

Downelene Comforts. What especially recommends these comforts to the wearer, is the extreme lightness, splendid coverings and the scentless purity of the cotton used in the making of them. **\$2.00**

White Bed Spreads. To introduce the celebrated Red Crest Mills goods we offer for the week our Lot No. 200 hemmed bed spread. The value \$1.25. Special at **\$1.00**

Pointing the Way.

That's the mission of our advertising; the store must do the rest. If we point right, if we are in earnest and honest in our public announcements, if our merchandise and methods invite your confidence, then the road, the well beaten track, leading direct to our doors, and traversed by hundreds of the buying public hereabout, will become a familiar road to you. There's economy at the end of it. Money saving confronts you at every turn, when once you cross the threshold of this store.

THIS WEEK'S NEWS PARTLY TOLD.

Golf Cloakings. Holiday buying will soon absorb your attention. To help you in deciding on what to buy, we will offer numerous suggestions in this space from now until Xmas Golf cloakings in the newest combinations at **\$2.50 to \$3.50**

Fur Collarettes. Real beauties! every one of them, and no two alike. Stone Martin, Alaska Sable, French Seal, Black Astrakhan and other choice furs are used in the making of them. **\$3.50 to \$15**

Silks for Waists. Special! We would like every one of our lady customers to have for holiday wearing a nice silk waist. To make the getting of one as easy as possible, we will offer a reduction of 25 per cent on all waist patterns bought from our extensive stock of fancy silks during this week. **1-4 off the regular price.**

Pattern Suits. No need to dwell on the tone and richness shown in these goods. Patterns not found in piece goods; not found outside of "Williams & Co.'s store, Prices per patterns, \$6 to \$12. This week 1-4 off.



Women's Tailored Suits.

Here is liberal good fortune! Just fourteen stylish, very desirable costumes to be sold at \$10.00. Some silk lined; some not; one or two made of black cloth, lapel faced with silk, but the majority plainly made. All in good seasonable cloths and patterns. Cheviots, Coverts, Tweeds and Serges. Colors are Navy green, garnet and pretty color mingles. Of course there is selection, but a blindfold choosing of a dress to your size would mean the getting of an exceptional value.

Values are from **\$12 to \$18.**

Another Special. Eight only Ladies' Tailored Suits, made with fly-front, silk-lined jackets, some braided in contrasting color. All made of cloth suitings. Reduced from \$10.00. **Special \$6.90.**



Men's Clothing.

Not made to order, but made to fit, and as surely made to fit as though the clothes were made from the cloth to your order by the most careful tailor. For we do just as the tailor does—alter the clothes if alterations are indicated when you try them on. No charge for that, you couldn't pay us enough to justify us in letting ill-fit garments leave the store. Prices talk. For an all-wool Cassimere Suit Six Patterns **7.50**

Smoking Jackets.

Offer a fitting subject for present mention. An express shipment of very choice ones have just arrived. Remember these when thoughts of Xmas giving comes to you, there's not one man but would take great pleasure in being remembered with one. **\$6, \$8.**

Men's embroidered slippers, **85 cents.**

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Silk and Velvet Waists.

\$3.00

BLACK INDIA SILK WAISTS, SPECIAL **\$2.25**

All that's new and pretty in made-up waists are here. Materials are woolens, silks and velvets; some braided, some plaided. All show the handwork of artists. Our black India Silk Waist at \$2.25 is one of the latest comers and is specially priced for this week's selling.

One man's loss, another's gain. The maker is the loser this time; you and I are the gainers.

Fur Collarettes.

A FEW HINTS:
Baltic Seal, edged with light fur, and lined throughout with satin; special **\$3.50**
Sheared Coney, silk lined; special **\$3.75**
Electric Chinchilla, with seal yoke, satin lined **\$5.50**
French Seal, trimmed with beads and tails; special **\$6.00**

Dress Skirt Special.

We are making a general clean-up in our Skirt Department this week. On looking through our stock we find too many low-priced skirts. Better ones have had the preference this season, which is, of course, not lamented by us. It is our ambition to sell goods, and the better the qualities the more agreeable to us. But to the point: Lack of sales in these cheaper grades leaves too many on our racks, and to give them the benefit of a good-bye start as well as to give our customers a special opportunity, we have marked about fifty black and fancy mixed Dress Skirts



Special **\$1.00.**

They were **\$1.90**



Window Shades.

be had for 15c. Complete 6-foot spring roller shades; white only.

Glance at your old shades now in your kitchen, bathroom or bedroom and ask yourself if they shall remain, when new ones can



BUTTON HOOKS.

with long enameled wood handles; each **3 Cents.**

Silk Handkerchiefs. Japanese Silk, white only; hemstitched, better than the usual 25c kind. Spec. **15c.**

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STAIN ACCEDES TO OUR DEMANDS

Spanish Commissioners Declare They Yield to Superior Force.

YIELD TO AVOID HORRORS OF WAR

Cession of the Entire Philippine Archipelago and the Sulu Islands and the Sale of the Carolines is Agreed To—Conclusion of a Peace Treaty Now Near at Hand—European Powers Not Pleased.

PARIS, Nov. 28.—Spain has acceded to the demands of the United States, and agreed to cede the entire Philippine archipelago and the Sulu islands, and to sell the Caroline islands. This practically insures the conclusion of a treaty of peace between Spain and the United States in the near future.

PARIS, Nov. 28.—The two peace commissions were in separate session all this morning. The joint commission met at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and the Spanish commissioners immediately announced their acceptance of the American demands. The Spanish acceptance was made verbally, and less than ten

minutes were consumed in rendering it into the English for the Americans. The Spanish commissioners announced that they were authorized by their government to reply that the American propositions were inadmissible on legal principles, but that all diplomatic resources had been exhausted, and the Spanish commission was now asked to accept or reject the American proposition. Spain, inspired by patriotism and humanity and to avoid the horrors of war, resigns herself to the power of the victor. She accepts the offered conditions in order to conclude a treaty of peace. Throughout the controversy Spain had the strongest arguments, and as in positions so diametrically opposed, the American offer of \$20,000,000 was not a fair sum. Nevertheless, the reply continued, Spain desired to avoid any further effusion of blood and further disorder, and concluded to accept the American offer unconditionally and thus bow to the superior power of the victor. The secretaries were then ordered to prepare treaty articles, embodying the cession of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines and payment by the United States of \$20,000,000, for submission to a meeting which will be held next Wednesday.

The American demands include the acquisition of the whole of the Philippine and Sulu groups for \$20,000,000, and it is also understood the United States will purchase the Caroline group. The question of the debt of Cuba is left unsettled. The next meeting will take place Wednesday.

There is no denying that the whole European continent will bitterly resent the American acquisition of the Philippines.

As to the general sentiment, W. T. Stead, who has just returned from a tour of France, Belgium, Germany, Russia, Austria, Turkey, and Italy, who has seen the highest politicians in each country, and in some cases their rulers, said to

ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar. Safeguards the food against alum. Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

day to a correspondent of the Associated Press:
"Outside of England I have not met a single non-American who is not opposed to the expansion of the United States; nor through my whole tour of Europe have I met a single European who did receive the protestations of genuine sincerity with which the Americans entered upon the war with more or less mock incredulity."
Stead reports that the bitterest hostility of all was found at the vatican.

Scalded to Death.
STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 28.—The most disastrous accident in the history of Stockton occurred this morning at 4:20, near Fourteen-Mile slough, when a part of the boiler of the river steamer T. C. Walker, which left San Francisco at 6 o'clock last night, was blown out, killing six and dangerously wounding eleven persons, while probably fifteen or twenty others were more or less badly hurt.

The T. C. Walker was owned by the California Navigation and Improvement Company, and ran between this city and San Francisco.

A BLIZZARD IN BOSTON HARBOR

Twenty-Nine Vessels Have Been Wrecked.

FURY OF STORM PREVENT RESCUE

Break of Dawn Revealed One or More Battered Hulks on Every Reef—Few of the Wrecked Vessels Have Been Identified.

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—Tugs returning to this city at noon, after making a tour of the harbor, report twenty-nine vessels of all sizes ashore or sunk in or near Boston harbor. Seven large schooners and two Baltimore canal barges are completely wrecked, and it is estimated that thirty lives have been lost. Only one body has been recovered. More than a dozen have been reported in the surf at Hull, and efforts are being made to recover them.

Daylight this morning revealed the awful havoc of the storm in Boston harbor. Not since 1852 have the elements caused such destruction of property and loss of life so near the city. Tugs sent out to explore the harbor found on every shoal and reef some ice covered ves-

sels being dashed to pieces by the waves. The raging waters thus far prevent any attempt to recover the bodies seen floating among the debris, and it may be days before an accurate list of those lost can be obtained. The list of deaths as reported thus far is as follows:

From the schooner Calvin Baker, three unknown sailor drowned, one frozen in the rigging.
Schooner Abel C. Babcock, entire crew, supposed number nine, names unknown.
Schooner Samuel W. Titton, all hands lost, supposed to number four.
From other wrecks in the harbor, thirteen men.

Disaster Near Gloucester.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Nov. 28.—Nine vessels were lost in a blizzard near this port, but nothing could be learned this morning as to the loss of the lives. It is believed the crews of nearly all the crafts escaped.

Captain and His Son Perished.
SALEM, Mass., Nov. 28.—Two members of the crew of the schooner Bertha A. Cross were rescued from House islands, off Manchester, today, nearly dead, having been without shelter or food for thirty hours. From them it was learned that the schooner was lost on the rocks Saturday, and Captain Wallace Thurston and his son, John, perished.

Traffic Demoralized.
NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Points in eastern Long Island, which have been cut off from railroad communications with this city since last Saturday's storm, are still without a train service, and the present prospects are that the tracks will not be cleared until tomorrow.

Buckley's Arnica Salve.
The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever

sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Blakeley and Houghton, druggists.

One dozen of those extra finish Platino Fotos, made by Gifford, will make you twelve fine presents for Christmas. Nothing would be appreciated more, and now is the time to sit for them. Don't put it off too long and then expect to have them finished in time. 1-1m

Constipation prevents the body from ridding itself of waste matter. De Witt's Little Early Risers will remove the trouble and cure Sick Headache, Bilio-ness, Inactive Liver and clear the Complexion. Small, sugar coated, don't gripe or cause nausea. Snipes-Kinerly Drug Co.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Late to bed and early to rise, prepares a man for his home in the skies. But early to bed and a Little Early Riser, the pill that makes life longer and better and wiser. Snipes-Kinerly Drug Co.

When you ask for De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve don't accept a counterfeit or imitation. There are more cases of piles being cured by this than all others combined.

Wood for Sale.
Oak and pine, leave orders at Richard sons blacksmith shop on Third street. 9-17 Smo H. H. FLEMING.

A cough is not like a fever. It does not have to run a certain course. Cure it quickly and effectually with One Minute Cough Cure, the best remedy for all ages and for the most severe cases. We recommend it because it's good.

The Vire Camera is the best in use. For sale by the Postoffice Pharmacy. tf