

FAMILY GONE; HOUSE ROBBED

Burglars ransacked the home of C. O. Hickox, 1009 Sixth avenue, last night while the family was absent, but stole nothing. When the Hickox family returned home late in the evening they found dozens of charred matches about the floors, and a rear door was open. It is believed that the thieves were searching for money and took nothing else because of fear that their loot might be identified. Every room was searched, bureau drawers and closets having been carefully investigated by the prowlers.

LIND OPPOSED TO LANDING

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.—That John Lind is opposed to landing marines at Tuxpan or Tampico is admitted in administration circles. Lind reported by wireless, it is added, that conditions at the Tuxpan-Tampico district are serious but not particularly critical. He said that the rebel leaders had agreed to protect and respect foreign lives and property. High sea washed away a lot of the beach at Moclipis and changed the shore line.

EXTRAORDINARY CHANCE FOR HALF PRICE PIANO BUYING

CLOSING OUT PRICES THAT ARE BREAKING ALL PIANO-SELLING RECORDS.

PURCHASERS FOUND EVERY PIANO AND PLAYER PIANO EXACTLY AS ADVERTISED. ELLERS MUSIC HOUSE HAS BEEN BUILT UP BY HONEST BUSINESS METHODS AND TRUTHFUL POLICY. AND THE PRESENT BIG SALE, DISPOSING OF THE LARGE STOCK, IS AGAIN MAKING HOSTS OF FRIENDS. TODAY OFFERS A GREATER BARGAIN FEAST THAN EVER. PIANOS, BOTH GRAND AND UPRIGHTS, AS WELL AS PLAYER PIANOS, ALL GO FOR LITTLE MONEY—DON'T FAIL TO SEE THE LITTLE PRICES, \$65, \$70, ETC., FOR GOOD PIANOS. COME TOMORROW.

This city has never seen such piano selling as has been going on at Ellers Music House the last few days. Pianos are being taken each day in every increasing numbers. This is positively the greatest record known in the trade. In our determination to close out everything, we have lost sight of all immediate profit. We are compelled to find homes for every grand piano and upright, every player piano, electric piano, organ and talking machine. In fact, everything, including furniture and fixtures must go.

Never before have circumstances compelled such great price reductions. Prices have never been so low and terms of purchase so easy as in this closing out sale.

Hear in mind that the most reliable musical instrument house of the West makes this offer—a house that guarantees both quality and price. Your money will be gladly refunded if every instrument is not found to be exactly as represented. The Ellers unconditional guarantee covers everything in this sale just the same as if the great reductions had not been made. Positively no fairer opportunity has ever been presented in Tacoma to buy good, dependable, high-grade pianos and other musical instruments, without paying profit to anyone. Come prepared to buy. The most costly \$1,150 and \$1,250 art style Baby Grands of the costliest make at \$795 and \$885. The choicest and latest

brand new Upright Pianos in fancy oak or mottled mahogany or elegant walnut cases, reliable New York makes, are being sold for \$156, \$138 and for even less; \$226 styles at \$132 and \$137; the regular \$450 styles for \$268 and \$253, etc. Several exceptionally fancy ones are ticketed for only \$327, \$314 and \$278.

Modern and Upright Pianos are \$65, \$75, \$86, \$118, \$135 and no advance in price (except simple interest) need be paid if easy terms of \$15, \$20 and \$25, \$6, \$8 or \$10 a month are desired. This will indicate in a slight measure what this occasion means.

The time is growing short and stock growing rapidly in all departments.

It will be wise to make your selection at once in order to obtain the benefit of the unprecedented savings to be effected at this selling-out sale.

Persons living at a distance may safely purchase by correspondence or telephone. We agree to pay freight both ways on anything that does not prove entirely satisfactory. But very prompt attention will be necessary to secure choice.

Requests by wire to hold certain styles until letter can arrive will be honored 36 hours only.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS
If you cannot come in the daytime, do so in the evening. Our store will be open night and day till this sale closes. Ellers Music House, 943-5 South C St.

You'll Find It Here

Mortality statistics for Tacoma are received daily from the following funeral directors: Hoska-Buckley-King Co., 739 St. Helena; C. C. Mellinger Co., 510 Tacoma av.; C. O. Lynn Co., 510-12 Tacoma av.; W. Piper, 5423 Union av.; South Tacoma Directors, 5034 Union av.; L. Jeffrey, 1619 Tacoma av.; Cassidy & Allen, 1110 13th st.

Deaths.

Sanford—Charles Edward Sanford, age 60, 5941 South Yakima, died last night. Leaves widow, daughter, brother. Funeral Saturday, 3 p. m., residence. Hoska-Buckley-King Co.

Martin—Mrs. Marie L. Martin, 42, died at hospital Thursday. Remains to be shipped to Minneapolis, Minn., tonight, accompanied by husband, Robert B. Martin, C. C. Mellinger Co.

Strubstad—Andrew Strubstad, 35, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Strubstad, 4703 North 30th, well known shipbuilder, died Thursday. Leaves parents, six sisters. Remains at C. O. Lynn's.

Grant—Mrs. Ida B. Grant, 57, 2014 South K, died Thursday at hospital. Leaves husband, four children. Funeral Saturday, 1:30 p. m., from residence. Rev. Randolph officiating. Hoska-Buckley-King Co.

O'Herr—James O'Herr, age 95, 2538 South G, died Thursday. Remains sent to Minnesota today. Cassidy & Allen Co.

Funerals.

Anderson—Funeral of Ida Christina Anderson Saturday, 2 p. m., C. O. Lynn company's chapel, Tacoma cemetery.

McHindley—Funeral of Benjamin McHindley Saturday, 1 p. m., C. O. Lynn company's chapel, auspices of Eagles and Foresters.

Kinsella—Funeral of Michael Kinsella, age 30, Saturday, 8 a. m., Church of the Visitation, South Tacoma. Interment, Calvary cemetery. Merrow & Storlie Co.

Clara Anderson, whose husband, Joseph, fled for divorce some time ago, brought a cross-complaint today alleging that her husband used vile language, flew into quick rages, and took their small son into saloon.

Artistic decorations. Watson's "Advertisement."

Probation Officer Healy will not permit Harold Russell, the boy who electrocuted a horse recently, to go to the reform school. He said today that the boy had had no chance, and that he would parole him in order to improve him.

Clearance sale on ferns, prices cut 1/2 for a limited time. Hinz, florist, South 7th and K st. "Advertisement."

Roy F. Clark was given a divorce today from Laura Clark by Judge Chapman on grounds of desertion.

W. A. Barnes, a real estate man, filed suit today against Annie and John M. Kelly to recover title to \$8,000 worth of land which they bought and which they have failed to pay for.

Agates polished and mounted in solid gold. Pfaff, Jeweler, 1147 C. "Advertisement."

A marriage license was issued today to John Meyer Johnson of Peg Lake, Wash., and Inga Maxness, Tacoma.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Frank Rowley, former managing editor of the now defunct Chicago Chronicle, and later associated with newspapers in San Francisco, died here today.

Salt Rising Bread tomorrow. Duenwald's, 313 11th. "Advertisement."

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 28.—Warren K. Billings, charged with transporting dynamite on a street car in the state, was sentenced to serve two years in Folsom penitentiary.

Entire System Stops For 5 Minutes

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—At 10 o'clock today every wheel stopped and there was not a stroke of work on the Southern railway for five minutes out of respect for the funeral of President W. W. Finley.

CALCULATOR DIES IN POOR FARM

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 28.—Ruben Field, 70, died in the poor house here. He was world renowned as a lightning calculator, having a gift of instantaneous and intuitive solution of all mathematical problems although unable to either read or write. He refused to turn his talent to financial account believing God would take it from him if he did.

Try "Drum's Special" Whiskey 100 Quality DRUM'S 1306 So. C. Main 1778.

LOOK FOR THE BIG RED SIGN MOORE-COMBER FINEST CLOTHES 248, 252 & 254

McCormack Bros. Inc. "THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY" PACIFIC AVENUE AND COMMERCE AT 15TH ST.

Last Day of the Men's Suit Sale

Well Known \$1.00 Drugs 79c

\$11.75

Men's \$1.50 Golf Shirts \$1.00

- \$1.00 bottle Swissco Hair Tonic 79c
 - \$1.00 bottle Sage and Sulphur 79c
 - \$1.00 bottle Scott's Emulsion 79c
 - \$1.00 bottle Beef, Iron and Wine 79c
 - \$1.00 bottle Pinkham's Compound 79c
 - \$1.00 bottle Pierce's Favorite Prescription 79c
 - \$1.00 bottle S. S. S. 79c
 - \$1.00 can Denver Mud 79c
- EXTRA SPECIAL—\$1.89 value, 2-quart, red rubber water bottle, heavy reinforced seams, fully guaranteed, at \$1.29

About ninety \$25.00 suits remain of the big lot we secured recently from a New York clothes builder at 60c on the dollar. We are going to close these suits out tomorrow, and will extend this selling to Saturday night ONLY to clear this extra line. Our regular stocks are complete for the holidays and we have no room for this big lot. This is your last opportunity to get your holiday suit at this immense saving! Saturday night at 10 the low price tags will be removed, so you'd better come NOW!



Don't let this chance slip by without investigation. Come and see the suits. Beautiful cassimeres, worsteds, mixtures and other weaves to select from, and a size range so complete we can fit ANY man, no matter what his build. \$25.00 values till Saturday night at \$11.75

These Bargains Are For Men!

- \$4.00 Loggers' Shirts—Heavy flannel Robtall, double back \$2.95
- \$4.00 Mackinaw Shirts—Heavy weight, gray color \$2.95
- \$2.50 Overshirts of French flannel, gray, tan, khaki and olive; military or soft lay-down collar \$1.85
- 35c Sox of Heavy Wool, all colors \$20c
- 50c Leather Mitts, fleece lined \$39c
- \$1.25 Heavy Molekin Shirts, black and tan, all sizes \$85c
- 75c Heavy Leather Gloves \$50c
- 35c Muleskin Gloves \$20c
- \$3.00 Auto Gloves, black, big cuff, fleece-lined, very special \$2.00

Take Care of Your Eyes!

Perhaps you do not realize how good you look in glasses—that is, FITS-U Glasses. The curved Toric Lenses are another "good-looking" advantage, too. Dr. Bailey, on the Balcony, will test your eyes free!

Glassware Sale!

Splendid values in Crystal White Glass. Many very pretty pieces—Water Pitchers, Vases, Spoon Trays, Bell Shape Nut Bowls, And many others. Values to 25c. CHOICE 10c

HANDSOME WINTER COATS \$17.50



\$25.00 values. This season's choicest offerings in style, tailoring and materials. We have in this lot many beautiful plain and novelty weaves—There are plushes, boucles, broadcloths, serges and mixtures. Both full and three-quarter lengths. Colorings include navy, beautiful brown shades, grays, mixtures and plain black. Misses' and women's sizes to 48 bust.

GIRLS' COATS
6 to 14 Year Sizes. A splendid showing of newest styles in the finest of materials. Astrakhans, mixtures, chevots, plushes, caracul and pony cloth—surely a swell choice of beautiful materials; fine color range. Range of price is \$3.98, \$4.98, \$6.00 and \$6.95.

Wooden Tubs 15c

Here is opportunity—We have a few—very few—of these wooden tubs. When they're gone we can't get any more. See them now! Medium size—3 hoops \$18c Small size—3 hoops \$15c

Why Don't You EAT!

At our balcony lunch room, you'll be surprised such a dandy lunch can be served you at the small cost \$20c

Splendid Bedding Values Here!

Bed Spread—All white, heavy quality, handsome, honeycomb weave, pretty floral center designs, full size, hemmed or cut corners, with fringe \$2.00 Sheets—Full size of bleached standard muslin, with 3-inch hemstitched hem \$1.75 Pillow Slip—Hemstitched to match the sheet listed above \$20c Blanket—Extra large size, heavy twill, soft fleeced cotton; tan, gray and white, with fancy colored borders \$2.00 Comforter—Light and springy, but as comfy and warm as could be; filled with the finest of feather down; beautiful coverings of figured sateen—\$10.50 \$9.50 and \$8.50 Turkish Towels—Bleached, good quality heavy pile; hemmed ends \$22c

THIS COUPON Is good for 10 extra "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps with a 50c purchase in any department on Saturday, November 29th ONLY.

Here's a splendid golf shirt built as well as any \$1.50 shirt made. May be had in neat stripes, figures and plain white—pleated, plain or stiff bosom, coat style, cuffs attached. Extra special at \$1.00

Grocery Economies That Count!

- Use Shaker Salt; 3 boxes \$25c
- Lily Gloss Starch; 4 pkgs. \$25c
- Bluing; 4 bottles \$25c
- Hire's 15c packages Quaker Oats at 10c
- "Sanare" Disinfectant—kills disease; 15c pkg. \$10c
- Swift's Borax Soap; 8 bars \$25c
- Eggs; dozen \$35c
- Paper Shell Walnuts; pound \$22c
- No. 2 Walnuts; new crop; 2 lbs. \$35c
- APPLES—Grimes' Golden, box \$1.25
- Extra Fancy Winter Bananas; box \$1.90
- Cooking Apples—for your Thanksgiving pies—while they last at, box \$60c

Curtains and Scrims Repriced!

Replace the old and worn curtains before the holidays. We have specially priced several items in our curtain stocks for your approval. You'll find them unequalled values. Read them: 40-INCH SCRIM CURTAINS—2 1/2 yards long; have neat borders, cream or ecru. This is a very special offer at, pair \$89c SCRIM NOVELTY CURTAINS—Extra good quality; beautiful borders; 40 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long; white, cream and ecru. Special, pair \$1.49 SCRIM AND NOVELTY CURTAINS—Some marquisettes. These are merized and are an extra good quality; beautiful applique and hemstitched borders. Extra special at, pair \$2.29 HEAVY LACE CURTAINS—45 inches wide, three yards long; white, cream and ecru. This lot includes some cable nets; many beautiful patterns to select from. Very special, the pair \$1.49 ALL HEMSTITCHED, PLAIN AND FANCY SCRIMS and Marquisettes specially priced for tomorrow's selling.

Turkey Dinner Saturday 25c

Roast Turkey, Dressing, Cranberries, Mashed Potatoes, Cold Slaw, Bread and Butter, Tea or Coffee

SWEET, FRESH JUICY Turkey 20c Pound

This is a new shipment of FRESH birds—no cold storage turkeys—we give you the same absolute guarantee of this as we did in the farmer shipments.

We are opposed to any sort of combination which has for its effect the raising of the cost of life's necessities. We have steadfastly refused to become a member of such a combine. Our persistent refusal to enter into such a "ring," and our constant, well directed efforts, have more than once broken the backs of this "combination of business interests."

We broke the back of the turkey market and here is another shock—Turkeys at 20c!

And it's absolutely fresh—just as fresh as though you had received it from your own farm—and every bird is properly fed and fattened.

We may incur the enmity of our competitors in so doing, but we are here to deliver to you life's needed things at as little handling cost as is possible, and we want the public to receive the benefit of our ability to do this—in spite of what the mud slingers may say or do.

And, we want to say further, that in every instance where we see an opportunity to cut the cost of any article to you, we're going to cut it to the bone!

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