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JANUARY SALE PRICES.

CLOAKS.

We have a few garments which we do not wish to carry over. In order not to do so we must make the price.

Ladies plush cape, fur trimmed collar, garment 20 inch long, price \$2.25; sale price, \$1.50.

Ladies silk plush cape, fur trimmed beaded, price \$7.50 inventory clearing sale price \$4.50.



Ladies black boucle cloth cape, storm collar, fur trimmed collar and front with black thibet, 28-inches in length, full lined price \$6.50, inventory price \$3.90.

Ladies Boucle cloth cape, thibet fur, trimmed collar and front, price \$8, sale price \$1.80.

Ladies blue black broadcloth jacket, trimmed with broadcloth straps, price \$8.00, sale price \$5.

Ladies' boucle cloth jackets, trimmed with braid, price \$11.50, sale price \$7.

Ladies tan covert cloth jacket, velvet collar, price \$6, sale price \$3.75.

Ladies brown boucle cloth jacket, trimmed with stripes broadcloth, handsome garment, price \$9.50, sale price \$5.75.

Child's mixed red and blue boucle cloth jacket trimmed with braid, price \$6.50, sale price, \$3.75.

Child's blue and black boucle jackets, brass buttons, price \$4.50, sale price 2.75.

These goods are this season's garments. We make our blow a clean cut knockout blow.

HOSIERY



The boys and girls leather stockings, the peer of all others. Triple Knee, that is one point Get a pair and you'll readily recognize several others. Price 25c per pair.

Pride of the west, heavy cotton hose, regular price 25c, to make room for new lines, our January price, 19c.

Kenosha ladies' fleece lined cotton, extra value, at 20c.

Misses and children's heavy cotton hose, January price 10c per pair.

Ladies 25c cashmere hose, January price 18c. Other values at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Special lot of 50 pairs of children's cashmere hose regular 30c and 40c goods, broken lines and sizes. January price is 20c per pair.

Men's extra heavy cotton hose 3 for 25c.

Try a pair of our men's hose at 5c per pair.

These goods are all this season's stock. We must have room for new goods. That is the reason of prices such as we make.

SHOES



We have added several new well known makers of shoes to our line to replace several lines which we have been handling in the past. In order to make room for new goods we put close out prices on the following lines.

Bradley Metalwell well known goods. Strictly first class goods.

Ladies \$3.50 shoes \$2.60. Men's 3.50 shoes 2.60.
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We have about 100 pairs men's, women's and children's shoes, broken lines and sizes. These goods are from lines which we have quit handling. We must have room for new goods hence the price of \$1.00 per pair.

New line of Mastiff shoes. Ladies, Misses and children's shoes from \$1.50 for children to \$2.25 per pair for ladies' goods. We guarantee you cannot match these goods in quality and style for less than \$1.75 to \$2.50 per pair.

Handsome new line of Wolfe Bros. medium price shoes. 60c for children's to \$1.75 for ladies.

Men's CAPS.—To Close, January sale price on men's 30c caps, 15c. January sale price on men's 50c caps, 30c.

BOOTS.—50 pairs men's full stock calf boots, price \$3.00 to \$3.50, to close, January price \$2.00 per pair.

FEET HATS.—January sale price on 75c hats, 50c. \$1.00 hats 75c. 125 hats 90c. 2.50 hats \$1.80. We must have room for spring stock.

LAUNDRIED SHIRTS.—January price on \$1.00 shirts, 65c. January price on 1.25 shirts, 90c.

NECKWARE.—A few 40c ties, January price, 20c.

MITT'S.—50 pairs Men's Mitts, price 25c, January sale price 18c.

Dress.—We still have a few small pieces of dress flannels 54-inch wide, at 47c. This value you cannot duplicate Go ds. anywhere.

Novelty dress goods patterns—50c per yd, January sale price 38c. 60c per yd, January sale price 47c. 65c per 5yd, January sale price 52c. 1.10 per yd, January sale price 87c.

January price values in black dress goods are exceptional values. Remnants in dress goods on remnant counter at January sale prices.

Blankets.—We call special attention to our values in cotton blankets at 60c, 80c \$1.25, and \$1.50.

Wool blankets at money saving prices. \$3.00 wool blankets at \$2.40. \$3.50 wool blankets at \$2.80. \$4.00 wool blankets at \$3.20. \$5.00 wool blankets at \$4.00. \$6.00 wool blankets at \$4.80. \$8.00 wool blankets at \$6.40.

MINER BROS., Red Cloud, Neb.

AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Gen Eagan Goes Wrong — Open Executive Sessions — Two Funerals at the Capitol — Canal Bill Meets New Objections

Gen. Miles has made many new friends by the dignified manner in which he has carried himself while smarting under the dirty personal attack made upon him by Commissary General Eagan, in his testimony before the war investigating commission. To a man of General Miles temperament it has been no easy matter to sit still and say nothing while waiting for the war department to call down and punish his subordinate for having called him about every known sort of a liar. Congress is also waiting to see something done, some punishment meted out to fit the crime, and if something isn't done very soon, congress may take the bit in its teeth and do something itself. The action of President McKinley in compelling General Eagan, through Secretary Alger, to revise his testimony and leave out the objectionable language, isn't satisfactory to anybody, because it doesn't punish and humiliate Eagan sufficiently. Senators and representatives have very freely expressed the opinion that Gen. Eagan has demonstrated his unfitness to hold such an important and responsible position, regardless of Gen. Miles, and not a few of them have said that he should be cashiered.

The routine business in house and senate is being pushed along as rapidly as possible, but the chances for an extra session continue to grow, owing to the uncertainty about many things in the senate, and especially about the time that will be consumed by the treaty.

In all the numerous fights to have executive sessions of the senate held open doors, Senator Hoar had, until the present contest, over Senator Berry's motion to consider the treaty of peace with open doors, always been one of the most valued fighters for secret executive sessions. Consequently, his speech in support of Mr. Berry's motion was surprising to many of his colleagues as well as to the public. Open executive sessions of the senate may come some day, but they are not yet in sight.

Two funerals were never held in the capitol so close together as that of Senator Morrill, held in the senate chamber a fortnight ago, and that of Representative Dingley, held in the house of representatives Monday. Those who are superstitious enough to believe that calamities usually travel in bunches of three, are wondering who will be the next man of prominence to die.

The Nicaragua canal bill will be voted upon by the senate this week. It will pass by a large majority—possibly without a division. The house inter-state and foreign commerce committee will devote about all of this week to hearings of the five or six canal bills, all differing in some way from the Morgan bill that will be passed by the senate. Many of the friends of the canal say that its worst enemies are posing as its friends, in order to stave off action by congress. A representative who is always wide awake when on duty said: "The railroads and other hostile influences are putting feather beds on the track of the canal bill, and trying to ditch the train so gently that nobody will realize what has happened until it is over. They are proposing endless schemes for digging the ditch—all purporting to be better than the one embraced in the Morgan bill. It looks as though they might win out along that line, but congress may get impatient and take matters out of the hands of the filibusters and pass a measure out of hand."

Senators are enjoying themselves at the expense of their new colleague, Mr. Simon, of Oregon, who is reported to have asked for what is regarded as the most important committee assignment in the senate. A senator speaking of him said: "Simon is a peach. He beats anything we have had here for some time. Just think of it, before he had been in the senate 24 hours, he filed an application for a position on the committee on rules. Now if he had asked for the chairmanship

of appropriations, finance or judiciary, it wouldn't have been so remarkable. But to think of his wanting to go on the rules committee before he had been here long enough to know how to make a motion to adjourn. Aldrich, I understand, nearly had a fit when Simon made his wishes known to him. Poor Aldrich, he always was tender hearted. It cost him a severe pang to turn Simon down. It's a fact, I've got his word for it. Simon hasn't been placed yet. When he is I'm afraid that he will be disappointed. I think that he has a fair prospect of getting on the committee to look after ventilation in the interior department."

A war department official, in his anxiety to strongly deny a report about our soldiers at Manila being discontented, made a statement that does not exactly go with the official announcement that the news from Dewey and Otis is all good. He said that far from being discontented, all the volunteers at Manila, who had applied for discharge had withdrawn their applications as soon as they saw that there was a prospect of some fighting. If there is a prospect of some fighting before Dewey and Otis, somebody must have stretched their consciences to say that all the news from them was good. A prospect for fighting is certainly not to be considered good news.

An Open Letter to The Chief.

What is conversion in a scriptural sense? Justification by faith in Christ. Peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Romans 5:1. What is it to stand in saving grace? By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand and rejoice in the hope of the glory of God. By what mode are we brought into conversion or justification? For by one spirit are we all baptized into one body and have all been made to drink into one spirit. 2d Cor. 12:13 Is conversion instantaneous or comes in a gradual growth of grace. It may come either way. It may approach you in a still small voice. In this case it is necessary to turn the light on your own conscience. 2d Cor. 2:5. Jesus tells us in John's gospel the kingdom of heaven suffered violence and the violent take it by force a difference in temperament in individuals. John 20:12. Then shall ye call on Me and ye shall go and pray unto Me and I will harken unto ye. v. 13. And ye shall seek Me and find Me when ye shall search for Me with all your heart. What is it to be a believer in a scriptural sense? Standing in saving grace through faith in Christ. General of John 5:10. Whosoever believeth on the Son of God hath the witness in himself. Part of 18th v, we know that whosoever is born of God sinneth not. Lastly John's gospel, 7:3 and 30, he that believeth on Me as the scripture hath said. Read the two verses.

JOS. BENNETT.

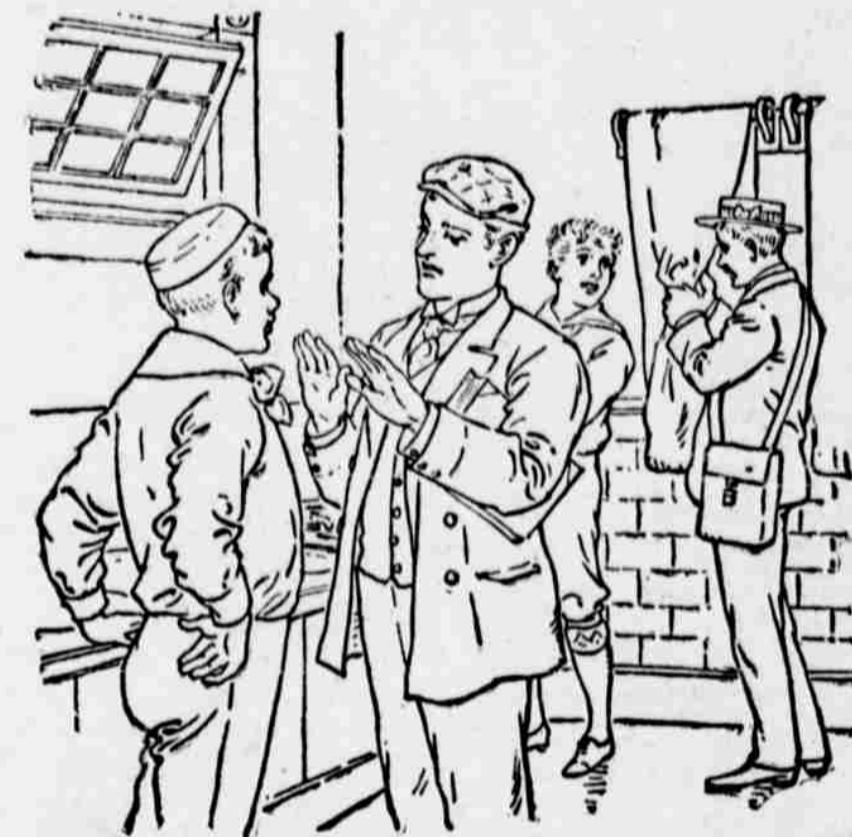
Gripe Successfully Treated.

"I have just recovered from the second attack of grippe this year," says Mr. Jas. A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexia, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days against ten days for the former attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting 'down.'" For sale by H. E. Grice.

To the Public.

We are authorized to guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and if not satisfactory to refund the money to the purchaser. There is no better medicine made for grippe, colds and whooping cough. Price 25c and 50c per bottle, try it. H. E. Grice.

These are dangerous times for the health. Colds, croup and throat troubles lead rapidly to consumption. A bottle of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and a large amount of money. Pleasant to take; children like it. C. L. Cotting.



Marred by inkstain, cut, and splinter,
Burned in summer, chapped in winter,
Schoolboy's hands have much to suffer;
Common soaps but make them rougher.
Ivory Soap is pure, and hence
Leaves such pleasant after-sense
That the careless schoolboy, e'en,
Takes delight in being clean.

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ALMOST FORGOTTEN.

Little Stuff Which Almost Escaped Publicity Through Carelessness.

With the lengthening of the days increased activity is noticeable in all times of trade.—Especially so is this noticeable among the farmers.—The greater portion of this class have found out that it pays to be ready to seed when the opportunity presents itself.—There are some however who always wait until the last minute and then kick because the season don't wait for them.—But speaking about kickers, they don't all live in the rural districts.—Every town or city is blessed; or rather cursed, with a number of them.—This city is not far behind the average.—It contains people who can kick about as loud about something that doesn't concern them as anybody.—One man this week was heard kicking because the city was going to have a telephone exchange.—Also that the taxes and other expenses would soon break up the company at the low prices at which they are rented.—How very thoughtful of him to look after the interests of the poor telephone company in preference to the community in which he lives.—Another was heard to kick about the proposed electric light plant.—His argument was against the increased taxes he would have to pay.

—The individual referred to owns no real estate, and very little personal property.—We conclude therefore that he is another of those beings sent into this world to show his fellowmen the pitfalls of life.—His advice is always ready, profuse and discouraging and administered in large doses.—He is the kind of a citizen that should be shunned on every corner and encouraged to leave a community that believes in enterprise and advancement.—Among an advancing community like ours such people are very little things.—But speaking of little things, about the smallest thing that has come across our gaze lately is the "obituary" of the former editor of the Nation.—We refer to it as an obituary because the writer and signer is politically, morally and socially dead.—The obituary says "the business will be carried on in nearly the same manner in the future as in the past."—We think it would be a good plan for the present editor to offer a slight apology for the error in this clause which he undoubtedly overlooked.—The word "not" inserted after "business" and by leaving out the

word "nearly" would have changed the clause to read more correctly.—He also says he leaves many enemies and friends.—A careful count of noses, we believe, would reveal the former to be largely in the majority.—The enemies he says he will continue to hate even to the time when the spike-tailed gentleman presents him with a spear and sets him at his old labor (presumably raising h—l for which he was noted during his residence in this city) in place with a warmer climate than Red Cloud.—He evidently has a very deep insight into the future and knows just where he is going, although he said before leaving town that he was going to Kansas.—The prospect of avoiding a meeting with this "fallen spirit" in his chosen home in the hereafter will no doubt be the means of causing great numbers to attend divine services regularly.—Speaking of divine services those revival meetings at the Methodist church are very largely attended.—No doubt a number of souls will be saved.—The new walk in front of the parsonage will also be a great saver of soles.—There are other places where a like saving could be made.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

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Sold by druggists, price 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For Sale.

One hundred and sixty acres of unimproved land four miles northwest of Red Cloud, consisting of the west half of the northeast quarter, and the east half of the northwest quarter of section fifteen in township two north, range eleven west. The land is leased at present, but subject to sale. Price \$2,500. For further information apply to MRS. JAMES KIRKWOOD, Fairfax, Mo.