

DRY GOODS. HANDSOME, USEFUL AND ACCEPTABLE HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

BLANKETS, CURTAINS, LINENS, etc., are always a most acceptable and thrifty housewife, and as the immense assortment and low prices of our great House-furnishing Goods Departments afford opportunities for selection and values not obtainable elsewhere we invite an inspection of our display, and in extending this invitation we present a few samples of the

Special Attractions Offered This Week!

- \$3.75 a Pair - IRISH POINT CURTAINS, neat effects, full lengths, value for \$5.
\$3.90 a Pair - SWISS TAMBOUR CURTAINS, embroidered on fine Brussels net, 7 1/2 yards long, value for \$5.
\$2.50 a Pair - 12 PAIRS SOFT FLEECY WHITE BLANKETS, 72 inches wide, value \$3.50.
\$7.75 a Pair - 200 PAIRS SUPERIOR GRADE FINE CALIFORNIA BLANKETS, full 6 feet wide, value for \$10.
\$5.00 Each - FULL-CRISP DOWN COMFORTERS, satcen covering, value for \$7.50.
30c a Yard - HEAVY SIZE TOWN DAMASK, 56 inches wide, value for 45c.
55c a Yard - DOUBLE WARP ECRU TABLE DAMASK, 60 inches wide, very heavy, value for 75c.
\$2.75 a Set - A SPLENDID LINE LUNCH SET, suitable for presents, \$2.75, \$3.75, \$4.50 to \$20, excellent values.
\$2.00 Each - FINEST QUALITY CHENILLE TABLE COVERS, heavily fringed, rich colorings, value for \$2.50.
50c Each - DOWN CUSHIONS, 16 inches square, well filled, fine cambric covering, value for 75c (all sizes in proportion).
45c Each - Full assortment LADIES' SKIRTS, in satcen, Farmer's satin, alpaca silk, etc., from 40c to \$12.50 each.
\$3.00 Each - 2 Cases 12-4 ENGLISH MARSEILLE BEDSPREADS, elegant fabric and stylish designs, value for \$3.75.
53c Each - About 50 dozen FINE GRADE DAMASK TOWELS, odds and ends, superior grade, value 50c.

NOTABLE VALUES!

A Large Assortment of STAMPED LINEN GOODS IN TRAYS, CARVERS AND SPLASHERS, BUREAU AND SIDEBORD SCARFS, RUNNERS, etc., etc., at HALF VALUE.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS DURING HOLIDAY SEASON.

MURPHY BUILDING. Market Street, corner of Jones, SAN FRANCISCO.

NOTES FROM NILES.

The Growing Importance of Apricot Culture - Social Affairs. Correspondence of THE MORNING CALL. The first apricot trees were brought into California by French gardeners as far back as 1830, and were planted in the warm foothill valleys all over the State. When the first State fair was held in Sacramento this fruit was exhibited and soon became a favorite, and as the years went by became pretty generally planted throughout the State in the little home orchards which surround every well-to-do farm.

MRS. COOPER'S CLASS.

The Need of Cultivating Love and Tolerance Toward Others. "We have had a week of joy," said Mrs. Cooper, as she opened her little class at the First Congregational Church yesterday. "Thousands of little children have been made glad, and with them the toll-worn mother. Let us keep up the sweet spirit of the Christmas-time through all the year. Our lesson to-day shows us that we all need the tender love and mercy of God. We need to cultivate love and tenderness toward others. When we come into these conditions of being, we come into conditions of power. We do not let our Christian life as a selfish, self-seeking, self-sacrificing. Joy and raptures in religious meetings - out for very little, unless they take selfishness and censoriousness out of the heart. It is the home life, the business life, that tells the story of our religion. We must expect annoyances and trouble. But blessed are the happiness-makers. This is the season of the year when the heart is most joyous, and the one who is the most joyous, is the one who scatters the most joy."

The Most Famous Authors Contribute to THE YOUTH'S COMPANION.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION. Articles have been written for 1893 by Sir Edw. Arnold, Rudyard Kipling, Frank R. Stockton, The Dean of Westminster, F. Hopkinson Smith, Archibald Forbes, John McKinstry, The Marquis of Lorne, The Young Men's Christian Association, Boston, Mass.

NATIONAL GUARD.

A Neglected Feature of Field Instruction.

December is an "off" month in the army. Drills are for the most part suspended during the season. Holiday trade the retail stores are kept open until late in the evening, and it would be, therefore, impossible for National Guardsmen employed in these establishments to find the time to attend drills. The reason for the suspension of drills in many of the companies. The Army and Navy Journal in its December 10th issue, devotes two closely-printed columns to the subject of the "Barry controversy." The Governor fares badly in the examination he has insisted on withholding his letter from publication. He might have referred worse had the whole document been before the editor. As it is, only Captain Barry's report and rejoinder receives attention. The Army and Navy Journal refers to some of the Governor's strictures as sweetly sarcastic, and adds, "it will be observed that the Governor answers well-intended criticism made in the line of duty, and which he admits to be true, with an assertion which is obviously untrue. We would suggest that having made this charge, it would be becoming in him, as an officer holding high office, to furnish a list of the names of the army officers whose duty called them into camp, and who are usually not found in the barracks, to the best of the land." The captain simply obeyed orders in submitting the list of names to the Governor, and the Army. He furnished the Governor with a copy.

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GAELIC FOOTBALL.

The Emmet and Sarsfield Teams Contest.

INTEREST in football is steadily maintained, and the great inter-club matches of the Gaelic Association. The occasion was a match between the Emmet Club of San Francisco and the Sarsfields of Port Costa, it being the first of a series of contests under the new association's rules. From the two games it was seen that the main difference between the two methods of handling the rubber bag is that under the University rules there is more use of the arms and upper part of the body, while under the Gaelic rules there is more use of the legs in kicking in the most important part. The Gaelic scrimmage sometimes equals in excitement the football game, and the latter is perhaps more system and method in the collegiate playing.

When the game was called at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Haight-street grounds the benches were pretty well filled up and spectators from the two methods appeared they were greeted with cheers. The Sarsfields of Port Costa were attired in green jerseys and white breeches. The Emmet team wore white jerseys and dark leggings.

Three times the Emmets got the ball past the goal but always on the outside of the point holes, thereby scoring nothing. The Sarsfields were in the best of the game, in excellent manner in which their men always played the play to that portion of the field where a kick was made. The Sarsfields were in the best of the game, in excellent manner in which their men always played the play to that portion of the field where a kick was made.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

REGULATOR. TIME AND DOCTORS' BILLS SAVED.

Having just received and placed on sale an IMMENSE SHIPMENT of Ladies', Misses', Men's and Boys' Winter Underwear, in CASHMERE, MERINO, LAMBS' WOOL, CAMELS' HAIR and VICUNA, we invite particular attention to the EXCEEDING ATTRACTIVE VALUES we are offering, for the goods are from the best and most reliable manufacturers, and as the result of our enormous purchases, are placed before our patrons at figures corresponding with the following

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Men's Underwear. Ladies' Underwear!

At \$1.00. 5 cases MEN'S UNDYED SANITARY LAMBS' WOOL UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS, warranted unshrinkable.

At \$1.00. 50 dozen LADIES' MEDICATED SCARLET LAMBS' WOOL VESTS will be offered at \$1 each.

At \$1.00. 75 dozen LADIES' JERSEY RIBBED MERINO WOOL VESTS AND DRAWERS to match, guaranteed not to shrink, will be offered at \$1 each or \$2.50 per suit.

At \$1.50. 50 dozen LADIES' JERSEY RIBBED COMBINATION SUITS in white and natural wool, will be offered at \$2 per suit, regular price \$2.50.

At \$1.50. 100 dozen LADIES' AUSTRALIAN WOOL VESTS AND DRAWERS to match, in white and natural, will be offered at \$1.50 each, regular value \$2.00 per suit.

At \$2.00. 1 case LADIES' SILK AND WOOL VESTS, extra heavy, Swiss ribbed, high neck and long sleeves, in cream and pink, will be offered at \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75 each, regular price \$2.75, \$3 and \$3.25.

At 50 Cents. 50 dozen BOYS' GRAY MERINO VESTS AND DRAWERS, will be offered at 50c each, regular value 75c.

At 35 Cents to \$1.00. 75 dozen CHILDREN'S CAMELS' HAIR VESTS, PANTS AND DRAWERS, which will offer from 35c to \$1 each, according to size, regular value 65c to \$1.25 each.

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