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OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT

This is teachers' convention week. It is also the week before inventory with us. This means a great saving to you when buying...

- All our Beautiful Cloth Coats reduced in price. \$40.00 Coats, this week \$28.50. \$35.00 Coats, this week \$25.50.

- All of our fine Tailored Suits at Reduced Prices. \$35.00, \$40.00 and \$45.00 Suits, \$25.00. \$27.50, \$30.00 Suits, this week \$23.50.

CHILDREN'S COATS.

Our entire line of Children's Cloaks have been greatly reduced in price for Saturday's selling. \$15.00 Coats, Saturday \$12.50. \$12.50 Coats, Saturday \$10.00.

NECK FURS.

All of our beautiful Neck Furs Saturday at special prices. Genuine Marten Scarfs, a good \$15 value, Saturday's special price, \$12 each.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES OF ROBE BLANKETS.

- Our \$10.00 Robe Blankets, now \$7.00 each. Our \$10.00 Robe Blankets, now \$12.50. Our \$10.00 and \$15.00 Robe Blankets, now \$2.50 each.

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Y. M. C. A. Building, Corner Sixteenth and Douglas Streets.

The remainder of the Russians made a stubborn resistance. Four heavy guns, seven rapid-firing guns and two machine guns were captured...

Russians Abandon New Town. LONDON, Dec. 31.—A dispatch from the Foo to the Daily Telegraph says: A messenger from Port Arthur states that the Japanese have mounted eight guns...

THREE-CENT STREET CAR FARE

Cleveland Company Will Run Special Cars for Low Rate Within Two-Mile Limit. CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 30.—President Horace E. Andrews of the Cleveland Electric company signified today the willingness of his company to try an experiment in 3-cent fares for a distance of two miles from the center of the city on the lines of that road.

HERMAN IS UNDER FIRE

Federal Grand Jury Examines Employee of Land Office During His Administration. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—It is probable that the members of the federal grand jury will be given a rest for a few days during the first of the coming week.

FUNERAL OF JOHN F. LALLY

Obsequies Held Over Remains of Mail Carrier Who Dies Suddenly Tuesday Evening. The funeral of John F. Lally of 411 North Twenty-fifth street, the mail carrier who died suddenly Tuesday evening, was held Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. at St. Mary's church.

THOMAS NOT CERTAIN NOW

Civic Federation is Undecided, He Says, What to Do Next in Its Crusade. In regard to the exploded charges filed by Elmer E. Thomas on behalf of the Civic Federation against Chief of Police Donahue, which charges were dismissed by the fire and police commissioners Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Thomas said he could not say at this time whether the Civic Federation would or would not present the charges to the governor.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Lawrence Shirock of 530 North Twenty-fifth street, an employe of Thomas Durkin's electrical works at Twenty-seventh and Cummins streets, sustained a compound fracture from a light ankle falling sixteen feet from a light pole at the corner of Racequet building at Fifteenth and Harney streets. The injured man is a son of S. P. Shirock, manager of the Glencoe mills, and lives at the home of his parents, where he is being attended by Dr. J. C. Davis.

CONGRESS CAN END COMBINE

Such Opinion is Expressed at Meeting of Economists in Chicago. DIVORCE MANUFACTURE AND HAULING Edward B. Whitney Declares Congress Has Power Under the Constitution to Prohibit Several Forms of "Trusts."

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Edward B. Whitney of New York declared today before the American Political Science and Economic association that congress has the power to put an end to the United States Steel corporation, the "Anthracite Coal Pool" and similar corporations.

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Exercise Your Skin—keep up its activity and aid its natural changes, not by expensive Turkish baths, but by HAND SAPOLIO, the only soap that liberates the activities of the pores without working chemical changes. Costs but a trifle.

Auditorium Roller Skating Rink Opens Saturday Night, December 31st Music by Dimmick's Band ADMISSION TEN CENTS.

ERNEST GAMBLE Recital Party First M. E. Church JANUARY 2, AT 8 P. M. MR. ERNEST GAMBLE, The Eminent Bass. MISS HELENA L. PAGE, Violinist. MR. EDWIN SHOUBERT, Pianist.

BOYD'S WOODWARD AVE. CHARLES B. HANFORD Matinee—DON CAESAR DE BAZAN, Night—OTHELLO. SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY—MATINEE SUNDAY AND MONDAY—CHARLES HAWFREY A MESSAGE FROM MARS. SEATS ON SALE.

MENTER & BLOOM 1508 Dodge BARGAINS IN LADIES' SUITS Not much to say—the prices speak for themselves. These suits are all this season's style and we guarantee satisfaction or money back. Sale will be tomorrow and continue all next week. Charge anything you buy. All \$12 Suits, at this Sale \$ 8.98

Boys' Suits and Overcoats At \$5.00 \$11.00 Overcoats and suits of all broken lines that sold at \$5.00 to \$15.00. At \$3.95 \$11.00 Overcoats and suits of all broken lines that sold at \$5.00 to \$15.00. At \$2.95 To close out all old suits, overcoats and Refers, worth \$1.00, \$1.50 and some worth \$2.00 included.