

DONALDSON'S GLASS BLOCK STORE.

Following the Custom Inaugurated by Us Some Years Ago, This Store will Open Mornings

Half Price Shoes.

Six lines of Ladies' warm lined Shoes. Some foxed with kid, some with kid side foxing, some all felt. Not a pair in the lot worth less than \$1.49. All sizes, all styles, for this sale just half price.

Silks at Cost.

To reduce our stock of Novelty Silks immediately, we will sacrifice two of our best lines of fancy novelties at about half price. 500 yards more striped Novelty Taffetas, regular price \$1.00 per yard; 400 yards Brocade Satins, in evening shades, value and regular price \$1.00 per yard. For this special sale only..... **59c**
300 yards black Silk Taffeta, 19 inches wide, strong, brilliant goods. Equal to that sold usually at 59c, for this sale only..... **42c**

Women's Underwear

AT SPECIAL CUT PRICES.
Great Bargains for Saturday.
Women's 75c and \$1.00 fine Camel's Hair or Natural Wool vest or pants, broken line of sizes. Special to close, Saturday..... **69c**
Women's \$1.00 Natural Wool Plated Union Suits—Special..... **79c**
Women's Hosiery—Extra value in Women's heavy ribbed leg wool or fine cashmere hose—a bargain..... **35c** 3 prs. for **\$1.00**

Half Price Skirts.

Cloak and Suit Department.
Ladies' Tailor Made Skirts, chevrot, Homespun, and Serge Dress Skirts, some are prettily trimmed with braid, flounce and flare effect, they come in black, gray, blue and pretty mixtures, are extra good values, have been selling as high as \$8.50, Saturday special, **\$3.98** only.

Half Price Tailor Made Suits.

1 lot Tailor Made Suits in plain colors and mixed suitings, both tight fitting and coat effects, suits that have sold as high as \$20.00, Saturday..... **\$10.00**

Half Price Misses' Jackets.

About 100 Misses' short Jackets with values up to \$12.50, placed on two tables, choice..... **\$3.98** and **\$1.98** and

NOTE—All our handsome Raglans, Automobiles and Box Jackets greatly reduced in price.

Plush Capes at Special Cut Prices.

Cloak and Suit Dept.
1 lot Plush Capes 28 and 30 in. long trimmed with bear and thibet fur, both plain and braid trimmed good values at \$12.00, Saturday..... **\$7.50**

Half Price Handkerchiefs

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled and mussed from being on trim or handling, hemstitched and embroidered, scalloped edge and lace trimmed, worth when clean up to 25c. Special to close..... **10c**
Ladies' Jabots, made of chiffon, liberty silk and lace, slightly soiled from handling or on trim, worth up to 75c. Special to close, each..... **25c**

at 8:30 and Close Evenings at 5:30.

Open till 10 p. m. SATURDAY. Open till 10 p. m.

For Saturday we announce one of those great sales that mean so much to the people—a clean-up preparatory to stock-taking, December 31st. One of the greatest bargain events of the year.

Many Departments Will Sell at Half Price, Others at Cost, all at Special Cut Prices.

The public knows that an announcement like the above, carried out in good faith Saturday, means a saving which none can afford to overlook, besides demonstrating more fully than ever the helpfulness to you of our methods of doing business—those methods which have made the success of this store possible.

Half Price on China.

Main Floor.
Art Vases and Bric-a-Brac collected from various parts of the globe such as Royal Pate, Royal Saxe, English Pointon—and hundreds of others equally as pretty in their exclusive shapes and designs.
Fancy China, Comb and Brush Trays, Celery Trays, Crumb Trays, Spoon Trays, Card Boxes, Cake or Roll Trays, Chop Plates, Fish and Game Plates, Cracker Jars, Chocolate Pots and Bisque Figures in assorted designs. All go in this special sale at just one-half of our already low marked prices.

Half Price Pictures.

In Basement.
Clearing sale of Framed Pictures. 25c Framed Pictures, beautiful assortment in gilt and black frames, closing out price..... **12 1/2c**
50c and 75c Framed Pictures. Closing out price..... **25c**
10,000 Unframed Matted Pictures; one, two, three and five Panel Pictures; closing out price..... **2 1/2c**

Black Dress Goods.

SPECIAL CUT PRICES.
20 pieces heavy black Skirting—needs no lining—56 inches wide—while this lot lasts only, per yard..... **50c**

Col'd Dress Goods.

SPECIAL CUT PRICE.
56-inch heavy Oxford Gray Skirting, in the new chalk line stripes. Regular values \$1.00 and \$1.25, special cut price for Saturday only, per yard..... **69c**

Flannel Dept. Special Cut Prices.

5000 yards fancy flannelettes also plain grays and brown mixed, in lengths from 1 to 10 yards—at special cut price for Saturday, per yard, only..... **5 1/2c**
100 pieces fancy striped elderdawns, plain and fancy striped flannel waistings, regular price 50c and 65c, special cut price, Saturday, per yard, only..... **39c**

Half Price. Jewelry Department.

25c and 50c Fancy Silver plated Bon-Bon Dishes, Child's Cups, Napkin Rings, Puff Jars, Card Trays—choice..... **12 1/2c**

Half Price. ORIENTAL PLASTER REPRODUCTIONS.

Main Floor.
12-inch Statues finished in green bronze—Regular Price \$1.00—Closing Out..... **25c**
\$2.00 Oriental Masks, comprised of Oriental and Indian Masks—Closing Out Price..... **\$1.00**

Half Price. All Found in the Stationery Dept.

Smokers' Sets, Match Safes, Paper Weights, Fancy Leather Tablets, Cigar Boxes, Ink Stands, Card Racks, Figure Pieces, etc.
Calendars—Half the Marked price (a fine assortment left).

Half Price. Celluloid Boxes and Novelties.

On Tables in Annex.
This means our entire assortment, including Glove and Handkerchief Sets, Photograph Holders, Necktie Boxes, Work Boxes, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Jewel Boxes, Trinket Boxes and Shaving Sets, all of the latest styles—crinkled edges, gilded ornate edges, paintings from tasty designs on the low price goods, to magnificent decorations on the higher grades; novel shapes, swell fronts, fine metal trimmings, etc. The entire lot, without reserve, Saturday, one-half price.

Half Price Corsets.

Second Floor.
Odd lot of Corsets of standard makes, made of the best materials, fine models for slender and stout figures, perfect goods but broken sizes. Clearance price..... **69c**

Half Price Wool Fascinators

Ice Wool Fascinators, all very handsome patterns, made in black only, regular price 79c, clearance price..... **39c**

Half Price Children's Bonnets.

Second Floor.
Children's Bonnets made of handsome material, in French or poke shape trimmed with handsome bows or pom-poms wide ties made in popular shades, regular price 98c, clearance price..... **48c**

Half Price Millinery

The Great Final Clearing up Sale of Trimmed Hats.
This week will end the present season and not a hat will be left over—every one to be sold at about the cost of making. Four large tables will be filled with these bargains and you can select any one of them for..... **\$3.50**
The balance of our superb line of outing hats will be closed out at, each..... **\$1.50**
All untrimmed hats, each..... **25c**
All fancy Feather Boas at a great reduction.

Half Price. Drug Dept.

Great closing out bargains, all celluloid covered Toilet Cases, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Work Boxes, Manicure Sets, Toilet, Atomizer and Powder Jar Sets, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes; One-Half off Saturday.

All Smoker Sets, metal top Puff Boxes, Salve Jars, etc., Half off.

Furniture Dept.

BOOKCASE SALE.
Lot 80—Regular \$47.50, mahogany combination Case, Saturday..... **\$37.50**
Lot 213—Regular \$35, Mahogany Combination Case, Saturday..... **\$29.00**
Lot 80—Regular \$40 golden oak Combination Case, For Saturday..... **\$30.00**
Lot 24—Regular \$42.50 golden oak Combination Case, For Saturday..... **\$32.50**
Lot 89—Regular \$23.00 mahogany Combination Case, Saturday..... **\$17.75**
Lot 28—Regular \$22.75 golden oak Combination Case, For Saturday..... **\$16.75**
Lot 3275—Regular \$40 mahogany Library 2-door Case, Saturday..... **\$30.00**
Lot 3276—Regular \$35 golden oak Library 2-door Case, Saturday..... **\$25.00**
Lot 58—Regular \$23.75 golden oak Library 3-door Case, Saturday..... **\$19.75**
Lot 52—Regular \$22.75 golden oak 3-door Library Case, Saturday..... **\$18.75**
Lot 70—Regular \$40.00 mahogany 3-door Library Case, Saturday..... **\$30.00**
Lot 238—Regular \$45.00 mahogany 8-door Library Case, Saturday..... **\$35.00**
Special price on every Bookcase in our Furniture Department.

METHODIST CONSTITUTION

New Revised Instrument Provides for Woman Delegates.
Chicago, Dec. 27.—The new constitution of the Methodist Episcopal church, which was adopted at the last general conference of that denomination, held here in 1900, and referred to the various conferences throughout the country, has finally been approved by the three-quarters vote required. The vote was: Ayes, \$1,169; nays, 2,513. The element which op-

posed the new organic law of the church, because it provided for the admission of women as delegates to the general conference, made war on the new constitution all along the line, but met with defeat. The principal changes provided for by the new constitution are: It gives women the right to sit as delegates in the general conference. It gives laymen's electoral meetings authority to vote on constitutional questions. It changes the vote necessary in the general conference to amend the constitution from three-fourths to two-thirds.

IN A NUTSHELL

TACOMA—December will be the banner month this year for wheat shipments from Tacoma. Shipments for the month will exceed 1,000,000 bushels.
Dedit—One of the attending surgeons on General R. A. Alger said at the critical period in the general's illness passed and his recovery is practically certain.
New York—Major N. B. Thurston, inspector of small arms on the staff of Major General Roe of the national guard, will succeed W. S. Devery as first deputy police commissioner.
Lincoln, Neb.—Mr. Bryan announces that he expects to own and edit the Commoner the rest of his life. This is interpreted by his friends as a definite withdrawal of Mr. Bryan from the national political arena.
Beaufort, S. C.—A gasoline yacht, in which the two sons of Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, and the wife of one of them, with several friends, recently passed through Norfolk en route to Florida waters, has been wrecked on Cedar island.

MINNESOTA

WINONA—Eugene D. Dogan, of Ridgway, is at the hospital suffering from severe injuries received from vicious dogs.
BRAINERD—The Vanstrum Clothing company's store was damaged by fire by the explosion of an air-tight stove. The loss was \$5,000.
GANNON FALLS—Gibbertson's cigar factory was gutted by fire. The building was insured in the Home Insurance company of New York.
JORDAN—Daniel Kauchak, of Carver, while crossing the Minneapolis & St. Louis track, was struck by a north-bound passenger train. His condition is critical.
STILLWATER—The sheriff of Chicago county arrived with Abe Nelson, who killed his mother near Taylor Falls on Christmas eve—Jim Younger is again laid up from an old gunshot wound near the spine.

IOWA

DES MOINES—Charles Johnson, bartender, undertook to act as peacemaker in a fight and was stabbed just below the heart by William Smith, a parolee prisoner. Johnson died at the hospital and Smith is in jail.
CEDAR FALLS—F. N. Chase is dead. He was widely known in the middle west, as he was commissioner for Iowa to the New Orleans exposition in 1884-5; to the world's fair in Chicago in 1893, and later to the Omaha exposition.

WASHINGTON

The war department has been advised from Manila of the surrender of the insurgent chief, Samson at Matasaron, with all his officers and men and twenty-eight cannon.
The wife of Admiral Sampson says: "My dear husband is quite worn out with a long life consecrated to duty. Physically he is comfortable and happy, but the brain is tired beyond ever being rested."
Indian Commissioner Jones says that one of the first tasks to be assigned to Major Scott, the new agent at Leech Lake, will be the readjustment of allotments made to the Chippewas on the reservations embraced in the agency.

WISCONSIN

ASHLAND—John Kennedy, a well-known resident, was seriously burned while acting the part of Santa Claus at the home of a friend.
OSCEOLA—The Balsam Lake Indians got into a row Christmas eve and one of them was struck on the head with an ax and his brain exposed. He is still alive.
BLACK RIVER FALLS—At a special term of court, Judge O'Neil sentenced John Cheney, Charles Hunt and William Rumstick, the Merrilla burglars, to seven years at Waupun.
HUDSON—The first shipment of the 50,000-foot logs which are to be delivered by rail from Hawthorne, Wis., by Saunty & Co., arrived yesterday. It consisted of a train of thirty cars.
LA CROSSE—One of the largest family reunions ever held in this city took place when twenty-seven members of the D. P. Smith family met at the residence of that gentleman, who is now one of the oldest men in La Crosse.

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