

# Half Price and Less at Kilpatrick's on Monday

At no time since we have been in business have we placed in cold type such strong statements, and like all Kilpatrick statements, every word is true, description correct, every statement absolutely authentic.

MONDAY, DEC. 27th DOORS WILL BE THROWN OPEN AT 8 O'CLOCK—THE RINGING OF THE BELL WILL ANNOUNCE THE GREATEST COAT AND SUIT SALE IN OUR EXPERIENCE—AYE, MORE THAN THAT, THE STARTING OF

# The Biggest Sale in Omaha's History

HUNDREDS OF SUITS AND COATS WILL BE OFFERED AT ONE-HALF FORMER PRICES AND LESS THAN ONE-HALF FORMER PRICES—Garments made for this Fall and Winter trade—Smartest styles—all new features in the make-up—Best of materials—Best of workmanship—Linings of the best—Broadcloths—Serges—Worsted—Chevrans—English Tweeds etc., etc.

## The Dear Little Children Will Be Treated Well in This Sale

All of our correct style garments, ages from 6 to 12 years—in two lots—

Values up to \$7.50—**\$3.75** at

Values up to \$13.00—**\$6.95** at

## And Not One Old Garment in Either Lot

Coats for Little Tots of Tender Years—The 2-year-old—for those 3 years old—of 4 years, and including 5 years old—Coats which sold up to \$4.50 will go at **\$1.49**

Coats of fine fabrics, trimmed with braid, all colors, formerly up to \$8.75, will go at, each **\$4.98**

Coats sold up to \$15 will go **\$6.98** at

Bonnets for little ones—the warm, cozy kind—colored—at prices ranging 1/3 to 1/2 less than formerly.

And these are all for sale in the New Section for the Little Ones' Wearables.

## Now Note the Sensational Statements Regarding This Most Sensational of All Suit Sales

Suits which sold at \$55.00 and \$60.00 will go on Monday at **\$27.50**

Suits which sold up to \$45 and \$50 will go on Monday at **\$22.50**

Suits which sold up to \$42.50 will go on Monday at **\$20.00**

Suits which sold up to \$37.50 and \$40 will go on Monday at **\$18.75**

Suits which sold up to \$35.00 will go on Monday at **\$17.50**

Suits which sold up to \$30 and \$32.50 will go on Monday at **\$15.00**

Suits which sold up to \$25 and \$27.50 will go on Monday at **\$12.50**

A few very elegant garments made to sell at \$100 to \$125, will go at **\$60-\$65**

Silk Dresses which were \$50 to \$65 will go Monday at **\$32.50-\$25**

Broadcloth and Serge Dresses, all latest fall styles—sold from \$25 up to \$85, will go on Monday at from \$42.50 down to **\$12.50**

And at many figures between these two prices—\$39, \$25, \$17.50, \$13.50, \$12.50—values so rare indeed that, in our best judgment, never were approached.

## Street Coats, Opera Coats

All the newest styles in coats—black coats, colored coats, plain coats, fancy coats—every garment made to sell for double Monday's asking prices—

OUT TO **\$25.00** CUT TO **\$15.00**

OUT TO **\$22.50** CUT TO **\$13.50**

OUT TO **\$20.00** CUT TO **\$12.50**

OUT TO **\$18.00** CUT TO **\$10.50**

OUT TO **\$16.50** CUT TO **\$7.50**

There's range—there's variety—there's elegance—there's richness—there's sensational selling.

IN ONE LOT—ABOUT 100 COATS—FINE MATERIALS, BROADCLOTHS, FANCY MIXTURES—SEMI-FITTED AND FITTED—IN OUR REGULAR STOCK THESE WERE PRICED UP TO \$35—ALL WILL GO ON MONDAY AT, EACH **\$7.50**

## And the Furs Will All Be Offered Also

It is generally known and admitted that our usual prices range lower than the average Fur Store.

One-third off our regular prices then means a great

Saving in Furs For You and Yours

- MINKS
  - MARTENS
  - FOXES
  - WOLVES
  - OPOSSUMS
  - JAP MINKS
  - MUFFS
  - NECKPIECES,
  - SCARFS
  - COATS
  - CHILDREN'S SETS
- Near Seal 28-inch Fur Coats, formerly \$45, will go at **\$20.00**
- A special lot of Black 26-in. Caracul, Plush and 50-inch Plaid Coats—not new styles—but excellent materials—were once \$22.50 for some of them—will go at, each **\$3.95**

Come early—if the weather is severe doors will be open early—but the sale will not start till 8 o'clock on the minute. There ought not to be a single disappointment. There are hundreds upon hundreds of garments. Our selling space is trebled, our sales force largely increased—our workrooms filled with efficient help. Come then confidently to this greatest of all great coat and suit sales—AND IT'S AT KILPATRICK'S.

# THOMAS KILPATRICK & COMPANY

memories of other days, when Santa Claus and the tinny bells marked a great event. And in some establishments, where work must continue regardless of differences in days, more or less valuable presents brought contentment.

Altogether, Christmas day of 1909 carried happiness, with a modicum of grief to temper the exuberance. Jack Frost painted many a picture outdoors rivaling the gratifying groupings within. If the saying, "A green Christmas makes a fat graveyard" be taken literally, then this day holds elements of health and promise not to be despised.

It was a poor day to sell automobiles, whips, but a great day for icicles.

**Services at Institutions.**

At the Presbyterian hospital a Christmas feast for the attendants and patients made the holiday gay. The gift-giving was limited to objects of the value of not to exceed 50 cents. St. Joseph's hospital had a religious program beginning with mass at midnight, and there was a Christmas tree and entertainment.

The deaf and dumb children had a gayly decorated Christmas tree and a real turkey dinner.

The Knights of Columbus gave the children of St. James' Orphan's home their holiday joys with a picture show and a Christmas tree and a good old-fashioned Santa Claus.

There was an all-day stak party at Metropolitan hall, with much gaiety.

Charitable institutions prepared a Christmas for the poor and every effort was made to reach into every abode of the needy. Preparations at the People's church, 15 North Eighteenth street, contemplated a Christmas dinner to 300 persons. The dinner was served to all who came between the hours of 11:30 o'clock in the morning and 4 in the afternoon.

The prisoners in the city jail had their Christmas dinner, too. It comprised the royal American turkey, with the time-honored and much beloved cranberries alongside, and other things.

All the big stores downtown were closed for the day, and officially Omaha was at rest, with the city hall and the court house closed.

The newboys of the city got their Christmas, too. "Moggy" Bernstein, probation officer, and his assistants, together with representatives from the newboy forces from each of the three papers of Omaha, gave out dinner baskets to 150 newboys Friday afternoon.

Each of the newboys got a live chicken, together with all proper trimmings for a Christmas dinner, and a pair of warm woolen mittens.

The Omaha City mission more than carried out its good intentions this Christmas season by providing 1,400 poor people with Christmas dinners, and made many hearts happy by special Christmas services and entertainments.

At 9 o'clock in the morning there was a special meeting and gathering for the boys. Following a short program and distribution of gifts came a sleigh ride for all.

In the afternoon the girls and primary department were treated to a program, gifts, stereoscopic lecture by Rev. L. O. Baird, pastor of the St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church, and many other forms of entertainment.

The evening was given over to the men, who were entertained with a stereoscopic entertainment by Rev. Mr. Baird, and there were other features.

The Mission hall on North Tenth street had been festively decorated for the festive occasion and a mammoth Christmas tree, laden with presents and good things, occupied a prominent position.

### GEORGE P. SHELDON IS DEAD

Deposed President of Phoenix Fire Insurance Company Passes Away.

INDICTED FOR GRAND LARCENY.

Detectives Were Waiting His Recovery with Extradition Papers to Take Him Back to New York.

GREENWICH, Conn., Dec. 25.—George Preston Sheldon, the deposed president of the Phoenix Fire Insurance company of Brooklyn, under indictment for grand larceny in connection with financial irregularities in the company recently exposed by the state insurance department of New York, died at his home here today, ignorant of the fact that detectives were waiting with extradition papers, ready to take him to New York for trial in the event of his recovery. At the time the affairs of the company were arranged in a statement by the New York insurance department recently, Sheldon lay critically ill of prostrating poisoning, and in view of his condition, details of the investigation and news of his indictment were withheld from him. He never rallied, however.

Sheldon had been president of the Phoenix Fire Insurance company of Brooklyn for twenty-one years prior to his removal, and was one of the most prominent residents of Greenwich. The report of the investigation, made by William H. Hutchins, state superintendent of insurance of New York, declared that the company had for years evaded an official investigation at Sheldon's dictation, and that by consent of the directors he had pledged the securities of the company for loans. Sums aggregating \$250,000 had been loaned, it was charged, to former officers of the state insurance department. Sheldon, it was further alleged, had overdrawn his own salary and had used the company's funds in speculation.

Sheldon was born in New York sixty-two years ago, and was a graduate of Yale. In 1888 he was elected president of the Phoenix Fire insurance company of Brooklyn. A widow, three daughters and two sons survive him.

### Twenty Spanish Villages Are Inundated

Damage by Wind and Flood in Spain and Portugal Will Be Enormous.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Dec. 23.—Reports received from the regions devastated by yesterday's storm, state that the material damage is incalculable. Railroad communications with Portugal has been cut off, except by the Medina del Campo route, which was recently inaugurated. Several bridges have been swept away and the town of Benjar at the foot of the Gredos mountains is isolated by the floods. Twenty villages in Leon have been inundated.

LONDON, Dec. 25.—Despatches to Lloyds from Oporto, Portugal, report the German steamer Cintra from Rotterdam, December 16, for Oporto stranded on the river Douro and in a most critical position. Two officers and a seaman were saved and the first officer and four of the crew are still aboard. It is feared that the remainder, including the captain of the Cintra, were drowned.

The German steamer, Rector, is on the rocks at the entrance to the Douro river and the British steamer, Gascen, has been beached on the bar. The Norwegian steamers Hvia and Ellida, the latter from Tyne, are also aground at the entrance to the harbor.

### EYES MADE TO COMMAND

Here Man Balked for a While, but Eventually Obeyed Orders.

They sat opposite each other, and as for her she looked demurely out of the window at nothing at all, and for him, he looked at her.

Very pensive was she and reminiscent of the lilies and the unfathomable sea. Her eyes were brown and liquid and touched with a glint of sadness—deep, wondrous eyes and altogether reminiscent of the unfathomable sea. Her lips—ah, me! Her chin was white and soft, and warm like a magical weave of satin, and when she breathed deeply it seemed as though the whole wide world grew suddenly silent and held its breath with her.

And as for him, he weighed about ninety kilograms. He had color in his cheeks and wore a wool hat.

Now, as he sat there he looked at her. He looked at her slyly, openly, longingly, respectfully, admiringly, patiently, passively, actively, straightforwardly, sheepishly, hopefully, despairingly, but through it all she looked pensively out of the window at nothing at all. Thea something happened. She stirred slightly in her seat and touched his foot.

Was it an accident? Was it on purpose? He looked at her, but her gaze was pensively directed out of the window. Gradually and by such a subtle advance that it can only be compared to the travel of the hour hand of a clock, he moved his foot. He explored to the north, and the south and the east and he went, pausing from time to time to the observations, until at last he touched her foot with his. He touched and waited. There was no response.

Altogether reminiscent of the lilies and the unfathomable sea was she of the drooping lilies and the moonlight on the sea. He waited and hoped, but he waited and hoped in vain. Daring greatly, he gave her foot a tender little pressure, exquisitely done, but she made no sign. So it was an accident. He sighed with a deep regret and then another thing happened. She touched his foot again.

He looked at her.

She looked at him, and his heart stopped beating. He touched her foot, but there was no response. She looked at him with a mute command that said: "Let your glance now follow mine." And slowly then she turned her glance to the aisle until it rested on a gray-haired old lady who was pre-occupied upon a strap.

He looked at the girl, but her glance was irrevocably set upon the gray-haired old lady in the aisle. He looked and a light dawned on him. Slowly and deliberately he gathered the skirts of his coat about him as though about to rise, and steadfastly he looked at her with a look that said: "Is it your wish?" And as for her, as she looked at the gray-haired old lady in the aisle she smiled and imperceptibly she nodded. He arose.

"Madame," said he to the gray-haired old lady in the aisle, "will you have my seat?"

She sat down, and although she thanked not our hero, nevertheless he was happy, looked shrewdly at the

### LANDLORDS HANDED A LEMON

Chicago Court Rules Against the Ejection of Children from Dwellings.

Chicago children have been given the right to live in any flat, apartment house or dwelling which they and their parents desire to occupy, and they can stay just as long as their fathers pay the rent. The landlord cannot longer tell the man of the limited family and limited means to go to the suburbs and build himself a house if he insists on providing a roof for his sons and daughters.

The state law, which landlords and their attorneys had laughed at, declaring it unconstitutional and class legislation to prohibit their turning away tenants with children, was upheld as constitutional by Municipal Judge Himes, and if the decision stands unversed in the higher courts Chicago tenants, through their spokesman, Holla R. Longenecker, say they have established an important means by which many things, from reasonable periods for repapering the rooms to proper degrees of heat in zero weather, may be regulated by law.

"All the lawyers laughed at me and said of course the law was unconstitutional, but I went ahead and took a chance," said Attorney Longenecker. The case was brought on Mr. Longenecker's complaint that W.

S. Boylston, on assuming control of the flats at 511 East Sixteenth street, had refused to renew the Longenecker lease, declaring that he did not care to rent to families with children. As Mr. Longenecker has a son 5 years old and a daughter aged 3, he saw the point, but instead of submitting he went to the courts.

"It is the first case that has been brought up under this law, and unless the supreme court reverses it it will mean serious consequences for any landlord who refuses to rent his flats to families with children," commented Mr. Longenecker. "Judge Himes is to be congratulated on upholding the law."

Judge Himes in the opinion declared that children have as much right to protection as the game of the state, and the game laws have been universally upheld. Power placed in the hands of landlords to drive large families to hotels or dwelling houses, both of which are beyond the purse of the majority, tends to encourage race suicide, he hinted. Any law that will make for the comfort, safety and welfare of the community, he declared, is well within the police powers of the state.

"In the exercise of this," he said, "the general assembly may prohibit all things hurtful to the comfort, safety and welfare of society, even though the prohibition involve the right of liberty or property of an individual."—Chicago Post.

**Home of George Wilson.**

YANKTON, S. D., Dec. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire burned the fine home of George Wilson, vice president of the First National bank. It is feared the loss will run into thousands of dollars. The fire was caused from the furnace.

**Bowlers to Bowl All Day.**

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 24.—(Special.)—An all-day bowling tournament, where every man will start at 11 o'clock in the morning and continue until 11 o'clock that evening. A contest for the city championship is also being arranged.

**MARRIED ON DEATH BED**

Government Organ Confirms Story of Religious Marriage of King Leopold.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 25.—The Twentieth Century, a government organ, quoted "an authoritative person" confirming the religious marriage of King Leopold on his death bed. It also says that a few days prior to this, Baroness Vaughan received his coronation.

**Motorman Hurt in Wreck.**

WATERLOO, Ia., Dec. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Street cars had a head-on collision in this city Friday. Motorman Ed Hunt, had both legs crushed and he was seriously bruised. He may lose the sight of one eye. Ed Huff, Frank Konen and J. S. Darrow, passengers, all from Cedar Rapids, suffered severe injuries, also Conductor Clarence Neiper.

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**STOMACH LIVER LUNGS**

Each of the chief organs of the body is a link in the Chain of Life. A chain is no stronger than its weakest link, the body no stronger than its weakest organ. If there is weakness of stomach, liver or lungs, there is a weak link in the chain of life which may snap at any time. Often this so-called "weakness" is caused by lack of nutrition, the result of weakness or disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. Diseases and weaknesses of the stomach and its allied organs are cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When the weak or diseased stomach is cured, diseases of other organs which seem remote from the stomach but which have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, are cured also.

The strong man has a strong stomach. Take the above recommended "Discovery" and you may have a strong stomach and a strong body.

GIVEN AWAY—Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, new revised Edition, is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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**Stars and Stripes**

A beer just suited to quaff at home—A night-cap for the sociable evening—a refreshing draught for the late supper—a delightful glass to sip under the evening lamp. Stars and Stripes is a foaming, sparkling beverage for the keen palate—for the connoisseur.

Have a case delivered to your home.

**Willow Springs Brewing Co.**

Office 118 South 14th St. Phone Doug. 1900. Brewery, 34 and 35th Sts. Phone Doug. 1885.

**Green Trading Stamps**

\$1.00 in Stamps (15) given with each two dozen cases of large bottles, delivered in the city for **\$1.25**

\$3.00 in Stamps (45) given with each two dozen cases of large bottles, delivered in the city for **\$2.25**

Out of town customers add \$1.50 for the case and bottles.