



One Week's Cloak Selling

that will bring down stocks to the point we desire.

There's No Use attempting to hide the fact; the season has been against cold weather garment selling, and we've got left with more than we care to carry over.

Consequently We have marked down the entire stock to a point where buying for next season's use even will prove a profitable investment, as in most cases.

The New Slaughter Prices Do not represent the cost of the materials. Another point: The garments offered are not of ancient date; each and all are of present season's manufacture and the highest grade of custom tailoring can do no more for them than is represented in these goods.

LOT Ladies' Double Capes, medium weight, in a serviceable Black Cheviot. They ought to bring \$2.50. Clearing Price, \$1.90

LOT Ladies' fur-trimmed Double Capes. Full length and sweep. A bargain at \$5.00. Clearing Price, \$1.39

LOT Ladies' and Misses' stylish Cheviot Jackets. Box front, roll collar, ripple back, perfect tailoring, etc. Made to bring \$4.50. Clearing Price, \$2.69

LOT Children's Reefers. Heavy winter weight with big storm collars. Stylish little garments with quality to back them. We've said \$1.00 right along. Clearing Price, \$1.29

LOT Misses' Boucle Jackets; they're just such as well posted mothers would like for well-dressed daughters. Been \$5.50 all through the season. Clearing Price, \$3.59

LOT Ladies' fine Boucle Jackets, storm or notched collars, right to a trivet in every detail. Actual value \$6.50 and \$7.50. Clearing Price, \$4.29

LOT Ladies' fine Boucle Jackets, Franklin parts, new storm collars and all that style can give them. A No. 1 value at \$7.50. Clearing Price, \$4.98

LOT Ladies' extra fine Kersey Jackets. In-laid velvet collars and the finest tailoring that money can buy. Cheap at \$9.00. Clearing Price, \$6.29

LOT Genuine Imported Caterpillar Cloth Jackets, fine all silk linings, latest styles, and the best \$12.50 garments we know of. Clearing Price, \$7.50

LOT Ladies' Jackets, mixed qualities and styles, all extra fine goods, ranging in value from \$15.00 to \$25.00. Mostly higher numbers. Clearing Price, \$12.50

GLOBE WAREHOUSE

PROPOSITION TO TAX ANTHRACITE

The State Revenues Are Not Adequate to Requirements. MANY LARGE DEMANDS TO BE MET

Why the State's Income Will Not Be as Great This Year as Last--Some of the Appropriations That Have Grown Recently--Present Liabilities Much Above the Balance on Hand--Attorney General's Report.

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—It is evident that President pro tem McCarrell of the senate has no easy job on his hands in finding enough chairmanships of committees to go round the forty-four Republican senators. There are thirty-three standing committees, but it is probable that several new ones will be created. Mr. McCarrell thinks that there should be committees on interstate commerce, street railways and several other subjects. The rule committee, composed of Lieutenant Governor Walter Lyon, Senators McCarrell, White, Grady and Thomas, will meet here Tuesday and very likely create these new bodies. President McCarrell will hold his appointments until that time.

TO TAX ANTHRACITE COAL. An effort is to be made to secure legislation this winter taxing anthracite coal 5 cents a ton at the mines, the tax to be paid by the mine owners when shipped to the markets. If this proposition is carried out the payments would be made to the state monthly or semi-monthly, and would afford immediate relief to the treasury. This scheme was tried in Pennsylvania during the war and continued early in the seventies. An effort will also be made to increase the tax on the actual value of the capital stock of domestic insurance companies. They now pay 3 mills on their capital and 5 mills on their gross premiums. It is proposed to make the rate uniform by fixing it at 8 mills on each.

The total production of anthracite coal in Pennsylvania for 1896 was 42,218,855 tons, in 1895, 46,292,442 tons; in 1894, 41,291,190 tons. It will be seen that a 5 cent per ton tax on the product would produce a large and juicy revenue.

FUNDS ARE SHORT. Unless state expenses are greatly curtailed Pennsylvania will find herself with an empty treasury. Reductions will have to be made in all the appropriations and new sources of revenue have to be found. The annual appropriation of \$55,000,000 is likely to be chopped down a million or two. If it is not some of the state private charities will be left without a penny. Those institutions entirely dependent upon state aid will find that their requests will be shaved considerably. The report of State Treasurer Haywood at the close of December showed a balance in the general fund of \$3,724,829.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT. The biennial report of Attorney General McCormick is ready for the legislature. It is an interesting public document. Prior to 1887 the opinions of the attorney general were not preserved in any permanent form. These opinions, some of them of great importance, exist only in manuscript on file in the different departments of the state. The attorney general has thought wise to collect them and publish them as part of the report, including all the opinions of general interest of his predecessors in office. He has also added the general rules of practice, not only in his department but before the board of public accounts, board of property, and various other boards, and the practice as to commonwealth cases in the court of common pleas of Dauphin county. He has also, by the courtesy of the heads of the respective departments, given such rules and suggestions as may be useful to those having business therein.

SLATE COMMITTEE MEET. Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—With Representative Lytle, of Huntingdon, presiding, the slate committee of the house met here today and held a session lasting until late tonight, and then adjourned until tomorrow, when another session will be held. The committee discussed the applicants names for the minor offices of the house and those more important ones not already filled. It was stated that the result of the committee's deliberations will not be made public until the house meets at Harrisburg, but from reliable sources it was learned that there was no wish among the victorious Quay men to punish their factional opponents by cutting them off from all patronage.

IT WAS A TREASURE TROVE. Late Judge Gardner's Strong Box Made Bank Depositors Happy. Hollidaysburg, Pa., Jan. 15.—The creditors of the assigned banking house of Gardner, Morrow & Co. were treated to a pleasant surprise today, when the strong box, containing bonds, notes, stocks and other papers of value belonging to the late Judge James Gardner, the senior partner in the bank, was opened by Judge John M. Bailey in the presence of the parties.

COMPLIMENTS FOR WILLIAM CONNELL

Mentioned by Washington Papers as Candidate for Governor. HIS NUMEROUS QUALIFICATIONS

The Hours Spent by the House of Representatives in Disposing of the Routine Business--Secretary Herbert Approves of the Revised Steel Specifications--New Tests for Armor Plate.

Washington, Jan. 15.—A morning paper says: "Representative-elect Connell, of the Eleventh Pennsylvania district, was introduced to many members of congress at the capital yesterday." The paper has a very complimentary notice of Mr. Connell and refers to his unprecedented majority, his popularity, owing to his charitable inclinations and business integrity, and his working up from mine boy to wealth. It says he is the leader of the Quay forces in Northeastern Pennsylvania and is mentioned for the governorship next year.

GEN. WEYLER'S VICTIMS

Hundreds of Innocent and Peaceable Citizens of Cuba Driven from Their Homes. Key West, Jan. 15.—Advices from Havana state that the effect of Weyler's famous Bayate edict of the first instant is being felt with more intensity in the provinces of Havana and Matanzas than that of Pinar Del Rio, since these provinces, being more thickly populated and with more farms and estates than the former, the wholesale abandonment of the properties and the concentration of the people in the towns will not only augment the misery already prevailing, but also present the serious inconvenience of lodging so many people in towns already full to overflowing.

HELD FOR WIFE MURDER

The Bride of Patrick Donohue Dies Under Suspicious Circumstances. Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—Patrick Donohue, aged 25 years, was arrested today on suspicion of having caused the death of his wife, Mary, three years his junior, and to whom he was married yesterday afternoon. After the marriage the couple held a celebration in their home, No. 2119 Darben street, and they are reported to have parted freely. This morning the husband says he found the body of his wife at the foot of a stairs and in carrying her to an upstairs room he received bloodspots on his clothing. The police learned of the case when Donohue summoned his relatives and the arrest followed.

ROBBERS TORTURE A YOUNG GIRL

Try to Obtain the Supposed Hiding Place of Her Father's Money. Cleveland, O., Jan. 15.—Last night three masked robbers went to the home of David Culbertson, a wealthy farmer, 55 years old, living near Wadsworth, O. One leveled a revolver at the heads of the terrified farmer and his wife and daughter and demanded money. Mr. Culbertson gave them \$25, all he had in the house, and a check for \$50.

YOUNG GIRL'S SUICIDE

Sarah Kelley, Aged 16, Shoots Herself in the Temple. Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 15.—Sarah Kelley, aged 16, committed suicide early last evening at Broad Mountain by shooting herself in the temple from the effects of which she died twenty minutes later. The unfortunate girl was an orphan.

TRAPP WINS HIS CASE

Is Awarded \$6,250 Damages in a Suit Against the World. Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 15.—The jury in the suit of Joseph A. Trapp against the New York World for libel in which damages were laid at \$100,000, today rendered a verdict for \$6,250.

MR. HOBART'S GENEROSITY

Presents Rutgers College with Five Thousand Dollars. New Brunswick, N. J., Jan. 15.—The announcement was made in the Chapel of Rutgers college this morning that Vice-President-elect Hobart had made a gift to the college of \$5,000 to stimulate his election to the vice presidency. The gift is made unconditionally and the money will probably be used to endow a scholarship. Mr. Hobart graduated from Rutgers college in the class of '63.

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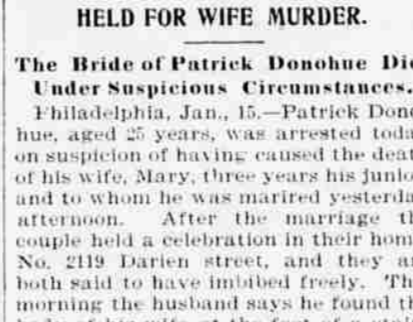
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WILL PARDON SANGULLY. Reforms Will Also Be Introduced in Cuba on King's Fete Day.

London, Jan. 15.—A despatch from Madrid says that at a cabinet council, over which the Queen Regent presided, it has been decided to immediately introduce reforms in Cuba and a decree putting the reforms into effect will be published on the King's fete day.

Stuart in California. Dallas, Tex., Jan. 15.—Dan A. Stuart departed on a night train for San Francisco, and from there, to look after his pugilistic carnival scheduled for the 17th of March and remain here till March 1, and then his mail will be addressed to Reno for the succeeding twenty days.

MEN OF PROMINENCE.



KING OSCAR OF SWEDEN, Who Will Appoint the Third Member of Arbitration Committees in Case of Disagreement.

MR. SHERMAN ACCEPTS. Will Be Secretary of State for President McKinley--Alger and Long Among the Possibilities.

Canton, Ohio, Jan. 15.—Senator Sherman, who this afternoon authorized the United Associated Presses to positively announce that he has accepted the portfolio of state, and ex-Governor John D. Long, of Massachusetts, who will in all probability be in Major McKinley's cabinet, sat down at table with the president-elect today. The other guest at luncheon was Senator Burrows, of Michigan. Sherman arrived at the house about an hour and a quarter before noon and left for Washington at 2 o'clock. He had a long talk with Major McKinley and they discussed many men and measures. The formation of the cabinet was the main topic of conversation. Senator Sherman's appointment and the organization of the work in his department would not be considered till after the inauguration of Major McKinley. It is understood that the appointment of a first assistant secretary of state was not discussed today, but the gossip here is that John Russell Young, of Philadelphia, is under consideration. Senator Sherman was in excellent spirits and seemed full of vigor.

Band of Seventy-Six. Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—Senator C. C. Kauffman, of Lancaster county, who was one of the principal supporters of John Wanamaker for United States senator, was in this city today and explained the call he had issued for a conference of anti-Quay leaders in Harrisburg next Monday afternoon. David Martin does not intend to be there, Mr. Kauffman said, but Senator Magee and Senator Flinn, of Pittsburgh, have promised to attend the meeting. Among others who have been invited are the seventy-six legislators who voted for Mr. Wanamaker.

Senator Kauffman, "may begin the consideration of plans for or against certain proposed legislation, but probably the main business on that day will be action on a project to organize an association which may be called 'the 76,' the words being suggestive of independence. The idea is to take into the membership all the seventy-six representatives and senators who stood by Mr. Wanamaker. Nobody else will be admitted. So far the plan is merely in general outline, the objects being mainly social, although no doubt such an organization could be effectively used in legislation if necessary."

Senator Kauffman said that he did not know what attitude the anti-Quay legislators would take toward the Quay reform bills. Speaking for himself, he said he would not favor any bill which effected his reforms at only one faction. He intimated that there was a hard road ahead of the bill to defray the expenses of the senatorial investigating committee.

Senator Sherman said to see the president-elect in the interests of General Alger, whom he hopes will be appointed secretary of war. Senator Burrows said the Republicans of Michigan had counted upon General Alger and that he had the hearty endorsement of the two senators. General Alger is also being urged by the old soldiers of the Union armies. The difference that existed between Senator Sherman and General Alger have been happily adjusted and there is no obstacle whatsoever to the appointment of General Alger to the cabinet. This is stated upon high authority.

Representative R. R. Mahoney, of Buffalo, and John Millholland, of New York city, who is said to be a candidate for collector of the port, were among Major McKinley's callers today.

APPLE BRANDY IN HIS TOMBSTONE. Glass Barrel for a Hoosier's Grave, to Be Re-filled Twice a Year. English, Ind., Jan. 15.—The will of J. C. T. Shuman, an eccentric character, was offered for probate today.

California's Holiday. Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 15.—Governor Budd today issued a proclamation declaring tomorrow a legal holiday to celebrate the defeat of the Pacific Railroad funding bill in the house of representatives.

Silk Makers Assign. Paterson, N. J., Jan. 15.—Grimshaw Bros., silk manufacturers of this city and Reading, Pa., today make a general assignment of their business in both places.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING. Weather Indications Today: Light, Local Snows; Slightly Warmer.

1. Compilments for Our Congressmen--Elected. 2. Proposed Tax on Anthracite. 3. Revival of Spanish Horrors in Cuba. 4. Duin's Weekly Trade Review, Financial and Commercial.

5. Local--Many Applicants for Relief Before the Poor Board. 6. Rally of Baptist Young People. 7. Editorial, Lamp-light Musings.

8. Local--Little Child Burned to Death. Mass Meeting in Elm Park Church. 9. Local--Social and Personal. Religious and Charitable. Musical Matters.

10. News and Gossip of the West Side. Suburban Happenings. 11. Guessing the Age of Civilization. Dramatic Gossip.

12. Hypnotism Made Easy. 13. (Story)--"At the Cannon's Mouth." 14. A Peep at Gay Havana. Pennsylvania in the United States Senate.

15. Up and Down the Valley.

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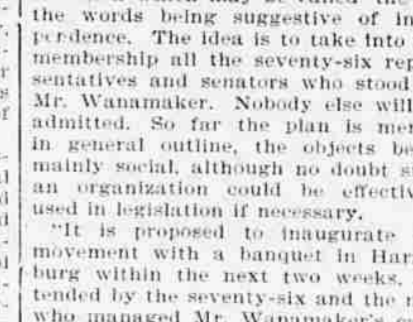
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