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\$10.00 Ladies' Jackets	\$3.95
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BEAR MOST GETS TEDDY
ROOSEVELT CHASED BY A GRIZZLY
He Stumbles and Falls, but the Bear Drumps Dead Not Fifteen Feet Away.

TOWNS ORGANIZE
Local Governments Set Up in the Province of Benguet.
Manila, Jan. 16.—The United States cable ship Burnside has finished laying the cable connecting the island of Negros with northern Mindanao, Zamboanga, Zamboanga and Jolo will soon be connected. H. Phelps Whitmarsh recently appointed governor of the province of Benguet, reports that several towns have organized local governments.

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Special Prices
With one pound of our 25c or 30c Coffee or with 2 packages of our XXXX at 15c per lb. To show the Trust our Coffees can not be kept from the people WE SELL GROCERIES AT THESE PRICES:

20 Granulated Sugar \$1.00
98 lbs. Our First Quality Flour, \$1.90

88 Pillsbury's Best XXXX Flour, \$1.98
Our second quality.

Cocoanut Shepps 1/4 lb. pkgs.	5c
Navy Beans Fancy hand picked per qt.	8c
Rutabaga Turnips per bu.	25c
Jelly Pure home-made, fruit per tumbler.	8c
Fresh Eggs per doz.	19c
Starch Best Gloss, large lump, 3 pounds for.	10c
Matches Best Parlor, 12 boxes for.	8c
Lima Beans 2-lb. cans.	8c
Corn 2-lb. cans.	6c
Tomatoes Standard, 3-lb. cans, per can.	7c
Raspberries Preserved in heavy syrup and put up in fancy oval cans.	10c
Strawberries	
Pineapple	

W. F. McLaughlin & Co.
No. 9 South 5th St.

EXIT 4TH OF MARCH
Bill in the House to Change Date of Inauguration.
THE LAST WEDNESDAY IN APRIL
Representative Glynn of New York Would Provide for Constitutional Amendment.
New York Sun Special Service
Washington, Jan. 16.—Representative Glynn of New York has introduced a resolution to amend the constitution of the United States in the terms of the president and the vice president and the members of the Fifty-eighth congress shall continue until the last Wednesday in April 1905, at noon, at that hereafter that the last Wednesday in April shall be substituted for the fourth of March as the commencement and termination of the official terms.

SUBSIDY BILL CHANGES
Republican Senators Will Demand Several Amendments.
Washington, Jan. 16.—A conference of republican leaders in the house of Senator Allison agreed that some radical amendments would be necessary before the shipping bill could pass the senate. The senators at the conference were Messrs. Allison, Aldrich, Spooner and McMillan.
The first amendment eliminates the fast line ships now drawing mail pay under the proposed bill, confining them to benefits of freight carrying.
The second limits the time during which the subsidies are to run after the ships built to a period of twenty years. The third makes freight-carrying vessels (commonly known as standard oil ships) ineligible to the benefits of the subsidy. The fourth enlarges the number of foreign-built vessels that can compete for the benefits of the bill. As the bill now reads, it is held to be possible for the big capacity lines to place orders to the full capacity of the yards for the next ten years, making it impossible for other lines to have vessels built and make application for the subsidy within the time specified.

Northwest Pensions.
Washington, Jan. 16.—Pensions granted: Minnesota—James Emery, Dodge Center, \$8; John W. Faustner, Albert Lea, \$8; John A. McNamara, St. Paul, \$8.
Wisconsin—George Dreyfus, Milwaukee, \$12; Myron Sherman, Wausau, \$12.
Iowa—Henry T. Ebert, Norwalk, \$8; Leonard L. Chapman, Mapleton, \$8; special Jan. 3, Thomas H. McConaughy, Bonaparte, \$12.
North Dakota—Frank E. Ferguson, Egan, \$4.
South Dakota—Joseph Markley, Tyndall, \$8; William L. Chambers, Delmont, \$8.

Washington Notes.
The electoral vote for president will be counted Feb. 12.
To defeat the ship subsidy bill, a carefully planned filibuster on the army bill was begun in the senate yesterday. The movement has as its avowed head Senators Pettigrew, Teller and Butler.
It appears from a document sent to the senate that the United States government has made no effort to enter into negotiations with the government of Colombia on the subject of an interoceanic canal.
Efforts are being made by the producers of vaccine to have the agricultural committee of congress omit from the agricultural appropriation bill the provision for vaccine made and distributed by the government on the ground that the government distribution is no longer necessary and is an interference with private enterprise.
Senator Morgan has introduced a resolution declaring the non-observance of the Bunker-Clayton treaty upon the United States and that the ratification by England of the amended Hay-Panamaote treaty is not a condition precedent to legislation by congress in pending for the ratification of agreements with Costa Rica and Nicaragua.

Argentine Mill Owners Are Active Against American Trade.
Buenos Ayres, Argentine, Jan. 16.—Numerous mill owners held a convention with the object of adopting measures for the exportation of flour, especially to Brazil. In view of the attempt made by the American minister at Rio Janeiro to have the government favor American flour, to the prejudice of the Argentine product, the minister of agriculture, Garcia Merou, the former Argentine minister at Washington, promised to send a commission to the United States to study there the conditions of flour exportation. The mill owners also requested the government to accord a reduction in the railway tariffs. There is also a proposition to give a bounty on exportation flour, but the press is opposed to this measure.

LIGHT ON MARS
Professor Pickering of Harvard Says It is Inexplicable.
Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 16.—Professor Pickering of the Harvard observatory said: "Early in December we received from the Lowell observatory in Arizona a telegram that a shaft of light had been seen to project from Mars (the Lowell observatory makes a specialty of Mars) lasting seventy minutes."
"Whatever the light was, we have no means of knowing whether it had intelligence or not, no one can say. It is absolutely inexplicable."

DEATH DESTROYS EVIDENCE
Dr. Kennedy, Charged With Murder, May Be Acquitted.
New York, Jan. 16.—The death of Wm. C. Huson, stenographer of the criminal branch of the supreme court, may cause the acquittal of Dr. Samuel J. Kennedy, whose second trial on a charge of killing Dolly Reynolds has been set for Feb. 4. Some of the witnesses at the first trial cannot be found and their evidence can be read at the second trial when the stenographer certifies that his transcript is a true one.

IT'S ENGLAND'S TROUBLE
Steamers Seized by Venezuela Belong to an English Company.
Washington, Jan. 16.—Great Britain now has a grievance against Venezuela. The steamers seized for use against the revolutionists belong to an English company, although an American is president, and the vessels fly the English flag. The seizure probably was brought to the attention of the London government. The United States is awaiting the initiative of Great Britain.

OIL SOLD SHORT WEIGHT
Lined Oil Trust Liable for Heavy Damages.
Chicago, Jan. 16.—By a ruling of Judge Horton yesterday the Lined Oil trust became liable for heavy damages. The court found that the custom of the company in selling 7 1/2 pounds of oil as a gallon was illegal and amounted to short weight and ordered judgment for \$12,012.
The Heat & Milling Manufacturing company brought the test case after the discovery that a gallon of lined oil in reality weighs 7 1/2 pounds.

Osborn's Nicollet Ave. Fifth Street. First Ave.
BUT THREE DAYS MORE of the WHITE SALE
Thursday's Wonderful Offerings.

The Big Store
An extraordinary event. The famous composer of "Because," "Always," "Wait," etc., Frederick V. Bowers Will give concerts Thursday 11 to 12 a. m. 2 to 3 p. m.
Come and hear the latest successes,
"When You Love," "When I Think of You," "Wait," "Something That Money Can't Buy," "When Sousa Leads the Band," "Quo Vadis Waltzes."

GRANDEST BARGAINS EVER OFFERED IN
Hur Collarettes
234 assorted Collarettes, all styles and combinations, with and without tabs. Prices were from \$8.00 up to \$65 each. We offer them Thursday
At Less Than 1/2 Actual Worth

Special Lace Sale
200 pieces English Torchon Laces with insertions to match, worth 12 1/2c yard. 5c
Special, yard. 10c
A large lot of Platt Valenciennes and Point de Paris Laces, worth up to 20c yd. Thurs., yd. 10c
Embroideries—Extra
Cambric and nainsook embroideries, worth 18c and 22c yd. Sp1, yd. 5c
50 pieces wide Cambric flouncings, extra well made. Spec1 for Thursday, yd. 25c

JANUARY SALE OF New Black and Colored Dress Goods
Involving thousands of yards—values so extraordinary as to seem incredible—the market demoralized by the unseasonable weather seeks an outlet from overstocked manufacturers, jobbers and importers anxious to unload previous to their inventory and January settlements. Many lots bought AT OUR OWN PRICES which in every instance was LESS THAN MANUFACTURERS' COST.

Black Dress Goods
Black Homespun—38 inches wide, good heavy weight, and a very stylish and seasonable fabric; also 40-inch Figured Wool Norettes, in a large variety of designs, regular doze and 50c qualities, yd. 19c
Black 44-inch Pebble Cheviots and 54-inch Skirt Cheviots, extra heavy \$1.00 qualities at, yd. 98c
5,000 yards of Silk Cloths in black and all colors, positively the best 25c quality in mill ends. At, per yard 8c
Black Cheviot—Extra heavy, strictly all wool and black, 44-inch Storm Serges, regular 75c quality at, per yard 49c
Black Cheviots and 54-inch black Paquetan Serges, two splendid heavy \$1.00 qualities at, per yard 75c
Sileas in black and all colors, extra heavy weight, that sells regularly at 20c a yard. At, per yard 10c
Black French Percales, beautifully moired, extra fine, this quality sells regularly at 20c only. 12 1/2c

Colored Dress Goods
500 pieces Novelty Dress Goods—lustrous Scotch Plaids, new two tone checks, houndstooths, mixtures, good heavy weights, dress goods that sell in the regular way at 19c, at, per yard 12c
350 pieces Homespun—in neat checks and plaids, in grays, tans, brown, blues, oxford, etc.; also zibeline Skirting and Waist Plaids, stylish mixtures, all colors, that sell regularly at 25c 54-in. Venetian Skirtings in Oxford grays, medium grays and navy blue; these cloths are 21 oz. in weight and very desirable for unlined rainy day and walking skirts, at... \$1.25
All Wool Granite Cloths—In over 50 bright new colors, also all wool extra heavy Paquetan Serges, in two shades of blue, navy blue, gray, brown, green, tans, modes, heaver, etc.; also fine imported high grade novelties worth to 90c, at, per yard 49c
350 pieces Novelty Dress Goods—In the celebrated Jamestown families, also Perion Cloths, in neat color designs, extra heavy weight in the new blues, browns, grays, reds, nation blues, etc., and silk and wool novelties for shirt waists. Regular 50c quality, yd. 25c

The great sale of the McCreery Silks continues. The latest weaves and colorings in high grade Silks at ONE-HALF ACTUAL WORTH.

Special Linen Bargains
Bleached Linen Huck Towels, heavy grade, size 20x44-in., a 20c value. Sale price, each, 12 1/2c
Bleached all linen Satin Damask, 70 in. wide, fine grade, sold at 75c, at, yd. 49c
Bleached all linen Napkins, 22x22 inches, fine, durable grade; a \$1.75 value. Sale price, dozen, \$1.25

Muslin Department
Best 1-yard wide Bleached Muslins, the 10c grades. Sale price, per yard, 7 1/2c
Bleached Pillow Casing, 45 inches wide, sold at 15c. Sale price, yard, 11c
Bleached Sheet, 2 1/2 yards wide, sold at 25c. Sale price, per yard, 19 1/2c

THE TWIN CITIES' GREATEST
Department of Undermuslins.
Every garment made up in splendid style. Workmanship perfect. If you appreciate dainty undermuslins you'll be interested in the display. There's no scrimping of material, the garments are all full size.

Drawers made of fine muslin, finished with wide hem and cluster of tucks, yoke band with tape, for Thursday only 15c
Gowns in many pretty styles, made in short and Gretchen style yoke, some lace, others embroidery trimmed, our reg. 98c line for Thurs. only 69c
White Aprons made of fine lawn, large size and long ties, neatly trimmed and well made, Thursday 16c
Short Flannellette Skirts in all the dainty stripes and colors, felled yoke band, full width, our reg. 49c line for Thursday only 11c
Black and colored Saten Petticoats in many pretty styles of cording and accordion plaited flounces, others with deep flounce, finished with four small ruffles, our \$2.49 goods for Thursday \$1.49 only

White Goods Dept.
Corded Plaid and Stripe Lawns, a sheer grade, sale price, yd. 8c
Fancy Striped Lawns, variety of stripes, sale price, yd. 10c
Fancy Lawns, all over lace effects, a beautiful material, sale price, yd. 12 1/2c
Wash Goods Dept.
Fancy Plaid Gingham, all dark colorings, the 10c line, sale price, yd. 7 1/2c
Fancy Cotton Crepes, plain colors and stripes, 12 1/2c value, sale price, yd. 7 1/2c
36-in. percales all light grounds in the new stripes, a 15c value, sale price, yd. 10c

January Clearance Sale of Cloaks, Skirts and Wrappers
Women's and Misses' Coats and Jackets—Most desirable garments in stock, strictly all wool materials and silk lined throughout, divided for quick clearance into 3 mammoth lots, former selling price ranging up to \$20, choice, \$7.50 \$4.98 \$3.75
Remaining Stock of Women's Walking Skirts—We name prices that will dispose of every skirt in stock, melton, kersey, cheviots, plaid back cloth in black and all prominent colors.
\$5.00 Skirts \$2.95 for
\$7.50 Skirts \$4.50 for
\$10 Skirts \$7.50 for
\$15.00 Skirts for \$9.98
All our Women's High Grade Fleece Lined Flannellette Wrappers and House Gowns, entire remaining stock, none reserved, regular selling price \$1.49 and \$2.75, at choice 98c
Women's English Raglans, Automobile Coats, Paletots, Long Newmarkets, Prince Alberts, Swell Box Coats and Jackets—In all the late correct lengths, former selling price up to \$55, at choice, \$20 \$14.98 \$10.00

Art Embroidery Dept.
Hand-painted Satin Head-Rests, large size, several different styles, finished with cord and tassels; regular price 85c, only 59c
Japanese Crepe Head-Rests, in pretty Persian effects, large size, finished with cord and tassels, worth 15c each, while they last, each, 9c
Monie Linen Tray Cloths, finished with cashmere border, draw work and fringe, bargain at 10c each, Thursday only, ea. 11c
30x30-Inch Lunch Cloths, hand hemmed, stitched and hand drawn work border all round, stamped in pretty floral designs, worth \$1.75, Sp1, 79c
Workbook Linen Dresser and Sideboard Scarfs, Pillow Shams and Table covers, in pretty open-work designs; worth 40c each, to close, 29c each.

\$1.25 Gloves, 69c
Women's Undressed Kid Gloves, a good assortment of sizes and colors, worth \$1.25, for 69c a pair.
Thursday Specials in Women's and Children's Underwear
Women's Jersey ribbed, fleece lined Vests and Pants, worth 18c, Thursday, per garment, each, 18c
Women's Jersey ribbed, fleece lined combination suits, glove fitting, Florence style, worth 47c, Thursday, choice, each, 47c
Women's wool plaid combination suits, Florence style, worth \$1 each, Thursday only, each, 69c
Children's Gray Merino Vests and Pants at Special Prices for Thursday—
Sizes: 16 18 20 22 24
Special price, 7c 10c 13c 16c 19c
Sizes: 26 28 30 32 34
Special price, 22c 25c 28c 31c 34c

Gas Mantles & Lamps
Burner, mantle, chimney and shade, complete, (like cut), special 43c
Mantles, A, 1, regular price 10c straight, Thurs. 2 for 15c
Gallery Lamps, complete with plain or Trostet globes, regular special, each 22c
Spectacles and Eyeglasses
If you want to get a becoming pair of glasses scientifically fitted to your eyes without paying an exorbitant price, call at our Optical Dept. We carry a complete stock of everything in the optical line and have the latest appliances for the thorough and scientific examination of eyes. Best lenses in aluminum frames \$1.25
Best lenses in rimless eyeglasses (nickel) \$1.25

Notions
Black and colored brush Skirt Binding, equal to the best, Thursday, yard, 4c
Dress Shields, seamless Stockinet, sizes 3 and 4. Every pair warranted, Thursday, pair, 5c
Rubber Tape Measures, 60 inches long, printed on both sides, worth 5c, Thursday, each, 2c
German Crochet Cotton, cream and colors, worth 5c, Thurs., ball 1c
Dress Trimmings
Black silk and fancy head Gimps, many in this lot worth 10c and 12 1/2c, Thursday, yard, 5c
One lot colored Applique Gimps, odd pieces and worth up to \$2.50, Thursday, yard, 10c
New patterns, values up to 20c, Thursday, yard, 75c
Long White slips for Natans, neck and sleeve trimmings, worth 3c, 21c
Special price, 10c
Embroidery, neck and sleeves trimmed, worth 75c, sizes 6 mo. to 2 yrs. On special sale at, 43c

Special Corset Bargains
W. B. R. & G. and Thomson's military strap front Corset, made of the best coutil and French satinet, sizes and colors. For one day only \$1.50
The Zenobia, straight front and French gored Corset, made of fine saten, trimmed with lace and ribbon, a perfect fitting Corset, sizes 18 to 28, in drab and white; regular \$1.50 goods. For Thursday only, at... 98c
Warner's pique Corset, a regular \$1.00 Corset, boned with the rust proof steel, neatly trimmed, lined and perfect fitting, sizes 18 to 30. For one day only 69c
We show a dozen different styles in long, medium and short, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 lbs. made of best, well boned and very shapely, colors black, white, drab, pink and blue, that sold for 39c for Thurs 39c

MINNESOTA
RED WING—The Milwaukee will build a new station in the spring. Superintendent Foster says the plans are already adopted.
JORDAN—Grandma Stoldt, aged 99 years and 6 months, was buried from the Lutheran church. She was born in Germany, in 1801.
LANGDON—The funeral of Mrs. Herman Wolfe was held from the German Episcopal church in Cottage Grove. She was 44 years of age.
ANOAKA—Michael Manning, one of the oldest settlers in this county, dropped dead of heart disease on First avenue. He was 89 years old.
STILLWATER—Three alleged cases of smallpox were discovered yesterday, and all the schools were closed. There is a suspicion, however, that the cases quarantined are not smallpox.
FARIBAULT—The funeral of Mrs. J. B. Wheeler, who died in Minneapolis, took place yesterday afternoon.—Daniels Shedy, aged 12 years, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shedy, died suddenly of heart disease.
ST. CLOUD—An alternative writ of mandamus was issued by Judge Searle to O. F. Trace of Sauk Rapids, who refuses to surrender the office of superintendent of schools of Benton county to his legally elected successor, Miss Mary Brett.

WISCONSIN
AHERT—Carl Pierson was killed at Hans Johnson's mill. He was getting sawdust from under a large pile, when a cake, weighing a ton or so, broke off and crushed him to death.
LA CROSSE—Dan Noble and Conrad Ruhnke were sentenced to Waupun for one year and a half each by Judge Fruit, for having five cases of smallpox have been reported, all of which are of a mild form.
ASHLAND—The largest sale of lumber closed in the Ashland district this winter is that of the Keystone Lumber company to the Edward Hines Lumber company, of Chicago, by which the Keystone closed out its entire lot for 1901 to the Chicago firm. The price is about \$600,000.
WEST SUPERIOR—The local tax committee has practically decided to ask the legislature to pass a vessel tonnage tax law like that in Minnesota—2 cents per ton.—Mrs. Mary Green secured a verdict of \$1,350 against the town of Nebagamon. The case was for damages on account of internal injuries received through an accident caused by a defective bridge.

IOWA
SIOUX CITY—The \$50,000 Pierce House was awarded to Colonel L. J. Barbour, the millionaire breadmaker of New York.
DUBUQUE—Peter Metele celebrated his ninety-ninth birthday yesterday.—The soft weather is breaking up the ice in the river and ice men are worrying over the situation.
GRINNELL—F. E. Crawford is charged with having obtained money under false pretences by putting up warehouse receipts as collateral when the goods were not present. During the progress of the case, a bundle of papers of the utmost importance disappeared. Judge Scott has ordered every attorney and official to make a thorough search.

IN A NUTSHELL
Quincy, Ill.—Scott Wike is dead at his home near Barry, in Pike county. He served two terms in congress and was controller of the currency during the second Cleveland administration.
Washington—The city council of Amsterdam has voted \$500,000 guilders, \$2,412,000, for an electric plant which is to furnish power for street cars, lighting, etc., for that city. Consul Frank D. Hill reported that the prospects seem fair for a part at least of the supplies to come from the United States.
Chicago—Between machine manufacturers and members of the National Metal Trades association and their union workmen trouble is said to be brewing over the question of shorter hours, and a strike is threatened in the spring, involving about 20,000 out of the 50,000 union machinists in the United States.
Barstow, Cal.—Santa Fe overland No. 8, east bound from San Francisco, for Chicago, ran into a burning bridge at Siberia, seventy miles east of here. All the cars were derailed, but none of the passengers were hurt.
Chicago—Stepping, as he thought, from the front car of a South Side elevated train to the platform of the Fifty-fifth street station, last night, Theodore G. Boettger, a well-known musical composer, 71 years old, fell to the alley, thirty feet, and received injuries from which it is believed he will die.

Hennings, Minn., Jan. 16.—Andrew Samuelson, a farmer, filed a petition in bankruptcy, placing his assets at \$725 and his liabilities at \$2,845.46.

GRIP, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS
THESE THREE DREADED DISEASES can be avoided if DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY is taken at the first symptoms of a cold. A chill or cold, if neglected, may develop into a fatal illness. Don't trifle with your health. Keep
Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey
in your medicine closet and use it promptly at the first signs of approaching grip, pneumonia or other lung or throat trouble. It will save doctors' bills and may save your life.
FREE—If you are sick and run down, write us, we can help you; it will cost you nothing to learn how to obtain health, energy and vitality. Send for free medical booklet and testimonials.

It is the only whiskey used by the Government as a medicine. This is a guarantee. All druggists and grocers or direct from
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