

Second Week

SHANAHAN'S SLAUGHTER

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Dry Goods and Men's Furnishings--this week--at SACRIFICE PRICES. Only 23 (twenty-three) days left in which to close out our Large Stock of Bargains. Those who wish to Make and Save Money should call on us before purchasing elsewhere. Bring your list with you early and avoid the afternoon daily rush. A Few of our prices follow:

In Our Big Dry Goods Department.

Towels, usually sold for \$4c, now	4
Apron Gingham, formerly 10c, now	5
Outing Flannel, formerly 8c, now	5
Shaker Flannel, formerly 7c, now	4
Heavy Blankets, formerly 75c, now	49
Extra Heavy (16x4) Blankets, usual price \$1.00, now	59
Large, Heavy Comforters for	49
Our Regular 25c Dress Plaids, now	12 1/2
Our 75c Cashmeres (all wool), now	35
Pierola Crepons, formerly \$1.25, now	69
Heavy Venetians (all colors), now	49
Our \$2.00 French Broadcloth, now	1.25

Ladies' and Misses' Wear.

Ladies' Cotton and Fleece Lined Hose, now	7 1/2
Ladies' all Wool Cashmere Hose, worth 35c a pair, now	19
Ladies' Fleece Underwear (pants to match), for	19
Ladies' House Skirts, lined throughout, value \$1.98, now	49
Ladies' \$3.00 Jackets for	1.50
THOSE STORM and RAINY DAY SKIRTS we usually sell for \$2.50 and \$3.00, will be closed out for	\$2.49 and \$3.50
Misses' all Wool Hose, regular price 25c, on sale for	12 1/2
Our 25c and 35c Walrus now	15
Children's Button and Loop Hose Supporters, our price	9
Others charge 15c a pair.	

TWO LARGE TABLES

Each Twenty Feet by Four Feet.

Stacked high with remnants and mill ends of Dress Goods and Domestic. These are marked at prices far below the cost of manufacturing.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAYS.

Special Announcement

The celebrated "Fish Brand" of Oil Clothing and Slickers will be placed on our Bargain Counters in Men's Furnishing Goods Department. These goods we warrant to be Waterproof and the prices are less than factory cost. A call will convince you.

Lace Curtain Department.

Our regular \$2.50 Curtains, made extra wide and 2 yards long, will be closed out at \$1.15 a pair; our \$3.00 Curtains will be offered at \$1.49 pair.

Fur Department.

We offer the following at cut prices:

Seal Martin Opossum Collarettes for	\$3.98
Chinchilla	3.55
Blue Lynn Animal Scarfs for	1.75
Genuine Martin Collarettes	4.35

In Our Men and Boys' Furnishing Department.

Men's and Boys' Caps	10
Boys' Suspenders for	9
Men's Suspenders for	19
Men's Socks (pair), for	5
Men's and Boys' Underwear, worth 35c, now	22
Men's and Boys' Sweaters	49
Boys' School Pants	19
Men's all Wool Pants	1.25
Men's \$9.50 Suits for	2.95
Men's Hats worth 75c, now	49
Boys' 2-piece Suits, now	1.95
School Pencils, 3 for	1
Youths' Suits (14 years up), now	3.25
Steel Rod Umbrellas, worth 75c, now	49
Men's all Wool Gloves, for	19
Men's 3c and 2c Ties for	15
Men's and Boys' 4-ply Linen Collars (regular price 15c), for	10
Men's Fancy Morocco Leather Watch Chains	5
Genuine Indian Tan Gloves (regular price 35c), for	23

Special Notice.

The values we offered last week in Notions at 1c, 2c, 3c and 4c are still complete.

Delayed in transit 950 copies of the latest and most popular vocal and instrumental Sheet Music to be sacrificed at 8c a copy. Usual price 25 and 35c. Address 578-580 Commercial Street.

IRON TRADE CONDITIONS.

Prices Steadily Advancing and Demand in Some Cases Growing.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The Iron Age in its current issue will say: Hardly have the first signs appeared that there may be an improvement in the supply of coke when the news comes of possible labor trouble in the West-coast district which would seriously embarrass a number of blast furnaces, the majority of which run on foundry iron. So far as the Connellsville and West Virginia districts are concerned there seems to be a probability that shipments will soon become better. As yet the prices of ore have not been settled. It seems, however that an advance ranging from 3 to 10 per cent on certain Mesaba ores is currently advocated and may be accepted.

The buying of foundry pig continues on a good scale and is widely distributed, consumers of all classes asking additional quantities. The price of southern iron, which has been held at \$22 for No. 2 Birmingham by the majority of the sellers is now established for all of them. In the Chicago district the makers of malleable iron continue turning to charcoal to relieve the scarcity of coke iron and as a result of the sales made the price of charcoal iron has advanced.

The scarcity of Bessemer and basic iron in the central west continues. Further purchases of basic have been made outside of that territory for delivery here, one of the fair sized lots having been sold by a Virginia furnace. Some little business has been done in imported Bessemer pig. An interesting transaction is the sale of 24,000 tons of Spiesleben at about \$24, duty paid. Little is doing in the steel market. We hear of occasional small lots of billets but the movement does not possess significance. Domestic wire rods are firmer, owing to scarcity.

In the wire trade there is a growing probability that the outside markets of wire mills will get together and put an end to the cutting of prices, which had been going on for some time. In other branches of the industry the new mills are becoming more aggressive. Indications of this are appearing in the sheet and pipe trades.

The outlook for structural iron continues excellent. Large requirements are constantly making their appearance in all parts of the country. The makers of bars, notably in the west are crowded with inquiries and are selling freely. There has been, moreover, less trouble about securing prompt delivery.

Reports are current that the Mexican rail orders have been taken by German makers. It is likely, however, that at least a part of them

would be secured by American and English producers. The metal trade is generally in an unsettled state. The "official" copper prices are being cut by outside producers, and the trade seems still convinced that the last of the cuts have not yet come. Tin has had a further drop and is not particularly firm.

NEW CANCER TREATMENT.

Test Being Made on Dr. Richardson of Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—As a last resort, Dr. John Richardson, of Brooklyn, who has been a sufferer from cancer for many years, and whose life is despaired of, has submitted to a test of the newly discovered violet ray treatment.

The physicians had informed him that his case was hopeless and that he might die any moment. He then determined to try the new treatment. A violet ray machine was installed in the house and every fair day the rays are concentrated and projected down Dr. Richardson's throat. After several months of treatment it is declared that his condition is so much improved that his hopes are entertained for his recovery.

DAIRYMEN'S CONVENTION.

PREPARED, Ill., Jan. 8.—One of the most important results of the Illinois State Dairymen's convention, now in session here, was a secret conference between the owners of the several different breeds of dairy cattle.

A committee, composed of the representatives of each of five breeds of milkers, was appointed to work up a sentiment toward putting losses in the dairy business. These gentlemen represent the Guernsey, Jersey, Holstein, Ayrshire, Brown and Swiss cattle.

HAS QUIT ATHLETICS.

Alvin Kraenzlein Decides to Devote His Life to the Profession of Dentistry.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 8.—Alvin C. Kraenzlein, the famous athlete of the Red and Blue, who has just returned from the east where he stopped at New York and Philadelphia for several weeks, announces that he will devote his life to the profession of dentistry. Kraenzlein is at present practicing here, but intends, during the next year to go to London, England, and there establish a practice.

WHEAT MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—Wheat, cash, 106 1/4.
TACOMA, Jan. 9.—Wheat, bluestem, 63; club, 62.
PORTLAND, Jan. 9.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 62 1/2; Valley, 64; bluestem,

BRYCE FAVORS PEACE.

Member of Parliament Who Advocates Generous Terms With Boers.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—James Bryce, Liberal member of parliament, in the course of a speech at Aberdeen today, advocated making generous terms with the Boers. He said he was more concerned for the country than for the Liberal party, and would welcome any minister that would conclude honorable peace.

Mr. Bryce believed the country was tired of the ministry, which had proved itself incapable of keeping peace or conducting a successful war.

HUGO SUGGEST MURDER.

Worth About \$10,000 and Was Taken From Digging in Aider Gully.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 8.—A gold nugget that weighed 32 1/2 ounces, 77 1/2 grains, was melted at the United States assay office today. It was probably one of the largest nuggets ever found in the world. Experts at the assay office think its value is about \$10,000.

The nugget was brought to the assay office by Thomas Raymond, who said he had taken it out of the diggings in Aider Gully.

FOUL CRIME COMMITTED.

Headless Body Found on the Beach at Whidby Island.

PORT TOWNSEND, Jan. 9.—Excitement of an atrocious crime came to light Monday, when the headless body of a man was found on the beach near Fort Casey, on Whidby Island. The head had been severed from the body by a sharp instrument, both hands had been cut off and the body otherwise mutilated. The body has not been identified.

DITCHED NEAR PORTLAND.

S. P. Passenger Train Derailed at Myrtle Creek.

PORTLAND, Jan. 9.—A special to the Oregonian from Roseburg, Oregon, says:

Passenger train No. 11, on the Southern Pacific, went into a ditch near Myrtle Creek this evening. The engine turned over and three cars were derailed. Engineer Connelly was slightly injured, and Fireman Jones had an arm broken. No passengers were hurt.

STORE ROBBED.

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 9.—The Assyrians' co-operative store was robbed last night of over \$15,000, much of the plunder being gold. The suspicious persons are under arrest.

OUTBREAK IS IMMINENT.

Soldiers Asked to Be Sent to Lame Deer Indian Agency.

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 9.—A special to the Miner from Miles City, Montana, says: Fort Rough today received a telegram from Forsyth asking that soldiers be immediately dispatched to Lame Deer Indian Agency. Word had arrived from the agency that trouble was brewing and that an outbreak of the Cheyennes was imminent if it had not already occurred.

CHINESE EXCLUSION ACT.

Legislators Will Hear From Pacific Coast Before Final Determination.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Pacific coast senators and representatives interested in the Chinese exclusion legislation, decided today to grant hearings to the Federation of Labor and to the Pacific coast delegation now here before determining finally on the bill, which will be favored.

FUNSTON AT 'FRISCO.

Comes From Manila on Sick Leave—Condition Much Improved.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—Brigadier General Funston arrived tonight from Manila on the transport Warren. General Funston comes home on sick leave. While his condition has much improved since leaving Manila, he has not entirely recovered.

LIFE RAFT RESCUED.

Seen Off Cape Mendocino With No One on It.

SEATTLE, Jan. 9.—Officers of the steamship Edith, which arrived last night, report having seen, 30 miles north of Cape Mendocino, the life raft from the ill-fated steamship Walla Walla. There was no one on the raft.

IMPORTANT INVENTION.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—From Vienna comes the news that Herr Bartelmann, an Austrian electrician, has invented a system for preventing railway accidents, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. The invention, it is said, makes it possible to prevent accidents arising from trains meeting one another or from one train running into the rear of another.

DIES IN A SALOON.

WALLACE, Ill., Jan. 9.—William Conitt, of Montana, dropped dead in a saloon here last night.

DEATH OF DR. POOL.

PERKIN, Jan. 9.—Dr. Pool, who was attached to the American legation here as surgeon, is dead of typhoid fever.

PERSONAL MENTION.

T. M. Davis, who has been in the city the past few days in the interest of the sugar firm of J. D. Meyers & Company, Portland, will leave for the metropolis this morning.

John J. Spence, of Post Office, is in the city.

John McNeill, of Post Office, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

J. D. McGowan and Henry S. McGowan, the well-known restaurateurs, are in the city, registered at the Occident.

Styvesant Parrott, the well-known Portland sportsman and merchant, is in the city.

What Makes the Home?

Not the house, however fine it may be; not its furniture, pictures and appointments. The wife and mother makes the home, and to speak of going home means to go back into the shelter of the mother's love and care.

And when womanly lips sap the mother's strength, the home life suffers. The food is not cooked as she cooks it. Everywhere the

lack of wife's supervision and motherly thoughtfulness is apparent. What a change. Then, when the wife and mother comes back to take her old place in the family. Thousands of women who, because of womanly ills, had been shut out of home life and home happiness, have been enabled to once more take their

place in the family after being cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity, drives away kidney drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong, sick women well.

"I commenced taking your Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery' about the 1st of last December, one year ago," writes Mrs. Eliza Wright of Mountainview, Howell Co., Missouri. "I have been very slow about writing to you, although I am thankful I am here to-day and have the privilege of saying I thank you a thousand times for your kind advice. I can truthfully say that it was through your kind advice and your medicine and the will of the Lord that I am living to-day. I am in better health than I have been for three years. I have taken one-half dozen bottles of each medicine. I am able to do my washing for four in family, and all my housework, cooking and milking. In fact, I feel like a new woman."

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