie Hishop were among the striking features of the program. Little Al Hildinger in his violin solo and his song features attracted a great deal of attention, especially in his garb as the little gentleman with high silk hat and silver-headed cane.
 No less of a sensation was created by the wrestling and boxing bouts of Little Lester and Chester Guinane, the "fighting twins." They are but 8 years old, but they made a game match in both the wrestling and the boxing matches.
 Recitation, Earl Scooverer.
 Recitation, Dick and Mary Craig.
 The band closed the program and then the little children fell in line, walked

MAGIE CITY GOSPEL

Announcements and Collection.
 Offertory Solo—"The Heavenly King."
 Hymn 113—Hark, the Herald Angels Sing.
 The Sanctus—Mendelssohn.
 Rev. Edward Hishop, D. D.
 "Ring Out, Wild Bells."
 Benediction.
 E. P. Baker, choirmaster; Mrs. J. D. Ringer, accompanist.
 St. Luke's Lutheran church, Twenty-fifth and K streets, Rev. F. H. Yorlan, pastor, Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Confirmation class at 4 p. m.
 First Baptist church, Twenty-fifth and J streets, Rev. W. H. Hill, pastor. Bible study at 9:45 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 o'clock. "The Untraveled Paths." Young People's society at 6:30 p. m. A New Year's sermon by the pastor at 7:30 p. m. Brown Park Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Hillsdale Baptist Bible school at 2:30 p. m.
 United Presbyterian church, Twenty-third and H streets, Rev. W. A. Pollock, pastor. Bible school at 9:45 p. m. Subject, "The Pilgrim's Keeper."
 Magie City Gospel.
 Miss Gretchen Boeck, who is teaching school at Cedar Creek, is spending the holidays with her parents.
 Richard Nelson of Aurora is visiting with Mrs. C. H. Lee at her home, 226 North Twenty-first street.
 Ralph Lyman, who is attending the state university at Lincoln, is spending the week-end with South Omaha friends.
 Henry Tietjen, formerly of this city, is spending the holidays with Mrs. William Schelling and brother, 716 North Thirty-third street.
 Miss Nina McWilliams, who is attending the Wesleyan university at Lincoln, is spending the holiday season in South Omaha with relatives.
 Charles Harris, who is a sales agent for the Firestone Rubber company of Cincinnati, O., is spending a few days with his parents and friends in South Omaha.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Venn and daughter, Mabel, of Rawlins, Wyo., and A. J. Ham of Sheridan, Wyo., Miss Ida Ham of South Omaha and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Knice of South Omaha are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Alstadt at their home, 1328 Monroe street.
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WORKMEN PRESENT A FINE PROGRAM, WITH LARGE TREE

Following are those who participated in the program.
 Ancient Order of United Workmen concert band, Lee T. Granville, Howard Wolf, Margaret Walker, Ruth Clark, Laura Selingham, Marie Meisner, Herta Brown, Arlene Meisner, Mr. Lanyon, Wilbur Matthews, Miss Jennie Hishop, Miss June Hishop, Leta Matthews Doris Schneider, Bessie Barnes, Albert Hildinger, Loyal Matthews, Edith Matthews, Della May Ellworth, Helen Pennie, Susan, Gertrude Hishop, Iris Thompson, Grace Thompson Fern Thompson, Master Charles Bell, Arthur Penniman, Frances Desterhouse, Phillip Fink, Leslie Desterhouse, Lester and Chester Guinane, Madeline Desterhouse, Hattie Stran, Miss Helen Care, Miss Blanche Dolan, Ivan Bowman, Mrs. Bowman, Dorothy Bowman, Irma Griger, Gladys and Alice Jackson, Irma McMillan, Herbert Brown, Albert Hildinger, Wildard Bailey, Karl Molco, Lester Anderson, Joseph Sacco, Peter Sacco, Mary Sacco, Antonia Sacco, Margaret Koback.
 Surrounded by competing manufacturers, mechanical engineers, dealers, university engineering professors, representatives of motor car and other motor car enthusiasts, the guaranteed fifty horsepower Moline-Knight motor was started on its official two weeks, day and night, continuous run at the Automobile Club of America, New York, at 8 o'clock Friday afternoon.
 Never in the history of the motor car industry was a motor ever been subjected to such an "inhuman" test and never has a motor car maker been willing to publicly test the power, flexibility and economy of a gasoline motor under the same rigid rules and regulations as is being done by President M. H. Van Dervoort of the Moline Automobile company.
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