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While the estimate of Mr. Evan the expert electrical engineer who examined the lighting department of the city, says about \$10,000 will put the lighting plant in condition for the present needs, would it be wise to expend this amount simply to accommodate those who would become patrons immediately upon the completion of the improvements, and then in five years, or such a matter, find that another \$10,000 or \$15,000 was required to meet the demand? The Board of Public Works thinks not, and having arrived at this conclusion will ask the common council to appropriate \$15,000 for the purpose indicated. This will be sufficient, it is thought, to put the plant in condition to supply the demand made upon it by consumers for many years to come. It is the proper thing to do; the city has long enough adhered to the "peevy wise and pound foolish"

method. Our future growth promises to be healthy, and improvements of whatsoever character should be made with a view to providing for the wants of a city at least half again as large as Escanaba today.

"Of the gas plant what can be said? According to Mr. Evans' report, it should be relegated to the scrap pile. The mode of manufacturing gas is expensive, the depths from which it is made costing over 7 cents per gallon, and even then the gas is of poor quality. It is estimated that \$60,000 would be required to reconstruct this plant, and place it in condition to furnish a good coal gas at a reasonable price, with a profit to the city. But notwithstanding the urgent need of more modern facilities and better gas, it is impossible to attempt this work now, and we shall be obliged to get along, for a time at least, with the present poor article.

## MAJ. BOYNTON IS RIGHT.

Maj. Boynton, "the father of the Maccabees," whose finance keeper is a confessed defaulter to the amount of \$60,000, has always opposed the accumulation of a large surplus fund for investment, and he is right. It is not in accordance with the objects and purposes of such organizations. It would simply be turning them into cold business corporations, masquerading under the cloak of fraternity, and no reserve fund, no matter how large, will be a protection. The larger the accumulation the greater the danger. The officials who are called upon, from time to time, to manipulate the affairs of these great orders, no matter how honest they may be, are not qualified, by education or experience, to invest large sums of money, running into the millions, in safe securities. The recent loss sustained by the endowment rank of the Knights of Pythias to the extent of half a million of dollars of its surplus, through the inefficiency, if not dishonesty, of its officials, ought to convince the most obtuse mind that large accumulations for investment in fraternal beneficiary orders is a menace instead of a benefit, and weakens instead of strengthens.

Unless vast new stores of coal which can be mined and transported at a reasonable cost are discovered ere this generation draws its last

breath, the expense of crossing the Atlantic in the fastest steamships is likely to soar to lofty figures. The number of coal consuming vessels, naval and mercantile, is increasing rapidly every year, and the demand for fuel for such craft is steadily expanding. Coal fields which can be worked to advantage for the supply of steamships do not contain inexhaustible treasuries of carbon. The biggest and fleetest boats on the sea burn five hundred tons or more each day. Long before this century ends the fuel problem may become perplexing.

## UPPER PENINSULA PRESS.

Sentiment in favor of State Senator O. B. Fuller, of Delta county, for the republican nomination for lieutenant governor is growing so rapidly that it is acquiring the proportions of a very healthy boom. The Republican is pleased to note this growing sentiment and we hope it will result in landing O. B. in the presiding officer's chair in the state senate. He is in every way qualified for the office, both by natural ability and by experience gained in the various sessions of the legislature during the past eight years. If Mr. Fuller stays in the race, and there is no reason why he should not, he will not have to do much guessing about the votes of the Alger county delegation, for he has none but friends up in this neck-o'-the-woods.—Municipal Republican.

Senator O. B. Fuller can be Michigan's next lieutenant-governor if he wants the honor. There appears to be much Fuller sentiment in every portion of the state.—Manistique Tribune.

Frank L. Mead, the well-known Escanaba lawyer, was in the city Monday and today. Mr. Mead is one of the most prominent of the republican candidates in this district.—Menominee Leader.

Hon. O. B. Fuller of Escanaba, is a candidate for Lieut. Governor. He is in every way qualified, and should receive the nomination. Mr. Fuller has had considerable legislative experience, and is a first-class republican. He is the present state senator from this district and is a splendid gentleman. We second his nomination.—Menominee Herald.

A colored woman who gave all her fortune to found a home for unfor-

tunate women in Chicago, is now homeless and penniless herself. Charity is a noble thing, but the old saw that it "begins at home" is not yet dulled.

## BIBLE READING IN SCHOOLS.

The Board of Education acted wisely in tabling the petition, requesting that a chapter of the bible be read at each morning session of the public schools, presented at its meeting Tuesday night. The public schools of this commonwealth long since discontinued this practice, and its reusucitation here would be in direct contradiction to the expressed opinions of the best educators of the land. It is not the intent or purpose of the public schools to provide spiritual training, more than through example set by the every day life of the teacher, and while the question of reading the bible occasionally bobs up, there is no unanimous sentiment in its favor.

The formation of true and noble characters in the young is all important and the intent of the petitioners should not be underestimated, but there are other institutions than the public schools, and other equally effective methods, of bringing about this much desired end.

The upper peninsula Normal at Marquette has heretofore offered many advantages, but the latest inducement extended to those having in contemplation the attendance upon an institution of this kind is a game reserve. According to The Mining Journal, the other morning S. W. Sbaull took his bicycle and rifle and went out on the fair grounds road, going into the woods back of the Normal school. He had not been there fifteen minutes before a deer came within range and was killed with one shot.

Ex-Senator Pettigrew must have been on the wrong side of the Wall street market; he has let out a yelp in favor of government ownership of railroads, which he declares to be oppressors of the people.

Surgeons are doing wonderful things. In France they have supplied a patient with an artificial larynx which can never feel fatigue. This is the kind of campaign orators we shall want next fall.

With Senator Fuller a candidate for the nomination for lieutenant governor, what are to become of

Frank D. Mead's aspirations for the congressional nomination? Surely Delta county cannot ask for both places on the ticket, and as Mr. Fuller can have a united support there seems to be no other way than for Mr. Mead to wait awhile.

"We can best prove our thankfulness to the Almighty by the way on which this earth at this time each of us does his duty to his fellow-men"—President Roosevelt's Thanksgiving proclamation.

Notwithstanding the carplings of the doubtful and the final, football seems to maintain more firmly than ever this year its hold on public favor as a stirring, wholesome and manly sport.

This was an off year and no important national issues were involved in the few elections held, but the results as a whole are entirely satisfactory to the republicans.

Several of the peninsula press are evidently after Congressman Sheldon's scalp. But then all the republican newspaper men cannot be postmasters.

While the merry war between English and American tobaccoists is kept up so briskly, let us help along the industry by consuming local weeds.

Hon. W. E. Parnall of Calumet will not oppose Carlos Sheldon for the congressional nomination by becoming a candidate himself.

While erecting a public building at Helena, Mont., a rich gold mine was discovered. This is published as a pointer for Mr. Lawson.

Mr. Bryan can now undertake the task of explaining the Nebraska and other election returns to readers of the Commoner.

Manager McCue would do well to pattern after Chicago and give his operators a telephonic elocutionary education.

A bread war is on in New York. It is safe to assert that the company with the most dough will win.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt goes about in an automobile to protect herself against being run over by one.

While the beef supply is falling off in the far west, the venison supply is plentiful, in this peninsula.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie still believes that when in doubt the proper thing is to establish a public library.



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Quality is the mainstay of our business. We never let that deteriorate. Prices may vary with the market's fluctuations, but our customers get the benefit of the best deals we can make. Our prices should tickle your pocket.

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# THE CLOTHING TRADE CENTERS HERE.

The only one price and exclusive clothing store for men, youths and children in the city. Our whole attention is given to the one line of business, therefore our success and your benefit. We do not carry the trash or low grade merchandise. Our lowest priced suits for men are \$10.00, but at that price we can give you the snappy, military form-fitting sacks in fancy cassimere, colors brown, green and olive. Remember at \$10.00 a suit with suspenders.

<p>Sack Suits double or single breasted, square and round corners, made of extra fine woolens, prices: \$10, 12, 13.50, 14, 15, 16, 18 and 20. Every suit guaranteed.</p> <p>Hart-Schaffner &amp; Marx Tailor Made Clothes</p>	<p>The Surtout and the Paletot Frock Overcoats. Most makers fall short of success on these garments. We think you will say ours are perfection. Gray Vicinnas at \$15, 18 and 20.</p> <p>Hart-Schaffner &amp; Marx Tailor Made Clothes</p>	<p>Evening dress, full dress clothes must be perfect or they are all wrong. There's no middle ground. Ours are perfect in every detail. Prices, \$25.00 to 30.00</p> <p>Hart-Schaffner &amp; Marx Tailor Made Clothes</p>	<p>Yoke Overcoats. Fashion says the Yoke Overcoat is to be more than ever the proper thing for very stylish dressers. We have them in all patterns at \$10, 12, 15, 18, 20 and 22.</p> <p>Hart-Schaffner &amp; Marx Tailor Made Clothes</p>
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**FUR COATS:** Raccoons, \$35.00 to 80.00; Black and Brown Bear at \$20; Goat, \$10.00 to 15.00. **Canvass Jackets** sheep lined to edge, also sleeves sheep lined, prices from \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 8.00 and 8.50. **Sweaters,** Men's and Boys', 75c to 3.50. A full line of **Cardigan Jackets** from \$1.50 to 4.00, single and double breasted. **Men's Underwear:** We are sole agents for the celebrated A. C. Staley Western made Underwear and Black Jersey Shirts, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.25 and 2.50. We have Gloves, Mittens, German Hose, Caps, Russian Vests, Canvass Leggings and Children's Toques, at all prices. **Great Values in Boys' Clothing:** Boys' 3-piece Suits at 2.50 up to 7.00. Boys' Norfolk Suits, swell little garments, from 2.50 up. **Boys' Reefers and Overcoats** from 2.00 up.

# RATHFON BROTHERS,

SELLERS OF GOOD CLOTHES. Masonic Block, Escanaba, Michigan.







# LIST OF CLAIMS

Presented to the Board of Supervisors for Auditing at Its Annual Session, Oct. 14, 1901.

Bill No.	Claimant Name and Address.	Character of Claim.	Claimed Dollars Cts.	Allowed Dollars Cts.
1	Charles F. Murray, bounty		\$ 15 00	\$ 15 00
2	M. J. Hutt, reporting births		3 20	3 20
3	R. E. McLean, "		2 10	2 10
4	Frank L. Trombley, constable fees		18 50	18 50
5	J. F. Oliver, coal		7 00	7 00
6	Gladstone Delta, printing		4 20	4 20
7	Iron Port Co, "		80 48	79 68
8	Escanaba Journal, "		61 68	61 68
9	Gladstone Tribune "		2 10	2 10
10	J. A. McGuire, justice fees		8 00	8 00
11	Marc Pepin, wood		3 00	rejected
12	M. D. Chatterton, law books		12 50	12 50
13	Wesley Miller, bounty		3 00	3 00
14	Alex Roberts, sheriff fees		42 80	42 80
15	F. M. Olmsted, board of prisoners and fees		311 90	311 90
16	Maynard & Barabe, mdse		30 38	30 38
17	Greenboot Bros, "		1 25	1 25
18	Sourwine & Hartnett "		5 25	5 25
19	Ed. Erickson "		12 64	referred to Supt. of poor
20	D. A. Oliver, mdse		40 00	40 00
21	McDonough & Rogers, livery, etc		20 00	20 00
22	P. & H. B. Laing, mdse		10 00	referred to Supt. of poor
23	Gregory, Mayer & Thom, supplies		8 00	8 00
24	Callaghan & Co., law books		13 00	13 00
25	Doubleday Bros & Co, supplies etc		26 00	26 00
26	Richmond, Backus & Co., "		20 50	20 50
27	Delta Hardware Co., mdse		23 65	23 65
28	Norton Bros., plumbing		8 90	8 90
29	Escanaba Water Works Co., water tax		50 98	50 98
30	Peter Peterson, dep. sheriff fees		5 24	5 24
31	" " " "		49 73	49 73
32	Fred Huber, justice fees		50 93	50 93
33	" " " "		10 60	10 60
34	John Cummiskey, expenses to Lansing		45 50	45 50
35	D. C. McIntyre, filing election returns		4 40	4 40
36	Henry Olmsted, stenographer's fees		10 00	10 00
37	C. H. Long, medical services		15 00	referred to Supt. of Poor
38	J. W. Lawson, freight, etc		86 37	76 37
39	City Lighting Plant, gas		4 30	4 30
40	D. A. Oliver, mdse		72 25	72 25
41	H. B. Reynolds, medical services		35 00	35 00
42	Escanaba Iron Works, labor		1 25	1 25
43	Henry McFall, coroner's fees		33 10	33 10
44	Issac Stevens, services for indigent insane		12 50	12 50
45	L. S. Leighton & Son labor		162 00	Rejected
46	J. S. Craig, services		5 16	5 16
47	Louis Trombly, bounty		9 00	9 00
48	Jos H. Jolly, "		5 00	5 00
49	Narcisse Dubor, "		5 00	5 00
50	John Dube, constable fees		10 30	10 30
51	A. H. Powell, drug		1 25	1 25
52	Mrs. C. F. Churchill, nurse		5 00	5 00
53	Wm. McCallum, medical services		10 00	rejected
54	" " " "		80 00	75 00
55	John Peterson, services		40 00	40 00
56	A. H. Powell, drugs		2 75	2 75
57	S. Goldstein, mdse		2 25	2 25
58	H. W. Blackwell, mdse		70	70
59	C. H. Scott & Son, "		8 00	8 00
60	D. Narracong, services as supt		289 00	
61	Emil Glaser, drawing jury		2 00	2 00
62	J. Donovan, "		2 00	2 90
63	A. P. Smith, stationary and postage		10 70	10 70
64	" " recording births		66 06	66 06
65	Ihling Bros. & Everard, supplies		50 25	50 25
66	L. A. Hanson, labor		3 15	3 15
67	Finch Telephone Co., rental		40 30	40 30
68	Escanaba Journal, printing		43 90	43 90
69	T. B. White, postage, etc		13 35	13 35
70	J. Donovan, justice fees		15 45	15 45
71	Chas. Olmsted, expenses as game warden		20 75	20 75
72	Escanaba Mirror, printing, etc		28 80	27 30
73	E. Olson, mdse		63 12	63 12
74	John Polesky, services		15 00	15 00
75	Bay de Noquet Co., supplies		8 63	8 63
76	W. J. Laird, medical services		156 00	156 00
77	" " " "		7 50	7 50
78	E. B. Patterson, medical services		25 00	25 00
79	Clark Williams, services		28 00	28 00
80	Geo. T. Burns, express, etc		19 70	19 70
81	Escanaba Journal, printing		10 50	10 10
82	Gladstone Delta, printing		2 80	2 80
83	W. A. Samuel, medical services		50 00	50 00
84	John Lamotte, mdse		2 00	2 00
85	Deloria & Gibbs, "		31 74	17 14
86	Herman Winter, "		8 38	8 38
87	Disco, Bourdreau & Co., mdse		20 66	20 66
88	Geo. Marsil, services		74 00	rejected
89	Felix Lamotte, "		45 00	rejected
90	Joseph Lamotte, mdse		88	88
91	Emanuel Olson, services blg. com.		24 00	24 00
92	J. B. Kleiber, "		58 80	62 18
93	T. F. Lohff, specifications		6 00	6 00
94	A. J. Berkman, wood		45 00	45 00
95	D. N. Harvey, labor		151 75	151 75
96	A. J. Berkman, com. work		3 00	3 00
97	M. J. Hutt, com. work		3 00	3 00
98	O. B. Fuller, com. work		3 00	3 00
99	L. S. Leighton & Son, bal. on cement walk		567 20	567 20
100	Beauchamp & Co., livery		8 50	8 50

## WANT COLUMN

**FOR SALE**—4½ acre farm in the Danforth settlement, only five miles from the C. & N. W. depot Escanaba, ten acres under cultivation; fifty bearing apple trees, and the balance of the acreage good timber land. There is a 1½ story, ten room house, plenty of barn room and other outbuildings. Will sell with farm implements or not as desired.

Another farm of forty acres, three miles northwest; three acres improved and containing a house, barn and good spring of flowing water. Apply to  
J. P. DANFORTH, Escanaba, Mich.

**LOST**—My sorrell mare, weight about 1,200 pounds, with white strip in forehead and two white hind feet, attached to a homemade buck-board, was stolen, or strayed, from Mrs. Jos. Fish's place, Rapid River, on Saturday night, Nov. 2. Mare wore a single collar and hame harness. Any information leading to the recovery of the horse will be suitably rewarded by applying to Jos. Savoie's place, Rapid River.

Jos. WAGNER.

**A CHANCE TO MAKE MONY**—In two good placer mining claims in Cape Nome Mining District of Alaska, part interest can be bought or leased. The claims are recorded, so persons investing money do not run any risk. Object for selling or leasing part interest in said claims is to raise money to work and develop them. They are rich in gold. For further information apply to or address A. B., 1000 Thomas St., Escanaba, Mich.

**LOST**—A Featherbone chainless bicycle was taken from in front of Gunter's market No. 2, on Ludington street, Thursday night. A reward is offered for its return to Schemmel & Johnson's.

## Real Estate Bargains

"Friend," Why do you pay house rent? Don't you know that the money you pay out for rent will never return to assist you in time of need? Stop paying rent, buy a lot and build a house or—if your means will permit—buy a house and lot. I can supply you with either at very cheap prices and on easy terms of payment. Do not let this opportunity pass, for it is an undisputed fact that real estate values in Escanaba are steadily advancing, and the end is not yet.

The most conservative observers on the situation admit that the real estate outlook in Escanaba is flattering in the extreme. A word to the wise is sufficient. Call on me.

JAMES S. DOHERTY,  
Real Estate & Insurance.

## SHOPPERS' GUIDE.

**ED. ERICKSON,**  
Dry Goods, Carpets, Clothing,  
Dress Goods and Men's Furnishings.  
508-10 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich.

**ERICKSON & BISSELL,**  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL  
Groceries and Provision.  
609 Ludington Street.

**MARTIN T. LYONS,**  
Embalmer, Funeral Director.  
115 North Georgia Street.

**F. H. ATKINS & CO.,**  
Groceries and Provisions,  
Bell Phone No. 5, Finch Phone No. 43.  
602-4 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich.

**A. MORAN,**  
Leading Cash Grocery.  
312 Charlotte St.  
Full Line of Staple and Fancy Groceries.  
Escanaba, Michigan.

**P. M. PETERSON,**  
DEALER IN  
Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines.  
Bradbury Pianos, United States Organs.  
Office in Opera House.

**H. M. STEVENSON,**  
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN  
Eyes tested free. All work guaranteed.  
Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich.

## TWO VALUABLE RECEIPTS

I have two valuable formulas, one for preventing the hair from falling out and promoting a new growth.

The other for preserving the color of the hair and preventing the hair from turning grey. I will send both receipts to any address for 50 cents.

JEFFERSON HOWARD,  
GROES, MICH.

FLOUR AND FEED.

## Ceresota Flour.



The very best on the market, sold only by

**G. Maloney & Co.**  
1203 LUDINGTON ST.  
Flour, Hay and Grain.  
Ring up on Either Phone.

**BITTNER, WICKERT & CO.**  
are sole agents in Escanaba for



**Washburn's Best**  
196  
HUNGARIAN PROCESS  
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

a flour that is really the best, and so acknowledged in all parts of the world.

—WE ALSO DEAL IN—  
**Hay, Flour,**  
**Feed, Grain, Etc.**

Ludington & Wolcott Sts.  
BRICK, LIME, CEMENT, ETC.

## COLEMAN NEE,

Brick, Lime, Cement,  
PLASTER AND HAIR.  
Hard and Soft Coal and Fire Wood

GROCERIES.



**"SEE HERE, YOUNG MAN—"**

I bought this Tomato Catsup from you and it is absolutely worthless. "Can't help that, sir!" "But you guaranteed the bottle." "Exactly, but I didn't guarantee the Catsup—couldn't—it's one of the cheap brands. I advised you to buy

**FERNDELL TOMATO CATSUP.**

Its always pure and right and it's backed by one of the biggest houses in this land. Costs only a few cents more, but it's one hundred per cent better.

It always has the same garden flavor, perfectly seasoned, and temptingly appetizing. **Ferndell Tomato Catsup** makes tough meat taste juicy.

Change it for Ferndell—Certainly! Gladly! Thanks!

Pint Bottles, 25c each.

**FRANK H. ATKINS & CO.**

CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS.



Think of the comfort of getting a suit or coat that is all ready and that fits, the moment you feel the need—costs half the tailor's price—is guaranteed besides and can be brought back.

Made and guaranteed by  
B. KUPPENHEIMER & CO., Chicago. Nothing better to be had.  
Sold here by

Sold Exclusively in Escanaba by  
**L. A. ERICKSON,**  
1109 Ludington Street.

## VERTEX RYE

THE HIGHEST POINT  
**PURE RYE WHISKEY.**

Guaranteed to be the Finest Quality Sold in the United States.

Sold by all dealers. **CLEARY BROS., Escanaba, Mich.**

LUMBER.

## The I. Stephenson Company,

HAS CONSTANTLY IN STOCK  
**Rough Boards, Piece Stuff, Timbers**

IN EITHER PINE OR HEMLOCK.

Having recently completed their Planing Mill and Dry Kilns they are prepared to furnish

### ALL KINDS OF FINISHED LUMBER.

Comprising Shiplap, Ceiling, Flooring, Siding, Mouldings, Casings in either Pine, Bass, Hemlock or Hardwoods.

Anything and Everything Made in a Planing Mill Always on Hand at our Escanaba Yards or at Mill.

**R. E. McLEAN, Supt.**

## "FERNANDO" CIGAR

Affords an excellent smoke. Made from Superior Stock by Skilled Workmen Non Better

**JOSEPH WICKERT, Maker.** Escanaba.

2 1/2 per cent of the money we take in at this 6 days' Slaughter Sale will be given to charity. . . . .

# 6 DAYS BARGAIN SHEET.

## ANNUAL FALL

# SLAUGHTER SALE

2 1/2 per cent of our entire sales for these 6 days will be given to charity. . . . .

AT THE

# FAIR SAVINGS BANK DEP'T STORE

1004-1006 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Mich.

Every man, woman and child in Escanaba and vicinity well knows that at the holiday season The Fair Savings Bank Store is turned into a perfect paradise of beauty in Holiday Goods and Toys for both young and old. Counters and shelves are always loaded with beautiful goods of all kinds from which old Santa Claus can fill his sack. Now to have room for all this (and you know it takes a great deal of space) we must dispose of an immense lot of merchandise. Our holiday goods are now on the way here and our buyer is now in the east looking up novelties for this purpose. We therefore are compelled to dispose of at least \$10,000.00 worth of goods at once. No matter how much the loss may be we must have the space now. Starting Saturday morning, Nov. 16th and continuing until the following Friday (6 days) we will

## SLAUGHTER THE PRICES

On all kinds of goods in every department. If you want bargains now is the time for them. Just look over the prices given below. These are only a few of the examples but remember every piece of goods or article will be cut in price. Again as a Thanksgiving offering we will give 2 1-2 per cent. of our entire sales for this 6 days to be divided among the churches of the city to be used for charitable purposes. The price cutter goes into every department for this sale, and the knife will cut deep. Prices will be simply slaughtered, we must sell, \$10,000 worth of goods in 6 days, the profit goes to charity. Everybody respond.

2 1-2 per cent of the money we take in at this 6 days sale will be divided among the churches to be used for charity.

2 1-2 per cent. of our entire sales for 6 days will be given to charity.

### DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Prices will be slaughtered in this department. Every inch of space we can make will be needed. Holiday goods are coming now and we must have tables and counters empty to place them on sale. Thousands of dollars worth of goods must be sold in this 6 days. The best bargains you have ever seen in the city will be offered.

#### Dress Goods.

Every piece reduced in price. Here are examples.

One table full of dress goods ranging in price from 15c to 45c a yd., they must go at this slaughter sale, choice per yd. . . . . **.10**

Another table of dress goods all double fold, we must have the table, some of these goods sold up to 58c a yd., slaughter sale choice. . . . . **.17**

About 40 pieces of dress goods on one counter, prices from 50c to 90c, all must go, pr. yd. . . . . **.25**

One table at front of store with all the latest dress goods, all new and in every new shade, all wool Venetians, French chevriots and homespuns also granite cloths and fancy dress goods. We must have this table for holiday goods, slaughter sale price of all this goods, worth up to \$1.00 a yd. . . . . **.45**

All our French flannels in both figured and plain also fancy striped flannels and granite cloths, all the 50-60 and 75c ones, for this slaughter sale per yd. . . . . **.39**

Extra heavy Meltons and Kerseys (20 ounces to the yd.) 54 in. wide in Oxford gray and all mixed shades, regular 1.19 and 1.45 goods for rainy day and pedestrian skirts, slaughter sale price per yd. . . . . **.95**

These are only examples of the big reductions, we are making for this sale, every piece of goods marked down, and then 2 1-2 per cent. of our sales will be given to charity.

#### Blankets.

Prices slaughtered, we must have the room.

Extra large 1 1-4 heavy fleece blankets in grey, white or tan, also fancy soft robe blankets, the 95 and 1.19 ones, go on this sale per pr. . . . . **.75**

Extra large 1 1-4 English twill fleece blankets, weigh 4 3-4 lbs. to the pair, very soft, sold at 1.45 and 1.69 a pr., for this sale . . . . . **1.19**

About 100 pairs of large, heavy wool blankets in both grey and white these blankets are slightly soiled from handling, they sold at 3.45, 3.95 and 4.45 a pair, they must go, choice of all at. . . . . **2.95**

#### Linens.

Buy your stock of linens at this sale as linens will be much higher later.

Large size check towels, fringed, . . . . . **2c**

Pure white Huck towels, fringed, . . . . . **4c**

Large Turkish towels, fringed, . . . . . **4c**

Pure white Marseilles towels, fringed, . . . . . **4c**

Extra large Turkish towels, 22x45, . . . . . **9c**

Turkey red table linen, 54 in. wide fast color, this sale pr. yd. . . . . **.15**

10 pieces of bleached and unbleached table linen to close out, these are 66 and 72 inches wide and pure linen, sold at 63-69 and 87c a yard, choice of all at this sale per yd. . . . . **.50**

Children's school handkerchiefs, at this sale each. . . . . **.01**

#### Ribbons for Holiday Fancy Work.

The best all silk taffeta ribbon in all colors and black, will be sold at this sale for

- Number 5 per yd. . . . . **4**
- " 7 " . . . . . **5**
- " 9 " . . . . . **7**
- " 12 " . . . . . **9**
- " 16 " . . . . . **12**
- " 22 " . . . . . **14**

Choice of our entire stock of ladies' leather belts, no matter what the price has been, each. . . . . **.10**

Children's heavy fleece lined underwear in all sizes for boys or girls, at this sale each. . . . . **.23**

### SHOE DEPARTMENT.

#### Shoe Bargains for this Sale are Bigger than Ever

We believe that our present stock not only beats all others in this locality, but also all which we have shown in the past. Come and see the sharp price reductions, and remember that our shoes are good wearers, guaranteed to give you satisfaction and service or we give you a new pair.



**FREE!** A large bottle of Whitmore's Gilt Edge shoe dressing free with every pair of men's and women's fine shoes. The sole right of sale for Queen Quality, the famous shoe for women, all styles, for this sale. . . . . **3.00**

Do you remember how cold it was last winter? Better take the hint and get a pair of our felt shoes, **1.19 TO 3.00** and at all the between prices.

Women's fur trimmed felt slippers at. . . . . **.95**

Men's Rubbers. . . . . **50c**

Women's Rubbers. . . . . **39c**

Women's eight button overgaiters. . . . . **.19**

Your boys or girls hard on shoes? We have some shoes that will stand almost any amount of wear. Buy a pair of Azo waterproof sole shoes, they will stay with them till they wear themselves out rather than the shoes. A six page noiseless slate free with every pair of school shoes.

- Children's Rubbers . . . . . **.25**
- Misses' Rubbers . . . . . **.35**

And remember 2 1-2 per cent. of the gross sales go to charity etc.

### CLOTHING DEPT.

Here we throw the profit to the winds, we simply must have room, no matter what the loss, our loss is your gain. Be wise and buy your winter supply now, everything reduced in price. Here are examples.

Lot 3049—Men's Kersey brown ulsters—former price 6.50, for this slaughter sale. . . . . **3.75**

Lot 2202—Men's fine Oxford grey overcoat, a fine piece of goods, tailored in the latest fashion with plaid wool lining, a \$10.00 bargain, slaughter sale price. . . . . **7.50**

Lot 1722—Men's black Chinchilla overcoat, a fashionable single breasted fly front coat, first class in every way, sold regular at 9.50, slaughter sale price. . . . . **6.95**

A fine blue Chinchilla reefer with high storm collar, former price 7.00 slaughter sale price. . . . . **4.50**

A limited quantity of fine all wool Derby ribbed underwear, regular price 1.00 each, they must go, slaughter sale price. . . . . **.50**

About 150 men's fine wool sweaters, different kinds, of which we have not all sizes, the prices were from 1.00 to 1.95 each choice of all at. . . . . **.37**

Men's canvas gloves with leather finger tips, 2 pairs at this sale. . . . . **.25**

Then 2 1-2 per cent. of our entire sales for this 6 days will be given to charity.



### GROCERIES.

- Fancy sun dried apples, lb. . . . . **.6 I-2**
- Good can peas, pr. can . . . . . **.9**
- Fancy 4 crown raisins, lb. . . . . **8 I-2**
- Pure leaf lard, bulk, lb. . . . . **10**
- Fancy cream cheese, lb. . . . . **13**
- Malta Vita, the new breakfast food, per package. . . . . **14**
- Savoy clean currants in 1 lb. packages, best on earth. . . . . **12**

You know we are always cheapest in groceries and still for 6 days 2 1-2 per cent. of our sales will be given to charity.

### CLOAK DEPARTMENT.



Everybody knows the fine reputation our cloak department has. There is no concern in the northern peninsula that carries the grand assortment of up-to-date cloaks and jackets that is shown at the Fair Savings Bank. Every new style and fad is shown here and everything is new and up-to-date. We now give you the first cut-price sale of the season, every garment will be cut in price, we must have room. We will slaughter the prices on Jackets and Furs for this 6 days and must sell \$2,000 worth of cloaks and jackets. The prices will do it. Here are examples. Every garment will be marked at cut price.

About 25 jackets left from last season, choice of them at this sale. . . . . **2.95**

15 of those fine Kersey box coats left, lined with satin, 27 in. long, in black only, choice. . . . . **4.45**

Our fine 27 inch latest style, half fitting box coats, in tan, brown, gray, blue, red or black, sold all season at \$10.00 each and were bargains, all lined with satin storm or coat collars, slaughter sale price. . . . . **6.95**

Our fine Kersey box coats, the \$12.00 ones, and they cannot be matched at the price, all new and about 20 different styles, all reduced to. . . . . **8.95**

Oxford grey, new markets, all wool homespun Cneviot, Kitchener yoke 58 in. long, now reduced to. . . . . **11.00**



Every coat, jacket and cape is marked down. Don't wait until the last for they will sell quickly and this sale is for 6 days only. We do just as we advertise, 2 1-2 per cent. of our sales this week goes to charity.

### FURS.

#### All fur Scarfs, Collarettes, and Jackets.

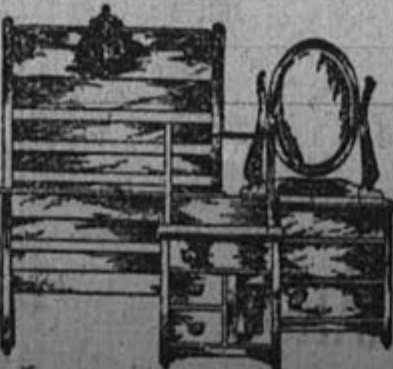
Furs of all kinds will have the price slaughtered. The greatest sale we have ever held. It will be talked of for months.

Be One of the First.



### MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

You can buy fine fashionable millinery at this sale, at almost your own prices. We must sweep this department clean to have room for holiday goods. See those fine trimmed hats reduced for this sale to. . . . . **2.95**



### Furniture Dept.

- Solid oak, high back, cane seat and brace arm dining room chairs, per set. . . . . **6.75**
- Quartersawed oak, highly polished diners, latest styles pr. set. . . . . **12.00, 14.00**
- Youth chair with leather seat, each. . . . . **1.00**
- 6 ft. Dining room tables, made of ash. . . . . **5.50**
- Solid oak dining room tables, 43 in. top, heavy turned legs. . . . . **7.50**