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## PRICES SEEK A LOWER LEVEL!

Since the recent decline in cotton, all kinds of goods have taken a tumble. We got in on the ground floor as usual, our buyer, who has just returned from New York had a most successful trip. Scooped in some big jobs that will do our customers good.

One thousand and six hundred dollars worth of fine clothing at 50 cents on the dollar. That means \$5.00 suits for \$3.00, \$7.00 suits for \$4.50, \$10.00 suits for \$6.00, \$12.00 suits for \$7.50, &c.

### SILKS.

Foulards, new designs only one pattern of a kind at 75 cents.  
 Lovely quality Satin Liberty in all the new shades, at 75 cents.  
 Splendid line Waist Silks in patterns from 50 cents to \$2.00.  
 Pryd strong line black silks in popular grades and prices.

### MILLINERY OPENING.

Our Pattern Hats will be on exhibition  
**FRIDAY MARCH 29.**  
 FROM 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.  
 We are showing the choicest line of any previous season.  
 A new and complete stock in the latest Parisian styles.  
 This department is in charge of thoroughly competent milliners.

### DRESS GOODS

The greatest collection of fine black goods for skirts and suits we have ever shown. There is nothing new in popular fabrics that we cannot show and our prices are right as they invariably are. See them before buying, it will mean a nicer dress at a smaller cost.

## A PERFECT LANDSLIDE IN WASH GOODS.

The market broke we took them in case lots at our own price, our customers get the benefit. Real good cimities, the kind that sell at 6 1-2 cents, our price only 5 cents. Splendid Percales full 27 inches wide, worth 8 cents our price only 5 cents. Magnificent collection of fine Lawns, Batiste, Organdies Dimities Piques Ducks and about 50 pieces white goods—a great bargain lot—at a little over half price. Don't fail to take advantage of this early Spring offering.

## - THE GANSON CASH STORE -

P. S. 417 pair of pants slightly imperfect to arrive this week at 50 cents on the dollar.

Memories of the Alabama. A Successor to Aguinaldo. What Shall we do With Him? Cider Cures Smallpox. Town of Rock Hill Will Remain Dry. Dug Up Two Skulls.

### Reward for Document Thanking John Lancaster for Rescue of Semmes.

London, April 12—Stories and memories of the Alabama have been revived here by an advertisement offering a reward for the recovery of a document conveying the thanks of the Confederate States to John Lancaster for rescuing Capt. Semmes and part of the crew of the Alabama when the Kearsarge sank her off Cherbourg. The Confederate steamer Alabama, Capt Raphael Semmes, was attacked and sunk by the United States corvette Kearsarge, Capt Winslow near Cherbourg, France, June 19, 1864. The British yacht Deerhound picked up 39 persons, including Semmes and 14 of his officers, after which she headed for Southampton. Capt Winslow's officers begged him to throw a shot at the Deerhound, but he refused. John Lancaster was probably the commander of the Deerhound.

### Insurgent General Sandico Appointed to Chief Command—Had Already Surrendered.

Paris, April 12—Agonello, the agent of Aguinaldo in Paris, received a cablegram this morning announcing that the Filipino general, Sandico, had been elected to succeed Aguinaldo as commanding general of the forces as well as dictator during the continuation of the insurrection. Sandico belongs to a distinguished family residing at Panatikan, near Manila. He is a man of energy and well educated. As announced by the Associated Press Monday, April 8, in a dispatch from Manila, Gen Sandico surrendered to the American authorities at Cabanatuan, Island of Luzon. It added that Sandico had a bad record and might be tried.

### Bail for Short and Myers Increased to \$20,000.

New York, April 12—Robert M Moore, counsel for Albert T Patrick, David L Short and Morris Meyers, who are charged with the forgery of the will of Wm M Rice, appeared before Recorder Goff in the court of general sessions today and made a motion to decrease the bail of Short and Meyers. In opposing the motion Assistant District Attorney Garvan said it was the intention of the district to connect Short and Meyers with the conspiracy to get control of Rice's fortune. Instead of acceding to the request that the bail be reduced Recorder Goff increased it to \$20,000 each instead of \$10,000.

**CASTORIA**  
 For Infants and Children.  
 The Kind You Have Always Bought  
 Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

### Senator Tillman's Little Story. Apropos of the Capture of Aguinaldo.

(From the New York Press.)  
 Now that we have Aguinaldo the question is what shall we do with him? Perhaps it would be as well to brand him and turn him loose. We must not end the war now. Senator Tillman tells this story, which some of you have probably heard before: "At a small station on the Southern Railway the entire population went down twice a day to see the limited pass. One morning when I happened to be there a typical clay-eater stood apart from the throng, his companion being a lean, hungry, yaller cur, sitting on his haunches half asleep. When the train whizzed past, the dog lit out after it, yelping like mad, and followed it around the bend in the road. By and by he came limping back on three legs and flopped down beside his master, dead gone. I said to the old fellow: 'My friend, do you reckon that fool dog thought he could catch that train?' He squinted half a pint of tobacco juice across the track, looked at the dog sort of pitiful and replied: 'I dunno, Governor; but the thought that wuz agitating my mind wuz what in the hell he would 'a done with it if he had caught it.'"

### RAGING, ROARING FLOOD

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Crawford Bros., and J F Mackey & Co. Price 50c and \$1.00.

### Such is the Claim of an Arizona Physician Who Tried It

San Francisco Chronicle.  
 Phoenix, March 26.—Arizona physicians have just completed exhaustive tests and found very satisfactory results from the use of apple cider as a preventive and cure for smallpox. The past winter, an unusually severe one in the southwest, has seen a wide spread epidemic of smallpox in the extreme southeastern part of Arizona and northern Mexico. Six weeks ago an attendant at the pesthouse in Jerome discovered by accident that the use of pure apple cider was helping his patients, one of them having received a quantity from the east and distributed it among his fellow sufferers. Drs. Wood and Kaul made tests with cider on other patients and found most gratifying results. A pint each day, in doses each hour, drove away the eruption in from five to fifteen days and ten patients were entirely cured and discharged within a month. Other tests were made among the Mexican residents along the international line, where there were cases of a more violent nature. In every instance where pure cider was used cures were effected and fifty barrels more of the apple juice have been ordered from Illinois and New York, to carry experiments further into Mexico.

Liabilities \$4,150,909; Assets \$25.

New York, April 12—Wm C Coffin of this city, who was a former partner in the banking house of Coffin & Stanton, which made a general assignment in 1894, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court today. He schedules his liabilities at \$4,150,909 and assets at \$25, which is cash in bank. The secured claims amount to \$2,986,173.

**The One Day Cold Cure.**  
 For colds and sore throat use Kermott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine. Ready taken as candy and quickly cured.

### Will Remain Dry.

Rock Hill, April 12—The voters of this city do not propose to have mere liquor sold here than is done already. By a vote of three to one, with a margin of two, they expressed themselves at the ballot box today, the figures being: For dispensary, 56; no dispensary, 170.

The election was a spirited one. The workers against the dispensary got out a supply of red tickets and upon the backs which run for convenience of the voters and upon the buildings near the polls were large posters urging that the red tickets be voted. The dispensary people got out red tickets, too, but they were a shade paler than their opponents and the zealous anti's cautioned the voters to secure the full blooded ones. Some clever artist, when the victory was assured, put a big cartoon upon the voting place, picturing a woman standing by an open grave wherein the red dragon "Dispensary" was disappearing under the vigorous shoveling by a voter.

Some advocates of the dispensary have claimed that those voting against the movement were but encouraging the sale of blind tiger whiskey. To show their sincerity the anti's followed up their victory by circulating a subscription list to be used to fight the illegal sale of whiskey in this city. A vigorous effort will be made to stamp out the evil.

### JOB COULDN'T HAVE STOOD IT

If he'd had Itching Piles. They're terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For Injuries, Pains, or Bodily Eruptions it's the best salve in the world. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Crawford Bros., and J F Mackey & Co.

### Dug Up Two Skulls.

Beaufort, April 11.—Yesterday some negro workmen, who were engaged in digging post holes for a new fence in Ward 5, unearthed two human skulls, one of which was remarkably well preserved—judging from its contour must have belonged to a member of the Caucasian race. No one has been interred in or near the section of the town where the gruesome discovery was made within the recollection of the oldest inhabitant. It is presumed that the remains were those of soldiers buried during the Federal occupation of Beaufort early in the sixties.

### 'TIS EASY TO FEEL GOOD

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25c at Crawford Bros' and J F Mackey & Co's drug store.

### W. S. Lee Murdered in His Store and the Place Robbed.

Union, April 12—News has just reached here of a horrible murder committed at Whitmire, 18 miles south of Union. Mr. W S Lee is the victim. It appears that Mr. Lee, a merchant and a cripple, sleeping in his store house, was awakened some time during last night and admitted some parties supposed to be customers. When he was found today his head was beat into a jelly and he was in his night clothes. His store was robbed and a considerable amount of money and three pistols had been taken. There is no clue at this time as to who were the perpetrators of this crime.

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 For colds in the head and sore throat use Kermott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine, the "One Day Cold Cure."

**Blood.**  
 We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor. There is nothing else to live on or by. When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood. This is health. When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it. Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

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