

# Donaldson's Glass Block.

SEND NAME AND ADDRESS FOR FALL AND WINTER CATALOGUE OF FASHIONS. MAIL ORDERS WILL BE PROMPTLY FILLED AT SPECIAL PRICES.

## THURSDAY'S MAGNIFICENT SHOWING OF THE New Autumn and Fall Dress Goods.

In Colored Dress Goods the Following:

**FINE CLOTH FABRICS**—Broadcloth and Venetian Cloth in exceptionally good qualities and a full range of the new and staple colorings, 52 to 56 inches wide; rich, lustrous finish; prices range from \$1.00 up to \$3.50 per yard.

**WOOL TAFFETAS**—One of the latest fabrics for fall wear in the new shadow checks and plain soft finish, in all the new scarce shades, per yard only... **\$1.00**

**WOOL WAISTINGS**—27-inch fancy Wool Waisting, handsome plaids, stripes and figures; very stylish for the new fall waists. Per yard, 75c and \$1.00.

**GRAY SUITINGS**—Special lot of new grays just in, 54 inches wide; cut special for Thursday only, yd. **\$1.19**

**FRENCH CHALLIES**—With an eye to the early showing of the finest and most exclusive of this famous fabric, we purchased months ago from the best manufacturers in France over 200 approved designs, many of them confined patterns. Prices are 50c, 59c and 65c.

**SPECIAL ON BARGAIN TABLE**—3,000 yards of fancy mixed suitings, 36 inches wide, in brown, green, red and gray; good value at 66c; cut for this sale only, **33c** per yard

### Black Dress Goods Specials for Thursday:

**GRANITE CLOTHS**—50-inch all worsted heavy weight, suitable for suits or separate skirts; an excellent wearing fabric. Special, per yard... **59c**

**NEW BLACK FABRICS AT \$1.00 A YARD**—44-inch Wool Taffeta, 46-inch Chiffon Panama; 45-inch German Henrietta; 48-inch all-wool Broadcloth; 56-inch Cheviot Suiting; choice, yd. **\$1.00**

**BLACK VOILE**—44-inch imported make; rich black; crisp and wiry. Especially priced for Thursday, per yard... **69c**

**NEW BLACK DRESS FABRICS AT \$1.50 A YARD**—45-inch Cravenette Prunella Cloth, 45-inch Imported Drap D'Ete, 45-inch Silk Warp Henrietta; 52-inch Victoria Broadcloth; 52-inch, Imported Panama Cloth. For this sale, per yard **\$1.50**

## The Great September Blanket Sale.

OUR SECOND SHIPMENT of manufacturers' and travelers' samples is ready. This will be a Blanket Sale, overflowing with economies for all who purchase for homes, hotels, clubs and boarding-houses. Since our purchases, material and labor have taken a big jump upwards; therefore, no such prices as given here can be expected on future lots. In this lot there are plain grays, scarlet, tans, white and fancy plaids, 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4 sizes. None of these are damaged in weaving, only slightly soiled from handling, otherwise perfect. All marked at special low prices for this sale. Displayed on tables and counters in Blanket Department, Main Floor.

## PUNCTURES JAP MEDICAL RECORD

Army Surgeon Declares Reports of Islanders' Progress Lack Basis of Fact.

Detroit, Sept. 27.—An attack by Dr. Charles D. Stokes, a surgeon in the United States army, on statements made by Major Louis L. Seaman of New York in utterances contrasting the results obtained during the Russo-Japanese war by the Japanese medical officers with the medical history of the Spanish-American war and Philippine insurrection, was the feature of the opening day of the fourth convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States.

Dr. Stokes sharply challenged the accuracy of a number of Major Seaman's statements and statistics. He quoted Dr. Seaman as stating that for a campaign lasting six weeks during the Spanish war the proportionate battle casualties to those of disease were 1 to 4.

Quotes Army Records.

He then quoted the report of the secretary of war for 1898 as showing that this proportion was 1 to 1 1/2. Dr. Seaman makes the proportion of battle casualties in the civil war 1 to 5, and Dr. Stokes, while the proportion as shown by the medical and surgical history of the rebellion was 1 to 2.

The speaker then quoted an alleged statement by Dr. Seaman that in General Oku's army only forty out of 5,600 men sent home had died, and said: "He must have been in error in this. Forty cases of sudden death at the front occurred, but all the serious cases were transferred at once to the base hospitals in the rear. Of these 5,600 cases 5,070 case were of beri beri a disease with a mortality rate almost as high as typhoid fever. In the second Japanese army of 57,000 men there was a sick list of 24,642 in seven months, which gives an annual mortality rate of 74 per thousand, which is not very different from that of other armies under favorable conditions."

Beri Beri Not Absent.

Dr. Stokes then quoted Dr. Seaman as saying before the military affairs committee of the house of representatives that beri beri is almost unknown in the Japanese army.

On the contrary," said he, "it is known that the first army had, in four months, 4,600 cases of beri beri, and the second army 5,070 cases in seven months, and it is said the losses in the effective forces of Nogi's army before Port Arthur were 25,000 from beri beri alone."

## WOMAN FACES ARREST AS A BLACKMAILER

New York Sun Special Service.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 27.—The Cuyahoga county grand jury has returned an indictment against Mrs. Annie Lee of Chicago for attempted blackmail. Governor Myron T. Herrick, J. H. Schumacher of the Pinkerton agency, and Lawrence Deziel, guard of the Society for Savings, who threw the Lee woman out of Herrick's office, appeared before the grand jury and gave their testimony, following which a secret indictment was returned against the woman against the Lee woman will be withheld until she is placed under arrest.

The Lee woman was in Cleveland several weeks ago with a child which she claimed to be Governor Herrick's. Failing to see the governor, she went to Columbus, where she sought Judge Sloan's services in the case. The judge announced, however, that he would not take up her battle unless he was sure that the element of blackmail did not enter in any way into the case. Herrick at the time claimed that the woman tried to blackmail other prominent men in a similar manner.

## WIELDS BLUE LAW TO SOLVE DRINK PROBLEM

New York Sun Special Service.

Orange, N. J., Sept. 27.—Justice of the Peace William E. Summers of Milburn purposes to invoke the aid of the revised statutes of 1799 in solving Milburn's drink problem. Judge Summers thinks he is to be rid of some of his chronic drunkards, and he has resurrected some of the old laws to do it. This particular law, which was passed in 1799, gives the justice power to order the overseer of the poor to post three notices in the most public places in the township, notifying all persons against selling, or giving, or supplying the advertised person with liquor. Every saloonkeeper in town will be served with a copy of the blacklist, and anyone found disobeying the order will be arrested, as the law provides a penalty of \$10 for each offense.

## YANKEE CRUISER IN BATTLE WITH WRECK

New York Sun Special Service.

New York, Sept. 27.—One of the most persistent and dangerous menaces to the United States merchant marine was destroyed yesterday by the cruiser Oniz. Oniz, a fast and powerful scout and a one day battle, 120 miles off Sandy Hook. The Columbia's opponent in the game of hide and seek, which lasted four days, was the derelict Edward L. Warren, a half-submerged three-masted schooner which has been drifting in different parts of the ocean off Sandy Hook for months, endangering all the vessels which found New York a port.

## RUSSIANS BUY FLOUR

Orders for 180,000 Barrels Received by Seattle Millers.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 27.—An order for 180,000 barrels of flour to be delivered immediately has been placed with a local flour mill by Vladivostok flour merchants.

This is the largest single order ever placed on the Pacific coast. Three special steamers have been chartered to carry the shipment.

New orders for Hongkong and Shanghai delivery are being received, and all orders placed before the boycott was proclaimed have been confirmed.

## RICH CHINAMAN MURDERED

Body of Gip Key of Lead, S. D., Also Robbed.

Lead, S. D., Sept. 27.—Gip Key, a wealthy Chinese laundryman, was murdered and robbed last night while walking along the railroad tracks. His body was found today with the skull crushed. He lived in the Black Hills for twenty years, was married and had amassed a fortune in mining properties.

There is no article in the line of medicines that gives so large a return for the money as a good porous strengthening plaster, such as Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters.

2 for 1 S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS in Boys' Dept. Thursday



NICOLLET AND THIRD.

## The Best Boys' Clothing for the Least Money



Our Boys' Department is heavily stocked with the most sensible, serviceable values at the most reasonable prices shown in Minneapolis.

### Particularly Special Values for Thursday

Boys' double-breasted 2-piece suits. Cheviots, oxford mixtures, blacks and browns; strong, solid, good-wearing suits for school. Worth up to \$2.50, \$1.90.

Boys' double-breasted suits and overcoats in all wool kersey and fancy mixed cheviots; heavy twill lining; reinforced seams; strongly stitched, ages 6 to 16, \$2.90.

Boys' double-breasted Norfolk and Tweed suits; stripes and overplaid worsteds, worth to \$4.50, \$3.90.

Boys' reefers and long overcoats; in cheviots, tweeds and Scotches; belt back, single or double-breasted cuts; Venetian twill lining. Exceptional values at \$3.90.

Showing the greatest range of children's fine dress suits in imported serges, tweeds and fancy Scotches; Eton, Norfolk and Buster Brown styles; contrasting trimmings, white collars; perfectly tailored. From \$4.45 to \$6.90.

Young men's college suits; single-breasted or the new shape double-breasted make; in serges, worsteds, thibets and fancy suitings. Reinforced fronts; heavy wool serge body lining; perfectly tailored. Suits worth to \$15. Thursday, \$9.75.

Showing a great assortment of boys' knee pants. Mill ends, made from remnants of suitings, worth to \$1; in Scotches, tweeds, worsteds and cheviots; ages 4 to 16 years, 45c.

Boys' double-breasted heavy blue serge and black clay worsted and tweed suits; plain, double-breasted or Norfolk. Regular or knickerbocker trousers. As good as shown elsewhere for \$6; ages 6 to 16. \$4.90. Children's new style overcoats, black and blue clay worsted, kerseys and cheviots; fancy embroidered sleeve; all new designs and patterns, \$4.90.

Young men's suits, 14 to 20 years. In Scotches, tweeds and worsteds, well tailored; extra special value, \$7.45.

SHELDON, IOWA.—City Marshal Hudson arrested the Scheerhorn at a farmhouse today. Scheerhorn is accused of stealing a horse, buggy and harness near Luverne, Minn., and is supposed to be a member of a robber gang near Hosper.

IRON RIVER, MICH.—John Henriksen of Moston (tripped over a log while hunting. He was carrying a horse, buggy and harness near Luverne, Minn., and is supposed to be a member of a robber gang near Hosper. Which resulted in death a few hours later.

HAYFIELD, MINN.—Hayfield's third market day was held yesterday and a large crowd was in town and the stores did an immense business. Much surplus farm truck was sold at auction, also many horses. The day draws farmers for twenty miles around.

## CONTAGIOUS BLOOD POISON HUMILIATING—VILE—DESTRUCTIVE

The very name, Contagious Blood Poison, suggests contamination and dread. It is the worst disease the world has ever known; responsible for more unhappiness and sorrow than all others combined. Nobody knows anything about the origin of this loathsome trouble, but as far back as history goes it has been regarded the greatest curse of mankind.

No part of the body is beyond the reach of this powerful poison. No matter how pure the blood may be, when the virus of Contagious Blood Poison enters, the entire circulation becomes corrupted, the humiliating symptoms begin to appear, and the sufferer finds himself diseased from head to foot with the vilest and most destructive of all poisons. Usually the first symptom is a small sore or ulcer, so insignificant that it rarely ever excites suspicion, but in a short while the skin breaks out in a red rash, the glands of the groin swell, the throat and mouth ulcerate, the hair and eye-brows come out, and often the body is covered with copper-colored spots, pustular eruptions and sores.

There is hardly any limit to the ravages of Contagious Blood Poison; if it is not driven from the blood it affects the nerves, attacks the bones, and in extreme cases causes tumors to form on the brain, producing insanity and death. No other disease is so highly contagious; many an innocent person has become infected by using the same toilet articles, handling the clothing, by a friendly handshake or the kiss of affection from one afflicted. But no matter how the disease is contracted, the sufferer feels the humiliation and degradation that accompany the vile disorder.

Mercury and Potash are commonly used in the treatment of Contagious Blood Poison, but these minerals cannot cure the disease—they merely mask it in the system. All external evidences may disappear for awhile, but the treacherous poison is at work on the internal members and tissues, and when these minerals are left off the disease returns worse than before, because the entire system has been weakened and damaged by the strong action of the Mercury and Potash. There is but one certain, reliable cure for Contagious Blood Poison, and that is S. S. S., the great vegetable blood purifier. It attacks the disease in the right way by going down into the blood, neutralizing and forcing out every particle of the poison. It makes the blood pure and rich, strengthens the different parts of the body, tones up the system, and cures this humiliating and destructive disorder permanently.

The improvement commences as soon as the patient gets under the influence of S. S. S. and continues until every vestige of the poison is driven from the blood and the sufferer is completely restored to health. S. S. S. is not an experiment; it is a success. It has cured thousands of cases of Contagious Blood Poison, many of which had given the Mercury and Potash treatment, Hot Springs, etc., a thorough trial, and had almost despaired of ever being well again. S. S. S. is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, and does not injure the system in the least. We offer a reward of \$1,000 for proof that it contains a particle of mineral of any kind. If you are suffering with this despicable and debasing disease, get it out of your blood with S. S. S. before it does further damage. We will gladly send our book with instructions for self-treatment and any medical advice, without charge, to all who write.

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## GARTER FIGHTING TO KEEP HALF MILLION

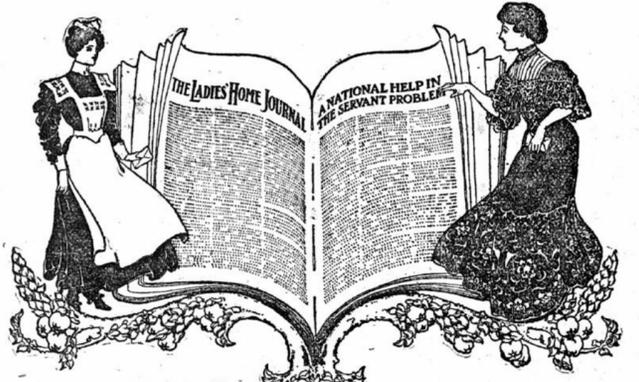
New York Sun Special Service. Chicago, Sept. 27.—Oberlin M. Carter, former captain in the United States army, released after serving a five-year sentence for embezzling a large amount from the government thru construction contracts in Georgia in 1898, was cross-examined by special Assistant Attorney General Erwin before Special Examiner Richard Wyman yesterday. The former army officer is fighting the government in its efforts to recover property in his possession amounting to \$500,000. In various states cash and real estate to that amount belonging to him have been attached by the government.

## STOLE PENNIES FROM THE HAND OF A BABY

New York Sun Special Service. Chicago, Sept. 27.—Another "meanest man in Chicago" came to light yesterday when Michael Worsmark was fined \$75 for stealing five pennies from the chubby hand of a baby on the street. A policeman said he saw a little 4-year-old boy run up to Worsmark and hold out his hand, displaying in delight five coppers his mother had given him to buy candy with. Worsmark, thirty and penniless, grasped the coins and started away, the child running after him and screaming. The policeman arrested the man and restored the pennies to the boy.

## DRAPER SEEMS FIRST IN BAY STATE RACE

Boston, Sept. 27.—The opponents of tariff revision and Canadian reciprocity and the supporters of Eben S. Draper of Hopedale for the party nomination for lieutenant governor, appear to have won in the republican primaries yesterday. A revision of the figures seemed to show that Mr. Draper had a good lead over Colonel A. H. Goetting of Springfield, and Judge Fred S. Hall of Taunton, although many unpledged delegations were chosen. For attorney general, District Attorney Dana Malone of Greenfield will probably lead his three competitors. District Attorney George A. Sanderson of Aver, and Asa P. French of Randolph and former Mayor Edgar R. Champlin of Cambridge.



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## A National Help In the Servant Problem

The nearest approach to a solution of the question and to a national employment agency. The New Department In the October

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