

# Cream White Wool Fabrics For Your SPRING GOWN



What is prettier, what more neat and dainty, than a gown made of cream-colored wool fabrics?

You cannot make a mistake in purchasing these materials, for their soft, clinging texture makes them more in demand than ever this season.

All of the cloths we are now showing are made of fine selected yarn, shown in clean even weaves. These fabrics wash beautifully and are exceptionally stylish for spring and summer wear.

<b>Mohairs</b>	<b>Serges</b>
45-inch wide cream mohair, yard..... <b>75c</b>	42 inch wide cream serge, yard..... <b>\$1</b>
45-inch wide cream mohair, yard..... <b>\$1.00</b>	48-inch wide cream serge, yard..... <b>\$1.75</b>
<b>Cashmeres</b>	<b>Batiste and Albatross</b>
36-inch wide cream cashmere, yard..... <b>50c</b>	36-inch wide cream batiste, yard..... <b>75c</b>
45-inch wide cream cashmere, yard..... <b>\$1.19</b>	36-inch wide cream Albatross, yard..... <b>75c</b>

## American Lady Corsets

Are correct in every respect. Their styles and quality of materials are what make them the popular corset they are. All the new models demanded by Dame Fashion are here shown. To secure the long, clinging lines of present modes one must of necessity wear a correct corset. The "American Lady" sung hip corsets will give the figure the desired effect. Prices range from..... **\$1 to \$5**

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## MARKET MOVEMENTS OF THE DAY

### TRANSACTIONS IN SECURITIES RECORDED ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

New York, May 18.—The stock market today was almost bare of features or incident, its action was inconclusive as an indication of the financial opinion or the speculative spirit. The waiting attitude was persisted in and doubt of the steps to take in the pursuit of the speculation was unresolved. The professional element was greatly divided in opinion, but this division, instead of prompting operations had the effect of discouraging activity altogether. Prices drifted feebly and changed their current frequently. The outgoing tide of travel to Europe figures in the international market favorably at this season because of the large sum of money or credits carried by travelers. Discounts were reported easier in London and Paris, but advanced a fraction in Berlin.

Reports of restoration of wages by some of the important steel companies made a good impression and strengthened the belief in the improvement in the trade. The belated rise in United States Steel gave the market the only semblance of animation it had at any time during the day, and had the effect of making the closing strong.

Bonds were irregular. Total 234,000 par value, \$5,350,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

**Boston Mining Stocks.**

Adventure	87 1/2
Allouez	40
Amalgamated	83 1/2
Arizona Commercial	43 1/2
Atlantic	9 1/2
Butte Coalition	26
Calumet & Arizona	103
Calumet & Hecla	64 1/2
Centennial	39
Copper Range	80 1/2
Daily West	20
Franklin	15
Granby	102
Groome Canadian	105 1/2
Isle Royale	27 1/2
Mads. Mining	14
Michigan	11 1/2
Mohawk	65
Montana Coal & Coke	25
Nevada	23 1/2
Old Dominion	54 1/2
Oscoda	135
Parrot	24 1/2
Quincy	89
Shannon	15 1/2
Tamarack	70
Trinity	13 1/2
United Copper	12 1/2
United States Mining	47 1/2
United States Oil	32
Victoria	5
Winona	5 1/2
Wolverine	118
North Butte	61 1/2

**New York Closing Stocks.**

Amalgamated Copper	83 1/2
American Car & Foundry	55
American Locomotive	57
American Smelting & Refining	93 1/2
Do preferred	109 1/2
American Sugar Refining	132 1/2
Anaconda Mining Co.	50 1/2
Atchafalpa	109 1/2
Do preferred	104 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	114 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79 1/2
Canadian Pacific	180
Chesapeake & Ohio	79 1/2
Chicago & Northwestern	182 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	151

Colorado Fuel & Iron	41 1/2
Colorado & Southern	64 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	137 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	40 1/2
Do preferred	87 1/2
Eric	33 1/2
Great Northern pref'd	147 1/2
Great Northern ord	71 1/2
Illinois Central	140 1/2
International Paper	13
Interborough-Met	10 1/2
Do preferred	49 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	138 1/2
Missouri Pacific	74 1/2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	42 1/2
National Biscuit	105 1/2
National Lead	87 1/2
New York Central	131 1/2
Northern Pacific	145 1/2
Pacific Mail	29 1/2
Pennsylvania	134 1/2
People's Gas	115 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	41 1/2
Pullman Palace Car	188 1/2
Reading	157 1/2
Rock Island	52 1/2
Do preferred	71 1/2
Southern Pacific	122
Southern Railway	38 1/2
Union Pacific	139 1/2
United States Steel	58 1/2
Do preferred	119 1/2
Western	19 1/2
Western Union	76
Standard Oil	69

**New York Mining Stocks.**

Allice	200
Brunswick Con. offered	6
Congress Tunnel stock	25
Do bonds	21
Con. Cal. & Va.	63
Horn Silver	65
Iron Silver	125
Leadville Con.	4
Little Chief, offered	9
Mexican	75
Ontario	450
Ophir	190
Standard	175
Yellow Jacket	60

**San Francisco Mining Stocks.**

Alpha Con.	3
Andes	12
Belcher	48
Best & Belcher	30
Bullion	8
California	8
Challenge Con.	17
Chollar	39
Confidence	75
Con. Cal. & Va.	64
Con. Imperial	1
Crown Point	43
Eschschuer	20
Gould & Currie	7
Hale & Norcross	16
Julia	5
Kentuck Con.	2
Mexican	75
Ocidental Con.	24
Ophir	125
Overman	125
Potosi	11
Savage	18
Scorpion	3
Sug. Belcher	1
Sierra Nevada	25
Union Con.	39
Utah Con.	3
Yellow Jacket	56

**Silver and Drafts.**

Silver bars, 55 1/2c; Mexican dollars, 47c. Drafts, sight, 4 per cent; telegraph, 5 per cent.

**Grain and Provisions.**

Chicago, May 18.—Wheat displayed strength during the first half of the day today and prices advanced more than 1 cent above the previous close, May rose to \$1.30, which is 3c above the previous best mark of the season. During the final half hour sentiment became bearish and prices receded 1 1/2c to 2 1/2c from the high point of the day. July appeared greatly congested during the early trading. A leading elevator concern was an active bidder for that option, and the total purchases credited to that interest

were estimated at 1,000,000 bushels. There was much covering of short lines for the account of a firm which went into the hands of a receiver yesterday. In addition to these influences the market derived strength from an advance of 1/4 to 1/2c at Liverpool, due, it was said, to unfavorable crop reports from Russia, Germany and Hungary. The range for July during the day was between \$1.33 1/2 and \$1.15 1/2. The close was weak at almost the bottom, with July at \$1.13 1/2 and May at \$1.23 1/2.

Oats were strong all day. The market closed strong to 3/4c to 3/8c to 1/2c higher.

Provisions were weak. The close was weak at net losses of 7 1/2c to 1 1/2c, compared with yesterday's final figures.

**Metal Market.**

New York, May 18.—The London tin market was lower today, with spot quoted at 131 25/6d and futures at 132 25/6d. Locally the market was easy at \$28.75@28.85.

Copper was lower in London, with spot quoted at 59 and futures at 59 13s 9d. Locally the market was quiet and unchanged, with lake quoted at \$12.32 1/2@12.37 1/2; electrolytic at \$12.75@12.85; casting at \$12.27 1/2@12.37 1/2.

Lead was unchanged in London. The local market was steady at \$4.30@4.35. Spelter advanced to 122 in London. Locally the market was firm and a shade higher at \$5.12 1/2@5.15.

**Chicago Livestock.**

Chicago, May 18.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated at 500. Market strong. Hogs, \$5.10@7.25; Texas steers, \$4.09@6.15; western steers, \$4.75@5.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.60@6.15; cows and heifers, \$2.50@6.40; calves, \$3.25@7.25.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 12,000. Market steady. Light, \$8.50@7.75; mixed, \$7.97.45; heavy, \$7.05@7.50; rough, \$7.05@7.20; good to choice heavy, \$4.20@7.50; pigs, \$3.80@4.75; bulk of sales, \$7.25@7.45.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 1,000. Market 5c to 10c lower. Native, \$4.60@6.40; western, \$4.60@5.50; yearlings, \$6.30@7.30; native lambs, \$6.85@8.50; western lambs, \$6.25@9.25.

**Treasury Statement.**

Washington, May 18.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, \$118,855,321; gold coin and bullion, \$45,552,758; gold certificates, \$31,628,390.

**Wool Market.**

St. Louis, May 18.—Wool firm. Medium grades, combed and clothing, 25@30c; light fine, 23@27c; heavy fine, 15 1/2@22c; tub washed, 26 1/2@30 1/2c.

**A Hurry-up Medicine.**

Every housekeeper recognizes the need of effective remedies to be used in emergencies—when something must be done right away. Such a remedy is Perry Davis' Painkiller, for sprains and bruises, for strained muscles and for the aches and pains resulting from blows and falls. Burns and cuts are instantly relieved by it and helped to healing. Its mission of mercy began 70 years ago. It is used in all countries and millions of bottles are sold annually. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Have you seen the new large 25c size?

**Eagles, Notice.**

All Eagles are requested to meet at Eagles' hall at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral of John McMullen.

A girl who has fallen heir to one of these Rocky Mountain Tea complexioners is to be envied. Girls whose mothers and grandmothers took Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea conveyed a blessing upon their children. D. C. Smith and G. F. Peterson.

## TO REBUILD CITIES DESTROYED

### ITALIAN GOVERNMENT DECIDES UPON PLAN OF RECON- STRUCTING TOWN.

The reconstruction of the cities of Messina, Reggio, Palmi, Bagnara, etc., having been decided upon, the Italian government will, as soon as the debris left by the earthquake shall have been cleared away, direct the engineer corps of the civil state, or a special commission, composed of members of that corps, to proceed to divide the areas selected for reconstruction into building lots says Cement Age (N. Y.). These lots will be bid for by Italian and foreign contractors who may wish to undertake the construction of new buildings thereon. Anticipating the time when the location and dimensions of the lots will be made known, the Public Works Co-operative Society of Lombardy (Societa Co-operative Lombardia di Lavori Pubblici) announces that it will hold a public competition to demonstrate the relative merits of various methods and modes of work and construction adapted for use in the devastated regions. While the competition will deal especially with types and systems of construction for urban, rural, and industrial edifices least likely to be affected by seismic disturbance, the widest latitude will be given competitors regarding their exhibits. They will be at liberty to submit designs, general proposals, reports, photographs, model sections of materials, etc. Three prizes will be given; one of \$50, one of \$38, and one of \$19. Exhibits must be sent to the College of Engineers and Architects (Collegio degli Ingegneri ed Architetti) No. 10 Via S. Paolo, Milan; free of all costs. The Public Works Co-operative Society of Lombardy reserves to itself the right of applying to its own ends, with or without modifications, and exhibits that shall receive prizes. In such cases, whether exhibits are protected by patents or copyrights or not, the society will make suitable arrangements with owners for compensation.

In addition to this competition and to others of similar character that may eventually be held, the Italian government will probably hold a special competition for the solution of purely technical problems. This competition will, however, only take place after the government shall have solved the grave financial and administrative problems that now demand its attention.

From present indications it seems likely that steel and reinforced concrete will be widely used in the work of reconstruction and that the height of buildings will be limited to 22.31 feet. It is also probable that only the very lightest materials will be used for floors, ceilings, and roofs. American manufacturers should give this fact thorough consideration. They are believed to be in the unique position of being able to supply large quantities of material to fill a demand that cannot be met by outside competition.

If possible, representatives carrying full lines of samples should be sent to the chief cities of Italy to confer with Italian contractors. Manufacturers should in no case fail to send to catalogues or samples of metal, paper and asbestos, fiber, felt, prepared patented materials, sheet iron and protected iron. To the competitors of the Public Works Co-operative Society of Lombardy, and to important Italian contractors (a list of which, forwarded by the consul may be obtained from the bureau of manufactures).

**Bad Attack of Dysentery Cured.**

An honored citizen of this town was suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He told a friend if he could obtain a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, he felt confident of being cured, he having used this remedy in the west. He was told that I kept it in stock and lost no time in obtaining it, and was promptly cured," says M. J. Leach, druggist of Wolcott, Vt. For sale by all druggists.

To improve the clarity of banjo tones, a New Yorker has invented a metal rest for the player's playing hand so that it will not touch the head and deaden the sound.

In tableware one of the newest inventions is that of an Indiana man, a fork in a slot in the Shank of which is set a wheel with a sharp edge to serve as a knife.

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