

IMPROVEMENT AND RESTFUL DAY FOR RULER REPORTED

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 28.—(AP)—The following bulletin was issued tonight on King George's condition: "The king had a restful day. The slight improvement noted this morning is maintained."

A monthly consultation was held this morning by five of the noted specialists who have been attending his majesty. It was devoted partially to a general review of the progress that he has been making. More strikingly, however, it was revealed that new measures had been considered and adopted for remedying the situation caused by the failure of the patient to respond in a better degree to treatment designed to build up his strength and to pull him through to convalescence. There was no hint at this time as to what these measures would be. It was evident that one difficulty which bothered the doctors has been overcome or some degree as it was stated that the king was taking nourishment more readily.

SOUTH TRAFFIC IS HALTED BY SLIDE

All southbound motor traffic held up at Pasamonte, Calif., owing to information received today by L. C. Garlock, who advises motorists planning southbound trips not to leave until tomorrow if they plan to go beyond Danavair.

A slide of mud and dirt has effectively blocked the Pacific highway, which probably will not be cleared until late tonight. Traffic on the highway over the Shastan mountains was reported to be held, with nothing to hinder driving outside of slippery paving at spots.

COMMITTEE PREPARING D'MOLAY DANCE PARTY

Committee working on the De Molay New Year's eve dance at the Masonic ballroom today reported preparations to be rapidly nearing completion for what is expected to be one of the best New Year's parties ever given by the De Molay members. The dance will be open to the general public, with Masons, Eastern Star members especially invited. The evening's program will include several specialty numbers, including a clog dance by Fred McKeen. The music will be furnished by a local orchestra.

GOPCO WILL ARRANGE FOOTBALL BROADCAST

The New Year's football game between Georgia Tech and California will be broadcast over KMGD through the courtesy of the California Oregon Power company. Earl Davis will be at the microphone to relay the play by play report of the game, which will take place in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena. The game will probably begin at 2 o'clock.

Lifebuoy Soap Destroys Flu Germs

In the advertisement of Lifebuoy, the health soap, in this paper today, is given seven protective measures against flu and bad colds compiled by the Life Extension Institute, also what the U. S. Public Health Service says about the spread of the disease from soiled hands.

Lifebuoy soap not only removes flu and other germs and protects health, but is a favorite soap for every toilet and bath purpose. It is refreshing and cleansing, is pleasantly hygienic and safe for the most delicate skin.

Last Ten Feet Worst WESTFIELD, N. J., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Johnnie Perri, stunt flier, has a broken wrist. He got it in a 10-foot fall from an apple tree in releasing a parachute which had enabled him to make a 2000-foot drop from an airplane without a scratch.

Idaho Healthiest. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Idaho seems to have a claim as the healthiest state. Official statistics give it a death rate in 1927 of 21 per 1000 population, the lowest. The highest rate, 13.5, was in California, Vermont and New Hampshire.

STATE THEATRE
Any Seat 15c Anytime
Children under 12, 10c
Show Changes Daily
TONIGHT
"Nomads of the North"
By James Oliver Curwood
Featuring Lon Chaney
Also Comedy

MANN'S — — — — — THE BEST GOODS FOR THE PRICE, NO MATTER WHAT THE PRICE — — — — — MANN'S

Mann's Annual January Clearance Sale of Ready-to-Wear Garments STARTS SATURDAY

The Greatest Selling Event Ever Held in Medford \$35,000 Worth of New Garments at Half Price and Less BE ON HAND EARLY TOMORROW -- BEFORE THE BEST BARGAINS GO

200 SILK and WOOL DRESSES GOING at HALF PRICE AND LESS

\$15.00 Dresses \$5.00
25 Women's and Misses' Dresses, silks and wools, one and two-piece styles, all good colors and sizes, values up to \$15.00. For Saturday, each . . . **\$5.00**

\$29.75 Dresses \$9.95
35 wonderful new silk and Wool Dresses in Women's and Misses' sizes, one and two piece styles, made of satins, crepes, jerseys, georgettes and velveteens, up to \$29.75 values, for Saturday, each . . . **\$9.95**

50 OF OUR HIGH CLASS DRESSES Going in This BIG SALE at HALF PRICE

These dresses are made of the finest grade of satins, wools, georgettes and transparent velvets, all made in the latest styles and colors.

\$65.00 Dresses now	\$32.50	\$49.50 Dresses now	\$24.75
\$59.50 Dresses now	\$29.75	\$45.00 Dresses now	\$22.50
\$55.00 Dresses now	\$27.50	\$42.50 Dresses now	\$21.25
\$50.00 Dresses now	\$25.00	\$37.50 Dresses now	\$18.75

Party Dresses

GROUP 1
Dainty Georgette and crisp taffeta party dresses in the new pastel shades, sizes 16 to 20. On sale Saturday, each . . . **\$9.75**

GROUP 2

This group of party dresses consists of georgettes, sleeveless satins and taffeta silks trimmed with lace, flowers and embroidered all pastel shades, \$19.75 values, Saturday . . . **\$14.75**

Another group of party dresses that sold all season up to \$39.75, on sale Saturday, each . . . **\$29.50**

Every Winter Hat in Stock



\$1.00 **\$2.00**

Regardless of former price, every winter felt, soleil or velvet hat sells tomorrow at these drastically cut prices.

CLEARANCE SALE OF SWEATERS

\$12.50 Sweaters \$7.95	\$3.50 Sweaters \$2.95
Women's All-Wool Sweaters, coat styles, with collars that fasten close to the neck; all good colors; many of the sweaters sold up to \$12.50. On sale Saturday, each . . . \$7.95	Misses' and Women's Sweaters in slip-on styles; crew and V-neck in plain and fancy weaves; all colors. Regular price \$3.50. On sale Saturday, each . . . \$2.95

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS

All small sizes; on sale Saturday, each . . . **\$1.00**
Children's All-Wool Sweaters; small sizes. On sale Saturday—**\$1.95** each



The Sale You've Waited for Every Winter Coat at HALF PRICE

Just think of buying the very latest styles of Conde and Printzess Coats at Exactly HALF PRICE

Women's \$135 Coats now	\$67.50
Women's \$98 Coats now	\$49.00
Women's \$90 Coats now	\$45.00
\$79.50 Coats Now . . .	\$39.75
\$74.50 Coats Now . . .	\$37.25
\$47.50 Coats Now . . .	\$23.75
\$69.50 Coats Now . . .	\$34.75
\$65.00 Coats Now . . .	32.50
\$59.50 Coats Now . . .	29.75



TWO BIG COAT SPECIALS

Lot 1—\$22.50 Coats \$9.75
Just 10 Coats in this lot, all with big fur collars, made of all wool suedes and sport mixtures, up to \$22.50 values, this big sale, each . . . **\$9.75**

Lot 2—\$35.00 Coats \$15.00
Exactly seven Coats in this lot, made of all wool suedes, have big fur collars, colors tan, blue and black, sold all season up to \$35.00, this sale, each . . . **\$15.**

Children's Winter Coats Going at 1/3 Off

\$14.50 Coats now	\$9.66	\$10.85 Coats now	\$7.23
\$11.50 Coats now	\$7.66	\$9.75 Coats now	\$6.50

Children's Dresses 1/3 Off

100 beautiful silk, wool and wash dresses for children, all sizes, styles and colors on sale Saturday at . . . **1/3 off**

Wash Dress Sale

300 wonderful new wash dresses in Wirthmor and Happy Home styles made of prints and gingham, for sale Saturday, each . . . **95c**

\$3.95 Wash Dresses \$1.95

A group of Betty Baxley and Juanella Wash Dresses made of prints and rayon, all styles and sizes, up to \$3.95 values, on sale Saturday, each . . . **\$1.95**

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