

THE IRON PORT

ESCANABA, MICHIGAN.

MR. DOBLEY DISAPPEARS

"BEING married is such a bore!" said Mrs. Dobley. "I wish you wouldn't talk like that," said Dobley. "When matters are irremediable there is nothing to be gained by dwelling upon them. We should try to cast off our troubles as though they didn't exist."

"I refuse to answer," said Dobley, firmly. "I have some important affairs to arrange before I disappear." "And you," said Mrs. Dobley, "must call on the tailor about my new gown and do a little shopping. I haven't got an eyebrow pencil to my name."

"We may find him waiting for a train." They drove to one station and questioned the man in charge, describing Dobley minutely. "A man took a train a few moments ago," he said, "but he had gray whiskers and walked with a cane."

SMITH'S FLIRTATION. He Succeeded in One Respect But His Outcome Was Not Entirely Gratifying. The other night Smith was going home on the cable car. It was about 5:30 and the summer car was crowded with business men returning from their offices and women coming from the downtown stores.

Military Automobiles. The immense advantages presented by automobiles have had a great fascination for progressive military men all over the world. Large sums have been offered for the best military automobile. In war, as in every-day life, it pays to use the best weapons.

FOREIGNERS OF NOTE. A souvenir of Mr. Gladstone's hobby as an amateur woodman, consisting of a chip from an elm which he felled at Hawarden in 1880, was sold for five shillings in a London auction room the other day. Jean de Bloch, the financier and political economist of Warsaw, Russia, has recently issued a pamphlet on "The Suicide of Nations," in which he undertakes to show that the progress of military science has been such as to make war an impossibility, except at the cost of the lives of the nations that wage it.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY. Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills. Must Bear Signature of Dr. J.C. Wood. See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below. Cure Sick Headache.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J.C. Wood. In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA

WALTHAM WATCHES Over twenty-five years ago the American Waltham Watch Company stated that "350,000 Waltham Watches are speaking for themselves in the pockets of the people."

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That's the order given This week at

THE FAIR SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT STORE.

Sale Begins Saturday, Nov. 17, at 8:30 a. m.

THE GREATEST ■ SLAUGHTER ■ SALE

Ever Inaugurated in Escanaba.

\$15,000.00 WORTH OF MERCHANDISE MUST BE SOLD IN THE NEXT TEN DAYS, NO MATTER WHAT THE LOSS MAY BE.

The Reason: It is only about five weeks until Christmas and we find ourselves crowded to the doors with goods. The season has been late. Lots of goods sold but we anticipated more. Now you know the store's reputation on Christmas goods. We always have an immense stock of it. This year we have gone into it heavier than ever. The goods are ready to put into stock and display but we have no room, therefore we intend to slaughter the prices on \$15,000 worth of merchandise. It makes no difference what the goods have cost. We have to have the room. We have not the space or time to make the prices here but rest assured that in a great many instances the former price will be cut clean in two. You know our stock. We don't sell you old, shop-worn goods. Everything is clean and new.

An extra corps of clerks has been secured for this sale.

In the Shoe Department.

We have added new and experienced salesmen and salesladies to the help in this department and will slaughter the prices on shoes; we must reduce our shoe stock one-half; we need more room.

A visit to our store will convince you that we sell as we advertise

In the Grocery Department.

Goods you need every day, you certainly must eat. The price is what counts. Our prices are always the lowest. On this sale they will be lower than ever. No hard times when you buy here.

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00, with a \$5.00 order of groceries

In the Dry Goods Dept.

We only ask you to attend this sale, give us a little of your time. You will need goods for this winter and we think everybody is anxious to save money. The prices in this department speak for themselves.

We have the goods and make prices that sell them readily. Do not miss this sale.

In the Cloak Department

We have without any exception the finest stock of Jackets this side of Chicago. Every Jacket, Cape, Tailor Made Suit and every Fur Collar, Scarf, Jacket or Cape, every Skirt or Shawl, will be reduced in price. In some instances you will find the price cut in half. Be one of the first and secure a bargain. We are compelled to make room and we are going to do it right. Do not allow this opportunity to pass. Remember it lasts for but a few days.

A Great Opportunity.

A FEW EXAMPLES IN THE CLOTHING DEPT.

- Home-made woolen mittens for men, a pr **22**
- Genuine moose hide mittens for men, a pr **72**
- Turkey red and indigo blue, large size handkerchiefs, each **3**
- "Way's" muffler, fits like a sweater, **19**
- Lumbermen's rubbers, with roll edge, leather top **1.50**

IN OUR FURNITURE DEPARTMENT.

Santa Claus is ready here to show his wares but there is no room for him. We only ask you to call. The prices in this department we are sure will give room for Christmas goods.

We have never before used the knife with such a lavish hand. It's for you.

In the Millinery Dept.

Here we also need room. You know that we carry a large and elegant stock here. Just try us on prices at this sale. All hats trimmed free at this sale.

This is positively The Big Store with Little Prices. A trial is convincing proof.

A FEW EXAMPLES OF PRICES IN DRY GOODS DEPT.

- Best apron gingham, a yd **4**
 - Fine outing flannel, light or dark **4**
 - Turkish towels, large **4**
 - Large size bleached towels with fringe **4**
 - Turkey red table linen, 58 inches wide, fast color, to go per yd at **15**
 - Fine bleached or unbleached satin damask table linen, 60 in wide, per yd **24**
 - One whole table of dress goods of different kinds must be emptied; goods at 14c, 15c, 19c and 24c, all at one price per yd **10**
- Everything marked down accordingly.

The order is to unload and we are going to do it with a rush.

In the Clothing Dept.

Here also we must have room. Anticipate your wants, for in helping us to make the vacant space on our shelves we require, you help yourselves. You put money in your own pockets.

The Fair Savings Bank holds the prices down. Have you thought of this?