

GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE Of Our Entire Stock.

We have not arranged or planned or anything else of the kind for this big sale. Had no intention of having one this winter, but as others started we are in duty bound to protect our customers and our business.

So now goes for the greatest discount sale ever held in this province.

Remember we have not been preparing for this sale by accumulating old goods. Our stock is brand new and fresh, all this season's goods.

We fully realize it is a great loss as well as having a bad effect on business generally. But now that we have entered this price cutting sale we intend making it the biggest one ever held in this province of new and up-to-date goods.

Discount from 25 p. c. to 50 p. c

Everything in our store is included, dress goods, silks, staples, ladies' wear of every kind, furs, mantles, millinery, men's furnishings, clothings, cloths, trunks, valises, blankets, horse rugs, etc., etc., Nothing reserved.

S. A. McDonald

THE WONDERFUL TEAM

Brown and Wilmot Again Tonight at New Wonderland. Change of Costume; New Song and Dances. Wooden Shoe Dancing Extraordinary.

Brown and Wilmot made a more than successful first appearance last night at New Wonderland. And they fulfilled all and any expectations that were looked forward to. They are certainly the most clever, the most attractive, and the most versatile of any artists ever appearing here, and they are a whole entertainment in themselves. Miss Wilmot has some gorgeous changes of costume to enhance the beauty of her act and she dances as a master, in perfect time, rhythm and grace, her elegant apparel is in exquisite harmony with all she does. But see them both tonight, and come tomorrow night to their change of program.

The Kentuckian—is the leader in pictures for this evening, and is a whole reel of intense interest. The Kentuckian leaves home after having in a fit of fury killed his brother. He is not discovered, and goes far away settling down in a strange wild country suited to his habits, he meets in a peculiar way an Indian girl who saves his life more than once. He

marries her, they are seen in their camp, a little child playing around, and news is brought to him of his father's death, and himself being sole owner of the property. His wife is the only bar to him getting it then, as he cannot bring her into the civilized life she knows naught about. He is thinking what he will do, when she goes to the front of the cabin—a smoke arises, she falls, and he is free to pursue his way unfettered.

Do As I Do and Oh What an Appetite, are the remaining pictures, and Mr. Allison will be heard in the catchy illustrated song "Mary". New Wonderland's new singer becomes more popular every day, and his strong true voice is always a rare treat to listen to. This week is going to be a great one at New Wonderland. Brown and Wilmot will change their program frequently, the pictures are all grand and everything right on the boom for a week of grand entertainment. Do not miss it.

PORTLAND'S GRAIN SHIPMENTS INCREASE

PORTLAND, Me., January 3.—Nearly 300,000 bushels of grain of all kinds more than in 1907 passed through this port for transatlantic shipment during the twelve months ending today. The grand total was 7,424,994 bushels, against 7,131,363 bushels the preceding year. Last month was a record-breaking one for grain shipments, the aggregate being 1,863,903 bushels.

BIG FREIGHTER ON FIRE AT SEA

SAVANNAH, Ga., January 3.—With fire eating through her cargo of paper and carbides, the new freight and passenger steamer Texas, Captain Pederson, bound from Christiania, Norway, put into the Savannah river today and throughout the day the Savannah fire department and fire tugs fought to save the vessel from a total loss. It is stated that the fire cannot be gotten under control for many hours, if at all. The loss already is estimated at \$10,000.

JAIL BIRDS MAY BE IN CANADA

BERLIN, N. H., January 3.—Three prisoners at the county court house effected a successful escape last night and are now believed to be on their way to the Canadian line. Two of the men, Fred Forbes and Halmer Mertha, of New York, had sawed the bars of their cell, and while the sheriff was at supper last night they left their pen and also freed Dan Ferrari of Berlin who was confined in an adjoining cell. Forbes and Mertha had been sentenced yesterday to not less than four and not more than seven years, for forging American Express Company money orders, and Ferrari had been convicted and was awaiting sentence for assault with intent to kill. It is understood here that Forbes has already served five years in New York on a similar charge of forgery. To-night a posse of about fifty men are searching for the escaped trio, but no definite clue as to their whereabouts is known. Three men answering their description were seen walking along the tracks of the Grand Trunk railroad, and it is supposed that it is the intention of the men to board a freight car which will carry them into Canada.

FOWLER WON THE YONKERS MARATHON

NEW YORK, January 3.—Robert Fowler, formerly of the Cambridge A. C., of Boston, but who is now unattached, won the Yonkers marathon race yesterday in 2 hours 52 minutes and 25 seconds. A little more than two miles of the race was run over roads in and about Yonkers, while the remainder was run over the course of the Empire City race track in the presence of a great crowd of spectators. Fowler's time was far behind that made by Mathew Maloney a week ago over a hill and dale course from Rye to Manhattan, but his performance, nevertheless, was a meritorious one.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is a resident of the City of Toledo, County and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every one of said seals that cannot be traced by the use of Hall's Cautery Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY Swore to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1888.

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- 2 prs Norwegian Racers, reg price 3.00 now 2.00
- 9 prs Bokers Kingfisher, reg price 3.50 now 2.75
- 40 prs Bokers Dominion, reg price 3.25 now 1.75
- 15 prs Bokers Perfect, reg price 2.00 now 1.50
- 8 prs Bokers Royal, reg price 1.75 now 1.25
- 14 prs Bokers Beauty (Ladies) reg price 2.00 now 1.50
- 13 prs Bokers Charm, Ladies' reg price 1.65 now 1.25

Not Nickled

- 8 prs Bokers Royal, reg price 1.50 now 1.00
- 3 prs Bokers Favorite, reg price 1.00 now 75c
- 43 prs Bokers Hockey Club, reg price 45c now 30c
- 18 prs Nickle Springs, reg price 1.00 now 75c 85 prs plain springs reg 50c now 40c

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