REPORT ON M'KINLEY CASE

DOCTORS WHO ATTENDED HIM SAY WOUND SHOWED NO SIGN OF BLOOD POISONING—CRITICISMS SAID TO BE WELL ANSWERED.

"The New-York Medical Journal" will contain in its issue to-morrow the full official report of the surgeons and physicians who attended President McKinley. This report was read by Dr. Matthew D. Mann, who performed the operation on the President, at a gathering of medical men at Rochester some days ago, and at a meeting of the State Medical Society in this city on Tuesday. The substance of the comments on the report made by Dr. Mann at these meetings was printed in The Tribune on Wednesday.

The report is signed by Drs. P. M. Rixey, Matthew D. Mann, Herman Mynter, Roswell Park, Eugene Wasdin, Charles McBurney and Charles G. Stockton, as members of the official staff attending the late President. The report of the autopsy is signed by Dr. Harvey R. Gaylord, pathologist to the New-York State Pathological Laboratory, while the report on the bacteriological examination bears the signature of Dr. Herman G. Matzinger, bacteriologist to the New-York State Pathological Laboratory.

According to a well known physician of this city the report shows that the physicians signing it have answered in a forceful manner the theories of most of the medical men who adversely criticised them. Dr. Mann, speaking for his colleagues, declares that there never, under like circumstances, was a more harmonious and better agreed band of consultants.

The report describes in detail the events immediately following the shooting, which are already familiar to the public. Then follows a technical description of the operation. In his comments on the report of the operation, Dr. Mann particularly emphasizes the disadvantages under which he labored when suturing the wounds in the stomach, with the failing light of a September afternoon. Speaking of the unsuccessful search for the bullet when the operation was performed the report says further search might have caused the death of the patient upon the operating table. At the close of the operation, the surgeons present assured Dr. Mann that they were satisfied that everything that was possible had been done, and that they had no further suggestions to make.

The report then continues with the history of the case after the operation. The bulletins as given out by the attending physicians are incorporated in the report. On the fifth day, September 10, took place the much discussed removal of stitches from the wound in the abdominal wall. The report says: "In the evening the dressings were examined, and as there was considerable staining from the discharges, it was thought best to remove four stitches and to separate the edges of the wound. A little slough was observed near the bullet track, covering a space nearly an inch wide, the thickness of the flaps. The suppuration seemed to extend down to the muscle." The remainder of the wound looked healthy, the report continues, and it was thought that the infection was due to the bullet or to a piece of clothing which had been carried into the wound at the time of the shooting.

The findings at the autopsy, declares the report, as well as the developments of the case during the last days, exclude all possibility of absolute injury to the stomach by premature giving of solid food, as was alleged at the time when unfavorable symptoms came on after a change to solid diet. On the seventh day a favorable result was confidently predicted. There was no sign of blood poisoning or of inflammation of the peritoneum. The only alarming symptom was the President's rapid pulse.

Toward noon of the seventh day, the report goes on, the pulse began to grow weaker, and grew rapidly worse. Stimulants were given and the food discontinued. At midnight there was an improvement in the pulse, after an injection of salt solution into the subcutaneous tissues. On the eighth day the condition of the President was described as very serious, as he did not respond to stimulation. At 5 o'clock oxygen was given and continued for some hours. At 6:30 the President was restless. At 10 p. m. he lost consciousness, and continued to sink until he died, at 2:15 a. m., September 14.

In speaking of the criticism that Röntgen rays should have been used to locate the bullet, Dr. Mann says: "In the first place, there were at no time any signs that the bullet was doing harm. To have used the X ray simply to have satisfied our curiosity would not have been warrantable. Had there been signs of abscess formation, then the X rays could and would have been used."

Dr. Gaylord's report of the autopsy says that nothing of importance was noticed about the wound on the chest caused by the first shot. The abdominal wound showed no evidences of necrosis or sloughing. No inflammation of the peritoneum was found. The track of the bullet was traced through gangrenous tissue in the fat behind the kidney to the muscles of the back wall of the abdomen. The direction of the bullet, however, could not be traced any further. In spite of all efforts the bullet could not be found, and the autopsy had to be discontinued, because the time allotted to it by the family of the President had been exceeded. Dr. Gaylord adds: "We were satisfied that nothing could be gained by locating the bullet, which had set up no reaction."

Dr. Gaylord believes that the repair to the stomach wounds was effective, and says that the gangrene around these wounds does not seem to have been the result of any well defined cause. The wound in the kidney, he continues, was of no importance, except as showing the track of the bullet.

The report of the bacteriologist is largely what the doctors call negative. In other words, it concerns rather the absence of germs than their presence. A culture taken from the wound before death showed several varieties of germs, but such a showing, it says, is rather expected in such cases. There were present two of the ordinary germs of suppuration, and one gas forming germ of unknown identity. As the result of an examination of various tissues and fluids removed after death, Dr. Matzinger concludes that bacterial infection was not a factor in the production of the condition found in the autopsy.

A chemical analysis by Dr. Hill of the remaining bullets and of the contents of the cartridge chambers in the murderer's pistol showed that there was no poisonous material, thus disposing of the theory of a poisoned bullet.

ARRESTED AFTER YACHTING CRUISE.

MOUNT VERNON YOUNG MAN CHARGED WITH GETTING VESSEL UNDER FALSE PRETENCES.

Walter A. Ramsey, of Mount Vernon, was arrested yesterday and locked up in the White Plains jail on the charge of obtaining a steam yacht belonging to a wealthy resident of City Island under false pretences. Under the commitment for failing to pay a judgment in a civil action he will have to stay in jail until he settles with Clark A. Miller for $300 for the use of his $3,000 yacht.

According to the complaint of Mr. Miller, young Mr. Ramsey got the yacht on May 31 last, under the pretext that he wanted to buy it. He told Mr. Miller, the complaint alleges, that he had an account with the Clews banking house, of New-York, large enough to cover the cost of the yacht, and that he would purchase the craft if it suited him. For a week Ramsey entertained a party of friends on a cruise on board the yacht, and finally, Mr. Miller asserts, Ramsey deserted the yacht at some port on the Sound, instead of bringing it back to City Island. Attached to the papers was an affidavit of J. B. Clews that Ramsey never had an account with his house.

NAGLE WAS MAD AT SOMEBODY.

COMMISSIONER MURPHY PUT HIM OUT OF A SEAT HE WANTED TO OCCUPY.

Commissioner Murphy was asked yesterday about the visit to his office on Thursday of Percival E. Nagle.

"Commissioner Nagle came here to my office yesterday with a very simple request," he said. "It was only a little thing he wanted. He asked me for five bicycle policemen to use on the East Side to keep people from throwing things into the street. The regular policemen on beat can't attend to that.

"And you know that if there is a man who, when he gets into a seat"—the Commissioner began to laugh—"likes to stay there and never get up, it's Percy Nagle."

"And you put him out?" was the question asked.

"Yes," laughed the Commissioner. "I just had to put him out."

"And he got hot about it?"

"Oh, no. He didn't get hot at me. But it seems that he got mad at some one else."

Commissioner Murphy chuckled and wouldn't say anything more about the visit.

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WHITE PLAINS A PREY TO ROBBERS

AN ORGANIZED GANG LOOTING HOUSES IN THE VILLAGE NIGHTLY.

White Plains is pestered with burglars. In the last three days many burglaries have been committed. William Lown's house, in School-st., was relieved of two gold watches, a diamond ring, $50 in money and silverware on Tuesday night. Cyrus Purdy, whose home is on Chatterton Hill, would appreciate the return of a watch, money and jewelry. A. F. Meyer, a retired New-York merchant living in Central-ave., is a loser, the burglars taking several hundred dollars' worth of booty. Dr Scott's house, also in Central-ave., was robbed on Wednesday night of money, clothing and jewelry. Dr. Scott is in Europe, and the house was in the charge of Mrs. Scott and the servants. Thomas Costello suffered the loss of a watch, money and jewelry. Mrs. George R. Hopkins, in Greenburg-ave., was called on by burglars on Tuesday night. They took a pocketbook containing $40 from between the mattresses of the bed on which she slept. A few days ago the house of Edward Austin, in Fisher-ave., was entered. Mr. and Mrs. Austin, it is said, were chloroformed. The burglars took Mr. Austin's watch, his wife's rings and a sum of money.

At Police Headquarters yesterday Chief Carpenter admitted the frequency with which the citizens were being robbed by some organized gang, and said his department was using every effort to run down the burglars.

If you want to help defeat Tammany on November 5, register to-day or to-morrow. If you are not registered for this election by 10 o'clock to-morrow night you cannot vote.

MILLER BACK IN RAYMOND STREET JAIL.

THE FRANKLIN SYNDICATE MAN ONCE MORE IN THE BROOKLYN PRISON.

William F. Miller, who was sent to Sing Sing for ten years for grand larceny in connection with the Franklin Syndicate, and to whom a new trial was recently granted, was taken back to the Raymond Street Jail in Brooklyn yesterday. Miller looked as though prison life had not affected his health in any way, and he seemed highly elated over his fortune in getting a new trial.

It is understood that Miller's counsel will to-day make application for his release on bail. District Attorney Clarke will oppose this move, or at least insist that the bail be fixed at a high figure.

MISS HEITZ ON THE STAND.

LEGATEE OF CRUGER'S WILL DENIES STORIES THAT HE ILL TREATED HER.

Miss Olga Salomea Heitz, who is making such a hard legal fight to retain possession of the fortune bequeathed to her by Eugene Guido Cruger, took the witness stand before Surrogate Thomas yesterday and told her side of the story. Yesterday it was announced that the expert testimony for both sides was all in. As the case stands now, the experts—five in all—for the contestants have declared that the will was a forgery, and that at the time of its execution the testator was suffering from paresis. The experts for the other side, however, have been just as positive in their declaration that the will is genuine, and that Mr. Cruger was perfectly rational at the time of its execution.

Miss Heitz made a remarkably good witness. She denied the testimony of servants that Mr. Cruger had put her out of the house and otherwise ill treated her.

AMALGAMATED COPPER GAINS.

Amalgamated Copper stock made a net gain of 1¼ points yesterday, despite the uncertainty as to the maintenance of the price of copper at 17 cents a pound. Men prominent in the trade incline to the belief that no cut in price will be necessary, and that the situation is improving, and it was said that requests from large consumers for a concession of even one-eighth of a cent a pound had been refused.

SOCIALISTS TRIED AT AMSTERDAM.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The trial of John E. Wallace and Edmond F. Lake, the socialists arrested here on September 21 while holding a public meeting in Main-st., began to-day before Recorder Maxwell. It took three hours to select a jury. The accused are charged with violating Section 675 of the Penal Code by obstructing the streets and disturbing the public peace.

UNION PRINTERS ON STRIKE.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The union printers in the cities of Gloversville and Johnstown are on a strike, caused by the refusal of the employers to sign a scale of wages submitted by the union. This scale called for $14 a week for linotype operators and decreased the number of apprentices to be employed in the printing offices. The entire force of printers on "The Gloversville Leader," "The Herald" and "The Johnstown Republican" have quit work, and the papers are being issued with non-union help.

DOCTORS TO READ PAPERS.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the New-York State Medical Association will be held on October 21, 22, 23 and 24 at the Academy of Medicine. Reports of special committees will be presented and many papers will be read. Among those who are expected to read papers are Drs. Wisner R. Townsend, Irving P. Lyon, of Buffalo; John P. Deaver, of Philadelphia; Albert E. Woehnert, of Buffalo; George Blumer, of Albany; James Ewing, Andrew R. Robinson, Francis W. Murray, Joseph S. Gibb, Alexander Lambert, James P. Tuttle, Henry H. Morton, William M. Polk, Frederick William Loughran, S. Ormond Goldan, Lucius W. Hotchkiss, Frank Wellington Dennis, Abram Brothers, Joseph D. Bryant, Simon Flexner and Charles G. Stockton. The annual dinner of the organization will take place at the Murray Hill Hotel on the evening of October 23.

BOYS MAKE RESTAURANT CLOSE.

A new restaurant was opened in a New-st. basement yesterday, and did a large, if not a profitable, business. The place was decorated with flowers, and an orchestra consisting of a flute, a harp and a violin gave a continuous performance. The greatest drawing card, however, was a placard announcing that, as it was opening day, customers need pay only 10 cents for all they could eat.

To guard against disaster, another sign was hung out, reading, "Boys not admitted." The boys swarmed in, however—there are hosts of them in the region—and joyfully gorged themselves, causing such devastation and depletion of the food supply that a third sign was hastily prepared and displayed, "This place will close at 2 o'clock." It did.

The polls in your election district are open from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m. to-day and to-morrow. Register and make sure of a vote for good government.

DELEGATES TO PAN-AMERICAN CONGRESS.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—Dr. José Leonard, rector of the University of Honduras, and Dr. Fausto Davila, a prominent attorney of Honduras, delegates to the Pan-American Congress, have arrived here on the way to Mexico. They report that Honduras is in a prosperous condition. American goods, they say, are greatly in demand in Honduras. In the southern portion, however, the Germans have vast capital invested and influence a large amount of the imports.

PROGRESS OF POWERS'S SECOND TRIAL.

Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 17.—When the trial of Caleb Powers, charged with connection with the Goebel assassination, was resumed to-day, Mrs. Anderson, Western Union operator at Barboursville, Ky., testified, identifying several telegrams sent by Powers to men in that locality, instructing them how many men to bring to Frankfort.

Miss Lucy Brook testified to hearing Powers say that Governor Taylor had given him $1,000 with which to pay the expenses of the mountain men, and that he and Charles Finley were raising the army.

Detective Jenkins, of Lexington; Sheriff Bosworth and Deputy Rogers, of Fayette County, told of Powers's arrest the night he fled from Frankfort disguised as a soldier. Walter Bronston, county attorney for Fayette, said when he heard Powers had left Frankfort and was coming toward Lexington, he got Thomas Cromwell, a newspaper correspondent, to swear out a warrant for Powers and Captain John Davis, charging Goebel's murder. The warrants were served on the arrival of their train.

UNEMPLOYED MEN STORM A WORKHOUSE.

London, Oct. 18.—In Northampton on Tuesday and Wednesday hundreds of unemployed shoemakers, incited by socialists, stormed the workhouse, demanding relief from the distress caused by the paralysis of trade, attributed to American competition.

MR. ROOT'S FAMILY IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Root, the wife of the Secretary of War, and her children arrived here to-day. They expect to be joined next week by the Secretary, who is still away on his vacation and recovering his health.

SHIP CANAL ADVOCATED.

TAXATION RESOLUTIONS ALSO MADE BY STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The State Commerce Commission was called to order to-day by President Kernan. John A. C. Wright, of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce, addressed the convention on "The Waterway Question—An Adequate Solution From Niagara to the Sea." The speaker favored a ship canal maintained by the nation. He urged a waterway through Lake Ontario and the Mohawk and Champlain and Hudson Valleys to the sea.

Mr. Wright insisted that a 3,000-ton basis was the smallest possible one to be figured upon. Mr. Wright denied that three miles an hour was the limit of speed in ship canals, and asserted that in the Sault Ste. Marie vessels go seven and one-half miles against the current and twelve miles with the current. He asserted that instead of three or four miles being made in the Suez Canal the actual speed was five or six miles an hour.

Mr. Wright's argument was in favor of a canal ignoring Buffalo.

Lewis Nixon, of New-York, spoke on "Water Borne Freights." He advocated a 1,000-ton barge canal as the best and most feasible solution of the canal problem. A ship canal, he insisted, was impracticable, owing to the impossibility of properly dredging the Great Lakes.

The following resolutions, presented by Lawson Purdy, chairman of the committee on taxation, in behalf of the committee, were adopted:

Resolved, That the State Commerce Convention reiterates its resolution that the best way to reform the system of local taxation is to grant local option in taxation to the cities and counties of the State, and to carry this resolution into effect recommends the passage of the bill for the apportionment of State taxes and for local option in taxation prepared by the New-York Tax Reform Association and unanimously indorsed by many organizations, some of which are members of this convention.

Resolved, That this convention indorses the following resolution on taxation unanimously adopted by the National Tax Conference.

"This conference recommends to the States the recognition and enforcement of the principles of interstate comity in taxation. These principles require that the same property should not be taxed at the same time by two State jurisdictions, and that if the title deeds or other paper evidences of the ownership of property or of an interest in property are taxed they shall be taxed at the situs of the property and not elsewhere. These principles should also be applied to any tax upon the transfer of property in expectation of death or by will or under the laws regulating the distribution of property in case of intestacy."

Register to-day, and see to it that your friends register. This is the third day of registration.

RICHNESS OF CANDLE CREEK, NOME.

FEARS FOR SAFETY OF PARTIES IN BOATS WHO STARTED SOUTH.

Port Townsend, Wash., Oct. 17.—The steamer St. Paul has arrived from Nome bringing 304 passengers and a big shipment of gold. She sailed from Nome on October 6 and arrived here too late for quarantine inspection. She will remain overnight in the stream.

According to reports brought by the St. Paul, Candle Creek is most promising. T. R. Sullivan, who arrived at Nome from that creek, in an interview said: "The half has not been told about Candle Creek. I have mined all over the world, and I have never seen anything like it. The creek is only about ten feet wide, and men are standing in the stream, often in water to their thighs, shovelling gravel from beneath the water. Good pay has been found on twenty-seven claims."

Since the storm of September 26 the weather has been fairly good. People from all parts of the arctic region are arriving at Nome, and there is a rush at the transportation offices to secure passage on the steamers sailing south.

George W. Ramsay and J. Gordon Temple left Nome in a small boat for Teller, on the way to the Kougarok, on July 10. So far as known nothing has been heard from them. Parts of a boat and various kinds of goods were found October 1 scattered along the shore near Topkok. The goods were marked "Lundstrom" and came from the Northern Commercial Company.

A boat belonging to the Benbrook party, which left Nome in July, 1900, for Kuskokwim, has been picked up in Kuskokwim Bay, and fears are entertained that the party of five was drowned, as nothing has been heard of them.

MYSTERY IN CHICAGO MAN'S DEATH.

STRANGE CIRCUMSTANCES IN AN APPARENT MURDER CASE AT ROCHESTER.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The body of a man, identified as that of William A. Bishop, No. 52 Borden Block, Chicago, and whose home was at Waukegan, Ill., was found this morning by Mary Weis in a sandy cornfield on the Fordham farm, in the town of Greece, near the Stone Road, with his throat cut from ear to ear. The jugular vein had been opened and the man had bled to death. No knife was found. The wound, it is thought, could not have been inflicted with a razor.

The coroner traced the man's trail back one hundred yards to the corner of a rail fence in a piece of woods, where was found a large pool of blood. There were evidences along the trail that the man had fallen on his hands and knees.

In the pockets were found several women's long gold chains, a gold watch, a silver watch and a checkbook on the Merchants' Loan and Trust Company, Chicago.

Bishop had drawn checks on October 15 for $25 and on October 16 for $25, each in favor of himself. In his wallet was $50 in greenbacks. In the pockets also were several women's gold cuff buttons marked "B."

The indication is that Bishop was murdered, but by what means is not known, as the weapon inflicting the wound has not yet been found.

BELIEF OF SUICIDE EXPRESSED.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—William A. Bishop was a member of the law firm of Bishop & Strong, with offices at No. 50 Borden Block. He was a bachelor, and lived with his grandmother, a Mrs. Arnold, at Waukegan. "Mr. Bishop probably committed suicide," said C. A. Partridge, secretary at Grand Army of the Republic headquarters here, who was a neighbor of Mr. Bishop at Waukegan. "He left home on Tuesday night, and had not been heard from since. He had been despondent for some time over a business disagreement, and talked freely on Sunday of his troubles, even threatening to commit suicide, and I have no doubt he has made good his threat. Bishop had considerably property, which was inherited from his father."

SCHEDULE OF BANKRUPT GRAIN COMPANY.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 17.—The schedule of the liabilities and assets of the St. Paul and Kansas City Grain Company has been filed, placing the liabilities at $845,000 and the assets at $807,000. Of the liabilities nearly $500,000 is unsecured. Grain valued at over $100,000, purchased at country markets, has not been paid for, according to the sworn statement of the officers of the company.

For assets the company has a plant, which it schedules as being worth about $175,000, and a bank account of nearly $90,000. Other assets consist of accounts receivable, and the largest debtor of the company is J. Q. Adams & Co., who owe $176,000. J. Q. Adams is the president of the company. The St. Paul and Kansas City Grain Company operated a line of elevators along the Chicago, Great Western and Milwaukee roads. As a rule they were small houses, for their value is estimated at little more than $200,000. Early in the month the company was reported to be in financial difficulties, and on October 4 F. C. Van Dusen and P. B. Smith were made assignees.

No vote for good government can be spared on November 5, so see to it that your right to vote in the municipal election is secured by registration. Register to-day before 10 p. m.

SIR THOMAS NOT GOING TO BOSTON.

Boston, Oct. 17.—President Charles F. Adams of the Massachusetts State Board of Trade, the organization which expected to entertain Sir Thomas Lipton here next week, to-day received a telegram from him saying that he could not come to this city. The telegram says:

Have done best to arrange visit Boston, but find, owing to engagements in London, am compelled sail on Tuesday or Wednesday at latest. Nothing grieves me more than to find it impossible to give myself the pleasure of accepting the kind invitation to Boston.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks to-day were as follows:

Alta	.02	Justice	.02
Alpha Con	.02	Kentucky Con	.02
Andes	.04	L Wash Con	.01
Belcher	.09	Mexican	.17
Best & Belcher	.15	Occidental Con	.04
Bullion	.01	Ophir	.81
Caledonia	.30	Overman	.03
Challenge Con	.11	Potosi	.07
Chollar	.07	Savage	.11
Confidence	.70	Sag Belcher	.02
Con Cal & Va	1.75	Sierra Nevada	.16
Con Imperial	.01	Standard	4.20
Crown Point	.06	Syndicate	.07
Gould & Curry	.03	St. Louis	.03
Hale & Norcross	.16	Union Con	.16
Julia	.01	Yellow Jacket	.15

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Men's 50c Scarfs at 25c—Tecks, Four-in-Hands and Imperials, of full half-dollar value. Light or dark. A stirring offering. Broadway and Ninth street.

Offering No. 4

Men's $1 Scarfs at 50c—Tecks, Four-in-Hands, Imperials or Squares—fine dollar scarfs, new, perfect, handsome. A rare chance for gift buyers. Broadway and Ninth street.

Offering No. 5

Men's Linen Collars 50c doz.—Imported Collars that sold formerly at 25c each. Pure linen; twenty styles—every sort of collar that any man wants. Perfect, fresh, clean—in boxes of a dozen, sold only by the box. Sizes 14 to 18; though not in all styles. *The best collar offering ever made.* Broadwal and Ninth street.

Offering No. 6

Men's 16c Handkerchiefs at 10c—3,600 *all-linen* Handkerchiefs, neatly hemstitched with one-half and one-inch hems; regularly sold by us at 16c, and scarcely equalled elsewhere at that price. Now 10c each. Broadway.

Offering No. 7

Women's 50c Lawn Ties at 25c—Imported, made of sheer muslin, printed in neat designs, copied from the French ties worth $1 or more—pin dots, polka dots, Grecian designs, in black and colors—all fast colors. Remarkably dainty ties for a quarter. Broadway.

Offering No. 8

85c to $1 Silks at 40c a yd.—Fine Printed Liberty Satins and Foulards at a truly ridiculous price. Colorings and patterns in excellent variety; selected for our regular stock earlier in the season, to be sold for 85c to $1. Now 40c! Rotunda.

Offering No. 9

$1.50 Satin Prunella Cloth, 85c—1,700 yards of Satin Prunella Cloth, in ten attractive colorings. It's a rare opportunity that makes it possible to buy this seasonable fabric, worth $1.50, at 85c a yard. Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 10

$1.75 French Satin Venetian at $1—French Satin Venetian Cloth, regular $1.75 quality, with handsome finish, in light shades at $1 a yard. Just in time to effect revolutionary price-saving in many a woman's winter dress-making plans. Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 11

75c Plaid Chudda Cloths at 50c—3,000 yards of Imported Plaid Chudda Cloths, in 45 Scotch tartan combinations. Splendid dresses for the school children, at a price-saving of a third. Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 12

75c Printed Striped Albatross at 50c—800 yards of French Printed Mercerized Striped Crepe Albatross, with attractive designs in polka-dots and figures on light tinted grounds. Excellent fabrics, a third below value. Tenth street and Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 13

$6.50 Decorated Lamps at $4—Large Lamps, 30 inches high, with flower decorations on light ahd dark grounds. 11 inch globes to match. Basement.

Offering No. 14

18c Stockings at 12½c a Pair—Women's cotton or lisle thread Stockings, fast black; soles, heels and toes spliced—seamless and durable. New, just arrived. Remarkable value. Broadway.

Offering No. 15

25c Stockings at 18c a Pair—Women's regular-made imported cotton Stockings, fast black; double soles and high-spliced heels. Unusual 25c quality now offered just as they are taken from the cases that brought them across the ocean, at 18c a pair, or 3 pairs for 50c. Broadway.

Offering No. 16

Women's 38c Stockings at 25c—Imported Allover Open-work Lisle Thread Stockings, in new and effective patterns; also Richelieu ribbed lisle thread stockings—all fast black. Values hard to match at half a dollar; now 25c a pair. Broadway.

Offering No. 17

$3.50 Lillian Corsets at $2—Proposed change in models brings this offering of our own fine Lillian corsets. One style is bias gored; low bust; long over abdomen and hips. Another style has spoon clasps, with webbing around the bottom. Prices were $3.50 and $3.75; now $2. Second floor, Tenth street.

Offering No. 18

$1 and $1.50 Cambric Nightgowns at 75c—Nightgowns, of cambric, in three styles; round or square neck, trimmed with lace; short or long sleeves; all prettily trimmed with ribbon. At their new prices they are unusual bargains. Second floor.

Offering No. 19

$1.75 Umbrellas at $1.25—Five hundred women's 26-in. and men's 28-in. Umbrellas, covered with piece-dyed taffeta, and with a choice selection of fancy handles. Excellent Umbrellas more than a quarter below value. Broadway.

Offering No. 20

$2.50 All-Silk Umbrellas at $1.90—Four hundred men's 28-in. and women's 26-inch all-silk Umbrellas, with a splendid variety of fancy handles at $1.90, for regular $2.50 values. Suitable for your own use, and handsome enough to make a seasonable gift. Broadway.

Offering No. 21

15c Polka Dot Ribbon at 10c yard—Dainty Louisine Ribbons, in white, light blue, turqoise, mais, rose, violet and old rose, with woven dots; 3 inches wide. Excellent 15c values at 10c a yard. Broadway.

Offering No. 22

$15 Trimmed Hats at $7.50—Fifty Trimmed Hats came down from our workrooms fresh and new Thursday night for this Friday sale. They are mostly Turbans and the popular three-cornered hats, in black, and black-and-white; also some Sailor Hats. All are styles sold heretofore at $15; now half—$7.50. Second floor, Tenth street.

Offering No. 23

$5 to $7.50 Silk Waists at $3.50—*An Extraordinary Announcement!* The best offering of Silk Waists ever made at the beginning of a season. Six hundred and seventy-two waists, fresh and new from several different manufacturers. Superb variety; excellent styles and colorings, including black. Taffeta and peau de soie. All sizes. Second floor, Tenth street.

Offering No. 24

$2.50 Black Albatross Waists, $1.25—Black albatross Waists, in two styles, with plaited front and French back; some lined, others unlined. A most seasonable offering of these comfortable waists at *half price.* Second floor.

Offering No. 25

Women's $21 Tailored Suits $15—Tailored Suits of fine black cheviot serge, with stylish double-breasted jacket; coat back; inlaid velvet collar; revers of peau de soie; gored skirt with stitching; silk drop skirt with 10-inch ruffle. Exceedingly stylish suits, that are fully worth $21 each, at $15. Second floor, Broadway.

Offering No. 26

Women's $16.50 Raincoats at $11.50—Raincoats of Melton, in gray Oxford Mixtures, scalloped yoke front and back; gored back, half-fitted, with long trailing effect; velvet collar; fly-front; turnover cuffs. All wool, handsomely tailored. A rare bargain to secure at this time. Second floor, Broadway.

Offering No. 27

50c and 75c Lace Galons at 30c a yard—Venise Lace Galons and Bandings, nine patterns, Arabe shades, prevailing styles; 3 and 4-inch widths. A most remarkable offering, just when so many of these laces are wanted. Main aisle.

Offering No. 28

Girls' $20 to $24 Suits at $15—Handsome Tailor-made Suits of cheviots, Venetians and broadcloths, in all desirable shades; with blouse, Eton, or Norfolk jackets, variously trimmed. Sizes for 14 and 16 years. Second floor, Ninth street.

Offering No. 29

Women's 25c Aprons at 12½c—1200 Hemstitched White Lawn Aprons, some with plaits above the hem; full width, neatly made: and good 25c value. Now at half price—12½ each. Broadway.

Offering No. 30

$4.50 Dessert Knives at $2.25 a dozen—Medium and Dessert Knives, with steel blades and celluloid handles, selling regularly at $4.50, now $2.25 dozen. Basement.

Offering No. 31

2-piece Steak Carving Sets, 50c—Carving Knife and Fork, with stag handles. Excellent dollar value for 50c. Basement.

Offering No. 32

Rogers' Tea Spoons at 75c dozen—Genuine Rogers' Silver-plated Spoons that were remarkable value when offered at a dollar a dozen in our recent sale. To-day the unheard-of and extraordinary price, for which even imitations cannot be bought. These are genuine original *Rogers.* Tenth street and Broadway.

Offering No. 33

$8.50 Tea Sets at $6.50—Five-piece quadruple silver-plated Tea Sets that were offered recently at $8.50, though regularly sold at almost double that price. A most remarkable value at $6.50. Tenth street and Broadway.

Offering No. 34

$1.50 Bread Trays at $1—Quadruple silver-plated Trays that were offered in our late silverware sale at $1.50, which was about half their value; and at which price many were sold. Those remaining go in today's movement at the remarkable price of $1 each. Broadway and Tenth street.

Offering No. 35

New Bric-a-Brac at Half Price—Beautiful new goods just unpacked yesterday from the casks that brought it to America. 600 pieces—high-class figures, busts, vases, flower holders and centerpieces, in a wide variety of decorations. Scarcely two pieces alike. Prices range from $1 pieces for 50c; up to $40 pieces at $20. A rare chance to pick out holiday gifts. Basement.

Offering No. 36

$3 and $3.50 Framed Pictures, $1—A choice group of Platinum and Carbon Photographs, in attractive brown and black wood frames, 12x20 inches. Decorations for the home at ridiculously little cost — $1 for $3 and $3.50 values. Fifth floor.

Offering No. 37

$4.50 Framed Pictures at $2.50—Colored Artotypes, in a variety of attractive figure subjects, in handsome sweep frames, 20x24 in., with burnished gold ornaments. Also Etchings, in the same style of frames, in pleasing landscape subjects. A saving of almost half on originally fair values. Fifth floor.

Offering No. 38

$21.50 Arabian Curtains at $14.25—Four rich and artistic patterns in these elegant curtains. Just twenty-four pairs in the offering. Third floor.

Offering No. 39

$6.50 Irish Point Curtains at $4—83 pairs in six patterns—all white—that have been selling up to the present moment at $6.50; now $4 a pair. Third floor.

Offering No. 40

$10.50 Renaissance Curtains at $6.85—80 pairs, in seven beautiful patterns, that sold at $10.50 yesterday; now $6.85—a saving of $3.65 on a pair. Third floor.

Offering No. 41

$4 Dining Chairs at $2—120 Golden Oak, short-arm Dining Chairs; box seat frame; tapered and shaped legs; panel back; broad top; cane seat; highly polished.

The new style short arms give practically the comfort of an arm chair and only occupy the room of the ordinary side chair. Wonderful chairs for such a little price. Fourth floor.

Offering No. 42

$5.25 Dining Chairs at $2.75—100 golden oak, short-arm Dining Chairs, with panel back; box seat frame; dark green leather seat—a full, flat padded seat reaching almost to edge of frame. A very fine chair. Fourth floor.

Offering No. 43

$7.25 Art Squares, $4.50—Ingrain Art Squares, or Ingrain Carpets, woven like a rug, in one piece with borders, in 13 attractive patterns, size 3 x 4 yards. Both decorative and practical, and remarkable bargains at the new price—$4.50 for $7.25 values. Third floor.

Offering No. 44

$1.65 Smyrna Rugs at $1—More than two hundred best grade Smyrna Rugs, size 21 x 45 inches; sold regularly at $1.65; now at $1. Third floor.

Offering No. 45

$2.25 Baking Dishes at $1—Nickel-plated Baking Dishes, with porcelain lined dish holding 4 pints. Enables puddings, etc., to be served direct from the oven. Housekeepers appreciate the value of these dishes. Now the $2.25 kind are $1 each. Basement.

Offering No. 46

$2.20 Gas Radiators, $1.50—Gas Heating Radiators, 18 inches high, with 4 tubes, and 6 feet of rubber tubing for connection. Excellent for taking the chill off a room on cold mornings. Good $2.20 value, now $1.50 each. Basement.

Offering No. 47

$1.75 Table Linen at $1.35 a yard—Fine bleached Belgian Double Damask, of Courtrai flax—the best in the world—superb patterns; two yards wide. Yesterday $1.75; for this sale, $1.35.

22-inch Napkins to match, at $3.25 a dozen. Were $4. Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 48

$3 Dinner Napkins at $2.35 doz.—Of bleached Irish linen, very fine; 24 in. square; choice patterns, splendid $3 value; now $2.35 a dozen. Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 49

54-in. Table Linen at 25c a yard—Silver-bleached Bohemian Linen that is every thread pure flax, and measures full 54 inches in width. Counted by us as specially good value at 35c., which is its regular price. Today 25c a yard. Fourth avenue.

Offering No. 50

$1.50 Towels at $1 a dozen—Bleached Huckaback Towels of extra heavy quality, with Turkey red borders and hemmed ends, 17 x 35 inches. These splendid towels were priced until yesterday at $1.50 a dozen. Today they're $1 a dozen, 50c for 6. A rare chance for housewives. Fourth avenue.

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