

NOT UNLOADING, -- BUT -- DUMPING!

Said a Salesman of a Large Wholesale House to us recently: When I first went on the road this season people bought goods of me; then I had to sell them; then push them; then crowd them; then unload them; and now I am DUMPING them.

Unloading won't do; it is not fast enough; we must sell the goods REGARDLESS OF COST! VALUES WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED during this special sale.

Elegant \$25 Overcoats for \$15! \$15 Overcoats for \$8 and \$10! \$9 Overcoats for \$5!

\$22 Suits for \$15! \$18 Suits for \$12! \$15 All-Wool Suits for \$10! \$12 All-Wool Suits for \$7.

Broken and odd lots of Men's and Boys' goods way below cost. Boys' Overcoats and Suits 25 to 40 per cent. below regular prices.

We never advertise what we do not perform, and we say you have never seen goods at such low prices as we shall offer them during the coming week, and during this Dumping Sale.

MODEL Clothing Company.

Special reductions in all our fine Underwear and Hosiery, Gloves and Mufflers.

We shall present to each purchaser of a \$5 Suit or Overcoat from our Boys' Department a fast-running sled.

Special Bargains!

\$2.75 For a Gents' Stylish Shoe, in Button, Lace and Congress. Vamps cut in one piece. Sold elsewhere for \$3.50.

GEO. J. MAROTT, 22 East Washington Street.

HOLIDAY BEEF Choice Fat, Juicy Steaks, Roasts, Etc., CAN BE HAD AT

POUDER'S CLEAN MEAT MARKETS, At 232 East Washington street, 78 North Pennsylvania Street, and Stall 1 and 3 East Market.

Coke Consumers, BRANHAM & CO.

Sell the CITY GAS, COKE, always Dry and Clean, and All Kinds of COAL At Lowest Prices. OFFICES--50 North Delaware, 140 South Alabama, and 459 East Ohio Streets. Telephone 444.

HITEHEAD & WRIGHT, SUCCESSORS TO LEWIS & WHITEHEAD, Granite Monuments, Vaults, Statues, Etc., Perfect, from Original Designs, erected everywhere, direct from quarries. Consultation Solicited 75 East Market Street, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

BOY STEAM LAUNDRY, 100 North Delaware Street. Prompt Delivery. Telephone 185.

W. C. WHITEHEAD, (Established 1876.) H. G. WRIGHT. Made an Assignment. LOGGERS, Ind. Jan. 3.--Clinton J. Sharum, general merchant, has assigned to Alvin Sharum and John Hubner. Liabilities, \$30,000; assets, \$15,000.

WHEN INDICATIONS. FOR SUNDAY--Warmer weather, with possible local rains.

If interested in an Overcoat, just look at LOT 5,243--a Fancy - back, Gray Diagonal Cassimere, marked to \$12. We have too many of this lot, and name this price to close them.

AT THE WHEN

INDICATIONS. WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley--Partly cloudy weather, local rains in Tennessee; fair weather in Ohio Valley; winds shifting to southerly; warmer weather.

A SOCIALIST SCARE.

Looks Like an Attempt to Get Up a Standing Army to Overawe the People on More Honor. CHICAGO, Jan. 3.--It is understood that the fact has been clearly disclosed that a number of armed companies of Socialists are regularly drilled in this city, and that they number about 700 men.

TRADE AND LABOR.

Dry Goods Clerks' Association--Factories Resuming Work. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.--A strong movement on the part of the Dry Goods Clerks' Association in Grand street, backed by labor unions, to obtain complete mastery of the situation, now that the discharge of holiday employees is at hand, resulted yesterday in a court case.

Daring Train Robbers. WILMINGTON, Del. Jan. 3.--A special to Every Evening gives the details of the robbery of the Oxford accommodation train on the Baltimore and Annapolis Central Railroad last night.

A Live Fight. LONDON, Ont. Jan. 3.--Charles Abbey, of London, Ont., was attacked by a number of mauls last night, who knocked him down and brutally kicked him.

Shenandoah Receding Slowly. WILMERSBURG, Va. Jan. 3.--The water in the Shenandoah river is receding in places since last night. The transfer of people and light freight to Kingston is being done by boats, notwithstanding the great danger of coming in contact with floating ice.

New Temperance Organization. BOSTON, Jan. 3.--Active friends of temperance have been busily engaged in arranging an organization to take the place of the old one, which was dissolved last night.

Minnesota Lumber Report. STILLWATER, Jan. 3.--Surveyor General Pennington has filed his annual report with the Governor, showing the number of feet of logs sealed the past year to be 27,000,000; the total manufacture was 100,000,000, leaving 73,000,000 in boom.

Another Bank Defaulter Gone to Canada. LEXINGTON, Ky. Jan. 3.--James G. Scruggs, Teller and Assistant Cashier of the Lexington City National Bank, has been reported for about forty thousand dollars fled to Canada.

Shot Himself. LEVEE, Minn. Jan. 3.--Charles H. Gintner, of the firm of Gintner & Co., hardware merchant, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the temple.

GENERAL NEWS.

What Professor Gregory Thinks of Cleveland's Civil Service Letter. WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.--The recent criticisms by some Republican members of Congress upon Governor Cleveland's civil service letter, made the topic of an Associated Press interview with Professor J. M. Gregory, of the Civil Service Commission, to-day. In response to the first inquiry he said:

Yes, I have read carefully Governor Cleveland's letter to the Senate, and I think it is the most honest expression of a sincere and settled conviction, with no hidden meaning, and no contemplated afterthought. The paragraphs relating to those who have used their places for party purposes, which some of his critics appear to be a loophole for a wide partisan proscription, are altogether too vague and general for such a construction.

Several Places in the United States Shaken by an Earthquake Friday Night. BALTIMORE, Jan. 3.--A special from Frederick, Md., says that in the southern section of Frederick County last night at 9:10 o'clock a shock was felt, supposed to be an earthquake, causing great commotion among the people at Backstown, Leitchville, Hicksville, Adamstown, Greenfield Mills and other points.

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New Hampshire Also Shaken. LACONA, N. H. Jan. 3.--A shock of earthquake, lasting half a minute, was felt in Lacona Friday night. It passed from north to south, accompanied by a rumbling sound.

NATIONAL NOTES. SWAIN COURT MARTIAL--Extension of the Bonded Period of Distilled Spirits--Kidd Will Contest the Seat of the Eleventh Indiana District.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.--In the Swain Court-Martial the examination of General Swain was concluded, and Robert Deaker, who was formerly telegraph operator and stenographer for Bateman, was called.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.--The redemption of national bank notes from the 5 per cent fund, during the calendar year, 1884, was \$1,000,000,000, or \$1,000,000,000 more than in the previous year.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.--The State department is informed that the members of the South American commission sailed from New York on January 1, for Venezuela and the United States of Colombia, via St. Thomas.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.--Secretary McCulloch to-day gave a hearing to Senator Beck and Representative Thompson, of Kentucky, and other gentlemen representing the whisky industry, in regard to the practical extension of the bonded period on whisky.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.--M. P. Kidd has filed notice of contest for the seat of George W. Steele, of the Eleventh Indiana District, in the Congress, which was cast by the Republicans.

AMOS DESTRUCTIVE FIRE. Two Large Factories Destroyed With Their Contents--Loss \$400,000.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Jan. 3.--A fire which started in the plaster room of the works of the Plymouth Clothing Company, this afternoon, proved the most disastrous fire that ever occurred in the town.

RANDALL'S SOUTHERN TOUR. The Party Returns to Nashville and Immediately Start for Chattanooga, Stopping at Murfreesboro, Seville, and Knoxville.

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The finances of the Lodge are in a condition. The report of the Finance Committee shows \$1,689 paid to the widow orphan's fund during the year, over \$1,000 paid for sick benefits and \$167.06 of a special fund in the treasury, besides some sum invested in Government securities.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS. Annual Meeting of the Indiana Association Yesterday.

One Hundred Members in Attendance--Reports of Officers--The Post Laureate's Song.

The Commercial Travelers' Association of Indiana met in Masonic Hall yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. There were about 100 members present, James R. Ross, of this city, in the Chair. The President made an address, in which he briefly reviewed the work of the past year, and congratulated the Association upon the prosperity that had attended it during the period since the last annual meeting.

The Secretary reports receipts aggregating \$14,563.85, the amount including assessments, membership fees and annual dues. There was paid out \$8,080.25, leaving a balance on hand of \$6,243.00.

A resolution was introduced asking for the appointment of a committee of three, to act in connection with a similar committee of the Indianapolis Board of Trade, to wait upon the railroad for the purpose of procuring permits for commercial travelers to ride upon freight trains.

The President, Vice President and Secretary were appointed as such committee, and on motion, Mr. Smith was elected to the committee. Mr. Fitch, the attorney for the association, was present at the afternoon session, and made some remarks on the method of insurance as practiced by the association.

He said that the system is the best that has been adopted, less liability of friction, the method of collection is quick and certain, and there is no expense attached. There are no salaried officers, no bonuses at the expense of the body, and every dollar collected goes where it is designed. He thought the society would be as nearly perpetual as any one organized for the benefit of man. He was sorry to see that some members were dropping out, but he attributed this to carelessness.

The election of officers for the ensuing year took place in the afternoon, with the following result: President, J. R. Ross, Indianapolis; Vice President, D. C. Darrow, Indianapolis; Secretary and Treasurer, D. W. Coffin, Indianapolis.

Vice President for Lafayette, E. H. Sheehan; Vice President for Fort Wayne, C. A. Munro; Vice President for Richmond, E. D. Wideman; Vice President for New Albany, J. E. Creed.

Vice President for Madison, H. P. Shannahan; Vice President for Logansport, G. P. Washburn; Vice President for Vincennes, W. S. Stoddard.

Board of Directors--A. E. Pattison, W. E. Wright, W. D. Cooper and C. A. McPherson, all of this city.

Delegates to National Convention--T. A. Dan, city; W. J. Hobbs, Richmond; D. A. Lowrey, Terre Haute, and George W. Gage, city.

Auditing Committee--Julius Walker, John Reagan and S. L. Morrison.

Just before adjournment Mr. N. A. Tribbodd, the Post Laureate of the association, was called out, and entertained the meeting with the following original song:

The commercial boys, The bald-headed boys, We hear again the welcome sound, Come share our annual joys; Old Time has made another round, With these bald-headed boys.

CHORUS--For Old Lang Syne, my boys, For Old Lang Syne, We'll take a cup of kindness yet For Old Lang Syne.

Two hundred thousand traveling men, The trade now well employ, And orders make trade good, we ken, From these bald-headed boys.

CHORUS--For Old Lang Syne, my boys, For Old Lang Syne, The sample-rooms are vacant now, The boys are all at home; Hotel clerks walk the floor and say, They wish the boys would come.

CHORUS--For Old Lang Syne, my boys, For Old Lang Syne, Some few who met with us last year, Have sought for higher joys; We'll drop upon each grave a tear For these bald-headed boys.

CHORUS--For Old Lang Syne, my boys, For Old Lang Syne, And here's our hand, mistake it not, A warm heart each enjoys; We'll take a right good "White Wash" For all bald-headed boys.

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