DEFEAT MENACES KAISER WILHELM

Socialist Control of New Reichstag Is Almost Inevitable.

COUP D'ETAT PREDICTED

Rather Than Yield to Hostile Majority, Kaiser Would Defy Reichstag in Carrying Out Autocratic Ideas.

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—It has not been a very pleasant Christmas for the Chancellor of the Empire, Prince von Buelow, and prospects are that worse is still to come.

Everything looks black, and the Kaiser, who only a few weeks ago pronounced the famous words: "Schwartzseher dulde ich nicht" (people who look at the dark side of everything I will not stand for), now finds it very hard to discover the silver lining to the dark clouds which obscure the political horizon.

The spectre of socialism is robbing the ruling spirits of the empire of their sleep. The Chancellor's manifesto to the president of the association for the prevention of socialism, his "Christmas nightmare" as a socialist paper calls it, shows plainly that he realizes his desperate plight.

Rumors are current that the government, finding that its appeal to the patriots has fallen upon deaf ears, is ready to use the most drastic means to prevent the socialist victories which are inevitable.

The most serious crisis in the history of the empire is at hand. The Reichstag, which will meet after the coming elections will be even more strongly opposed to the Kaiser's policy, and no one dares predict what will happen. Even a coup d'etat would surprise far less than that the Kaiser should admit the truth of the old proverb, Vox populi, vox Dei, an admission which must seem almost impossible to a man who considers himself the special representative of divine providence whose will ought to reign supreme.

PRECIOUS MANUSCRIPT STOLEN

Another Added to List of Italy's Lost Art Treasures.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Italy is losing many of her priceless art treasures in systematic theft from the leading collections. The latest theft is that of a beautiful Madonna in bas-relief by Della Robbia, which has been stolen from a palace in Florence.

Statistics show that in recent years 57 works of art have been stolen in the province of Florence alone, while such robberies have been equally numerous in other parts of Tuscany, which is richer in art treasures than any other part of the kingdom. The law against the exportation of works of art and which many be obtained from rich American collectors appear to be the chief causes of this system of pillage. Unhappily for Italy, all Americans into whose hands the stolen treasures fall are not as generous as Pierpont Morgan, and very few of the stolen articles are ever recovered.

An irreparable loss to Italy and the musical world has just been reported, the only known manuscript of Palestrina, the great composer of the 16th century, having disappeared, it is said, from the Lateran museum.

The precious manuscript was kept in a special case placed in a room to which there are three keys, each in possession of a different official. As a unique relic of Italy's greatest composer of sacred music, its value was inestimable, though according to the rumor it has been sold for $60,000.

The manuscript, which contained the words and music of the "Improperia" and Good Friday anthem, was marked "Pars ima" (my part), indicating that it was the composer's own copy, from which he conducted its performances.

SCORNS TO SELL HIS TITLE.

Ruined Italian Prince Rejects Marriage With Rich Woman.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The sad story of the ruin of a princely house because the scion would not sell his title to an American heiress, is the talk of Rome at present, and immense crowds are flocking to inspect the numerous treasures of the Sciarra Palace, which is about to go under the hammer.

Twenty-five years ago the Sciarras were among the wealthiest families of Italy, but now all is ruin.

Prince Maffeo Sciarra, only son and heir of the Princess, who has now abandoned her ancestral palace to her son's creditors, has had an adventurous life. He has tried journalism, business, politics, exploration and yachting, and has lost heavily at everything he has undertaken.

Finally negotiations were tried to induce him to marry the daughter of a Chicago millionaire, but he refused to sell his title. Next the beautiful young widow of Menier, the celebrated chocolate manufacturer, appeared upon the scene as candidate for the title, but the Italian again spurned riches, and eventually he made a love match and went to live quietly in this city.

An ancestor of the Princess is celebrated as having slapped the face of Pope Boniface VII.

PICQUART IS MAGNANIMOUS,

Promotes Andre Who Voted for Discharge From Army.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—France's new Minister of War, General Picquart, is showing great magnanimity toward those officers who were his enemies in the Dreyfuss affair, and whose military careers it is now in his power to mar or to make.

When only a Lieutenant-Colonel, General Picquart became a victim of the anti-Dreyfussards, and in 1898 he was ordered discharged from the army by a commission of inquiry, among whose members was Brigadier-General Andre, who voted against him. This same Brigadier-General has now been promoted to the rank of full General by the man he condemned to disgrace nine years ago.

POLICE DIGNITY OFFENDED.

Orders German Citizen to Take Off Hat to Him.

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—There is a policeman at Halle who has a high sense of the dignity of his office. Became a visitor, Herr Muerbe, a teacher of Dresden, merely touched his hat when asking to be directed to some point, the offended cop refused the information and sternly reminded him that he must remove his headgear when speaking to a public official. Herr Muerbe promptly told the policeman to go to the place immortalized by Dante, and was promptly arrested and taken to the police station. There the policeman charged Muerbe with insulting a public official in the discharge of his duties, while the teacher complained of the policeman's insolence. The court decided that Herr Muerbe must pay a fine for insulting the policeman, and informed the policeman that in spite of his rank he must not expect even a mere citizen to uncover his head in his presence.

SEARCH FOR HIDDEN WEALTH

Buried 500 Years Ago by Great Queen in India.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—To unearth a treasure buried 500 years ago by an East Indian Queen is the object of a syndicate formed at Trichinopoly, Madras, which has obtained a special license from the Governor of the province to search for the hidden wealth.

According to local tradition, the treasure, which includes a golden palanquin, was buried when the city was in danger of destruction by "fire and brimstone from heaven." The Queen had all the valuables removed from the palace and temple to a cave near the river and took refuge there herself.

The treasure cave is supposed to be guarded by the local chiefs, who declare that their ancestors received the land on condition that they kept guard over the hidden wealth, and they really possess a sheet of copper inscribed with a grant to this effect.

Several previous attempts have been made to find the treasure cave, and in one which was abandoned for lack of funds inscriptions were found on rocks confirming the old story. It is believed there is a hidden entrance to the cave. Nearly $8300 was spent on this abortive search by a Madras official, who diverted the river and tunneled under its bed in the solid rock.

KING CUTS OFF WINDSOR GRAFT

Change of Sovereigns Brings Hard Times to Royal Borough.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The "royal borough of Windsor" has suffered a decrease of prosperity since King Edward VII came to the throne, but nobody sympathizes with the grievances of Windsor folks, because their good times under Queen Victoria were not entirely unconnected with graft, sinecures and illicit perquisites.

In "good Queen Vicky's glorious time" the court was often at Windsor, neglecting London; control over the household was lax and among the regiment of servants were many who feathered their own nests very comfortably. When King Edward succeeded his mother, Lord Farquehar, a keen-brained business man, who soon had the castle economy running on business lines, was appointed controller of the household, and one of his first acts was to discharge a large number of useless officials and idle servants.

The opportunities for graft were thus removed, and now Windsor has fallen to the plane of an ordinary garrison town. The court is hardly ever there except when foreign royalty is entertained, little enthusiasm is shown and Windsor is probably the only town in Great Britain where the King is not popular.

WILL WELCOME INFANT HEIR

Quaint Ceremonies Will Mark Arrival of Spanish Princeling.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—If the hopes of Spain are realized by the birth of an heir to the throne, the royal infant will become the center of innumerable quaint old observances.

The most picturesque custom is the presentation of the royal baby to the nobles and the members of the Cortes. The grandees and politicians will assemble to see the new-born Prince or Princess, who will be presented to them on a silver salver. The Cortes will be summoned specially for this ceremony, if it be not sitting at the time of the birth.

Popular rejoicings will, of course, be held on a great scale, and all Spain will join in the festivities, which will rival those which celebrated the royal wedding last year.

The present heir-apparent to the Spanish throne is the little son of the Infanta Mercedes, the King's sister, who died two years ago. Next comes the infant nephew of King Alfonso, the newly born child of his second sister, the Infanta Maria Theresa. There are no other Princes of the blood royal in Spain.

CHILDREN ACT THEIR LESSONS

Novel Method of Teaching in English Village School.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The children of the village school at Sompting, Sussex, have no use for books; they learn all their lessons by acting them. Tableaux and little plays are arranged by the teacher, Miss Johnston, who declares that this method of education produces more intelligent and cultured scholars than the old way, and that the children learn more quickly. Literature, history, geography, art and arithmetic are taught in this original curriculum, a combination of work and play. In the historical tableaux the children represent various personages in English history, and enact the scenes which are described in the ordinary school books. Provided with pasteboard crowns, wooden swords and other paraphernalia, they enjoy their lessons immensely. Other subjects are taught by ingenious methods invented by Miss Johnston. The girls are taught practical cooking and housewifery.

DRIVEN FROM BORGHIA HALLS

Cardinal del Val Can't Spoil Frescoes With Tobacco.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Public opinion has proved too strong even for Pope Pius' favorite, Cardinal Merry del Val, and very much against his will he has had to give up his sumptuous quarters in the Vatican for more modest apartments in the apostolic palace. Some time ago he moved into the Borghia halls of the Vatican with the Pope's permission. Then a great wail went up in the whole European press, and it was said that the smoke from the cardinal's big black cigars would ruin the famous frescoes by Pinturicchio, which ornament the walls and which once narrowly escaped destruction by the camp fires of the Bourbon constable.

Cardinal del Val paid no attention to the fury, but the Pope has proved more sensitive, and a few days ago the cardinal had to leave, and the halls are once more open to the public.

New Scheme to Feed Italian Poor.

ROME, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Free bread will be provided for the poor of Italian cities by the sale of special stamps and postal cards under a scheme which has been devised by Signor Giuseppe Sangiorgi. The money made by the sale of the stamps and cards will be used to maintain in each of the chief cities a "Casa del Pane" (house of bread), where the hungry will receive bread. It is expected that these special stamps, which may be affixed to letters in addition to the ordinary postage stamps, will have a brisk sale not only among the charitable, but also among philatelists, who must always have specimens of unique issues.

Graduates in Role of Raffles.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Three college graduates, one said to be the son of a wealthy American in London, England, were arrested here last night, charged with participating in a score of Chicago burglaries within the last two months. Loot worth $8000 was found.

Those arrested are Richard E. Erickson, 25 years of age, a graduate of Northwestern University; Percy C. Michiln, 27 years of age, Oxford University; Wheeler J. Brown, of New York City.

MONDAY'S GREAT BARGAIN SALE

Breaks All Records for Cheap Selling

A store full of bargains and nothing else. Hundreds of new lots pouring in for the great January Sale. Each day the bargains grow greater and better and tomorrow's values are so sensational as to make competition out of the question. No ifs, no ands about it.

THE BARGAINS ARE HERE AND NO PLACE ELSE

Read every word; scan every line. Portland's only Cheap Store again proves its absolute supremacy by this stupendous aggregation of never-to-be-forgotten bargains. No long talks or descriptions—just bargains and nothing else, for everything goes at prices that will make the goods sell themselves. Come and come early—the biggest bargains will go first, and you want to get your share.

Drugs and NOTIONS

Regular 10c spool Belding's & Corticelli 100-yard Spool Silk ..... 5¢
5c Pearl Buttons, dozen... 1¢
5c roll Skirt Braid..... 1¢
5000 skeins 10c and 12c Yarns, most all colors, skein.. 5¢
15c to 25c spools Knitting Silk for ..... 9¢
Hooks and Eyes, card.... 1¢
20c and 25c Back Combs.. 9¢
5c paper Pins..... 1¢
1000 regular 5c cakes fancy Toilet Soap ..... 2¢
25c cake, Woodbury's Facial Soap ..... 17¢
Regular 15c and 20c heavy Playing Cards, deck.... 9¢
5000 regular 5c pkgs. of 25 Envelopes, pkg. ..... 2½¢
25c solid wood back wire Hair Brushes ..... 11¢
Regular 20c and 25c boxes Writing Paper and Envelopes ..... 8¢
3c Writing Tablets go at.. 1¢
Large 15c can Borated Talcum Powder ..... 9¢
25c pint bottles French's best Bay Rum ..... 15¢

2c Yard — For 8c and 10c Val. Laces — Edges and insertions; all good patterns, up to 1 inch wide, 8c-10c kinds, yd. ... 2¢

2 1-2c Ea. — For Men's 8c Bandana 'kerchiefs — All good size fancy figured — 1000 to go; while they last, at, each ..... 2½¢

6c Each — For 10c & 15c Odd Napkins — From 5 to 10 of a kind; all full size and worth up to as high as $1.25 dozen.

5c Each — Best Grade 10c Spool Silk — Beldings, Corticelli; 100 yard spools; odd lots —all 10c spools— at, ea. ..... 5¢

22c Each — For Reg. 48c Window Shades — Good opaque, full length and width, on spring rollers, all complete, go at, each ... 22¢

2c Box — For large size Parlor Matches — 500 in a box—the best Match made, and sold all over at 5c box ..... 2¢

7c Yard — For Mill Ends 36-in. Fig. Silkoline — The good kind, all fancy figured and the regular 12½c grade, at, the yard..... 7¢

Cut Prices On GROCERIES

Best Granulated Sugar, 11 lbs. for ..... 49¢
A No. 1 Burbank's Potatoes, the best, 20 lbs. for... 25¢
Large 5c box of best Parlor Matches ..... 2¢
Regular 10c Sapollo..... 6¢
Large 5c bar Hammer Laundry Soap ..... 2½¢
10c can Salmon..... 8¢
12½c Imported Sardines... 8¢
15c can Shrimps..... 9¢
10c package Powdered Borax for ..... 8¢
10c package best Cream Tartar ..... 8¢
25c can Log Cabin Maple Syrup ..... 19¢
10-lb. lbs. Bleached Seedless Raisins, extra fine and a regular 15c grade, lb... 9¢
15c Loose Muscatel Raisins, per lb. ..... 9¢
For one day all our best 40c and 50c Ground Spices, per lb. ..... 25¢
10c pkg. Vermicelli..... 7¢
10c pkg. Macaroni..... 7¢
10c pkg. Spaghetti..... 7¢

$1.19 For $1.75 Yd. Wide Taffeta Silks

20 pieces only, and when these are gone you'll pay $1.75 for a grade as good. Heavy, all pure silk, yard-wide Taffetas, in black, white and changeable blues, reds and browns, a grade that's a positive $1.75 value, and every yard guaranteed, too. Yard $1.19

1000 Yards Crepe de Chines

In all colors, for scarfs, waists, etc., nice, fine quality and cheap at 75c. Special ..... 35c yd.

PORTLAND'S NEW DEPARTMENT STORE

GOLDEN EAGLE

ENTIRE BLOCK ON YAMHILL, FROM 2ND TO 3RD.

BRING THIS AD WITH YOU — Be Convinced that Everything Is Exactly as Advertised

39c For Reg. 75c and 85c Fancy Dress Goods

Get samples and try to match it anywhere short of 75c to 85c. Almost 50 pieces to go, all 36 to 40 inches wide, in handsome mixed effects and novelties; all good, heavy weights and the most wanted weaves. 39c
One day only, 75c, 85c grades, yard...

25c Double-fold Dress Goods

A small lot of 200 yards only, all dark colors and all double fold. While it lasts, 25c grade 9c

The Greatest Mill End and Remnant Sacrifice

This City Has Ever Known—Half a Million Yards to Go

A sacrifice without a parallel, and every item at a price that will put the quietus on all would-be competition for now and forever. The entire mill ends of three great factories, closed out by our New York buyer, scooped in at a figure that enables us to sell them at prices that stamp this at once as a sale without a single rival. Come tomorrow and buy mill ends—get 2, 3 or 4 yards for the usual price of 1, and remember, they are all good, long lengths, too, and NOT the short, trashy ends usually offered at Bargain Sales. Remember, 2, 3 or 4 yards for the price of 1—that's tomorrow's offer—that's what you get.

MILL ENDS OUTING FLANNEL.
Good weight, soft fleeced and all fancy patterns; 1000 yards only and all best 8c grade, at, yard..... 4¼C

MILL ENDS 36-IN. PERCALES.
All best 12½c and 15c grades, light and dark colors; one of the best makes and all 12½c and 15c kinds; yard..... 8⅓C

TULLE DU NORDE GINGHAMS.
You all know them—one of the best-made new Spring patterns, and all colors; 15c and 18c grades, yard..... 11c

MILL ENDS 8c FIGURED CALICO
10,000 yards to go—Simpson's, American and others of the best makes; indigo blues, reds, grays, etc.; good lengths; none worth less than 6c up to 8c. Monday..... 3¾c Yard

MILL ENDS 10c DRESS GOODS.
The famous La Mode Suitings, all dark colors; sold anywhere and everywhere at 8 1-3c and 10c yard..... 4½C

MILL ENDS 8c APRON GINGHAM.
Great mixed lot, and many as good as Amoskeag; all color checks, and worth up to 8c yard..... 4¾C

MILL ENDS 18c TO 25c WAISTINGS.
Only 500 yards, and it will go in no time at this price; yard wide, beautifully mercerized; worth to 25c yard..... 10c

MILL ENDS 18c DOMET FLANNEL.
All extra heavy and full 27 inches wide; all double-face and soft, thick fleeced. Regular 15c and 18c grades..... 9c

MILL ENDS 12c LINEN CRASH.
Extra heavy Irish linen Crash, full 18-inch; very absorbent; every yard a 12½c grade; at, yard..... 8⅓C

35c TURKEY RED TABLE DAMASK.
All 50 and 54 inches wide; good weight, fancy patterns; made to sell at 30c and 35c per yard..... 19c

MILL ENDS 36-IN. MUSLIN.
All unbleached, all yard wide; mixed lot of grades and worth up to 7½c; mill end price..... 4¾C

HOSE WORTH TO 25c.
For boys and girls, fine and heavy ribbed, plain and fleeced, all blacks, all seamless, and all 20c and 25c values; pair..... 9C

REGULAR 15c HAIR RIBBONS.
5000 yards Nos. 9, 12 and 16 Satin Hair Ribbons; black, white, pinks and blues; all 10c to 15c kinds, yard..... 5c

20c, 25c EMBROIDERIES.
Remnants and mill ends, finest Swiss and nainsook, wide widths and all best 20c and 25c kinds, yard..... 9C

$3.50 READY-TO-WEAR HATS.
For women and children, odds and ends of our finest, that sold up to $3.50; choice..... 48C

MEN'S 10c LINEN COLLARS.
All 4-ply linen, all sizes, all styles, and all in perfect condition; regular 10c kinds, ea..... 1C

ALL $1 EMBROIDERIES.
Finest Baby Irish and Batiste Embroideries, elegant patterns; up to 3 inches wide and worth to $1.00; choice, yard... 39C

5000 Yards Finest 20c and 25c Wash Laces 5c yd.
A bargain that's enough of a sensation to crowd the store all day tomorrow. Only 5000 yards, and we wish there were ten times as much, the bargain is so great.
Handsome Applique and Fancy Wash Laces
Elegant and dainty patterns in white, cream and ecru; all 1 to 3 inches wide. Remember, all 15c, 20c and 25c kinds. All in one lot, and there is no reserve. Your choice..... 5C

Just 30 Dozen—360 of Them 50c Huck Towels 29c
They are almost half price. One look will tell you they are 50c Towels, and the best 50c values you have ever seen at any sale.
Extra Large and Extra Heavy
All pure linen, 22x42-inch size; all extra heavy and with hemstitched ends. All 50c Towels, and not over six to a customer; while they last..... 29C

ALL 5c TOILET SOAPS.
Thousands of cakes, good size bars; most all 5c cakes; for the one day only, each 2C

$1.50 LONG SILK GLOVES.
Women's black and white elbow length Silk Gloves, mostly small sizes; regular $1.50 and $2 values, pair..... 69c

BRASS CURTAIN RODS.
5000 to go, all full length, good, heavy rods, worth 10c any time; while they last, each..... 5C

WOMEN'S 25c TO 50c BELTS.
Over 500 to go; all styles, all samples, and the buckles alone are worth up to 50c; choice, each..... 5C

YARD-WIDE DRAPERIES.
All fancy figured designs, full 36-inch and all colors; every yard a bargain at 15c; special, yard..... 9C

$1 ALLOVER EMBROIDERIES.
All 20 to 22 inches wide, fancy designs; grades you'll say are the biggest kind of a bargain at $1.00; at, the yard..... 49c

39c for $1.00 Large Size Oval FRAMED PICTURES
200 of them only, but one to a customer. Each one full 18 inches high, in a beautiful oval oak frame with gilt edges and fancy ornamentations; dozens of subjects to choose from; every picture complete with glass and ready to hang; just the thing for a dining-room or parlor. All $1.00 pictures. While they last..... 39C

While it lasts, 100 Cases Large 10-oz. Bars Armour's Hammer Brand 5c LAUNDRY SOAP
Buy it tomorrow at just half price.
2½c BAR
Sale starts at 8 A. M., so come early and be sure of getting your share.

98c for $2.00 Women's Best and Finest MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
All odds and ends, samples and mussed garments from last week's big sale; gowns, chemise, skirts and drawers, made of finest and softest muslins, beautifully trimmed with laces and embroideries; 30 styles and more to pick from; not a garment worth less than $1.25; plenty of $1.50 ones, and many worth up to $2.00; all in one lot; choice..... 98C

YOU'LL HAVE TO BE HERE AT 8 TO SHARE IN THESE
$1 TO $2.50 BAGS, PURSES, POCKETBOOKS
All 59c, and all samples, but one of a kind, so be here early and select the best. Just 200 of them—women's finest Leather Purses, Pocketbooks and Fancy Bags of every kind, made of the best leathers; black and colors; gunmetal, gilt and fancy frames; many with jewel set and carved clasps and fasteners; silk and satin and leather linings. None worth less than $1.00 and up to $2.50. Only one to a customer, and at this price they'll hardly last the day through. Choice..... 59c

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES
Large 81x90-inch Sheets, reinforced, best muslin, always sold at 60c; cut to ..... 48¢
Fine linen finish Sheets, large 81x90-inch size, made to sell at 70c; each ..... 55¢
81x90-inch seamless Sheets, the very best finest muslin, and regular 85c quality ..... 69¢
All Pillow Cases at special reductions.
100 sample Wool Blankets, the very finest and best, white, grays, reds and all colors, slightly soiled; every one at just half price.
$7.50 ones, just half..... $3.50
$10.00 ones, $5 ones, $15 ones..$7.50
Large size $1.25 Comforts, well made and heavy ..... 89¢

THE CLOAK-ROOM BARGAINS SHOULD BRING THE CROWDS AS NEVER BEFORE
Thousands of garments at the lowest prices ever quoted, and many at less than cost of bare materials alone. Come with the crowds tomorrow.

Women's $15.00 Long Cloaks
Broken lines—but few of a kind; fancy mixtures, checks, etc.; all full length; pick 'em out; choose $15.00 Cloaks at..... $6.98

Women's $3.00 White Waists
In lawns, batiste, vestings and mercerized; fancy silk-embroidered; tucked and fancy trimmed. Every one a $3.00 value; choice..... $1.69

Women's $2.00 to $2.50 Walking Skirts..... $1.69
Women's $1.50 Long Fancy Kimonos..... 98c
Odd lots $4.00 and $5.00 Muffs and Scarfs..... 98c
Women's 69c Flannelette Kimonos..... 37c
Odd lots Women's $2.00 Waists, now..... 98c

Entire Balance of Our Stock of Women's $25 and $30 TAILORED SUITS
The newest models and best all-wool materials; every one a $25 to $30 value; all colors and black; choice. $12.98

All our 75c to $1.00 Black Wool Shawls..... 39c
Women's Fancy Waists, worth up to $1.00..... 49c
All our Women's $6.00 and $7.50 Skirts go at..... $3.98
Women's $1.25 and $1.50 Wrappers cut to..... 79c
Women's Sample Suits, worth up to$35.00; now special at..... $14.98

BARGAINS IN THE SHOE DEP'T
Infants' Shoes, all colors; some patent leather trimmed; all 50c values ..... 19¢
Odds and ends of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes, Juliets and Slippers, worth up to $1.50 per pair ..... 49¢
Women's Lace and Blucher Walking Shoes, in vici kid and gunmetal, latest styles, all sizes; regular $3.00 values..... $1.98
Misses', Children's and Little Gents' Shoes, all styles, all sizes; regular $1.25 and $1.50 values... 89¢
Men's and Women's Kid and Patent Leather Shoes, broken lines, worth to $3.50 pair..... $1.98
10c Shinola Polish..... 7¢
Boys' all solid leather Shoes, all sizes, bargains at $1.75 pr. $1.39

MRS. MARY BAKER G. EDDY

Committee Reports Progress to the Woodstock Push Club.

At a meeting of the Woodstock Push Club Friday night the committee on streetcar service reported that four fine new cars had been put on the Woodstock line and that the service had been improved. It was also reported that the matter of extending the Woodstock carline eastward from its present end had been taken up with good prospects of success. A bonus of $3000 to $5000 is to be raised to induce the railway company to make the extension. Assurances were given that the company will make the extension if this money is raised. It is proposed to build east to Tremont, about one mile, which will provide streetcar service to a large territory.

A committee was appointed to inquire into the franchise of the railway company to see if it had not been forfeited by the failure of the company to double-track to Ivanhoe. H. C. Smith, J. Frank Porter and O. T. Olsen were appointed a committee to investigate the franchise. J. Frank Porter and Ben C. Riesland were appointed a committee to join with committees from other push clubs in calling on Portland officials tomorrow.

Secretary Olsen was instructed to invite all women in Woodstock to become members of the Women's Auxiliary to the push club. Hereafter social meetings will be held on the first Friday evening and business meetings the fourth Friday evening of each month. At the next meeting of the Mount Scott Improvement Association a delegation will attend to secure co-operation in the matter of annexation to Portland.

CAR SERVICE IMPROVED

Drop Through Ice to Death.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 12.—For the first time in 20 years fatalities caused by skating have occurred on the Lower Fraser River. A. T. Charlton, merchant, and his son Thomas were drowned Thursday night near Langley. The remarkable fact of the Fraser being frozen over induced them to try their skates, which had been growing rusty for years. They skated into open water, and their bodies were carried some miles by the current.

McCloud Taken to Seattle.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 12.—K. McCloud, the man who caused the death of Peter Elmer, in the Rainier brewery, at Georgetown, and who was captured after having been struck by a locomotive, has sufficiently recovered to be taken to Seattle. McCloud has not been informed of his victim's death, and repeatedly asks how Elmer is doing.