

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 Flannels, formerly \$4c, now..... 2
- Shaker Flannel, formerly 7 1/2c, now..... 4
- Heavy Blankets, formerly 7c, now..... 4 1/2
- Extra Heavy (10x14) Blankets, usual price \$1.00, now..... 50
- 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 Pileed Lined Hose, now..... 7 1/2
  - Ladies all Wool Cashmere Hose, worth 85c a pair, now..... 19
  - Ladies Pileed Underwear (pants to match), for..... 19
  - Ladies' House Skirts, lined throughout value \$1.88, now..... 49
  - Ladies' \$3.00 Jackets for..... 1.50
- THOSE STORM and RAINY DAY SKIRTS we usually sell for \$4.50 and \$5.00, will be closed out for..... \$2.49 and \$3.00
- Misses' all Wool Hose, regular price 25c, on sale for..... 12 1/2
  - Our 25c and 35c Waists 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 3 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..... \$3.95
  - Chinchilla..... 3.25
  - Blue Lynn Animal Scarfs for..... 1.75
  - Genuine Martin Collarettes..... 4.15

## In Our Men and Boys' Furnishing Department.

- Men's and Boys' Caps..... 19
- Boys' Suspenders for..... 9
- Men's Suspenders for..... 13
- Men's Socks (pair), for..... 5
- Men's and Boys' Underwear, worth 25c, now..... 13
- Men's and Boys' Sweaters..... 49
- Boys' School Pants..... 39
- Men's all Wool Pants..... 1.25
- Men's \$3.50 Suits for..... 3.98
- Men's Hats worth 50c, now..... 49
- Boys' 2-piece Suits, now..... 1.98
- School Penets, 1 for..... 1
- Youths' Suits (14 years up), now..... 3.25
- Steel Rod Umbrellas, worth 50c, now..... 49
- Men's all Wool Gloves, for..... 19
- Men's 5c and 25c Ties for..... 19
- Men's and Boys' 4-ply Linen Collars (regular price 10c), for..... 10
- Men's Fancy Morocco Leather Watch Chains..... 5
- Genuine Indian Tan Gloves (regular price 25c), for..... 25

## Special Notice.

The values we offered last week in Notions at 10, 20, 30 and 40 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.

### BOUGHT CHEAP RAILS

### BUILDING OF ORIENT LINE IN MEXICO.

### Belgium Mills to Supply Material at \$10 a Ton Less Than American Mills.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—A telegram from London, received from President J. E. Stillwell of the Kansas City, Mexican & Orient Railroad, announces that Chief Engineer N. P. Paret has called for bids for the building of 100 miles of rails for the Orient line in Mexico, which will be bought and laid for by the Mexican subsidy.

These rails were bought, delivered at Fort Stillwell and Tampico, at almost ten dollars per ton less than the lowest delivery price obtainable from American mills. They will come from Belgian manufacturers and the first shipment is now due at Tampico. The first shipment for Fort Stillwell is now on its way.

About one-fifth of the 1000 miles of line has been graded without the benefit of a lot of bonds and the officials say without incurring any indebtedness other than for current expenses. They say that with rails bought and laid for two-fifths of the total length of the line and the right of way secured for about four-fifths the balance they will have available several million dollars of construction company capital for stock sold by Mr. Stillwell in London.

The bridge is now in for the line between Anthony, Kan., and Fairview, Oklahoma, and grading is progressing rapidly from Anthony north toward Harper, Kan.

### TO REIMBURSE COMPANY.

Atkinson, Topeka & Santa Fe Issue \$10,000,000 Debentures.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—An issue by the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway of \$10,000,000 serial debentures, bearing interest at 4 per cent and running twelve years, will be announced possibly next week, according to a statement published by the Herald.

The issue is for the purpose of reimbursing the company's capital account for certain extensions and purchases and for providing for largely increasing the line's equipment. It will be retired at the rate of \$2,500,000 annually. Reports of a proposed bond issue was current in Wall street on Friday afternoon and caused considerable sell-

ing. It was not until after the close of the market that the exact nature of the proposed transaction was learned.

The specific properties which were purchased by the Atchafalaya some time ago but were never taken into the system, "having been carried up to the present on treasury funds," are together with their cost:

Santa Fe, Prescott & Phoenix, \$231,100; Beaumont & Kansas City, \$1,070,990; Peoria Valley & Northwestern, \$1,677,225. Total \$2,979,315. It is stated that the serial debentures will be secured by stocks of acquired property and also by equipment purchases and to be purchased.

General mortgage bonds amounting to \$17,000,000 and adjustment bonds of \$250,000 provided for under the terms of the reorganization of the Atchafalaya remain unsold and will be used for the retirement of the new security as issued.

The general mortgage bonds mentioned are callable to the extent of \$5,000,000 annually.

### MAKING NOVEL EXPERIMENTS

Professor Leonard Bellows, H. has located Dwelling Place of the Soul. DETROIT, Jan. 11.—Professor Leonard of Ann Arbor, instructor of physiology in the University of Michigan, believes he has located the dwelling place of the soul in the spinal column. He has arrived at this conclusion after many months of experiments with frogs.

Results of the last two days' experiments seem to demonstrate that death through the medium of the brain does not terminate the control of the muscles. Thursday the professor predicted before his class a live frog, from which he removed the brain. It was then suspended by its underjaw, in a box later a drop of acetic acid was touched to its foot. Instantly the frog began to jerk and twitch to get away from the sting of the acid.

Twenty-four hours later a tiny bit of filter paper saturated with acid was placed against the body. The frog kicked with both legs and dislodged the paper. Placed upon its back the paper was shaken off. Every time it was placed on any part of the body the legs sent it flying. Professor Leonard calls this activity "soul movement," and will continue the experiments for the purpose of ascertaining how far the reasoning instinct may go.

### BIG LUMBER DEAL.

ORANGE, Tex., Jan. 11.—Another big deal of interest to the lumber trade has just been consummated. The Newton County Lumber Company having sold to John H. Kirby, of Houston, all of its assets, consisting of pine lands, logging railroad, logging equipments and pine logs in the Sabine river, the consideration named being \$240,000.

### CAUSE OF AN ICE AGE.

Interesting Lecture by Sir Robert Ball at Columbia University.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Sir Robert Ball, professor of astronomy and geometry at the University of Cambridge, England, delivered a lecture at Columbia university yesterday on "The Cause of an Ice Age."

He explained that the ice age was the result of the planets Venus and Jupiter on the course of the earth's revolution around the sun, and the change of orbit from a circle to an ellipse. He said also that there could be another ice age when Venus Jupiter and the earth, were in a certain position relative to one another. This would not happen for several thousand years. Sir Robert said that it was his own opinion in America.

### RETRIEVING FROM ENGLAND.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Frank Bruns, the former Richmond champion pugilist, has returned from England.

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Now Chicago University has set \$1,000,000 from a Don Peconness, is that possible?—DAILY EXPRESS.

### NOTICE.

During the absence in China of Ah Dong, senior partner and general manager of the Hop Hing Luen Company, the affairs of the firm will be managed by Yu Young, through whom all business must be transacted.

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## Society Events

The Woman's Club had a very large attendance and a very interesting session yesterday afternoon at Page's hall.

The program for the afternoon was an address by Hon. C. W. Fulton, on "The Property Rights of Women in Oregon." From this very unusual topic Mr. Fulton evolved a delightfully informal and instructive talk. He had a most interesting and amusing subject of about 10 of America's representative women. The Women's Club is growing in interest, and purposes to be a power whose influence will surely be felt for good in this community.

The Wednesday Night Club (13th) met at the residence of Miss Olga and Mr. Charles Heilborn. The entertainment during the evening was a series of singing Gipsy songs, given by Miss Tallant and Miss Florette Elmore, as the typical Gipsy girls. Mr. Herz, as Mr. Pipp, Mr. Charles Heilborn, as the old doctor, Miss Reed, as Madame Pipp, and Chas. Clark and Mr. Pennet, as the regular Gipsy men.

A Charming Duet Club, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Thine, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Plunk and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calender, has been organized to give every two weeks during the winter. The first meeting was held on Sunday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

Ladies' day continues to be very popular at the Commercial Club, and the attendance at the affair is very large. Some of the lady members are: Misses expert teachers and it is expected an efficient team will soon be formed.

Miss Nan Reed entertained the Thursday Afternoon Club this week. Hearts was played, resulting in Miss Grant winning the first prize and Mrs. West the consolation.

Mrs. J. Strauss has gone to Portland, to spend a few weeks with friends. Mrs. Strauss has been in ill-health for some time past.

Mrs. John Kopp has gone to Green River Hot Springs, Wash., where she will remain for a few weeks for the benefit of her health.

Lois Herz and Duncan McLean left on the Elmore Thursday morning on a business trip to Tillamook.

Mr. and Mrs. Brenham Van Dusen entertained the Euchre Club on last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Charles Higgins leaves on Tuesday for a two-months' visit to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton B. Allen are in San Francisco, to spend the winter months.

Miss Holson and Miss Bertha Holson leave next Saturday for New York.

Captain Reynolds left Saturday morning for San Francisco.

Mrs. Charles Heilborn is visiting with friends in Portland.

R. B. Dyer, the Knave's lumberman, is in the city.

R. A. Seibert, of Tawas, is in the city.

Nella Johnson is visiting in the city.

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