

# THE GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE

## TAKES LIKE WILD FIRE

It would be difficult to find such buying enthusiasm anywhere as was shown here yesterday and day before. Goods moved in double quick order. The facts are plainly visible that this immense stock of up-to-date Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets, Boots and Shoes, etc. won't last long at present rate of selling.

**IF YOU WOULD HAVE YOUR SHARE, YOU'LL HAVE TO MOVE NOW.**

We're far too busy to fully enumerate any part of this Gigantic Closing Out Sale. But take note of these.

Dress Goods worth up to \$1.25 for.....	75c	Hanmutai Silk, regular 25c for.....	20c	\$2.25 Fascinators for.....	\$1.65
Dress Goods worth up to 9c for.....	45c	Ladies' Gloves, regular 35c for.....	25c	\$1.50 Men's Sweaters for.....	85c
White Counterpanes, regular \$1.25, for.....	90c	30 and 32 inch Flannellet, regular 10c, for.....	6 1/2c	\$1.25 Men's Shirts for.....	95c
Children's Coats, regular \$3.00, for.....	\$1.50	50 Cushion Tops, regular 50c, for.....	40c	\$1.50 Silk Scarfs for.....	\$1.00
Ladies' Dressing Suits, regular \$4.50, for.....	\$3.25	Ladies' Golfers, regular \$2.50, for.....	\$1.00	75c Silk Scarfs for.....	50c
Ladies' Waists, regular \$1.50, for.....	\$1.00	25c Turkish Towels for.....	15c	\$1.00 Men's Mitts for.....	80c
Ladies' Waists, regular \$1.00, for.....	80c	18c Linen Towels for.....	12 1/2c	25c Linen Handkerchiefs.....	20c
Black Satene Underskirts, regular \$1.50, for.....	90c	\$1.75 Table Cloths for.....	\$1.35	75c Heavy Sox.....	50c
Ladies' Skirts, regular \$5.00, for.....	\$3.50	35c Ladies' Underwear for.....	25c	35c and 40c Suspenders for.....	25c
Ladies' Skirts, regular \$3.50, for.....	\$2.50			35c and 40c Hose for.....	25c

### Shoes, Furs, Carpets and House Furnishings, Ladies' Ready to wear Garments, Men's Clothing, Furnishing, Boots and Shoes,

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**Happy New Year**  
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## JAPANESE INSURRECTION BEING PLANNED IN CUBA

### Governor Magoon Investigating Report of Plot Against American Rule in Cuba—Japanese Said to Have Taken Photographs and Measurement of Havana Fortifications—Official Overheard Plot

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A cablegram to the world from Havana says: "Governor Magoon is investigating a report that Japanese are planning an insurrection in Cuba against American rule in Cuba. The information was given to the American government by Mr. Pardo, a government official. Five Japanese are said to have been taking photographs and measurements of the fortifications of Havana. The secret police have been shadowing the Japanese for weeks. The Governor Magoon ordered the police to watch them, but not to molest them." Pardo overheard a conversation of Japanese who talked of planning an insurrection among the negroes in Cuba simultaneously with insurrections in the Philippines and Hawaii. The Japanese plot is said to be due to the antipathy of the Mikado to the United States. This antipathy goes back to the peace conference and was accentuated by the killing of a Japanese seal poacher and the exclusion of the Japanese from the schools attended by the white people of California.

## BRANDON HAS A DISASTROUS FIRE

### Yukon Block Destroyed With Kelly's Hardware Store—Howey's Clothing Store Damaged.

BRANDON, Dec. 26.—A disastrous fire broke out here at noon today in the basement of the Kelly hardware store, situated in the Yukon Block. The fire started from the furnace, and was extremely hard to get at, owing to the furnace room being partitioned off, and as a result the fire was unable to make a great headway against the efforts of the firemen. The stock of hardware, valued at \$30,000, is entirely destroyed.

Next to the hardware store and in the same block, is a clothing store owned by W. H. Howey. The stock was considerably damaged.

The basement under the whole building, which is an L-shaped one, is used by the hardware store for storing oils and all kinds of material. The block is owned by Messrs. Burchill and Howey and valued at \$25,000. Insurance is carried to extent of 45 per cent. on hardware stock. There is 75 per cent. insurance on the clothing stock, but there is only 40 per cent. insurance on the value of \$25,000. The second floor of the block is used as offices and pattern rooms, and the loss here will also be heavy, as the rooms contain several boxes with other furnishings which were destroyed with the collapse of the floor.

## AN ILL-FATED TRAIN

### Passenger Train Which Was in the Disastrous Collision at Enderlin Ran Down on Same Trip a Hand Car, Killing One Man and Injuring Another

MINOT, N. D., Dec. 26.—It comes to light today that the Soo train No. 106 which crashed into a freight train at Enderlin, N. D., Sunday morning and killed eleven persons and injured some forty others, was mixed up in another catastrophe during the same run. While travelling at Hecker, ten miles south of

here, previous to the accident at Enderlin, the train ran down a hand-car containing two men, killing Jas. Murray and fatally injuring Thomas Landy. The men were carrying supplies to the car house when they were overtaken. It is reported that the passenger train did not carry a headlight, and that the men never knew what struck them. The Ward county officials are investigating.

## CONTRACTOR'S NEPHEW FATALLY STABBED

### McDodd, Who Had Gone to Assistance of Farm Couple, Received Death Wound.

PARRY SOUND, Ont., Dec. 26.—A message from Grant's camp of the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway construction reached here today giving an account of the murder of one man and the wounding of three others in this vicinity last night. A party of Italians, probably under the influence of liquor, left camp and going to the farm house of Mr. McGormick, started to kick up a row and attempted to assault Mrs. McGormick. Word being sent to the camp, a party of Swedes headed by Meloni, a nephew of Contractor Grant, went to the scene. A fight followed in which Meloni was fatally stabbed, dying shortly afterwards. Three of the Swedes also were stabbed, one probably fatally. The Italians fled but constables are in pursuit.

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## ST. VITAL MERGHANT COMMITS SUICIDE

### Louis Virus Cuts His Throat With Razor—Found Dead by His Young Son.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 26.—Louis Virus, a merchant on St. Mary's Road, St. Vital, committed suicide this morning by cutting his throat with a razor. He arose between four and five o'clock and went into his store, which is next door to his house, and lit the gas. His son went to the store at five o'clock and found the doors locked on the inside, and after breaking in he found his father dead with a fearful gash across his throat. No reason can be assigned for the rash act of the man. Deceased was 42 years of age and leaves a wife and nine small children. The coroner of St. Boniface has charge of the case at present and it is expected that the funeral will take place tomorrow to St. Boniface cemetery.

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## POLITICS IN NELSON

Liberals and Socialists Ready For Provincial Fight.

NELSON, B. C., Dec. 26.—The announcement of the dissolution of the Provincial House caused a furor in political circles here. The Liberals and the Socialists already have candidates in the field, but the Conservatives are having considerable difficulty in getting a man acceptable to all factions of the party.

## PREMIER WHITNEY DENIES

Says His Government Has Not Received Offer For Gillis Limits.

TORONTO, Dec. 26.—Premier Whitney says the government has not received any offer of territory for the mineralized portions of Gillis limits. Moreover, he had not heard of any such offer having been made to his colleagues.