$3.50 Suit $1.75.

The Boston's "Saturday only" sales are becoming justly famous. Every week several choice selections are made from our well known stock and offered

For Saturday Only

For prices that no other firm can meet. Mothers who keep track of our announcements can save many a dollar. Today our leader is a

Handsome All-Wool Knee-Pant Suit

That is good value at $3.50. The material is sponged and refinished, the buttons sewed on with linen thread. This is a great bargain.

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10 dozen Scotch Knit and Camel's Hair

75c Tams 25c.

Fine, warm, fancy patterned Outing Flannel

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$3.75 Toboggan Suits $2.75.

Well made from heavy red Mackinaw, warmly lined and handsomely trimmed.

Boys' Ulsters, Reefers, Long and Short-Pant Suits and Brownie Suits for wee ones, at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Remember you receive a beautiful hand sled free with every Suit or Overcoat purchased in our Boys' Department.

BOWLBY & CO. 6th and Robert. The Boston St. Paul. BOWLBY & CO. 6th and Robert.

NEEDS OF STATE FAIR

SECRETARY RANDALL, OF THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, PRESENTS TO GOVERNOR.

LEGISLATURE COULD HELP

Appropriation for a New Amphitheater for Live Stock Judging and for a Hall in Which to Make Agricultural Exhibits Is Urged by the Society as Imperative.

Secretary E. W. Randall, of the state agricultural society, yesterday afternoon made his annual report to Gov. Clough. The document gives a summary of the business during the past year, and recommendations for the future. Mr. Randall says:

Minnesota's state fair continues to grow. The exhibition of 1898 was as much greater than the one of 1897 as that one was in its turn superior to its immediate predecessors. There were 6,000 entries in the exhibition departments, and in each disvision a comprehensive showing was made.

The amusement programme of the present year was of unusual interest. The business men of St. Paul guaranteed a $5,000 purse for 2:13 class pacers, and the business men of Minneapolis a similar sum for 2:23 class trotters. These made it possible for the board to announce what is probably the best race programme ever attempted at a state fair without unusual cost to this society. A liberal entry list was secured and good racing followed. As shown by the report, $13,397.50 was paid in purses, but of this $8,903.37 was received from entry fees.

Two causes operated to decrease the gate receipts this year. It is believed that knowledge of the typhoid epidemic raging in the camp of the soldiers upon the grounds before fair time kept many timid people away, notwithstanding the thorough disinfection of the grounds under the direction of the state board of health before the opening of the fair. The weather was unfavorable. While it rained but little, it was excessively cold, and the wind blew a gale much of the time. People could not be comfortable out of doors without heavy wraps, and many people stayed away for this reason who would otherwise have been present. That ticket sales, under these circumstances, should reach a total of $36,951.75 is exceedingly gratifying, and may properly be taken as evidence of great popular interest in the exhibition.

A water supply for the grounds has been secured. The typhoid epidemic which broke out in the camp of the Fifteenth regiment, Minnesota volunteers, in July and August, was attributed by the physicians to the contamination of the wells upon the grounds by the military camp, and as a measure of safety for the public health it seemed to be necessary to secure water from a different source and one of unquestioned purity.

The grounds have been well cared for and the buildings kept in good repair. A cheese room has been built in dairy hall. The grand stand, eight of the large exhibition barns and some of the smaller buildings have been painted, and the work of building a half-mile track inside the present mile track and leveling the land which it incloses is nearly completed. All this work is paid for, and there is money enough in the treasury to complete the grading undertaken and to continue the work of painting as soon as weather will permit in the spring. The leveled and sodded center field will make an attractive athletic park, and, with the new half-mile track, bicycle events, equipage displays and live stock parades can be successfully planned.

Two new buildings are necessary. An amphitheater, in which to show and judge live stock, is imperatively needed, and an agricultural hall is also a matter of prime necessity. County exhibits and other agricultural products are now shown in what was the betting ring at the grand stand—a room with low ceilings and with insufficient light in which a proper display is impossible. This room is distant from other exhibition buildings and many people do not find it or see the valuable exhibits which it contains. No appropriations have been made for improvements upon the fair grounds since 1888, since which time the society has in many respects outgrown the equipment then provided. As during the last few years the society has demonstrated its ability, with the annual aid given for premium payments, to meet all running expenses, and not only to give grounds and buildings proper care, but to make minor improvements, it is believed that there will be little hesitation on the part of the legislature in providing the buildings so plainly required.

Recognition is due and is hereby publicly given for the active assistance in the work of the year by the newspapers of the state, the school of agriculture and experiment station, the Farmers' Institute corps, the State Horticultural society, the State Dairymen's association, the State Bee Keepers' association, the State Poultry association, the Good Roads association, the various live stock organizations and many public-spirited individuals in all parts of the state who have readily responded to all calls made upon them. It is this positive interest and cooperation on the part of press and people that has made pronounced success a possibility. Respectfully submitted,

—E. W. Randall, Secretary.

The summary of receipts and expenditures is:

Receipts—	
Balance on hand Dec. 11, 1897	$5,912 11
State appropriation	4,000 00
Entry fees	541 00
Stall rent	1,019 00
Forage	538 60
Privileges	3,601 90
Races and suspensions	8,903 37
Tickets	36,951 75
Pasture and land rent	203 00
Miscellaneous	852 97
Total	$62,523 70
Expenditures—	
1897 and former years	$402 18
Attractions	2,145 10
Advertising, bill posting, printing and stationery	5,301 53
Forage and fuel	1,271 28
Labor, repairs, material	3,894 65
Officers' salaries	4,994 99
Postage, telegrams, express	441 20
Premiums	13,636 46
Races	13,397 50
Assistant superintendents, judges, police, ticket sellers, gatemen, etc.	4,311 13
Permanent improvements	4,283 19
Miscellaneous accounts	2,765 67
Total	$56,850 83
Receipts	$62,523 70
Expeditures	56,850 83
Cash balance on hand Dec. 10, 1898	$5,672 87
Bills receivable	3,500 00
Total	$9,172 87

YERXA

SEVENTH AND CEDAR STS.

Tel. 732. Meat Market, 782.

1 cent

Each for very large bright yellow ripe Bananas; all you want at this price for Saturday.

9 cents

A can for imported French String Beans (usual 20c goods).

16 cents

Per pound for good fresh Dairy Butter.

23 cents

Per pound for the very best Creamery Butter in America.

MODEL MEAT MARKET.

	Per Pound.
Boneless Rib Roasts Beef	12c
Pot Roats	7c
Shoulder Roast Beef	8c
Sirloin Steaks	12½c
Porterhouse Steaks	12½c
Legs of Mutton	11c
Fresh Turkeys	10c
Fresh Geese	8c
Fresh Ducks	8c

BUTTER.

5-lb. jars fresh Dairy Butter, per lb.	16c
5-lb. jars fine Table Butter, per lb.	18c
5-lb. jars fancy Dairy Butter, per lb.	20c
Good fresh roll and print Butter, per lb.	16c
Fancy fresh Rolls and Prints, per lb.	18c
Fancy Creamery Butter, per lb.	22c
Extra fancy Creamery Butter, per lb.	23c

FLOUR.

Yerxa's Extra Brand; there is none better in America.

98-lb sacks	$2.00
49-lb sacks	$1.00
24½-lb. sacks	50c

4 pounds

Good Mince Meat for 25c.

5 cents

Per pound for good Raisins.

7 cents

Per pound for cleaned (ready for use) Currants.

10 cents

Per pound for New Leghorn Citron.

6 cents

A can for good Marrowfat Peas in 2-lb. cans.

$1.35

A box for fancy Oregon Apples, containing 1-3 of a barrel.

APPLES.

Good New York, per bbl	$2.50
Good Michigan stock, per bbl	$2.75 to $3.00
Good New Hampshire Baldwins, per bbl.	$2.95
Fancy New Hampshire Baldwins, per bbl.	$3.90
Fancy New York Spys, per bbl.	$3.90
Rhode Island Greenings, per bbl.	$3.90

1-3 of a barrel boxes, every Apple large and perfect, most any variety, per box. $1.65

9 cents

A bunch for very crisp fine flavored Celery.

25 cents

Per quart of Standard Fresh Oysters.

XMAS 1898.

Watches $2.50 to $300. Diamond Rings, $3 to $500

SILVER—NOVELTIES—GOLD.

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Shot to Kill

Others shoot high prices to kill!

We shoot low prices that barely touch the pocketbook.

Remember we have no old poultry; it comes direct from the country.

Fresh	Chickens, only	5c
Fancy	Turkeys, dry picked	10c
Fancy	Chickens	7c
Fancy	Geese, worth 10c, only	8c
Fancy	Dux, worth 10c, only	8c
Fancy	Pork Ribs	3c and 6c
Fancy	Fig Pork Shoulders	5c
Fancy	Boston Butts	7c
Fancy	Pork Steak	7c
Finest	Loin Pork Roast, whole loin	7c
Finest	Pure Lard, raw or rendered	7c
Finest	Round Steak, worth 12½c, only	10c
Finest	Picnic Hams	6c
Finest	Pig Hams	9c
Finest	Pig Pork Sausage	8c
Finest	Bologna Sausage	8c
Finest	Liver and Blood Sausage	8c
Finest	Head Cheese	8c
Finest	New York State Full Cream Cheese	12½c
Finest	Hand Cheese, 2 cheeses for	5c
Finest	Limburger	11c
Fine	Dairy Butter	18c
Fine	Fresh Creamery, worth 24c	22c
Finest	Creamery on earth, one day	24c
Finest	Dill Pickles, per quart, only	7c
Sauerkraut,	Per quart	4c

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CASE OF PLAYING HOG

COMMISSION MEN AND MILLERS NOT CONTENT WITH A PROFIT ON BY-PRODUCTS.

EXTORTION FOR SCREENINGS

It Threatens to Result in the Loss of St. Paul's Standing as a Sheep-Feeding Station—Formerly the Millers Threw Away What They Now Charge Extortionate Prices For.

The sheep feeders of South St. Paul, New Brighton and other points in this vicinity are up in arms over what they term a combine that has been formed by a number of grain and hay commission firms and the mill owners of Minneapolis.

During the past few years St. Paul has become recognized as one of the biggest sheep feeding points in this country. This was brought about through the discovery that the wheat screenings from the mills made a splendid feed for sheep. Prior to this discovery these wheat screenings were regarded as of little value, so worthless, in fact, that they were burned as a substitute for fuel, given away and, it is said, the mill people even paid to have the stuff hauled away to keep it from accumulating. Prior also to this discovery there were but a few thousand sheep fed here, for at that time sheep were fed and fattened on corn meal and were shipped into Iowa and Nebraska for that purpose. The screenings were a great deal cheaper than corn meal and the result was that the sheep, on their way to market in the fall, were stopped here and fed through the winter. Last year St. Paul had become so prominent as a feeding station that between 200,000 and 300,000 sheep were wintered here. This year it was expected, and there were splendid grounds for the expectation, that there would be fully 500,000 sheep fed at South St. Paul, New Brighton and other nearby points. At this time there are about 350,000 sheep at these points, but the other 150,000 will not come, so say the sheep feeders, unless the tactics of the alleged combine are changed and the price of the screenings are placed within reason.

This condition of affairs has been brought about through an advance in the price of screenings from $4.75 and $5 per ton last year to $8 and $8.50 per ton this year. The sheep feeders allege that this advance was made possible by a number of commission firms contracting for the entire output of the mills here and at the head of the lakes. They allege that it is an injustice that a product that a few years ago was regarded as worthless should be now held at a price that makes its use out of the question. They have a remedy in the corn of Iowa and Nebraska and they threaten to apply the remedy and divert from St. Paul one of the biggest and most thriving industries that it is developing.

Gen. Mark D. Flower, of the Union stockyards, of South St. Paul, advocates the cause of the sheep feeders. In talking of the matter yesterday, he said: "Through their greed the commission men and mill people are killing the goose that lays the golden egg. An idea of the enormity of this growing industry is gained when it is known that this year the sheep feeding at this point will consume 1,000 cars of screenings. This means about 20,000 tons. But for this rise in price 1,500 cars, or about 30,000 tons, would have been used, but now it is more than probable that not near the first amount will be bought for the sheep feeders can go to Iowa, buy corn meal and ship it here and feed it with better results at practically the same cost, and this they will do unless they can buy the screenings at a reasonable figure. This will practically shut off the market for the screenings, for they cannot be shipped at a profit, and the stuff will again become a worthless product. Nearly 150,000 sheep that were coming here in January are to be sent to Iowa and Nebraska, owing to this advance in the price of screenings. The sheep that are here can hardly be moved this winter, but before another season, unless they can feed here at a profit, and they cannot at the present price of screenings, feeding stations will be found in Iowa and Nebraska, and one of St. Paul's growing industries will become a dead letter. The cattle men at this point are in sympathy with the sheep feeders, and this may result in the loss of a good part of that industry also. The destruction of the trade means not only a bad loss to St. Paul, but to the whole state. The railroad men have interested themselves in the matter, and it is probable that the commercial bodies of the two cities may be appealed to to attempt to save this industry."

NEW NORMAL TEACHERS.

More of the Board's Secret Session Work Leaks Out.

A batch of normal school appointments made by the resident directors of the several schools have been approved by the board as follows:

At Winona—Miss Thede Gildemeister, second model teacher; Miss E. F. Dillon, first model teacher, and Miss Jeanette Morey, instructor.

At Mankato—E. W. Bohamnon, practice school; Martha V. Collins, superintendent of kindergartens; F. L. Searing, Latin; Carl J. Ulrich, assistant in biology and mathematics; Isabel H. Farrington and Minnie S. Parry, assistant principal in grammar.

Says It Fell on Him.

Albert Siepple, locked up at the central station yesterday on the charge of stealing a fur robe from in front of Konantz Bros.' saddlery store, 227 East Sixth street, says he is the victim of an injustice. The robe was hanging outside the store. While he was walking by, Siepple says, the robe fell from the hook over his shoulders. Naturally he was surprised that he should have so opportunely been covered with furs on such a cold day and glanced about to see from whence the robe came. He was just disentangling himself from the robe, preparatory to replacing it on the hook, the prisoner says, when Officer Squires rushed up and arrested him.

Are Branching Out.

The building inspector yesterday issued a permit for repairs, of the value of $4,000, to be made upon the five-story building on the north side of Fourth street, between Sibley and Jackson streets, which is owned by the Drake estate. The building is being prepared for Finch, Van Slyck, Young & Co., who will use it in addition to their present store.

Another permit calling for the expenditure of $3,000 was issued to the Northwestern Grass and Twine company for repairs on the former cordage plant, at Front and Mackubin streets. W. L. Strong also secured a permit to erect a two-story frame dwelling, to cost $3,000, on Dayton avenue, between Prior avenue and Amos street.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures whooping cough and measles' cough. This wonderful remedy will save the children from many a distressing coughing spell and soon effect a cure.

Announcement to the Clergy.

Blank applications for 1899, Western Passenger Association Clergy Half-Fare Credentials, are now ready, and may be obtained by enclosing a two-cent stamp to Mr. J. T. Conley, Assistant General Passenger Agent C., M. & St. P. Railway, 365 Robert street, St. Paul, or calling at his office in person.

Succeeded by His Brother.

Charles A. Lindbergh, of Little Falls, Morrison county, has resigned as referee in bankruptcy, and his brother, Frank Lindbergh, has been appointed and qualified.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

Has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Change of Time.

The Soo Line Pacific Limited will beginning Sunday, Dec. 11, leave St. Paul at 8:45 a. m., instead of 1:25 p. m., arrive at 7:45 p. m., instead of 7:05 p. m.

LEFT THE MAIMED LAD BLEEDING AND TORN

CONDUCTOR OF THE CAR FROM WHICH MICHAEL REEM WAS CROWDED

Bertha Joehn Testified Yesterday That When She Told the Conductor to Stop and Pick Him Up He Asked for Her Fare.

"Don't worry, lady. Give me your fare," were the words Miss Bertha Joehn swore were addressed to her by the conductor of the street car that maimed fourteen-year-old Michael J. Reem when he was requested to stop and pick up the bleeding and unconscious boy.

Miss Joehn's testimony was given for the plaintiff yesterday in the second day of the trial of the case of Michael J. Reem, by Jabreem Reem, his guardian ad litem, against the St. Paul City Railway company. Reem is suing to recover $30,000 for the loss of his toes on his left foot, alleged to have been caused by being crowded off a westbound Hamlin car on May 8.

The prosecution had been unable to get the name of the conductor or number of the car on which the accident occurred, and the company professed to know nothing of the accident other than that the injured lad was picked up by the conductor of an eastbound car.

George Prescott, Henry Wendt and D. Knox Bacon, all of whom were passengers on the car with young Reem, told of the overcrowded condition of the car, and Miss Joehn told of having warned the conductor that an accident would occur, and that finally after an accident did occur that he refused to stop the car.

The accident occurred at the time the regiments were encamped on the fair grounds, and to this fact was due the overcrowded condition of the cars. It appeared in the testimony for the defense that at the time there were a number of extra cars on the line. The books of the company, showing the time that each car started out, were produced, and John Wilson, Robert Wray and Robert E. Esterly, three of the company's employes whose schedule would have brought them near the place of the accident at the time it occurred each testified to having had no knowledge of the occurrence.

Tony Suder, the conductor who picked up the boy, testified to having taken Reem to the nearest drug store for assistance. He did not know how the accident occurred, but simply found the boy lying unconscious on the tracks.

We Need Heat

Cold is the enemy of life. In cold weather every organ must be supplied with warm, nourishing blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best winter medicine, because it purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood. It gives help just where help is needed. By strengthening the system it prevents pneumonia, fevers, colds, coughs and the grip.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Is America's Greatest Medicine. Price $1

Hood's Pills cure biliousness, indigestion.

TREE BOUNTY DIVIDED

STATE AUDITOR DUNN MAKES HIS ANNUAL APPORTIONMENT OF THE FUND

RATE PER ACRE DECREASES

Increase in Forestry Interest Results in a Considerably Larger Acreage Being Reported—Rate This Year $2.40, as Compared With $3 Twelve Months Ago.

For the encouragement of tree culture in the prairie counties of the state the legislature makes an annual appropriation of $20,000, known as the tree bounty appropriation.

State Auditor Dunn yesterday made a distribution of this fund among 2,800 applicants for its benefits, every man who planted an acre of trees receiving $2.40 per acre as a bounty. No one is allowed a bounty on more than ten acres. Mr. Dunn made out checks aggregating $19,553.68, representing a reward for the culture of 8,147 acres of shade trees. The amounts ranged from $2.40 to $24, requiring the signature of the state auditor 2,800 times.

To receive this aid application is made to the county auditor, who refers the matter to the assessor, and upon receiving the testimony of two neighbors that the law has been complied with the county auditor sends a list to the state auditor, who makes an apportionment of the fund annually.

The money was distributed as follows:

County.	Acres.	Amount.
Big Stone	67	$160 80
Jackson	331	796 01
Chippewa	329	791 59
Yellow Medicine	196	471 30
Lincoln	76	184 41
Pope	207	498 24
Faribault	163	392 81
Pipestone	25	61 20
Martin	35	84 00
Stevens	165	396 00
Murray	304	729 60
Watonwan	87	210 60
Freeborn	8	19 80
Traverse	131	314 40
Otter Tail	90	218 13
Swift	213	511 50
Nobles	219	526 70
Waseca	111	267 00
Brown	546	1,311 00
Steele	95	229 80
Clay	12	28 80
Nicollet	87	210 00
Rock	24	57 60
Meeker	163	391 80
Blue Earth	14	33 60
Renville	1,761	4,226 60
Redwood	584	1,401 60
Sibley	663	1,592 41
Lac qui Parle	441	1,060 58
Kandiyohi	301	724 40
Grant	132	316 80
Mower	33	80 40
Kittson	36	88 20
Martin	485	1,166 00
Totals	8,147	$19,553 68

Renville carries off the largest share of the appropriation, having to her credit 1,761 acres at a bounty of $4,226.60. The other counties adjoining Renville also have a very large acreage on the list, Redwood Sibley, Lac Qui Parle and Kandiyohi.

The acreage this year is much larger than a year ago, when the fund was apportioned at about $3 per acre.

HOLDERS OF STOCK SUED BY ASSIGNEE

GLADSTONE LAND COMPANY'S AFFAIRS TO BE BROUGHT INTO COURT

Ernest B. Putnam, Assignee, Yesterday Began Suit Against the Dawsons and Others Stockholders to Enforce Their Liability.

Ernest B. Putnam, as assignee of the Gladstone Land company, insolvent, has begun an action in the district court against William Dawson, William Dawson Jr., Patrick T. Kavanagh, Philip S. Harris, Thomas L. Blood, as assignee of William Dawson Jr.; Alpheus B. Stickney, as assignee of William Dawson, and Oscar M. Mitchell, as assignee of Philip S. Harris, and Samuel Dawson to enforce stockholders' liabilities aggregating $200,000, and the court is asked to make the amount chargeable upon the estates in question.

The complaint alleges that on March 31, 1897, the Gladstone Land company was an incorporation with a capitalization of $1,000,000, and that on Jan. 18, 1898, 400 shares each of stock, of the par value of $100 was sold to William Dawson, William Dawson Jr., Patrick T. Kavanagh, Samuel Dawson and Philip S. Harris. It also appears that March 31, 1897, the Gladstone Land company became insolvent and made an assignment to the plaintiff for the benefit of its creditors. March 10 all the parties defendant to the action became insolvent, and now the plaintiff sues for $40,000 from each as stockholders' liability, and asks that the assignees named as defendants be required to pay the plaintiff the pro rata amount of the claims out of the estates in the same proportion as to the other unpreferred creditors.

WILL DEMAND THE CASH.

City Will Try to Make Railroad People Repair the Bridge.

City officials under whose jurisdiction the matter comes are determined to fix the responsibility for repairing the Sixth street bridge upon the St. Paul & Duluth Railroad company, and yesterday the board of public works, accompanied by City Engineer Rundlett, visited the scene of the accident to make an investigation. The members of the board went carefully over the ground, frequently asking the advice of the city engineer upon questions that arose, and, they say, obtained a clear idea of the accident. After the investigation President Copeland and Mr. Sandell said that valuable evidence supporting the claims of the city had been secured, but both members declined to state the nature of the alleged facts gathered.

One strong point which will be urged against the railroad, City Engineer Rundlett says, is the fact that the tracks under the bridge are on a public street. The city engineer says Sixth street was opened as a thoroughfare before the bridge was built, and that, as a matter of fact, the company's tracks, where the accident occurred, are on the street. This fact, he says, will strengthen the claims of the city and quite materially assist in attaching the responsibility to the railroad company if the case gets into court, as he says indications now point that it will.

The opinion of Corporation Attorney Markham is that the best way out of the difficulty is for the city to at once undertake the repairs on the bridge, and then, if the railroad desires to contest the case, it can do so when the city demands from the road the price of the repairs.

Promised Not to Repeat.

Joseph Fleissner, proprietor of a saloon at 104 East Seventh street, and John Gallinagh, a saloonkeeper at Rice and Iglehart streets, arrested on the charge of keeping open after midnight, were discharged in the police court yesterday. Their cases were two more of those which the mayor and the police department asked to have dismissed. Gallinagh pleaded guilty to violating the closing law when first arraigned, but was permitted to withdraw the plea.

GREATER AMERICA.
GREATER AMERICA.

8.45 A. M.

Soo Line Pacific Coast Limited leaving time, beginning Sunday, Dec. 11th.

Field, Schlick & Co.

Last Day of the Glove Sale.

It gives us pleasure to inform the ladies of St. Paul that there will be a full assortment of colors and sizes of those GENUINE "JOUVIN" KID GLOVES, the best in the world, the best $1.75, $1.85 and $2.00 qualities, which will be sold for

$1.25 $1.25 $1.25

a pair today. All are embroidered in latest styles. Every pair guaranteed to be strictly first quality. Every pair worth $1.75, $1.85 or $2.00.

Supply your Christmas wants today and save from 50c to 75c on every pair you buy.

Some Deep Cuts in Jackets.

While we shall have good assortments of Jackets for January selling, there are some broken lots which shall be closed out AT ONCE even at a heavy loss.

Boucle, Beaver and Kersey Jackets, reliable qualities, thoroughly well made, actual $5.75 and $6.50 values, will be closed out today at..... **$3.75**

Quite a large lot of our best $11.50, $12.50 and $13.50 Jackets, nearly all of them very late season's styles, lined throughout with Taffeta Silk or Satin. Choice today for..... **$9.75**

Jackets worth up to $20.00 for $13.50.
Jackets worth up to $27.50 for $17.75.

CAPES. 42 Capes of all kinds—Cloth, Velour or Plush, richly trimmed with braid and Jet and furs, silk-lined throughout and interlined, $15.00 to $20.00 kinds. Saturday..... **$11.75**

FUR COLLARETTES. A big lot of Fur Collarettes came a few days ago. It was a furrier's entire stock of these lines, and we got them for one-third less than regular prices.

Collarettes, $7.75, $10.75, $12.50, $13.50 and $15.00.
Muffs, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $4.00 and up to $12.50.

Winter Underwear.

This cold snap and the NEARLY HALF-PRICE sale of Union Suits are a happy combination.

"Munsing" Wool-Plated Combination Suits, open across bust or open front, the best $2.00 and $2.25 garments sold in the United States, for

$1.25

each today. We took the mill stock, and there will be no more at this price when these are sold.

"Munsing" extra heavy Blue Gray Combination Suits, open across bust, regular $3.50 kinds, for..... **$2.25**

Children's Extra Heavy Combination Suits, with drop seat, regular $1.50 kinds, for..... **78c**

Munsing Winter Weight Wool-Plated Vests and Pants, best $1.00 kinds, Saturday..... **58c**

Ladies' Extra Heavy Imported Black Cashmere Stockings, best 75c qualities for..... **50c**

Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Black Cotton Stockings, best 28c kinds for..... **12c**

Boys' Heavy Weight Black Cotton Stockings, DOUBLE FLEECED, warm and serviceable, all sizes..... **25c**

For Men.

Five different lines of Underwear will be marked down to close out because the assortment of sizes in each line is broken. All sizes in the combined lot:

$1.00 Fleeced Underwear for 69 cents.
$1.00 Camel's Hair for 83 cents.
$1.00 Natural Wool for 83 cents.
$1.00 Plush Back Merino, for 83 cents.
50c Fleeced Underwear for 43c ents.

Important news regarding some half-price Neckwear:

New Silk Neckwear in large, wide Puffs, Imperials, Tecks, Four-in-Hands and Bows, made of silks used in the best 50c scarfs. Choice for

25 Cents

today.

Christmas Goods.

An interesting stock of highest grade Christmas Goods. While we know the qualities to be better than any others in town, we're equally sure that our prices are lowest.

Highest Grade English Steel Scissors, with Sterling Silver mountings..... **$1.25**

Highest Grade Sterling Silver mounted Nail Polishers, only, each..... **85c**

Highest Grade Paris-Made Tooth Brushes, with Sterling Silver handles..... **85c**

Leather Covered Memorandum Books, assorted colors and sizes, 20c, 15c and..... **10c**

Leather Covered Address Books, assorted colors and sizes, 50c, 35c, 25c and..... **20c**

Venetian Vases, with decorations; hand Vases from Carlsbad, both kinds today only

Copenhagen and Flower Vases. Special today.....

Extra! Best Glass Tumblers, rich, high cutting, a set of 6 for..... **$2.95**

Extra!

CALENDARS for 1899 at special prices today.

50c Calendars for 35 cents.
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STATIONERY. New size, heavy Cream Wove Stationery, 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes in a box, only..... **17c**

The swellest box of stationery in town—Octagon shape French Telescope, filled with fine white and tinted stationery, best 75c values, today, one day only..... **49c**

PERFUMERY. An odd lot of "Colgate's" and "Lundberg's" Perfumes will be closed out at..... **10c**

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A big lot of BEST QUALITY Brush Binding, 5 CENTS a yard.

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EASTERN MONEY COMES.

It Is Being Invested in St. Paul Realty.

The Boston-Northwest Realty company has bought of A. H. Rogers the northwest corner of Seventh and Cedar streets, sixty-six feet on Seventh street, and 100 feet on Cedar, and a four-story brick building.

C. P. Adams and George E. Cabot, as trustees of Boston parties, have bought of T. L. Blood, as assignee of William Dawson Jr., the property known as 380-382-384 Robert street, between Fifth and Sixth streets. The property is fifty feet front and 150 feet deep, with a three-story brick building.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY,

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL.

The German Literary society is the youngest of the institutions of the Central high school. It has been organized with the following officers: Jessie Weaver, president; William Manly, secretary; Joseph Burke, treasurer; Myra Smith, sergeant-at-arms. All discussions are in the German language.

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Prof. Schmidt, who will hold classes in the gymnasium Friday afternoons for the benefit of the boys who want training under an instructor, yesterday opened his school. Prof. Hermann will instruct a class of girls.

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The cup which the Central won last spring in the interscholastic field day has been placed in a conspicuous position to testify to the honor due the high school athletes. On the wall over the cup hangs an excellent picture of the winning track team handsomely framed and mounted.

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The assembly period yesterday was occupied with four senior essays. They were: "The Great in History," Leah Reeves; "Our Girls," Edmund Campbell; "An Old Rhyme Applied," Ethel Carter; "A Medley," Helen Parsons.

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The Literary academy held a regular meeting yesterday and listened to the following programme, the special topic of the day being the Jesuits: "Loyola," Edith McMillan; "The Jesuits in Europe," Stella Young; "The Jesuits in America," Allison McManigal; "St. Augustine" (the city), Charles Beagle; "The President's Message," Miss Pollock; "Current Events," Barry Dibble.

Dr. Charttan Thinks Pond's Extract Deserves the Credit.

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"I had an opportunity of using Pond's Extract in a case of sub-acute erysipelas of the nose and face of a lady, who had the disease in an acute form several years ago, and since that time has had repeated attacks of the disease in the sub-acute or chronic form. I used the Extract as a local application to her nose and face, with some internal treatment; the swelling and redness disappeared very quickly, and I am forced to say that I think Pond's Extract deserves much credit for her rapid cure, and I hereafter shall use it in cases wherever indicated."

S. H. Charttan, M. D.

8.45 A. M.

Soo Line Pacific Coast Limited leaving time, beginning Sunday, Dec. 11th.

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