UNION B. AND L. TROUBLES.

RECEIVER O'NEIL IS FINALLY REMOVED.

Supreme Court Says the Association's Officers Must Wind Up Its Affairs.

The Supreme Court has reaffirmed the decision rendered a few weeks ago in the case of the People against the Union Building and Loan Association, in which the court declared that the appointment of a receiver to wind up the affairs of the association was unauthorized. A rehearing was granted, with the result as stated. The decision reads:

In the Supreme Court of the State of California.

(Filed December 29, 1899.)

In Bank: The People of the State of California, by W. F. Fitzgerald, Attorney General, upon complaint of the Commissioners of the Building and Loan Associations of the State of California, plaintiff and respondent, vs. The Union Building and Loan Association of Sacramento (a corporation) and B. U. Steinman et al., as directors thereof, defendants, the Union Building and Loan Association, appellant. (Sac. No. 610.)

Same Plaintiff vs. Same Defendants; L. Tozer, appellant. (Sac. No. 611.)

By the court: This case was heard in Department Two, and decided October 20, 1899, by which the judgment of the court below was modified by eliminating therefrom the order appointing a receiver, and as thus modified the judgment was affirmed. Afterward a petition for rehearing in bank was filed by Thomas W. O'Neil, the receiver appointed by the court below, who, by stipulation of counsel and permission of the court had filed a brief in said cause.

In the petition for rehearing it was suggested that said brief must have been overlooked by the Commissioner who wrote the opinion, or that it failed to reach him.

Upon investigation it was found that said brief on behalf of the receiver, and a reply thereto by appellant, L. Tozer, had not reached either the Commissioner or the department, and upon that ground alone a rehearing in bank was granted. O'Neil having no other relation to the case than that of receiver an officer of the court created by its judgment from which these appeals were taken, has no standing or relation to the case which would authorize him to petition the court for a rehearing, or even to file a brief therein except as an amicus curiae. (In re Pina, 112 Cal., 14.) He had no right of appeal. He was not a party aggrieved by the judgment from which the appeal was taken and could not have taken an appeal, nor did the service upon him of the notice of appeal give him any standing in this court. He was not a party to the litigation, and had no interest in behalf of or against either party thereto. The only interest he had is that of retaining an office to which he was appointed by the court by its final judgment in a cause litigated by other parties.

The present Attorney General, however, indorsed upon said petition the following:

"I hereby consent to the foregoing petition for rehearing and, in this connection, desire to add that, from an examination of the transcript on appeal (pps. 26 and 27) it appears through some inadvertence a stipulation was entered into by this office on the —— day of September, 1898, to the effect that the transcript on appeal contained 'the judgment-roll,' whereas, in fact, the complaint in intervention filed in said cause by Grove L. Johnson, intervenor, is omitted from the judgment-roll as printed in the transcript."

It is due to the learned Attorney General to remark in this connection that said cause was tried under the administration of his predecessor in that office, and said consent was based upon a reference in the transcript to "Grove L. Johnson, intervenor." Upon this representation leave was given to respondent to file in this court a copy of said complaint in intervention, and leave was also given to appellants to file a copy of the proceedings of the court below thereon; and from said complaint and proceedings, now before this court upon said application to correct the record, it appears, that this cause was tried on February 17, 1898, and that said complaint in intervention was not filed until that day; that service thereof was acknowledged by the attorneys for the defendant association, and Defendants Steinman, Heilbron, Jones and Locke, "reserving all objections made as to granting permission to file the same"; that on February 26th, demurrers to said complaint in intervention were filed by the defendants, and on the same day notice was given that on March 4th a motion to strike out parts of said complaint would be made.

On March 4th said motion was continued one week, and on March 11, 1898, said motion was "continued without day, to be restored to the calendar upon ten days' notice." It thus appears that the complaint in intervention was not filed by consent of the defendants and it was filed on the day of the trial, and was not heard or considered by the court and is still pending therein upon said demurrers and motion to strike out. It therefore formed no part of the judgment roll of the cause that was tried, and cannot be considered upon this appeal. We must assume, in the absence of the bill of exceptions showing otherwise, that no application was made by the intervenor to the court below to postpone the hearing of the cause until an issue could be formed upon this complaint in intervention, and that all action thereon was waived, so far, at least, as that trial was concerned.

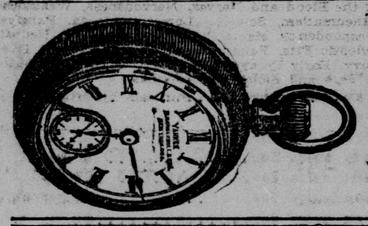
The rehearing having been granted because of the accident by which the briefs above mentioned were not considered by the court or the Commissioners, it now becomes our duty to examine them.

In brief on behalf of the Receiver it is contended that the action of the court in appointing a Receiver cannot be reviewed because the evidence heard by the court below has not been brought up by a bill of exceptions; that the only ground upon which the action of the court can be assailed is a want of jurisdiction to make the order complained of; that in the absence of a bill of exceptions it cannot be determined whether or not the court below erred in making the order appointing a Receiver, since it cannot be known what facts were before the court, and must therefore presume that the evidence justified the appointment.

There is no merit in this contention. To sustain it we must presume that the court received evidence outside of the issues, which, if properly received, would justify the order appointing the Receiver. It is not contended in this brief that the court failed to find upon any fact alleged in the complaint, but we are asked to affirm the order appointing a Receiver because we do not know but that the court may have received evidence of facts not in issue which justified it. For aught we know facts may exist which would authorize the appointment of a Receiver, but unless the facts as alleged and found justify it, the order making the appointment is properly reversed on appeal from the judgment upon the judgment roll.

Again, it is contended that the Building and Loan Commissioners' Act is a special statute, and is independent of the general provisions of law regulating the appointment of Receivers, and that in cases under this statute, "the court is authorized to make such appointment regardless of general principles." This contention, as well as the further contention that "the findings are sufficient to show the existence of good cause for the appointment of a Receiver, even when tested by the rules of equity and by the general provisions of the law" are sufficiently answered in the opinion heretofore filed and which is hereby approved. (See 18 Cal., Dec., 153; 58 Pac. Rep. 822.)

It is therefore ordered that the judgment entered in department stand as the judgment of the court.



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ORDINANCE NO. 519.

An Ordinance to Prevent the Spreading of Infectious or Contagious Diseases by the Owners or Employes of any Public Laundry in the City of Sacramento, Making the Violation Thereof a Misdemeanor and Fixing the Penalty for Such Violation.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons owning, carrying on or conducting any public laundry in the city of Sacramento, to spray the clothing of any person or persons, being laundried therein, with water or other fluids emitted from the mouth of such person, owner or employe.

Section 2. No person or persons engaged in carrying on or conducting, as owner or otherwise, any public laundry in the city of Sacramento, shall permit any person having any infectious or contagious disease, to lodge, sleep or remain within or upon the premises so used as a public laundry.

Section 3. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty nor more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the City Jail of not less than five nor more than one hundred days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed October 30, 1899.

D. McKAY,
President of Board of Trustees.

Approved, Sacramento City, November 4, 1889.

WM. LAND, Mayor.

NOTICE.

All demands against City of Sacramento for year 1899, must be presented in office of City Clerk on or before DECEMBER 31, 1899, at 5 o'clock p. m.

M. J. DESMOND, City Clerk.

Sealed Proposals.

Bids will be received at the office of the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. on MONDAY, January 8, 1900, for following supplies:

Meat for City Prison,
Provisions for City Prison,
Hardware, Oils, Etc.,
Stationery.

Contract will be awarded for term of one year from date of approval. Lists on file in the office of City Clerk. A certified check in sum of one hundred dollars, made payable to City Clerk, must accompany each bid.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

M. J. DESMOND, City Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 488.

To Prevent the Spilling of Sand, Dirt, Loose Straw, Manure or Garbage of Any Kind From Vehicles Upon the Streets and Alleys of Sacramento City, and Providing a Punishment for the Same, and Repealing Ordinance Number Three Hundred and Sixty-Nine.

The Board of Trustees of the city of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. No person shall drive or cause to be driven or used on any street or alley within the limits of the city of Sacramento, any wagon, cart or other vehicle loaded with sand, dirt, loose straw, manure, ashes, or garbage of any kind, unless said wagon, cart or vehicle be provided with side and end boards, not less than twenty (20) inches high, and shall be loaded to a hight that will prevent any material from spilling over the sides.

Section 2. Every person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, and may be imprisoned in the City Jail until the fine is satisfied in the proportion of one day's imprisonment for every two dollars fine.

Section 3. Ordinance number three hundred and sixty-nine, approved November 19, 1884, is hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately after its passage and approval.

Passed March 21, 1888. D. McKAY,
President of Board of Trustees.

Approved, Sacramento City, March 26, 1888. WM. LAND, Mayor.

COMMERCIAL.

WHEAT PRICES STEADY OFF THE CALL BOARD.

Barley Market at a Standstill, Owing to Holiday Season—Oats Also Dull.

San Francisco, Dec. 30th.

Owing to the annual jinks of the grain brokers it was impossible to do any business at the Produce Exchange this morning, and there were no transactions at the Call Board or sample sessions. Off call $1.05½ was bid for May Wheat, which indicated that prices were steady. Holiday influences also prevailed in Chicago, where the Board of Trade closed at 11 o'clock. Prices for Wheat in that market opened slightly lower, with sales of May at 69¼c, but towards the close a stronger tone set in and there was an advance to 69½c. The Liverpool prices were ¼d lower on the day. There was very little statistical or other news of importance. All the exchanges will be closed on Monday next—New Year's Day. The local Barley market was at a standstill for the reasons given above. Receipts were 2,170 centals. Oats were dull from the same cause. Receipts were 345 centals. The Corn receipts were 600 centals Eastern.

Owing to the wet weather and holiday influences, very little trade was in progress in the Hay market, and prices were nominally unchanged.

Beans unchanged.

In the Fruit market holiday wants have been liberally supplied. Trade in Apples and Citrus Fruits was extremely dull, and prices, excepting for fancy brands in a small way, were weak.

Potatoes and Onions quiet. Prices for Green Peas, String Beans, Tomatoes and Summer Squash had a sharp decline. Green Peppers weak.

Fancy Creamery Butter steady. Other grades of Butter unchanged. Stocks of Cheese are becoming quite large. Some dealers are shading prices. There was less inquiry for Eggs, although dealers asked previous prices. The holiday demand has ceased.

Dressed Turkeys lower. Prices for live Turkeys were wholly nominal. Other live Poultry quiet and unchanged.

Produce Quotations.

FLOUR—Net cash prices for Family Extras, $3.50@3.75 per barrel; Bakers' Extras, $3.40@3.55; Oregon and Washington, $3@3.50 per barrel.

WHEAT—Shipping Wheat, 97½c per ctl for No. 1 and 98¾c for choice; Milling, $1@1.02½ per ctl.

BARLEY—Feed, 60@70c per ctl; Brewing, 72½@90c per ctl; Chevalier, nominal.

OATS—Red, 97½c@$1.10 per ctl for Feed and $1.12½@1.20 for Seed; White, $1.10@1.12½ for poor to fair, $1.15@1.25 for good to choice and $1.30 for fancy; Black, 95c@$1.05; Oregon Gray, $1.07½@1.12½ for Feed and $1.15@1.17½ per ctl for Milling.

CORN—In sacks—Large Yellow, $1.05 per ctl; do White, $1.02½@1.05; Mixed, $1.02½@1.05; Small Yellow, nominal.

RYE—New, 97½c@$1.05 per ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—$1.75@2.15 per ctl.

BRAN—$12.50@13.50 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$16@15.

ROLLED BARLEY—$15.50@16.50 per ton.

OATMEAL—$4.25 per 100 lbs.

OAT GROATS—$4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY—Wheat, $6.50@9.50 per ton; Wheat and Oat, $6.50@9; Oat, $6.50@8; Barley, $5@7; Alfalfa, $8@7.50; Stock, $4.50@5; compressed Hay, $8@10 per ton.

STRAW—30@45c per bale.

HOPS—1899 crop, 7@8c per lb for common, 9@10c for prime and 11@12c for choice.

BEANS—Round lots, Bayo, $3.25@3.50 per ctl; Butter, nominal; Lima, $4.90@5; Pea, $3@3.25; small White, $2.90@3; large White, $2.40@2.50; Blackeye, $4.50@4.75; Red Kidney, $3.25@3.50; Pink, $2.65@2.75; Red, $3.75@4 per ctl.

POTATOES—Wharf prices: Early Rose, 90c@$1; River Reds, 55@65c; River Burbanks, 45@75c; Salinas Burbanks, $1@1.25 per ctl; Oregon Burbanks, 65c@$1.10; Garnet Chile, $1@1.15; Sweet Potatoes, $1.25@1.50 per ctl.

ONIONS—90c@$1.30 per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Garlic, 6c per lb; Marrowfat Squash, $12@15 per ton; Mushrooms, 10@20c lb; Dried Okra, 12½c per lb; Cream Squash, 25c per box; Sprouts, 1@2c per lb; Dried Peppers, 8@10c per lb; Cabbage, 40@50c per sack; Carrots, 30@40c per sack. Los Angeles Vegetables—Green Peas, 5@8c per lb; String Beans, 6@9c per lb; Tomatoes, —c per box and $1.25@1.50 per crate; Summer Squash, $1@1.25 per box; Cucumbers, $1 per box; Egg Plant, 10@15c per lb; Green Peppers, 2@3c per lb.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, 25c@$1 per box; fancy, $1.25 per box; Lady Apples, $1.50@2 per box.

Berries—Strawberries, —@— per chest; Cranberries, $5@7 per bbl; Oregon, $1.50 per box.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, Navels, $1.25@2 per box; Seedlings, 65c@$1.25 per box; Mexican Limes, $4@4.50 per case; California Lemons, $1@2 for common to good, $2.50@2.75 for choice and $3 for fancy; Grape Fruit, $1@2 per box; California Tangerines, 75c@$1.25 per box.

TROPICAL FRUIT—Bananas, $1.50@2.50 per bunch; Pineapples, $1.50@3 per dozen; Smyrna Figs, 14@17c per lb; Persian Dates, 4½@7c per lb.

DRIED FRUITS—New Crop—Apricots, 11@12c per lb for Royals and 14@15c for Moorparks; Peaches, unpeeled, 5@5½c per lb for prime, 6@6½c for choice and 7½@8c for fancy; do peeled, 12½@15c per lb; Apples, 6¾@7¾c lb for evaporated and 5@5½c for sun dried; Plums, pitted, 7@8c per lb for black and 9½@9c for bleached; Pears, 6½@8c per lb for quarters and 8@10c for halves; Nectarines, 9@9½c per lb for red and —@— for white; Figs, 3@3½c per lb for black and 5@6c for white; Prunes, in sacks, 5c per lb for 40-50s, 4@4½c for 50-60s, 3¾c for 60-70s, 3½c for 70-80s, 2¾c for 80-90s and 2¼@2½c for 90-100s.

RAISINS—The California Raisin Growers' Association established the following grades and prices for Thompson's Seedless and Sultana Raisins on September 12, 1899: Bleached Thompson's—Fancy, per lb, 10c; choice, 9c; standard, 8c; prime, 6c; unbleached Thompson's, per lb, 6c. Sultanas—Fancy, per lb, 8½c; choice, 7½c; standard, 6½c; prime, 5c; unbleached Sultanas, per lb, 5c. Discount for cash 1½ per cent. Payments as per terms of packers' contract. The California Raisin Growers' Association has fixed the following minimum prices for standard grades of new crop Raisins: Seedless, 50-lb boxes, 5c; 2-crown loose Muscatels, 5½c; 3-crown, 6¼c; 4-crown, 7c; London Layers, 2-crown, $1.50 per box; 3-crown, $1.60; 4-crown, $2; 5-crown, $2.50; 6-crown, $3; Valencias, loose (three grades), fancy, 5½c per lb; choice, 4½c; standard, 3½c; Valencias, clusters (three grades), fancy, 7c; choice, 6c; standard, 5c per lb. All prices are f. o. b. at common shipping points in California. The local prices are ½c per lb higher than the above quotations on loose and 10c per box.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy, 25@26c per lb; seconds, 23@24c per lb; Creamery, in tubs, nominal. Dairy—Fancy, 21@22c; other grades, 18@20c per lb. Packed Butter—Nominal.

CHEESE—New, 11½@12½c; old, 9@10c; California Cream Cheddar, —@—; Young America, 12@13c; Eastern, 16½@17c; Western, 13@14c per lb.

EGGS—California Store Eggs, 26@30c per dozen; Ranch, 32@35c, occasionally 36c per dozen; Eastern cold storage, 16@20c per dozen.

POULTRY — Live Turkeys, 15@16c per lb; for Hens, and 15@16c for Gobblers; dressed do 18@21c; Roosters, $3.50@4 per dozen for old and $3.50@4.50 for young; Broilers, $3@3.25 for small and $3.25@3.50 for large; Fryers, $3.50@4; Hens, $3.50@4.50; Ducks, $4@4.50 per dozen for old and $4.50@5.50 for young; Geese, $1.75@2 per pair; Pigeons, $1 per dozen for old and $1.75@2 for young.

GAME—Hare, $1.25 per dozen; Rabbits, $1.50@1.75; Canvasback Ducks, $3@4; Mallards, $3.50@4; Sprig, $2.50@3; Teal, $2.50@3; Widgeon, $2; Black Jacks, $1.50; Small Ducks, $1.50; Quail, $1.50; Honkers, $5; Gray Geese, $3.50@4; White Geese, $1.50; Brant, $1.75@2.50; Doves, 75c; English Snipe, $2.50; common do, $1.50 per dozen.

Meat Market.

Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers:

BEEF—Steers, first quality, 7@7½c; other grades, 6¾@7c per lb; young Cows and Heifers, 6@6½c; old Cows, 5@5½c per lb.

VEAL—7@8c for large and 9@10c per lb for small.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7@7½c; Ewes, 6½@7c per lb.

LAMB—8@8½c per lb for Spring.

PORK—Live Hogs, 5@5½c per lb for medium, 5¾c for small, 5@5¼ for large; dressed, 7@8½c per lb.

Closing Grain Quotations.

New York, Dec. 30th.

WHEAT—March, 75⅝c; May, 75c; July, 74⅞c.

Chicago, Dec. 30th.

WHEAT—December, 65⅝c; May, 69½c; July, 70c.

San Francisco, Dec. 30th.

CORN—Large Yellow, $1.05@1.10.

BRAN—$12.50@13.50.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

The Week Closes With a Good Day in Produce Circles.

Sacramento, Dec. 30th.

The week closed with a good day's trade in local produce circles, after nearly a week of quietness. This was due mainly to the fact that Monday is a holiday, and patrons of the markets were giving orders to last through until Tuesday. There was no deviation in the price list, excepting for Turkeys, which under the limited demand declined. They were quoted to-day at 22c for dressed and 18c for live. The markets will be open for the delivery of orders during the early hours on Monday, but will be generally closed in the afternoon.

Following are the retail prices for the various articles mentioned:

FLOUR—Family Extras, $1.95 per 100 lbs; $1 for 50 lbs.

FRUIT—Oranges, 20@60c per dozen; Lemons, 25c; Limes, 10c; Pineapples, 40@50c each; Apples, 3@4c per lb; Grapes, 5c; Cranberries, 12½c quart; Bananas, 25@30c per dozen.

VEGETABLES—Tomatoes, 2c per lb; Cauliflower, 10c per head; Carrots, Lettuce, Radishes, Leek, Green Onions, 12½c per dozen bunches; Onions, 2c per lb; Roman, 2 for 5c; Peppers, 5c; Potatoes, 2c per lb; Lima Beans, 8c; Sweet Potatoes, 3c; Peas, 8c; Pumpkins, 1c per lb; Hubbard Squash, 1c per lb; Celery, 50@10c per bunch; Spinach, 5c per lb; Cabbage, 2c per lb; Red Cabbage, 10c per head; Curly Cabbage, 5@10c per head; Sauerkraut, 5c per lb.

MEATS—Beef—Prime Rib Roast, 12½@14c per lb; Corned Beef, 8@12c; Sausage, 12½c; Vienna Sausage, 15c; Bacon, 15c; Loin Steak, 12½@15c; Rump Steak, 10c; Chuck Roast, 8c; Rump, 8c; Brisket, 8c; Chuck Steak, 10c. Veal—Loin and Rib Chops, 15c; Roast Veal, 12c. Mutton—Leg, 11@12½c; Loin and Rib Chops, 12½c; Mutton Stew, 8c; Shoulder Chops, 8c. Pork—9@12½c; Ham, 12@13½c.

POULTRY—Hens, 60c each; Spring, 50c each; Broilers, 25@40c each; Tame Geese, $1.50 each; Tame Ducks, 50@65c each; Turkeys, 18c for live and 22c for dressed per lb.

GAME—Ducks—Mallards, $1 per pair; Teal, 35c; Canvasbacks, $1.25; Sprigs, 60c; Small Ducks, 40c. Geese—White, 35c; Gray, 75c; Honkers, $1; Brants, 50c; Rabbits, 15c each; Hare, 25c per pair; Quail, 35c per pair.

EGGS—California, 35c per dozen; Eastern, 25c.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter—Pickle, 30c per lb; Mountain, 20c; Valley Roll, 20c; Petaluma, 45c per roll; Creamery, 55c per roll. Cheese—California, 15c per lb; Young America, 17c; Eastern Creamery, 15@20c; Genuine Swiss, 40c; American Swiss, 20c; Neufchatel, 10c.

HAY AND GRAIN—Wheat or Oat Hay, 50@55c; Alfalfa, 45@50c; Whole Barley, $1.05; Ground Barley, $1.10; Red Russian Oats, $1.15@1.25; Middlings, $1.10; Shorts, $1.05; Bran, $1; Straw, 60c per bale; Corn, large, $1.35; small, $1.40; Cracked Corn, $1.45; Ground Corn, $1.40.

NUTS—New Walnuts, 17c per lb; New Almonds, 17c; New Brazils, 15c; Pecans, 18c; Filberts, 15c; Chestnuts, 20c per lb; Pine Nuts, 25c.

COAL OIL—Pearl, cases, 19½c per gal; Star, 19½c; Eocene, 21½c; Extra Star, 22½c; Elaine, 24½c; Water White, bulk, 13½c.

NAPHTHA—Benzine, cases, 23½c per gal; Benzine, bulk, 16c; D. S. Gasoline, cases, 23c; D. S. Gasoline, bulk, 16½c; 86° Gasoline, cases, 26c; 86° Gasoline, bulk, 21c.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CANDLES—Sixes, 16 oz. 20 sets, 11c per set; 14 oz., 10c; 12 oz., 9c; 10 oz., 8¼c.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Evaporated Apples quiet, but firm. State evaporated Apples—Common, 6@6⅝c; prime, 6¾@7c; choice, 7¾@8½c; fancy, 8½@9c. California Dried Prunes, 3½@6c per lb. Apricots—Royal, 13@15c; Moorpark, 15@18c. Peaches—Peeled, 20@22c; unpeeled, 7½@10c.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

San Francisco, Dec. 30th.

Morning Session—Caledonia, 49c; C C V, $1.45; S Nevada, 42c; Yellow Jacket, 25c; G & C, 24c; Mexican, 30c; Ophir, 70c; Overman, 11c.

Closing Quotations—Alta, 4c; Alpha, 3c; Andes, 1lc; Belcher, 14c; B & B, 26c; Bullion, 3c; Caledonia, 47c; Challenge, 10c; Chollar, 21c; C C V, $1.40; C Point, 13c; G & C, 24c; H & N, 39c; Justice, 4c; Lady Washington, 2c; Mexican, 31c; Occidental, 16c; Ophir, 72c; Overman, 10c; Potosi, 23c; Savage, 9c; Scorpion, 2c; S Belcher, 3c; S Nevada, 42c; Standard, $2.30; Union, 26c; Utah, 4c; Yellow Jacket, 24c.

these stores closed Monday, Jan. 1, 1900

If we please you, tell your friends. If we don't please you, tell us.

Hale's GOOD GOODS

You'll find this a cosy, comfortable store in which to do your shopping.

next tuesday we commence . . . . an inventory sale

Tuesday we commence our annual inventory sale—an event which will offer values wholly out of the ordinary. In fact, the economies to be found here are known only to Hale's. There'll be a lively shaking up of stocks in every department preparatory to taking inventory, and there'll be no lingering of goods whose room is preferable to their presence—we've provided for that by exceptionally low pricing. The goods to be offered throughout this sale are the best of the Fall and Winter season, but already we have in view the Spring and Summer campaign and propose to make early preparation for it. This is the first step. Are you interested? Note these savings:

men's knit underwear, 68c

An important part of the inventory sale will be the selling of men's scarlet knit undershirts and drawers at 68c each. These garments are of good, solid weight, all-wool and dyed with medicated dyes. The drawers have stoutly gusseted seat, and the shirts are full length, cut large and full. These garments have sold regularly at $1 each. Inventory sale price, 68c.

An odd lot of men's fleeced ribbed undershirts and drawers—small stripes in pink and blue; regularly 50c each. Inventory sale price..... 33⅓c

Men's fine cashmere half hose in natural gray, tan and black; all sizes except 11; regularly 25c and 33⅓c pair. Inventory sale price..... 18c

men's all-wool trousers, $2

These trousers are all wool—not a thread of cotton in any of them. There are various patterns, all stylish, being of this Winter's selling. Regular values ranged from $3 up. Sizes 30 to 40 waist. Inventory sale price, $2.

grocery dep't

Liebig's non-alcoholic extract of malt, 10c bottle; $1.20 dozen.

High grade fancy sugar corn, 8c can.

Fine quality French peas, 15c lb.

Excellent quality salmon in 1-lb tall tins, 3 for 25c.

Very good quality mushrooms, 20c can.

Sunnyside catsup, pint bottles, 10c.

Pure leaf lard; 3-lb tins, 32c; 5-lb tins, 45c.

Royal cocoanut for puddings, cakes, etc.; ¼-lb packages, 8c; ½-lb, 15c.

bazar attractions

Good sized atomizers; regularly 50c. Inventory sale price..... 25c

Women's combination purses, of black grain leather; metal compartments; very strong. Inventory sale price..... 25c

Marbleized alarm clocks, accurate timepieces; regularly $1. Inventory sale price..... 63c

Swan fountain pens; handsome; 14-karat gold pen; regularly $2.25. Inventory sale price..... $1.50

600 pairs of women's shoes, $1.50

600 pairs of women's fine shoes, made with turn welt and McKay sewed soles, principally button style. Odd lots and styles, and sizes broken above 5s—not many large sizes. These shoes sold regularly at $2, $2.50, $3, $4, $4.50 and $5, the higher priced lines being somewhat out of style. Inventory sale price, $1.50.

Men's French calf congress shoes, with square plain toes, hand sewed welted medium weight soles, very flexible; regularly $5. Inventory sale price..... $3.50

Misses' and children's odd lots of shoes, in sizes 5 to 8, 98c; also, tans and blacks, in sizes 11 to 1; narrow width only. Inventory sale price..... 63c

Odd lines and broken sizes of women's shoes, with pointed, round and square toes; medium and narrow widths; sizes no larger than 5s. Inventory sale prices are half regular value; $2.25, $1.75 and. $1.50

Women's small sized Oxfords, to take the place of slippers for the house; narrow widths. Inventory sale price is half regular value..... $1

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remnants--dress goods, silks

Here's a great collection of remnants of plain and fancy silks and dress goods in plain black and colors—the accumulation of a phenomenally busy and successful season. The lengths vary from 1 to 6 yards. The prices are so low that these remnants will quickly disappear, thus benefiting our customers and ourselves. All the favored weaves and fabrics will be represented in this collection of short lengths at short prices.

gloves, hosiery, corsets, etc.

KID GLOVES—This offering includes all of the 5-button Maggioni gloves in sizes 5¼, 5½, 7½, 7¾ and 8. You know the real value of this glove and will appreciate the offering. Also, misses' 4-button dressed kid gloves, originally worth $1. Inventory sale price. 25c

HEADRESTS—Made in two colors, with prettily painted designs; regularly 35c. Inventory sale price..... 21c

FANCY HOSIERY — All our $2, $1.75 and $1.50 fancy hosiery, now $1 pair.

Regular $1.25 and $1 lines, 65c pair.

Regular 50c lines, 33⅓c pair.

HANDKERCHIEFS — A large lot of white hemstitched handkerchiefs; also 50 dozen white hemstitched handkerchiefs, with open work border. These are fine 5c values, but became slightly soiled through being used for store decoration. Inventory sale price. 2½c

(There will also be many small lots of handkerchiefs, slightly mussed from handling, placed on sale at greatly reduced prices—lots too small to mention separately.)

LACES—Wide cream silk laces, actually worth 50c a yard; also a lot of wide white Oriental laces, worth 25c a yard; fine styles for trimming dressing sacques. Inventory sale price (per yard)..... 10c

UNDERWEAR—This offering includes broken lines of women's camel's hair underwear and flat and ribbed wool underwear; regularly worth $1 a garment. Inventory sale price..... 50c

Our high grade Mattelutz underwear will be sold as follows:

Regular $2 grades of women's vests and drawers, $1.

Regular $3 vests and drawers, $1.50.

Regular $4 union suits, $3.

Regular $3 union suits, $2.

CORSETS — Misses' Ferris' waists; an odd number; regularly 50c; also odd corsets in small and large sizes; regularly 75c and $1. Inventory sale price..... 25c

Thomson's "young woman's corset," an odd number; regularly $1; also a few odds and ends in small and large sizes; regularly $1 and $1.50. Inventory sale price..... 50c

towels, sheets and blankets

Hemmed huck towels, all pure linen, with colored borders; 18x36 inches; regular 12½c grade. Inventory sale price..... 9c

Bleached hemmed sheets, with perfect two-inch hem, double-bed size; regular 60c quality. Inventory sale price..... 47c

Ready-made pillow cases, of extra good quality muslin, with two-inch hem; regular 15c quality. Inventory sale price..... 11c

White wool blankets, of good weight, firmly woven; pretty colored borders; 11-4 size; regular $3.50 quality..... $2.49

At $1.50 and $2.50 we offer handsome Winter capes and jackets for women and misses. The regular prices were $4, $5 and $6.50. They are of kersey, covert and cheviot, in double breasted box or dip fronts. Some half-lined, others lined throughout.

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