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TWO CENTS A COPY

A BIG BLANKET SALE

would be appropriate at this season; but, truth to tell, we have not got a big stock that we're particularly anxious to dispose of.

Blanket Sale

at this season every year, we have decided not to deviate from the rule, and if the quantities and numbers offered are less than usual, you know the reason why.

To Our Regular Patrons We Would Say

take advantage of this sale by getting in early, as we positively will not offer one extra pair more than specified at these figures.

Sale Lasts One Week, Beginning Tuesday, Jan. 19th.

WHITE BLANKET OFFERINGS

We have lower qualities than those quoted below, if you want them.

- 1 case 11-4 Cotton Blankets, were 75c, now 59c.
1 case 11-4 Cotton Blankets, were \$1.00, now 75c.
1 case 12-4 Cotton Blankets, were \$1.50, now \$1.12 1/2.

Special

The two numbers which follow are very slightly soiled, but otherwise perfect.

Sale Price, \$5.75

10 pairs full 11-4 finest all wool White Blankets, the best value we ever offered at \$5.50.

Sale Price, \$6.00

COLORED BLANKET OFFERINGS

- 1 case 11-4 Grey Cotton Blankets, were 75c, now 59c.
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Sale Price, \$4.25

35 pairs 11-4 all Wool Blankets, (Scarlet) the best quality ever at \$4.00.

Sale Price, \$3.25

Extra

1 case Crib Blankets.

Jc. a Pair

GLOBE

WAREHOUSE.

GROVER FLEES FROM QUEEN LIL

For the Second Time He Disappears at Her Approach.

PURSuing THE ILLUSIVE DUCK

As the Dusky Ex-Queen Entered the Capital Before Dawn Saturday the President was Going Down the Potomac in a Lighthouse Tender.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Liliuokalani, the dethroned queen of the Hawaiian Islands, otherwise known as Mrs. Lydia Dominis, arrived in Washington at an early hour yesterday morning.



EX-QUEEN LILIUOKALANI.

lington. It was exactly six weeks ago that the ever-watchful Thurber breathlessly sought the President with the news that Queen Lil was on her way from San Francisco to Washington.

When the President returned from his last duck-hunting and queen-fleeing excursion, after having been notified by Thurber that Mrs. Dominis had stowed over in Washington for an hour or two and then gone to Boston, he felt himself safe.

been nursing in her bosom, feeling of course that she is entitled to and will receive the enthusiastic support of the Cleveland administration.

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Washington, Pa., Jan. 25.—Several state associations will meet in Harrisburg this week, including state convention of photographers, state board of agriculture, the State Editorial association and the state game commissioners.

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CAPTAIN WOON'S RECRUITS.

First Squad of the Cuban Battalion Leaves Parkersburg.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 24.—The first squad of the Cuban battalion en-

WEATHER FORECAST.

The Cold Wave Will Extend to the Atlantic Coast--Temperature Falls from 20 to 40 Degrees in 24 Hours.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The severe cold wave extends as far east as the Ohio valley and southward to Texas, where the temperature has fallen from 20 to 40 degrees in the past twenty-four hours.

The weather is generally fair in the northwest and the South Atlantic states.

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FACTIONS LIABLE TO GET INTO LINE

Senator Jim Mitchell's Resolution May Cause a Conflict.

SCHEME OF BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE

Mr. Smith's New Label Measure Will Call Out Addresses from Some of the Foremost Pennsylvania Journalists--A Bill to Abolish Constables Returns--Mr. Connell Will Offer Plumbers' Registration Bill.

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MEN OF PROMINENCE.



J. SLOTH FASSETT, The New York Republican Who is Talked of for a Cabinet Place.

MRS. CARSON DEAD.

She Had Crossed the Ocean Two Hundred and Fifty Times--Never Missed a Trip on Lucania.

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Terrible State of Affairs at Bombay. Disease Rapidly Spreading to All Classes--The Death Rate.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Elijah Carson, a most remarkable woman, died Friday night at Anamosa, Ia. Mrs. Carson had crossed the ocean 250 times and possessed the extraordinary record of never having missed a trip on the Lucania since that splendid vessel was launched.

Boston, Jan. 24.—The American board has received a group of letters from its missionaries and correspondents in India relating to the plague and famine. Rev. E. S. Hume, of Bombay, who went to India in 1875 says:

"Things have been going from bad to worse until the situation is most grave and even alarming. One third of the population of the city is said to have died and multitudes are still leaving. One of the railroads put on six extra trains in a day and hundreds crowded about the stations waiting for an opportunity to get away. At the first the plague was confined to one ward of the city, but it has spread from place to place, until no section is free from the disease. So too, all classes, including Europeans have suffered from it. The published reports greatly underestimate the number of deaths which is probably not less than 200 or 300 a day. The native Christians have been marvellously protected. Not one, so far as I know, has suffered from the plague."

CABINET GOSSIP.

Charles Emory Smith Still Regarded as a Strong Possibility.

Canton, Ohio, Jan. 24.—There is a growing impression that the cabinet will be practically completed within two or at least three weeks, with its possible exception of one place. Though Major McKinley may decide within the next ten days upon the eighth man who is to form his official family the final cast of the cabinet may not be arranged before March 1.

The New York problem of cabinet selection will probably be solved this week. The current gossip is that General Stewart L. Woodford will be the New York member of the cabinet. Major McKinley is more intimately acquainted with General Woodford than any of the other New York men and if political conditions continue to be as favorable as they now seem to be he is pretty certain to be the next secretary of war or the navy. General Alger's appointment to the cabinet is not regarded as certain but the belief that he will be in it grows, unless Lyman J. Case should be made secretary of the treasury. The doubts about Mr. Case's political faith and economic credits have been removed within the last twenty-four hours by the visit of a Chicago gentleman to Canton, it may be safely assumed that his appointment is being more seriously considered than ever, though the impression still prevails here that Charles Emory Smith, of Philadelphia, is the strongest possibility.

Information received here today and during the last few days makes it certain that the senate of the United States will be favorable to the enactment of protective tariff legislation.

BRYAN HAS IMITATORS.

Unknown Scribblers Have Published Books Signing His Name.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Judge Horton yesterday granted an injunction against a Philadelphia publishing house to prevent an imitation of W. J. Bryan's new book.

Of late another Bryan book has appeared. While the title page does not say it was written by Mr. Bryan, the display of words, in large and small type is such, it is said, as to convey that impression. The title is "The Great Battle."

SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

Prominent Workers Arrive at Des Moines, Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 24.—Miss Susan H. Anthony, Rachel Foster Avery and Anna Howard Shaw, of Philadelphia; Miss Chapman Catt, Edith Stone Blackman and others prominent in woman suffrage work, arrived here this morning to attend the national convention of the Women Suffrage association, which opens here Tuesday.

Many delegates are arriving from all parts of the country, the west especially being well represented.

Result of War on Coal Prices.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 24.—The North-western Coal company failed yesterday as a result of the war on coal prices that has been costing the operators an immense amount for a month. It was attached by the Maple Grove Coal company on an \$85,000 claim.

Collision of Trolley and Coal Car.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 23.—In a collision last night between a runaway coal car and an electric passenger coach near here, Motorman Frank Keiner was killed and Conductor John Hake seriously, if not fatally, injured. Five of the passengers aboard the car were injured, some seriously.

Fire in New York.

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Always Busy.

1897 Busier.

Oh, How Delightful

to dance in perfect fitting shoes or slippers.

Ours are perfect fitting.

LEWIS, REILLY & DAVIES

114 AND 116 WYOMING AVE.

MARSHAL SHEA TO RESIGN.

Office Not to His Liking and Besides Interfered with His Business.

Deputy United States Marshal John J. Shea is about to resign his position with the government. The resignation will be forwarded to Pittsburgh in the course of a week or ten days. He gives as his reasons that the duties of the office are in some ways distasteful and that they interfere with his hotel business, which has grown to such proportions as to require his constant attention.

Mr. Shea succeeded Frank Robling, Jr., in the office when the latter was made chief of police last fall. The appointment came to him without much solicitation, his peculiar fitness for the place, he having served as a patrolman and later as county detective, coupled with the fact that his efficient work for the party in many campaigns had deserved the position for him, had more to do with his securing the place than any direct efforts on the part of himself or friends.