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**NEW ITEMS THIS WEEK.**

**Clearance Sale .. Still On.**

**A. M. WILLIAMS & CO.**

**Dress Goods.**

We had fifteen hundred yards of a certain full weight, all-wool, fancy winter suiting two months ago; we now have only one hundred and eighty yards. By February 1st, from present indications, there'll be a clean counter only. The materials are of this season's importations—40 inches wide and worth 65c per yard. Sale price..... **33 1-3c.**

Cheaper than Calico is our next Dress Goods special: a fancy two-toned bourette weave of convenient width—27 in. Clearance price..... **7c.**

**1-4 off on Golf Cloakings.**

Ladies who have viewed our select styles in Golf Cloakings will thoroughly appreciate this reduction.

**25c Half Hose 16 2-3c.**

Good soft, worthy hose; firmly knit of a long all-wool thread in Camel's hair, with white heels and toes. All needing good hose will buy these.

**Two Items.**

**12 1-2c Wrapper Material 9c.**

This calls attention to the popular fleeced back, fancy figured flannelette, so much used and so very servicable. Wrappers by the yard or made up—we have both

**16 2-3c Fancy Domets 12 1-2c.**

For a cheery looking, soft and cozy house gown, there is no material more adapted than the Domet Flannels, and then such styles, such patterns. 8 an 10 yards for a wrapper.

**75c All-wool Striped Eiderdown 48c.**

Infant's Cloaks and Ladies' Dressing Sacques are very pretty when made of this material. We have a few pieces of the very choicest patterns in this lot at 48c.

**Dress Goods Remnants at Half Price.**

**95c Boys' Sweaters 65c.**

Special clearance sale of a line of Boys' Children's heavy wool Sweaters, in dark blue and red, with striped ends. Your boy would like one and the price is low.

**Dark Outing Flannels 4c.**

We have always had the reputation of showing best Outing Flannel values. This week we again demonstrate that fact. Other stores 5c and 6c Outing Flannels, here..... **4c.**

**25c and 50c fancy silk Neck Ribbons..... 15c yard.**

**Reductions on Capes, Jackets, Table Linens, Napkins, Hats, Suits.**

**Blanket Sale.**

- 4 1/2 lb all-wool Blankets. Special at \$3.00..... **\$2.50**
- 4 1/2 lb all-wool Oregon Blanket Regular price \$3.90..... **\$2.95**
- 5 lb all-wool Oregon Blanket, gray mottled, worth \$4.90.... **\$3.75**
- 7 lb all-wool Oregon Blanket, reduced from \$6.00 to..... **\$4.50**
- 7 lb all-wool Oregon Blanket, good value at \$6.85, now..... **\$5.50**
- 10 lb all-wool Klondike Blanket, extra value at \$7.90 reduced to **\$6.85**

**SITUATION IS STILL STRAINED**

But a Spark Needed to Precipitate a Conflagration.

**NATIVES IN AN UGLY MOOD**

Americans With Difficulty Restrained From Resenting Their Insolence—Situation at Iloilo Remains Unchanged.

New York, Jan. 17.—A special to the Herald from Hong Kong says:

The Herald's Manila correspondent reports a strict censorship on dispatches. The latest advices, dated January 13th, says that the situation in the Philippines is still acute. Aguinaldo is holding his forces in check with difficulty, and natives have been arrested for smuggling arms into the walled city. On one occasion a coffin was found filled with arms, and on another six Mauser rifles and a stock of ammunition were discovered hidden in a load of straw.

The natives residing in the city predict an attack on Manila Sunday, the 15th, but the foreigners maintain that there will be no attack if the Americans do not precipitate it.

The position of the Americans is very unpleasant. Their Spanish prisoners are unfriendly and the hostile natives are numerous and well armed both inside and outside the city.

In Iloilo the situation remains the same except that natives are intrenching themselves, they have blockaded the river by sinking barges loaded with stones.

The native troops outside of Manila are most insolent, and it is hard work to restrain the Americans. The Filipino soldiery come out to their lines, close up to the American outposts, load their rifles, deliberately point them at the American soldiers, and then walk deliberately back to their own lines.

Under such conditions as these there might be a fight at almost any moment.

An American Protectorate.

New York, Jan. 17. A dispatch to the Herald from Hong Kong says: Rev. Clay McCauley, professor of theology at

Tokio, who recently arrived from the Philippines, says that as the result of his study of the situation at Manila, he thinks there are only three ways open to the United States to solve the Philippine question. The first is annexation by force of purchase. To use force means the most disastrous foreign war in American history, entailing great loss of life and expenditure of money. Moreover, it would be a violation of national honor.

The second solution is a complete sovereignty from Spain to a Filipino republic and the retention by the United States for her own use of Manila bay and port, just as Hong Kong is kept by Great Britain. This solution means the exposure of the defenseless Philippines to the greed of the powers, with a consequent acute crisis in Europe over the far Eastern question.

The third possible solution is autonomy under an American protectorate. This means an independent Filipino government controlling the administration of internal affairs, the United States taking charge of the supreme judiciary and foreign relations such as the power to make war or treaties, while having charge of the customs. This solution, Mr. McCauley thinks, might bring about a tutelage which would result for the future in the absolute independence of the islands, or voluntary annexation to the United States.

**MAY RECOGNIZE THEM**

Negotiations Looking to Spanish Recognition of the Filipino Insurgents Begun.

New York, Jan. 17.—A dispatch to the Herald from Paris says: News has been received here that the Spanish government has begun negotiations with Aguinaldo, through the agency of certain Filipinos in Madrid, for the release of the Spanish prisoners. Having begun to treat directly with the insurgents, Spain is likely to go a step further and accord them the recognition hitherto refused by any government. The idea is to call upon President McKinley to redeem his promise and obtain the release of the prisoners.

The difficulties confronting the American government are all understood in Madrid, and as soon as official recognition of them is obtained, the government will consider itself free to treat with the Filipino government if necessary as power to power, in order to secure the liberty of its subjects. That Spain should take such revenge upon us would surprise nobody.

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**THE FUNERAL OF DINGLEY**

All the Distinguished Men of the Nation Attend.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—A state funeral almost majestic in its impressiveness was given the late Representative Dingley at noon today in the house of representatives. The president and his cabinet, distinguished members of the diplomatic corps, members of the supreme court, senate and house, and distinguished men in military and civil life were arranged about the bier on the floor of the hall, while the galleries were occupied by the families of those who sat upon the floor, and prominent persons invited to be present. The remains were taken from the Hotel Hamilton to the capitol this morning at 10 o'clock, and were borne into the hall of representatives by a sub-squad of capitol police.

The casket was placed on a bier in front of the speaker, and for an hour the public, which would have no opportunity to witness the official ceremonies later, was allowed to view the remains as they lay in state.

The services were conducted by Rev. S. M. Newman, of the First Congregational church of this city, assisted by Rev. Dr. Couden, chaplain of the house. It was a very simple service. When Newman delivered the benediction, the entire assemblage arose.

The body lay in state in the hall of the house until shortly before the time for the departure of the special train, which conveyed the remains and party to Lewiston. It was then conveyed to the Pennsylvania station, whence the train departed at 4:10 p. m. The train consisted of four Pullmans and a baggage car. One of the cars was occupied by the family, and the others by the remainder of the party.

**CATARRH OF THE STOMACH**

A Pleasant, Simple but Safe and Effectual Cure For It.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing, headaches, sickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, or thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate surface of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanston the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. L. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the very simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals.

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