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- Child's Button Calf, heavy school shoe has a nice tip, reduced from \$1.20 to **\$1.00**
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- Boys' Boots reduced from \$1.75 to **\$1.25**
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- Good unbleached Muslin from 4c up.
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We have a large stock of lumber men's socks, good heavy warm goods made of reliable materials.

Felt Boots, that will stand hard wear and keep out the cold. The prices are away down.

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Men's Split 1/2 Double Sole Shoes reduced to **90 cents.**

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**LADIES' WARM FOOTWEAR** at bottom prices.  
I always pay highest prices for produce.  
Ladies' and Misses' Rubbers reduced to 25c a pair.  
Ladies' and Misses' Fur Scarfs worth \$3.50 reduced to **\$2.50**  
Men's Rubbers reduced to 50c a pair while they last.  
Boys' Rubber Boots; **\$2.50** and **\$1.50**  
Table Oil Cloth for 12 cents per yard

**HENDY HADDING**

## PRESIDENT'S SON WORSE

Disease Has Spread And Now Involves Both Lungs.

### NEW YORK PHYSICIAN CALLED

The Boy is Seriously Sick, But It is Too Early to Anticipate Chances of Recovery—President and Wife Spend Anxious Day.

Groton, Mass., Feb. 11.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., the oldest son of President Roosevelt, has double pneumonia. Otherwise his condition was unchanged last night. The boy is seriously sick, but it is too early to say what the chances are for his recovery. This was the statement issued by Mr.



THEODORE ROOSEVELT, JR.

George B. Cortelyou, secretary to the president, and was made after a careful examination by Dr. Alexander Lambert, the family physician of President Roosevelt, who arrived here from New York at 6 o'clock last night.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt spent a long, anxious day in the infirmary, awaiting the crisis of the disease which yesterday morning seemed to have taken such a strong hold of their son. The change for the worse in the boy's condition occurred during Sunday night and showed itself when the regular morning examination was made by Dr. Shattuck and Dr. Warren. Secretary Cortelyou, who is the only means of communication with the sick room, made the announcement of the patient's serious condition, although he said then it was not alarming. "His temperature is higher," said Mr. Cortelyou, "and his respiration is weaker, but his pulse is better."

He also said that there was no immediate change, only the natural progress of the disease. He announced that the disease had spread and involved both lungs.

This unfavorable turn warned the president that the most skillful medical treatment was necessary, and so he called to the aid of Dr. Shattuck and Warren his family physician, Dr. Alexander Lambert, of New York, an eminent practitioner and a man well acquainted with the boy's physique.

During yesterday frequent word was received from the sick room through Mr. Cortelyou that everything showed that the boy's condition was unchanged, although last night Mr. Cortelyou said he had had a hard day.

The condition of young Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at 2.30 this morning was very serious, for lights could be seen in the infirmary, and nurses and doctors were moving around. The voice of the boy calling for water was heard on the street.

### BAIL BOND WORTHLESS

Stolen Deed Used to Free L. E. Metheny at Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 11.—It developed in the United States district court yesterday that a bail bond for \$4,000, given for the appearance of L. E. Metheny, was worthless. Metheny was charged some time ago with robbing mail boxes in South Jersey. His bondsman represented himself as John L. Douglass, of East Orange, as the owner of a house worth \$10,000. To prove this the deed of the house was produced and ball was accepted by Commissioner Scott. The real Douglass, was called upon yesterday to produce the prisoner. He satisfied the court that he did not own Metheny's bail and that the deed had been stolen from his home. Metheny and his bondsman are both at large.

Arrested For Killing a Burglar. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 11.—Isaac Evans, a hotelkeeper of Duryea, this county, who shot and fatally wounded Michael Melville, of Newark, N. J., while the latter was attempting to burglarize his home about ten days ago, was arrested yesterday, charged with murder. He was at once given a habeas corpus hearing and released on furnishing \$1,000 bail. Melville was a tramp, and was about to enter Evans' house through a window when he was shot in the back. He died last Saturday in the Pittsford hospital.

"New Navy" Cost \$256,838,498. Washington, Feb. 11.—The total cost of the "new navy" of the United States has been \$256,838,498. For the first time since the building of a modern navy for this country an attempt has been made to collect in one document all of the various items of cost and thus approximate the total.

The clerks of Paymaster General A. S. Kenny have been at work upon the compilation for a year in accordance with a resolution of the senate adopted last February, and the result was forwarded to the senate.

Small-pox Cases in United States. Washington, Feb. 11.—Reports received by the Marine Hospital Service for the past week show that there are now 12,123 cases of small-pox in the United States, as compared with 4,359 at the same period in 1901. The number of deaths from small-pox for the week was 276, as compared with 55

## A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Wednesday, February 8.

James L. Hall, of Scranton, Pa., a commercial traveler, was found dead in a hotel at Albany, N. Y.

Burglars entered the postoffice at Canal Winchester, O., and secured \$400 worth of stamps and \$20 in cash. The Dowle-Stephenson suit for a receivership of the Zion lace industries, at Chicago, has been settled out of court.

M. A. Emluck, of Carlisle, Pa., has been appointed an aide-de-camp to Commander-in-chief Torrence, of the G. A. R.

Heater Turner, of Scottsville, Ky., shot his brother James dead, but not before James had struck him on the head with a hatchet, inflicting fatal injuries.

Thursday, February 9.

The school children of Minneapolis, Minn., contributed \$685 to the McKinley memorial fund.

An explosion in the Lance mine at Plymouth, Pa., badly damaged the inside workings. None of the employees were injured.

The price of stoves was advanced by the Southern Stove Manufacturers' Association at a meeting held in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Albert West, the negro who murdered a Chester policeman and was nearly lynched, was placed in the Eastern Penitentiary for safe keeping.

Friday, February 7.

James Egan, who served under Admiral Farragut during the civil war, died at Joliet, Ill., yesterday.

The senate yesterday passed a bill appropriating \$2,500,000 for a post-office building in New York city.

Armstrong Hensley was hanged at Erwin, Tenn., yesterday for the murder of his 6-year-old stepdaughter.

Mary Miller, 31 years old, of Philadelphia, committed suicide at her home by swallowing carbolic acid.

Captain Richmond P. Hobson was the guest last night of the New Haven (Conn.) Business Men's Association at their annual banquet.

The Brown University Corporation, of Providence, R. I., accepted John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$75,000 for the erection of a social and religious building.

Saturday, February 8.

The Orinoco Steamship Company, capital \$1,000,000, was incorporated at Trenton, N. J.

Count De Lucenay, of Calcutta, India, was sent to jail in default of bail at El Paso, Tex., for perjury.

The Red Wing Sewer Pipe company's plant at Red Wing, S. D., was destroyed by fire. Loss \$100,000.

Fire destroyed the Vendome Hotel, at Minneapolis, Minn., causing a loss of \$75,000. Many guests had narrow escapes.

C. M. Cole and Henry Reynolds were killed by the breaking of a scaffold on which they were painting the interior of a building at Atlanta, Ga.

Monday, February 10.

The International Woman Suffrage Congress will convene in Washington next Wednesday.

The Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, at Lebanon, Pa., was damaged by fire to the extent of \$5,000.

The Stationary Firemen's Union, of the anthracite coal region, will hold their convention at Nanticoke, Pa., on March 1.

The Filipino Junta of Hong Kong, China, has flooded Manila with pamphlets expressing sympathy at the death of President McKinley.

A street motor dashed into a Cleveland and Pittsburg freight train going at full speed at Cleveland, O., and five men were seriously injured.

Tuesday, February 11.

Ground was broken at Princeton, N. J., for the new \$250,000 gymnasium for Princeton College.

It is reported that ex-Secretary Gage will assume the presidency of the United States Trust Company, of New York.

By the bursting of a steam pipe in the engine room of the Nicollet Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn., three men were badly burned.

The battleship Illinois, to be the flagship of the reception squadron to meet Prince Henry, left Newport News for New York.

Andrew Carnegie sent a check for \$100,000 to Stevens Institute of Technology, in Hoboken, N. J., to endow the laboratory of engineering.

General Fitzhugh Lee lectured last night on "Peace and War in the United States and Cuba" before the National Union Organization of Chicago.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 10.—Flour weak; winter superfine, \$2.65@2.90; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.25@3.50; city mills, extra, \$2.90@3.15. Rye flour steady, at \$3.25@3.35 per barrel. Wheat steady; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, \$1.65; corn weak; No. 2 yellow, local, 6 1/4@6 7/8c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, clipped, 61c; lower grades, 47c. Hay weak; No. 1 timothy sold at \$15.50@16 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, 13.50@14.50. Pork firm; family, \$19@19.50. Live poultry, 12@12 1/2c. for hens and 8c. for old roosters. Dressed poultry sold at 12 1/4c. for choice fowls, and at 8c. for old roosters. Butter steady; creamery, 30c. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 28c. per dozen. Potatoes were dull; eastern, 15@20c. per bushel.

Live Stock Markets. East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Cattle quiet; best steers, \$6.50@6.75; medium do., \$5.50@6.25; prime heifers, \$5.25@5.50; best fat cows, \$4.25@4.50; veals, \$7@9.25. Hogs active and 5@10c. lower; heavy, \$6.45@6.60; mixed, \$5.40@5.70; pigs, \$5.80@5.90; roughs, \$5.30@5.50; stags, \$4@4.50. Lambs active and 5@10c. higher; tops, \$4.20@5.25; few fancy, \$5.30@5.60. Hogs lower; prime heavies, \$4.40@4.45; mediums, \$4.35@4.40; heavy yorkers, \$4.30@4.35; light yorkers, \$4@4.15; pigs, \$5.70@5.80; roughs, \$5@6. Sheep active; best wethers, \$6@6.25; culls and common, \$4.50@5.50; ewes, \$4.50@5.50; veals,

## PATERSON FIRE-SWEPT

More Than Twenty-six City Blocks Wiped Out.

### THE LOSS WILL REACH \$8,000,000

Flames Started in Traction Power House and Swept Through Business Part of City With Relentless Fury. Hundreds Are Rendered Homeless.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 10.—A great fire swept through Paterson yesterday, and in its desolate wake are the embers and ashes of property valued at \$8,000,000. It burned its way through the business section of the city and claimed as its own a majority of the finer structures devoted to commercial, civic, educational and religious use, as well as scores of houses. There was but small tribute of life and injury to the conflagration, but hundreds were left homeless and thousands without employment.

More than 26 blocks of the city have been destroyed. The business section of the town lying between Prospect street, Broadway, Paterson and Market streets was wiped out completely. The residence portion destroyed extended from Pearl street to Market street and from Straight street to Carroll street.

What started the fire is not certain, but it is thought that one of the feed wires running into the car barns was responsible. From the car barns the flames leaped to other buildings close by, and these were burned before the first call firemen reached the scene.

The fire came at Saturday midnight and was only checked after a desperate fight that lasted until late yesterday afternoon. Every city and town within reach of Paterson sent firemen and apparatus to the relief of the threatened city, and it took the united efforts of them all to win the battle. A northerly gale gave the conflagration its impetus and carried its burning brands to kindle the blaze afresh at other points. The firemen made stand after stand before the wall of fire, but were repeatedly driven back, and when victory finally came to them they were begrimed and exhausted.

### Buildings Destroyed.

A partial list of the properties destroyed follows:

Public buildings—City hall, public library, old city hall, police station, No. 1 engine house, patrol stables, high school and school No. 15.

Churches—First Baptist, Second Presbyterian, Park Avenue Baptist, St. Mark's Episcopal and St. Joseph's Roman Catholic.

Banks—First National, Second National (partially), Paterson National, Silk City Trust, Hamilton Trust and Paterson Trust.

Club houses—Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Progress Club, St. Joseph's Hall and Hamilton Club.

Office buildings—Romaine building, Katz building, Marshall & Ball's, Cohn building, old town clock, old Kinne building and Stevens building.

Telegraph companies—Western Union and Postal Telegraph.

Theatre—The Garden.

Newspapers—The Evening News and Sunday Chronicle.

Stores—Quackenbush & Co., dry goods; National Clothing company, Kent's drug store, Kinsilla's drug store, Muzzy's hardware and general merchandise store, Marshall & Ball, clothing; John Norwood, paints; Oberg's grocery, Wertendyke's grocery, P. H. & W. G. Shields, grocers; "The Paterson," dry goods; Jordan's piano store, Sauter & Co., pianos; Feder & McNair, shoes; Zandler's confectionery; Lappin's tea store, Ragozki's millinery, Brohal & Mueller, shoes; C. E. Beach, automobiles; Morehead & Son, clothing; Paterson Gas and Electric company, Skye's drug store and Mackintosh's drug store.

An estimate made from a general inspection of the smouldering ruins placed the number of dwellings and apartment houses destroyed at 500, and the number of families left without shelter at 1,000.

The fire began its work of destruction at the power house of the Jersey City, Hoboken and Paterson Traction company, which fronted on Broadway and extended a block to the rear of Van Houten street. It commenced in the car shed, and was burning fiercely when one of the employees detected it.

It was leaping through the roof, and the gale was lifting it in forks and swirls when the fire apparatus came clanging into Broadway, Main and Van Houten streets. The firemen tried to hem it in, but it speedily crossed Van Houten street in one direction, Main street in another, and gaining vigor as it went, burned unchecked down into the business district. Every piece of fire mechanism in the city was called out, but fire and gale were masters. A great torch of flame rose high in the air, lighting up the country for many miles and carrying a threat and warning to the people and property in its path. There were efforts to rescue furniture and stock, but the speed with which the fire moved gave the rescuers little time. Property was often moved to a place of presumed safety, only to be eventually reached and destroyed.

The warning to many was brief, and they were forced to flee, scantily clad, into streets glazed over with ice and swept by the keen wind.

Three relief meetings were held yesterday afternoon, the principal one of which was attended by Governor Franklin Murphy, Mayor John Hinchliffe, Recorder George B. Senior, who under the city's charter is fire marshal, in a few moments \$800 was handed to the mayor for immediate use, but the chief magistrate said that

while the city had suffered a terrible visitation, he was in a position to state that there was very little distress, business section of the city had practically wiped out, but the dense portion which suffered was in which well-to-do citizens lived.

Main street was soon arched over a canopy of fire for a block, and for two blocks, as the flames fast themselves upon building after building. The firemen fought with a resource of their craft and the pulse of desperation, but the fire found new avenues in Ellison Market streets, and got beyond control. Calls for relief went every city in this portion of the state and the jaded firemen labored through the hopeless hours of morning. The city hall, a magnificent structure, surmounted by a clock tower, situated on Washburn, Ellison and Market streets, caught fire, and with it all splendid business structures that rounded it. They made a great race of fire that burned with a roar.

There was a series of explosions and scores of walls fell when they left them strengthless. Flying brands carried the conflagration to some buildings and around others it therefore burned in an irregular course. These brands finally crossed the tracks of the Erie railroad, Ramapo avenue, and, although Straight street, started another area of fire, in which the destruction and desolation wrought was as great as in the other.

Second Fire Starts.

This second great fire started at the angle of Park avenue and Washington street and swept along checked until on these two thoroughfares there was no more fuel, right-hand side of Market street encountered Sandy Hill Cemetery a barrier to check it, but on the hand side at Carroll street it struck St. Joseph's Church, a great stone building. It was on this great fire that the volunteer firemen from the outside cities did the heroic and effective work. They backed only when they had to, and the natural obstacle intervened seized the chance and stopped the fire.

The final and one of the most desperate fights of the day occurred mid-afternoon back in the area at the Hamilton Club, at the corner of Church and streets. The handsome club caught, and the exhausted firemen were rallied around it. The anxious to save the structure besides, failure meant that might take new headway at properties adjoining the club. The building was doomed, but a torrent of water kept it to the premises. The firemen the club house stood, but the lapsed and the interior was burned out.

Reuben Halsey, while coffee to the exhausted firemen hit on the head by a falling brick, is doubtful if he lives. He was carried away by the firemen. Fitzmaurice, a fireman, is said to have been driving an engine to save the horses bolted for Fitzmaurice could get control they brought the against an electric pole, maurice, who had not walked himself in, was hurled on head. There is no chance of living.

A relief movement for those unsheltered and unemployed has already been organized. Mayor John Henchcliffe said that Paterson would be a city for her own without any charity of other communities. The great mass of plants of the place are a community, temporarily a calamity, has already the work of reorganizing restoration.

Paterson rests in a valley of conflagration was an impale from the rim of hills in. Columns of flame climbed the air and shed their light. Hundreds of persons hurriedly before daylight to work of destruction at close when the day came they joined them. With the thieves and looters, but much pillaging. Under Governor Franklin Murphy here from Jersey City A. C. K and M. of the P. N. J. G. G., assembled mories and were held force. The police, dozens of special firemen united in protest during the day, and when a grim order clearing the issued by the city authorities.

Killed Himself. Feb. 10. Hot Springs, Ark. W. H. Daly, a prominent citizen, committed suicide in this city. Mary's infirmary yesterday his jugular vein with a knife. Ill health is the cause.

Trustees For Insane. Harrisburg, Pa. Feb. 10. Stone yesterday appointed trustees of the State Asylum. Dr. H. H. Williamsport; William P. Lovell; A. J. Connell, Dr. Lewis T. Shoemaker.

To Inaugurate President. Washington, Feb. 11. Yesterday the committee and elections favoring amendment to the constitution, voting that the inauguration and vice president last Thursday in April.

WATCH—General 10c a Ballingrove.