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Red Ticket Sale At Hennessy's Big Store

Refrigerators

At One-Fourth Off in Basement

Now is the time to buy the most needed articles for the summer season. Gurney's Refrigerators, the world's best make, going at 1/4 off

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| Gurney Refrigerators, Regular | \$21.00 value for | \$15.75 |
| Gurney Refrigerators, Regular | \$24.50 value for | 18.40 |
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| Gurney Refrigerators, Regular | \$32.00 value for | 24.00 |
| Gurney Refrigerators, Regular | \$35.00 value for | 26.25 |
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The Celebrated "White Mountain" Freezers

This is the finest freezer made, and the only one that has more than two motions. Over 1,000,000 in daily use, and every one entirely satisfactory. Buy now.

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| 2 qt. "White Mountain" Freezers, | \$2.25 value for | \$1.95 |
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| 4 qt. "White Mountain" Freezers, | \$3.95 value for | 3.25 |
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Choice of 50 fine Hammocks, best styles, values from \$5.00 to \$7.50 for \$3.00 each. Get one today. Others will be after them. At Hennessy's.

In Groceries

More Big Bargains for Brisk Buyers

In addition to the items before mentioned we make some particularly low prices on several lines of goods as the list below will show

| Hard to Match | The Kind You Want |
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| Safety Matches, 12 boxes in package, for 5 cents. | Toilet Soap, good quality, three cakes in box for 15c. |
| Underwood's Deviled Ham, half-pound can for 22 1-2c. | Toilet Soap, good quality, twelve cakes in box for 25c. |
| Table Sauce, half pint bottle, for 15c. | American Castile Soap, three pound bar for 30c. |
| Wagner's Fancy Baked Beans, one pound can for 7 1-2c. | Whisk BBrooms, 15c each. |
| Pepsin Tonic, a new bitter, only 65c. a bottle. | Liquid Blueing, in bottle, 5c each. |
| Claret Wine, pint bottle for 20c, in a limited quantity only. | Dry Blueing, in boxes, 5c each. |
| Curtice Bros. Soups, quart cans, worth 35c, for 25c each. | Meunier Cocoa, 1-2 lb. cans, 25c. |
| | Epp's Cocoa, 1-2 lb. cans, 20c. |
| | Fry's Cocoa, 1-2 lb. cans, 20c. |
| | Gold Crumbs Tobacco, 40c lb. |
| | 50 cigars in a box, \$1.50. |

Mail Orders to Hennessy's Butte, Montana

SALT LAKE NOTES.

Mr. Jones has returned to the city.
Mrs. William Dallas, of South Dakota, arrived in the city this week.
The Pale Horse and His Rider still visiteth the residents of Salt Lake City.
The center of attraction in the amusement hall at Salt Air last Monday evening was Professor Pistle and his lady, who did the cake walk.

Mrs. A. Thompson is improving fast at the Holy Cross hospital, and will be able to return to her home on Thirteenth East, this week.

Mr. Willie Clark is doing nicely at the St. Marks hospital. Don't forget to visit him. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, from 2 to 5 p. m., are the days to visit.

Mrs. Lizzie Simmons is some better. She has been very sick, with three doctors in attendance and it was thought she could not live. Let us visit the sick. Residence, 53 Franklin avenue.

On the fourth, (inst.) death claimed as its own Miss Mary Adele Freeman, whose parents are residents of this city. The young lady was only 16 years of age, but the grim monster, death, who goes into the house and takes from the family circle its tender plants as well as those of a ripper age, is no respecter of persons. This leaves a lesson on record for both young and old. To the young it teaches us to "Remember thy Creator in the days of thy youth." And the old can join with the psalmist, David, in saying, "As the Lord liveth, and as my soul liveth, there is but a step between me and death." 1 Samuel, 20:3. The funeral was held at the Calvary Baptist church last Tuesday, at 3:30 p. m. There was a large turn out, which

demonstrated how dearly the deceased was loved by all who knew her. Rev. J. W. Washington officiated. The two Misses Powells, Miss Perkins and Miss Washington were pall bearers. The parents and friends have the heartfelt sympathy of the New Age in this, the darkest hour that comes to the living. May the presence of Him who is only able to heal the broken hearted and give peace to the troubled soul be with them in their hour of great need.

ALASKA NOTES.

Skagway, Alaska, Aug. 1, 1902.
Special to the New Age:
With also tenors identical with that experienced by a politician during the French Revolution, or a Catholic during the reign of the Spanish Inquisition, after a few hours in the roughest town it has been my experience to be a temporary resident, and with a trip before me with many like, ly disastrous dangers, I thought I had perhaps better write a brief summary of my trip to the New Age, because it might be my valedictory. Just previous to our arrival in Skagway there had been stationed here a company of the great fighting 24th infantry. The inhabitants of this northern Arctic locality seem to be attacked in a great degree with color-phobia, anyway, and after about a month and a half on sea the 24th proceeded to celebrate their arrival on land by a big spree, and every time a Skagway citizen mentioned "nigger" a Skagway citizen shut up a few a gun went off. They shut up a few saloons and places and even in this lawless town, daylight they hold you up in broad daylight—the citizens thereafter always, figuratively speak, thereafter always, figuratively speaking, took off their hats to a negro, but now, as the company of the 24th has left the few negroes that remain, are dangerous to negroes and every time a Skagway citizen looks at one he thinks of the chalk line he use to walk and swears and go into a barber shop, and swears and go into some saloons and hotels ditto, and I stick very close to my

employer—and not having Jim Collins for a body guard, in taking in the town, I am careful as to where I go.

A humorous story is told of Skagway. One of the leaders of the Salvation army was here endeavoring to start a post, or barracks. One of the men of the town started off his subscription with a hundred dollars, telling him all he lacked soliciting he would furnish. The Salvation army leader canvassed for about two weeks, and then went back to "Slim" Smith, with about \$480, whereupon Smith, instead of subscribing the remainder, just made him hand over all of it to him, getting his hundred likewise. So much for Skagway.

August 2—Today there came near being no Napoleon of copper and the great fighter against the amalgamated Copper company, had it not been for a wise Providence, would have crossed the great divide, and he and Mr. Whitmore would have been discovering the great apex vein to heaven. They had gone on to White Horse, and I had stayed behind, following in the morning with the luggage, meeting them there preparatory to going up the Yukon river to Dawson and other points. The Yukon and White Pass railroad is one of the great marvels of railway engineering in the world, as well as the most dangerous. Just as they were crossing one of the high trestles, over the great divide, in turning a point one of the cars jumped the track and swung the whole train off one rail, hanging over a precipice 800 feet deep. Fortunately the coupling gave way, that car tumbled over to destruction, but the car that Mr. Heinze, Mr. Whitmore and other passengers were in remained just almost hanging over the precipice. There were only two in the car which rolled over. Both jumped and one received a broken leg, and the other, at last reports which came up town, was not expected to live. I go over the same road tomorrow.

After a pleasant but uneventful trip to Seattle over the North Coast Limited, we took very pleasant steamer on the Cottage City steamer, of the Alaska Steamship company. After touching at Victoria, the capital of Vancouver, and visiting the judicial parliament and other public buildings there, we started on a trip up the channel of the Alaskan coast on a trip the grandeur of the scenery and the remarkable incidents of which are almost impossible to describe in a limited newspaper article.

The first stop of any great importance was at Ketchikan, and we visited there the great Totem Poles and the immense burial ground of the Southeastern Alaska Indians. Here the gambling spirit of the Butte contingent was aroused and as luck would have it, it almost took sacks to bring the money on shipboard, the copper kings closing up one famous roulette club entirely.

The grandeur and sublimity of the mountain scenery, the peaks all snow-capped and the green trees and shrubbery at the base standing out in vivid contrast, the little Indian and salmon fishing settlements all along the banks with some of their great canyons fully mounded, all the way. Such was the scenery, which one never tires of, all the way to Douglass island. The great Tread gold mine—the greatest stamp gold mine in the world—where they are blasting in the side of a huge mountain in a hole called "Glory Hole" because so many men are killed in it and they go right on to glory—with Indian natives working hundreds of feet under the sea, naked. It would take a whole article to describe the wonders of this mine, which we will do in a later article upon our arrival home, if fate so decrees. All our way up Lynn Canal, we went by and through huge icebergs and floating ice, seeing on each side of us mountains of huge glaciers of solid ice. In some spots, that were exposed to the angry billows of the Pacific, our little boat was a mere toy rocked and pitched; but I managed to pull through without an attack of seasickness. Well, as the boat which this letter must go on leaves at once, I must close, hoping the Age readers will pardon this informal letter, which has been hurriedly written. Tomorrow morning I start for White Horse, where joining Mr. Whitmore and Mr. Heinze, we push on to Dawson—then up the Yukon river, away into Canadian territory and pass the outposts of civilization. It is a great trip. Everybody is feeling fine, and I will also as soon as I get out of Skagway.

CHRIS. DORSEY.

We call attention to an article in our last issue stating that Senator W. A. Clark donated the lot on which the A. M. E. church was built. The matter of donating the lot was a mistake. He, however, deducted one take. He, however, deducted one hundred dollars from the price of \$250, which left a balance of \$150, which the church paid.

SPOKANE NOTES.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 4, 1902. Special to The New Age:

Spokane is a very pretty city, the streets are level, many of them macadamized, beautiful lawns, trees and flowers gladden the eyes of one so long denied these gifts of nature. The falls are also quite interesting, and one can imagine the scene to be one of picturesque beauty on a moonlight night, gazing from the bridges it inspires feelings of admiration, reverence and awe. At present the city is in gala attire, being decorated in the athletic club's colors, red and black, under whose auspices the street fair and carnival begins tonight, to last until the 14th. It will be similar to the one held in Butte last year. Rates are given over all railroads, so it will be quite lively here for the next ten days or more.

The people here seem to be quite progressive, many holding responsible and lucrative positions. Another thing I note with pleasure is that there does not seem to exist that degree of prejudice which we find in Butte. Colored people are admitted to some, if not all of the best places in the city. The Palm, one of the finest restaurants and ice cream parlors I have ever seen, in fact, it is a dream of beauty, judging from the exterior, as yet I have not visited the interior, is one of the places where they are treated with courtesy. Visiting another fine ice cream parlor with friends, we found at two tables were Japanese. Several others were occupied by white people, and at another were the colored people. I could not refrain from smiling at the three nationalities represented, a thing we do not often see in places of the better class in Butte; the most discrimination here they say is in renting houses.

Society Notes.

The Odd Fellows gave an entertainment on the 31 of July. It was quite well attended. A concert was given after which dancing was indulged in, until a late hour. The programme was as follows:

Reading history of the Odd Fellows, by Miss Nellie Sparrow. Unsentimental solo, Miss Porter, which was loudly applauded. Solo by Mr. Paine was finely rendered and endorsed. Miss Blanche Knight recited "Lasca" in a very creditable manner, full of dramatic fire. The piece is one requiring considerable skill to bring out its fine points. That she succeeded was shown by the hearty applause given, to which she responded with a generous recitation. "How We Hunted a Moose," which brought the house down, showing the young lady to be equally at home in either style of oratory.

The next number was "The Enchantress," by Miss Minnie Brown, which was beautifully rendered. After much applause she sang, "Mighty Lake Arose," by Nevin. Miss Brown is a very beautiful and talented young lady, and with all so modest and unassuming that it is a pleasure to meet her, and it is our earnest wish that she may still reach onward and upward until she reaches the highest pinnacle of success for which she is so nobly striving.

The programme was ended with a solo by Mr. Clarence Banks, who has a very pleasing voice, full of expression.

The services at the A. M. E. church Sunday, August 2, were in the nature of a musical programme. First music by the choir, then invocation. An address by Rev. Lee To, a Chinese convert, who gave a very interesting account of the missionaries in China. Two solos were sung by his little daughter, one in English and one in her native tongue, which were quite pleasing to the congregation. Several recitations were given by different young ladies. A trio by three gentlemen. Mr. Bank sang "Beyond the Gates of Paradise," and Rev. and Mrs. Payne rendered a duet. Rev. Payne also sang a solo. The collection, which amounted to \$6.25, was taken up by Mr. Stafford. Mrs. Petway was baptized and with two other ladies was received as full members of the church. The meeting closed by singing "Glorious Be to the Father," and benediction.

Miss Minnie Brown and Miss Blanch Knight attended the theater last Wednesday evening, with Mrs. S. A. Smith, of Butte, as guest, and it would be hard to find two more charming entertainers than were these two young ladies.

Miss Minnie Brown left Monday morning, August 4, for Kado, B. C., on a two weeks' visit. She will sing in a concert there on the 8th. We wish her a pleasant trip and a safe return, and judging from the long faces of her many friends we know it will be quite lonely on Stevens street.

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Fine lawn waists, gingham waists from A. F. C. and Toilet du Nord. Fine satine waists, black; \$1.00 and \$1.25 value. Clearance, 50c

50c

Vacation Time Is Here

And going away demands new, comfortable wearing apparel—something to lay around in. We've anticipated your wants and place on sale many ready-to-wear comfort-giving garments at actual half value.

By taking the entire overstock of one of New York's manufacturers we came in possession of 25 dozen pretty lawn kimonas and dressing sacques. We pass them to you at same proportion of cost—half price, and some of them less.

All Go at 45c

Stylish etamine skirts, unlined and with drop skirt, tucked and trimmed with all silk bands of taffeta in black.

\$14.00 Etamine Skirts for \$7.00
\$12.00 Etamine Skirts for \$7.00

Half priced now. Neatly made, pretty patterns; colors blue, pink and lavender mixed with white, shoulder ruffle and deep, wide flounce; earlier in the season our \$1.25 wrapper. Clearance, all sizes, 75c.

Vests

For large women, extra sizes in white lisle, lace trimmed, long and elastic.

Each, 50

Women's 35c fancy black hose for 20c pair.

Women's 65c and 50c lace stripe polka dots for 25c pair.

Women's \$1 and \$1.25 fancy lace and embroidered hose 50c pair.

Women's \$1.50 and \$2 Richelieu ribbed and lace hose 50c.

Children's 25c hose, three pairs for 75c.

Children's 40c hose, tan and black, for 20c pair.

75c buys \$1.25 wrapper, made of good calico, blue and white and red and white, shoulder ruffle and deep wide flounce; worth \$1.25. Clearance, 75c

75c

Most Colossal Hosiery Sale on Record

A sale absolutely without peer or parallel from almost every standpoint—variety, beauty, richness of qualities and lowness of prices. A sale that involves more than one thousand dozen of the season's best and choicest hose creations—fancy, lace stripe and plain colors.

Children's 50c and 65c hose, pink, blue, red, for 25c pair.

Children's 75c silk plaited hose, pink, blue, red, for 35c pair.

And some are less; popular shapes; all sizes.

Crash Hats at Half Price

Men's \$1.00 and 75c crash hats for 50c.

Boys' 75c and 50c crash hats for 35c.

Girls' 75c and 50c straw sailors for 25c.

Women's \$2.00 Straw Sailors, for 50c.

Women's 50c straw sailors for 25c.

Men's Fancy Half Hose

Fifty styles of fine lisle hose, black with colored stripes and lace effects, colors with stripes and lace effects; 50c and 75c qualities.

Friday and Saturday, 25c

Men's fancy negligee shirts, stiff collar and cuffs attached. Price during season \$1.50.

Clearance, \$1.00

Men's white madras negligee shirts, plain and plaited bosoms, detached cuffs to match; \$1.25 price all season.

85c

Half price on silk striped fancy bosom shirts, plaited negligee, tie to match each shirt; earlier in the season was \$3.50 each.

Clearance, \$1.75

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