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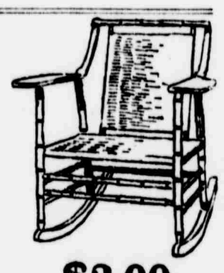

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### EAST RIVER BRIDGE PROGRESS.

**Work Accomplished Thus Far on the Structure—What Is Yet to Be Done.**

The completion of the New York tower of the new East River Bridge, which was announced on Wednesday last, makes an important step in the building of the bridge. The Brooklyn tower lacks only a few feet of the height of the New York tower, and both are expected to be entirely finished by Aug. 1. Each tower will be capped with a girder system to support the cast steel saddles upon which the cables will rest. The girder system will be composed of four girders 80 feet long and eight 25 feet long. All the girders are to be 7 feet deep and the system will extend across the two piers forming each tower. Over each pier will be a continuous steel plate or floor an inch thick by about 25x34 feet. The saddles for the cables will rest directly on this flooring. The weight of this girder system will be about 200 tons on each column.

As soon as this work is completed the laying of the cables will be begun, and people interested are already beginning to figure on when the bridge will be completed. Work was begun on the New York tower foundations in October 1896 and finished in September 1898. That on the Brooklyn tower foundations took from July 1897 to February 1899. The contract for the steel work on the towers was to have been let in February 1898, but was postponed a year on account of the lack of funds in hand by the newly consolidated city. If the contract had been made on time, the foundations would probably have been finished sooner, but as it was they were ready for the steel work six months before it began. With the completion of the towers, about 6,000 tons of steel work will have been erected. Included in the same contract, however, is another 6,000 tons of steel to be erected on the "in spans," or bridge proper, between the towers and the anchorages.

This part of the bridge is not suspended, and will be built independently of the cables, which do not support it. It is expected that it will be completed by Jan. 1. The two anchorages, containing about 100,000 tons of granite masonry each, are ready for the cables, which will be looped about iron pins which are already in place, fastened down by an intricate system of ramifying chains and bolts deep buried in the stone.

The cables are to be made by the John A. Roebling's Sons Company of this city, of which Col. Washington A. Roebling, who was Chief Engineer of the Brooklyn Bridge, is president. The method of laying the cables will be practically similar to that used on the Brooklyn Bridge. On the old bridge a simple foot bridge to work from, was used, and the laying of only one cable at a time was attempted. It is intended to use two foot bridges on the East River Bridge, one in connection with each pair of cables, and work will be carried on on four cables simultaneously. The contract mentions ten months as a minimum time in which the work should be finished. The cables will be made of 8 guage wire, which is .16 inches in diameter, somewhat larger than that used on the Brooklyn Bridge. This difference and the fact that the cables support no weight on the land side of the towers, will make a little difference in the expansion and contraction of the cables with changes in temperature. It is estimated that a maximum change in level at the centre of the bridge of four feet must be allowed for, which is one foot greater than the rise and fall of the Brooklyn Bridge. There will be also a maximum longitudinal motion of the cables over the towers, of six inches, to allow which the cable shoes will be equipped with steel rollers.

A topical song with the refrain "But had to come back on the wire" was sung a good deal during the cable construction on the Brooklyn Bridge, and it has been suggested that Mayor Van Wyck may try something of the kind to fulfil his desire of crossing the new bridge before his term of office expires. The two workmen's foot bridges which are to be strung across the river this fall will be perfectly passable for any one who has a clear head and steady legs.

### Just Out of Prison and Arrested for Highway Robbery.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., June 30.—Joseph Work, the dissipated son of wealthy parents of this city, was arrested last night for highway robbery. He enticed one J. Stevens into an alley way, and after knocking him out with a sandbag, robbed him of $15 and a gold watch. Work has been out of prison a few days only, where he was sent for robbing his father's store.

### BROOKLYN TREES IN DISTRESS.

**A Caterpillar Is Eating Up the Leaves and Destroying the Shade.**

Uptown Brooklyn is in the toils of the white-marked tussock moth caterpillar, one of the most voracious shade destroyers of the insect kingdom. All last winter and spring the crevices in the bark of the trees were filled with the little furry egg masses of the moth which is scientifically known as *Notolophus leucostigma*, but only a few of the wise householders who realized the danger to the trees in front of their residences took any note of them or made any attempt to destroy them in spite of the fact that the State and national bureaus of entomology have been sending out warnings broadcast. Now the egg masses are nearly all hatched out and the trunks of the trees are alive with the latest installment of caterpillars, swarming upward to join their companions in the attack upon the foliage. On some of the uptown avenues the leaves of trees are little more than a lacework of veins, so destructive have been the ravage already.

Moreover, the caterpillar has been making matters unpleasant for the inhabitants. The caterpillar is a small and gay-colored creature, variously marked with white, black, red and yellow, and bearing two pairs of brush-like horns. It spins on a thread and descends upon the necks of the unwary as they pass beneath the tree. If the caterpillar is crushed and the hairy tufts penetrate the skin an annoying irritation is produced, the spots sometimes swelling up and showing symptoms of local poisoning for a fortnight or more. But the trees are the main sufferers. Maples, elms and horse chestnuts form the favorite food of the insect. Here and there is a tree which has been belted with tarred rags so that the caterpillars couldn't crawl up the trunk. These trees have come off well, but the others are in bad shape.

A resident in Grand avenue near Gates, a region well supplied with shade trees, counted on several trunks in that neighborhood upward of fifty caterpillars a tree in the act of climbing up toward the foliage at one time, and other caterpillars were being steadily hatched out, not to mention the hundreds that had already established themselves above. From the appearance of the foliage in that locality there would seem to be grave danger that unless some remedial action is taken the shade will be entirely lost, and the trees themselves, sapped of their juices, wither and die. The actual damage to the attractiveness and consequent value of property in that region of the city is not yet very apparent, but it will be before the summer is over.

It is too late now for preventive measures. Those should have been taken in the winter by destroying the egg masses which are easily scraped off the trees. All that can be done now is to spray the infested leafage with infusions of Paris green and other poisons, thereby killing the caterpillars. It is an expensive operation, but it is less costly than the loss of shade trees. The most successful method of destroying these pests before they have reached the point of doing harm is that adopted in the city of Rochester some time ago and imitated in Saratoga Springs this year. A reward was offered to school children for collecting the egg masses. The reward money cost the city little and resulted in the destruction of millions of eggs which would have hatched out into caterpillars with large appetites for foliage.

### CHICAGO MUST ECONOMIZE.

**Heads of Departments Ordered to Cut Down All Expenses One-third.**

CHICAGO, June 30.—Further evidence of the bankruptcy of the city treasury under the administration of Mayor Harrison was given yesterday when Comptroller Kerfoot ordered all heads of departments to cut their expenses 33 1-3 per cent. As a result of the order, work upon all public improvements will be stopped and many laborers, as well as skilled mechanics and clerks, will be thrown out of work. One of the departments where it will have the greatest effect is in the electrical department. City Electrician Ellicott will find it necessary to stop all further work on the extension of electric lights. It had been planned to place at least 1,500 arc lamps throughout the city. There have been already 300 of these lamps erected. The remaining 1,200 cannot be put in place until next year, when the city is again on a good financial basis.

The water pipe extension will also be affected by the cut in the appropriations. The Department of Public Works will be a heavy loser and it is figured that most of the departments included in it will have to cut their forces. Comptroller Kerfoot, in explaining the necessity for the order, said that only $4,500,000 remained in the Treasury with which to meet appropriations amounting to nearly twice that sum.

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Aside from the fact that the purchase prices of these goods are very much under the best market rates, we again sacrifice all profits and, indeed, in many instances offer you garments at an actual loss. And every department in the store will contribute opportunities in large measure.

**New Laces Under Half Price.** As a rule the new Laces are seen on our counters before the trade knows of their existence. Our branch houses in Europe keep us supplied with the new designs and ideas first.

AT 3c. TO 10c. YARD INSTEAD OF 6c. TO 25c.—Normandie Valenciennes de Paris Laces and Insertions.

AT 5c. TO 19c. INSTEAD OF 10c. TO 29c.—Narrow Chantilly Edges and Insertions in black.

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AT 29c. TO 49c. INSTEAD OF 49c. TO 69c.—Beautiful Allovers, with tucks and Valenciennes Laces.

AT 69c. INSTEAD OF 89c. TO $1.49—27-inch Nainsook Flouncing, hemstitched with pretty embroidery above the hem.

**45c. a Dozen for 75c. Tumblers.** A regular tumble in the price of Tumblers.

Five hundred dozen full size Table Tumblers, engraved by the acid etched process, two pretty designs, at 45c. the dozen instead of 75c. The quantity is limited to 500 dozen, therefore not more than one dozen to a customer.

**Writing Paper Less Than Half.** Not C. O. D. A splendid lot of 750 quires of Organdy Paper; colors are Chameleon and Emerald, with and without borders. The sizes are Langdon, Eugenie, No. 1 Windsor, No. 3 Estelle, Duchess, Emperor, Holland and Cedric. Then there is the Khaki in three sizes, Emperor, Holland and Lakewood. Some in Billet and Octavo, helio, cream and azure, all 9c. a quire instead of 15c. to 29c.

Envelopes to match at 9c. package instead of 9c. to 29c.

Also a lot of 1,800 quires pure white Angora, 80-pound Paper, two sizes, Holland and Octavo, at 9c. a quire instead of 18c. Envelopes to match at same price.

**Toilet Articles at Popular Prices.** Section C, Extreme Rear. Not sent C. O. D. Mentholine Tooth Powder, 5 ounce bottles, 20c. Mentholine, the antiseptic mouth and tooth wash, 29c. and 49c.

Odontine Tooth Paste in tubes, 10c.; in jars, 19c.

Odontofoam, tooth wash, 21c. bottle.

Violet Toilet Ammonia, 7c., 19c. and 40c.

Bay Rum, best quality, 25c., 49c. and 75c. Cheaper grade, 12c.

Pure Eau de Cologne, 37c., 69c. and 98c.

Misalopecure Hair Tonic, $1.10.

Honey and Almond Cream, 6 ounce bottles, 25c.

Cucumber Cream, 19c. jar.

Eau de Quinine Hair Tonic, 4 ounces, 25c.; 8 ounces, 45c.

**Table Linens at Reductions.** Excellent Table Cloths, all pure Irish Linen: 2 yards long, $1.59; regular, $1.79. 2½ yards long, $1.98; regular, $2.25. 3 yards long, $2.39; regular, $2.75.

Cream Damask Napkins, 20 inches square, $1.25 dozen; regular $1.79.

100 dozen extra fine quality Bleached Damask Napkins, 20 inches square, $2.50 dozen; regular, $3.25.

Good quality Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, 11c. each; regular, 15c.

Large size Huckaback Towels, 12½c. each; regular, 17c.

**15c. for 20c. and 25c. Candy.** Not C. O. D. Some more new, delicious Candy for to-morrow. A good chance to get a supply for over the 4th. Two very toothsome items—Peppermint Sugar Lozenges, Assorted Gum Drops. All at 15c. a pound.

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Good Cambric Corset Covers, in V-shape and square neck, lace and embroidery trimmed, at 19c.

Fine Cambric Corset Covers, low neck and V-shape, including the French body, embroidery and lace trimmed, at 25c. and 39c.

A choice lot of Nainsook and Cambric, including French body; shape to the waist line, prettily trimmed with lace, 49c.

More elaborately trimmed with lace and embroidery, 59c., 79c. and 98c.

**Chemises.** Good Muslin Chemises, corded band, pearl buttons, 25c.

Fine Cambric Chemises, in a variety of styles; some trimmed bottoms, 79c., 98c., $1.19 and $1.39.

**Aprons.** White Lawn Aprons, hem and tucks, 5c.

Fine White Lawn, 15c. and 19c.

Maids' Aprons, made of fine Lawn, embroidered bib strap over shoulder, 29c.

**Drawers.** Good Muslin Drawers, made with hem and tucks, yoke band, 12c.

Good Muslin Drawers, made with embroidered ruffle and tucks, 29c.

Fine Cambric Drawers, regular and umbrella shape, in hemstitched effects and embroidered ruffle, 39c. and 49c.

Cambric Drawers in 3 styles, some with deep embroidered ruffles, others with deep lace and insertion, 79c. and 98c.

**Flannelette Under Petticoats.** Good Flannelette Under Petticoats, blue and white and pink and white stripes, made with hem and yoke band, 25c.

Under Petticoats of cambric, prettily trimmed with embroidered ruffles or hemstitching, at 79c., 98c.

**No Forgetting the Babies.** We've made just as careful and laborious preparations for the good of the little tots. Children's Drawers, Fine Muslin, Umbrella shape, finished with cambric ruffle, 5 sizes, 15c. pair. With embroidered edge, 23c. and 29c. pair.

Infants' Cambric Slips, cambric ruffle neck and sleeves, 10c.

An exceptional lot of white nainsook and cambric Lawn Dresses in a variety of styles, embroidered, lace and hemstitch trimmings. Sample Dresses never sold for less than $1.25 to $2.25, all at 98c.

Fine Colored Dresses, in pink and blue, inserting in yoke, 49c. With embroidery inserting and ruffles, 98c.

Fine Lawn Caps, ribbon and lace trimmed, 29c.

Corded effects and all-over embroidery ribbon trimmed, 39c.

**Night Gowns.** Muslin Gowns in three styles, tucked yoke, with ruffle, one with insertings of embroidery, the other with insertings of lace, 25c.

Better Muslin, embroidery insertings, V-shape and high neck, 39c.

In fine Muslin, square neck, embroidered, 49c.

Fine Cambric and Muslin Gowns, six styles embroidery, and lace trimmed, also hemstitched effects, 79c.

A choice lot of fine Gowns, Nainsook, Cambric and Muslin, 10 styles to choose from, V-shape, Empire, high neck, square lace effects, prettily trimmed with embroidery, also dainty lace effects and hemstitching, all at 98c.

Still finer, made of Nainsook or Cambric, elaborately trimmed with embroidery and laces, round and square yoke effects, $1.39, $1.59, $1.98.

**Shirt Waists at Sweeping Reductions.** AT 19c. INSTEAD OF 49c.—1,000 Percale Waists in light and medium colorings, 6 styles, all felled seams, detachable collar.

A splendid lot of Percale Waists at 29c.

AT 49c. INSTEAD OF $1.00—1,000 fine fancy Lawn Waists, in helio, light blue, navy and pink, with detachable white linen collar, dress sleeves.

AT 79c. INSTEAD OF $1.25—Fancy Lawn and Percale Waists in neat, up-to-date patterns, in a variety of styles.

AT 98c. INSTEAD OF $1.45 TO $1.98—A large lot of fine Waists in Lawn, Percale and Chambray, a number of them trimmed with fine embroidery, and some of the new Surplice Waists in plain and fancy colors in this lot.

AT 49c. INSTEAD OF 98c.—Good White Lawn Waists, some tucked front, others tucked front with two insertings, laundered cuffs.

AT 98c. INSTEAD OF $1.45 TO $1.79—2,000 fine White Lawn Waists in a variety of styles, some tucked and trimmed, 4, 5 and 6 rows of fine insertings, others pretty hemstitched effects. All at 98c.

AT $3.98 INSTEAD OF $4.98 TO $7.98—A choice lot of extra fine Taffetas Silk Waists in all the leading colors, satin stripes; others a stylish unlined Waist; also a lot of Taffetas Silk Waists, colors and black, lined, in this lot.

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**White Petticoats.** A large assortment of Muslin and Cambric Petticoats, all umbrella shape, trimmed with embroidered ruffle, 79c.

Six styles of Petticoats, made of Cambric, with deep embroidered flounce; others lace trimmed and some hemstitched effects; all at 98c.

Still finer lot, elaborately trimmed with lace and embroidery, at $1.39, $1.59 and $1.98.

**Colored Petticoats.** AT 59c. INSTEAD OF 98c.—Seersucker, Chambray and Linen Petticoats, double ruffle, all umbrella shape, full size.

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**50c. for $1.00 Corsets.** Not sent C. O. D. A lot of 500 Sonnette Corsets, white and drab, 2 styles, both medium waists, well boned, top flossed with silk. And also the following:

79c. INSTEAD OF $1.50—150 pairs only, Dr. Warner's Celebrated Corsets, white, black and drab coutille sateen strip over bones, 18 to 30.

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AT 39c. INSTEAD OF 79c.—A splendid lot of Percale Wrappers, also Lawn, in light, medium and dark colors; braid.

AT 98c. INSTEAD OF $1.59 TO $2.25.—Extra Quality Lawn and Percale Wrappers in navy, cadet, pink and light blue; some lace-trimmed, others handsomely trimmed with embroidery; perfectly fitting; lavender, pink, blue and black and white; made with border of fine, white lawn.

AT $1.59, REGULAR $2.49.—Fine lot of Percale Wrappers, also Fancy Lawns; some made with yoke of all-over lace back and front, others elaborately trimmed with deep ruffle of fine embroidery.

AT $3.98, INSTEAD OF $5.00 TO $8.98.—75 Fine Sample Wrappers in Lawn and Imported Dimities, mostly 36 and 38; also fine, white Lawn Wrappers in this lot, handsomely trimmed with lace and fine embroidery.

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AT 10c. INSTEAD OF 15c.—Women's fine quality white ribbed cotton Vests, low neck, short sleeves, sizes 4, 5, 6.

AT 25c. INSTEAD OF 35c.—Men's extra quality ecru Balbriggan Shirts, long and short sleeves, with Drawers to match; sizes, shirts, 34 to 44; drawers, 30 to 42.

AT 19c. AND 25c. INSTEAD OF 29c. AND 35c.—Children's fine quality white ribbed cotton Vests, high neck and short sleeves; also Pantalettes to match, made from combed yarn.

AT 39c. INSTEAD OF 59c.—Men's extra fine quality ecru Balbriggan Shirts, long and short sleeves; also Drawers with French strap backs, suspender tapes and double gussets to match; sizes, shirts, 34 to 46; drawers, 30 to 42.

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AT 9c., FOR 12½c. QUALITY.—Sea Island Madras, Corded Lawns and Plain Batistes in a most attractive variety of light and dark grounds, beautifully printed; at 9c., never before sold for less than 12½c.

**Unexampled Reductions in Tailored Garments.** AT $1.58 INSTEAD $2.50 TO $6.00.—350 Separate Skirts, Linen Pique, Duck, Galatea and Canvas Cloth; some with insertions of embroidery, others with braid or plain effects.

AT $1.98 INSTEAD OF $2.75.—In Black Pique.

AT $2.10 INSTEAD $3.25.—In Blue Denim with applique of braid.

AT $2.25 INSTEAD OF $3.50.—In White Pique.

AT $4.49 AND $5.90 INSTEAD OF $9.00 TO $12.00.—400 Bicycle, Golf and Rainy Day Skirts in Reversible Cloth Materials with rows of stitching around lower part.

AT $2.85 INSTEAD OF $4.90.—100 Bicycle or Golf Skirts in Black Pique.

AT $4.75 INSTEAD OF $14.00.—Tailor Made Suits, English Homespun, the colors are Grey, Blue and Brown, are made according to this season's styles. Eton or coat effect skirt, lined with percaline.

We also call attention to our Cotton Suits and Costumes, which have been very much reduced in price.

**Clearing Sale of Children's Dresses.** An odd lot of Children's Garments, consisting of one-piece and two-piece Dresses, also Long Coats, Gamp Dresses and Separate Skirts, in Cheviot, Serges, Broadcloth, trimmed or plain effect, from 4 to 16 years. At 98c., $1.98, $3.50, $3.98 instead of $3.90, $5.25, $8.50 up to $13.25.

Children's one-piece Ginghams, Percales, fancy Lawn Dresses, in the high neck and gamp effect, in stripes, checks and plain, prettily trimmed in embroidery and laces, in 3, 4 and 6 years, at 89c., $1.10; 8 to 12 years, $2.10, $2.25, $3.25, $4.50 up to $12.75.

Children's White Dresses, in high neck and gamp effect, in Linen and French Lawn, prettily trimmed with embroidery, braid, laces or ribbons; from 4 to 12 years; $1.25, $1.85, $2.75, $3.25, $4.50 up to $19.75.

**Good Linings Cheap.** AT 7c. FOR 10c. QUALITY—500 yards of a strong and durable fast black Percaline for dress lining, 36 inches wide.

AT 12½c. YARD—250 yards (just enough for one day's selling) 40-inch fast black Lawn.

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AT 25c. YARD—Spun Glass, Taffeta finish, in some good colors; 36 in. wide.

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A chance to make more than two thousand parents happy. This discount applies to our present very low prices on all that remains of our stock of Wool Suits and Top Coats for boys and youths—in fact, there are some to fit the small men. It's our annual clearing sale, which takes in all our wool suits only, such as Sailor Suits, Russian Blouse Suits, Norfolk Suits, Novelty Suits, Fancy Vest Suits, Three-piece Suits, Double-breasted Suits; in facts, Suits for all occasions and plenty of them to fit the little chaps of 3 years on up to the youth of 20, not to forget the small, slender man. The offer is the very best that has ever been made in the boy clothing business. Then we also offer 500 pairs of Boy's Overalls at 39c. The ones that are cheap at 49c., made to our order, of fine quality blue denim, have bibs and suspenders, all the necessary pockets to please the boys; just the thing for country wear.

Overalls for girls and worn over kilt suits, nicely made from art and fancy denim, trimmed with pearl buttons. Sizes 1, 2, 3 4 years at 49c. Regular 69c.

## Midsummer Sale of Trunks and Refrigerators.

### Prices and Goods Without Any Parallel.

And this is one of those unexpected offers, too, because right at the height of the season when such goods are most in demand and of necessity bring the highest market prices. Though we've an immense quantity in the aggregate some of the lots are limited, thus those who are here first will have the best assortment to select from. All in the basement, where hundreds of other opportunities arrest the alert shopper.

$5.98 to $12.98 for the $10.00 to $18.48 Trunks, consisting of the well known "Paris Exposition Trunk" and the celebrated "Featherweight" in sizes from 30 to 40 inches.

Our assortment of Wardrobe, Bureau, Hat, Dress, Shirt Waist and Golf Trunks is the best to be found anywhere and our prices decidedly the lowest.

BEST REFRIGERATORS AT 25 % OFF.—We now offer our entire stock of Star Refrigerators at a reduction of 25 %. This includes any kind of a Star Refrigerator in our store. This is without doubt the greatest Refrigerator opportunity ever offered.

WINDOW SCREENS AND DOORS—

Be sure and bring correct sizes. None sent C. O. D.

The entire balance of Screens in assorted sizes and styles while they last, any size, 25c.

The entire balance Screen Doors in assorted sizes while they last 65c.

The entire balance of Fancy Screen Doors in assorted sizes, value up to $1.98, while they last 98c.

### 4c. to 29c. for 12c. to 75c. Ribbons.

Section C Extreme Rear.

Fortunately we have been able to get another special lot of Ribbons, even better than last Monday's. Those who took advantage of last week's extraordinary offer will know how to appreciate this one.

AT 4c. A YARD—1-inch Fancy Edge Moire.

AT 5c. A YARD, REGULAR 12c.—1-inch Fancy Check Satin Border.

AT 7c. A YARD, REGULAR 12c.—1¼-inch Double Face Satin.

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