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A dispatch from Pottsville to the New York Sun contains the statement relative to the Van Valkenburg settlement that "Congressman Connell, of Scranton, it has been repeatedly said and never denied, was willing to liquidate all indebtedness on consideration of his being made the next gubernatorial candidate."

Behind the Times.

The Carbonade Leader accurately bounds a conspicuous truth when it says: "It is becoming more and more evident that the day of political meetings and campaign orators is passing away. Erars bands and liberty poles and banners are no longer the necessary concomitants of a political campaign."

the cover. There then was a hull, and, as one paper remarks, "one had time to see how cruel had been the slaughter."

It is when comprehending the magnificent significance of such practical, unheralded heroism as this that the American people temporarily drop their conventional pique against their cousins across the water and rejoice in that kinship which makes them in a certain sense blood-co-partners in the British glory.

On Jan. 15 a train of 24 passengers and freight cars drawn by six snow traction locomotives is scheduled to leave Fort Wrangel, Alaska, headed for Dawson City, 300 miles distant, and the expectation is that it will complete this initial trip in twelve days.

Electricity and the Farmer.

Reports from the government agricultural experiment station at Amherst, Mass., indicate that electricity is soon to do for the farmer in a way as much as it has in late years done for the pampered urbanite.

TOLD BY THE STARS.

Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ajacibus, The Tribune Astrologer.

Astrologic Cast: 1.16 a. m., for Thursday, November 18, 1897.

It will be apparent to a child born on this day, especially a male child, that the girl who can make good biscuit and property iron a shirt bosom is of more real value to the community than the one who writes essays on iconoclasm or ichthyology.

The Evolution of Cuban War News

Sergeant, saluting lieutenant: "Sir, I come to report that my detail surprised an old man and his wife digging roots at the Mustaza plantation and shot them. We found on the premises this old musket barrel and this handful of bird shot. Private Tileras fell into a thorn bush and scratched his legs very badly; he asks for a little brandy to rub them with."

LABOR AND THE MACHINE.

From the Hartford Courant. The sight of an operative standing or sitting by the side of a machine, repeating hour after hour and day after day some simple monotonous movement in supplying its voracity for raw material is one that excites the sympathy of a philanthropist.

Thanks-giving Day

WIN Soon Be Here

We are offering a regular 113-piece Haviland China Dinner Set in five different decorations for \$27.50.

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metallism. But if the real source of the objection were located it probably would not be distant many blocks from Lombard street in London.

If Germany's trade with the United States is shrinking because of our growing home activity in manufacture it of course is very sad, for Germany, but we don't see what the Kaiser can do about it.

Mr. Croker doesn't want a Brooklyn Tammany, in which opinion Brooklyn doubtless concurs.

NOTHING TO REGRET.

From the New York Sun.

The Republicans in the city of New York who cling with steadfast loyalty to their political principles and their party rendered a service to the entire Republic party, which entitles them to its unbounded honor and gratitude.

Blankets and Comfortables.

For this week we quote the following low prices:

- Cotton Blankets. 10-4 Columbia Blankets 50c 11-4 Silver Queen Blankets 75c 11-4 Gordonia Blankets 85c 11-4 Arcadia Blankets \$1.25

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GOLDSMITH'S BAZAAR.

Originators and Promoters of Friday Afternoon Bargain Sales.

The First One to Take Place Friday Afternoon, November 19th.

We were the pioneers of the Monday Bargain Day in this valley, and now we claim leadership of the Friday Afternoon Bargain Sales.

We handle no trash specially made for special occasions--but always take reliable merchandise and place it upon our counters at bargain prices.

Cheap goods at cheap prices are dear at any price. This being the first one of these sales, we have taken pains to count up the exact quantities in stock of each article advertised, so that the public can see what chances they are taking in coming early or late, because not a single article will be held back from any willing purchaser.

In Basement

300 pieces best Calicoes—Indigo Blues, darks and lights.

50 pieces Dark Outing Flannels.

50 pieces Apron Gingham.

All at 3 Cents.

Second Floor

Take Elevator.

No words are strong enough to fully express the merits of the goods offered during this hour.

At 24c 25 dozen Ladies' Muslin Gowns, of very good cotton, and well made.

At 48c 75 dozen Ladies' Muslin Gowns, all of the latest cut, beautiful embroidery, generous in length and will cost you at any other time from 59 to 85 cents.

At 2c 25 pieces Cream Curtain Scrim, 40 inches wide.

At 29c The finest Swisses, with rich embroidered ruffles, at any other time from 40 to 59 cents.

At \$1.98 Misses' Long and Short Coats, with empire back, sailor collars, made of broadcloth and mixed cassimeres, all sizes 2 to 12 years, at any other time \$2.98.

At \$2.49 Ladies' 22 inch Seal Plush Capes, satin lined, thibet fur trimmed, full sweep, cost you elsewhere \$4.00.

Main Floor

At 25c 23 pieces Houtzdale Flannels in black and white checks, black and red checks and dark stripes. You all know what we have to get for these goods any other time.

At 9c 50 dozen Hemstitched Pillow Cases, size 36x45, considered cheap at 12 1-2 c. at any other hour.

At 7c 25 pieces of nice bright double fold Dress Plaids, always 12 1-2 c. at any other time.

At 7c 10 gross heavy long Rubber Dressing Coombs, assorted designs, many of them worth at least 25 cents.

At 25c 10 pieces black Brocaded French Dress Goods, 38 inches wide, which at any other time we consider a bargain at 35 cents.

At 49c 15 pieces of 45 inch Australian Wool Serge Cheviots in blacks, browns, navys, greens, cadets and all of the best shades. Would be cheap at 75 cents.

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