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There are some 500 pairs of worsted Trousers of retail values from \$5 to \$9 that we want to sell at once at the uniform price of

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The Wanamaker Store

Store Closes at 5 P. M. Saturday at Noon.

The Wanamaker Store

# Today Begins the Great August Furniture Clean-up-- Parlor Furniture at Half Price

Few people can conceive of what a tremendous amount of Furniture is involved to enable us to sell Two Hundred Thousand Dollars' Worth in our New York Store, in a single month.

Naturally there must be an aftermath. Even the fragments of such a stupendous business make a large furniture stock. But August must clear its own decks. September stocks must be fresh and new. Radical action is necessary. Those who bought earlier got the pick of the furniture—better goods, according to their needs and tastes, for the prices paid. Then, many of these pieces have been

a bit marred in a month's busy selling. We have to concede the public measurement of values, so down come the prices on splendid furniture that was remarkably low-priced before.

Today every strictly Parlor Suite on our floor, as well as the fine list of separate parlor and library pieces named below, is yours to choose from AT JUST HALF ITS REGULAR VALUE.

There shouldn't be a half dozen pieces on our floor when the store closes tonight; so don't expect to find these bargains here tomorrow.

Here's a list to bring housekeepers hundreds of miles:

- | Parlor Suites                                                                                                | Parlor Suites                                                                                                                                          | Parlor Suites                                                                                                                   | Chairs and Sofas                                                                         | Chairs and Sofas                                                                                                            |
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| At \$27.50, from \$55—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany finish; tapestry seats.                                | At \$180, from \$560—<br>Three-piece Louis XV. Suite; solid mahogany frame; richly moulded and hand-carved; silk damask cover; finest possible finish. | At \$72.50, from \$145—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany rooccoo frame; richly carved; satin damask cover.                        | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Turkish Easy Chair in damask.                                     | At \$27.50, from \$55—<br>Mahogany Colonial Sofa; silk damask cover.                                                        |
| At \$37.50, from \$75—<br>Three-piece Sheraton Mahogany Suite; carved and moulded; silk damask cover.        | At \$100, from \$325—<br>Two-piece Louis XVI. Suite; French walnut and gold suite in satin damask; richly carved frame.                                | At \$110, from \$220—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; Chippendale design; silk damask cover.                              | At \$20, from \$40—<br>Fire-side Easy Chair in velvet.                                   | At \$50, from \$100—<br>Chippendale Mahogany Sofa; moire silk cover.                                                        |
| At \$45, from \$90—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany finish; green Verona velour cover.                         | At \$187.50, from \$375—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved and moulded; fine croch veneers; fine figured velour cover.               | At \$200, from \$255—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid satinwood frame; Sheraton design; silk velvet cover. Made by Birch of London. | At \$17.50, from \$35—<br>Mahogany Overstuffed Sofa; silk velour.                        | At \$137.50, from \$275—<br>Louis XVI. Gold Sofa in cream tinsel damask; matted and burnished gold; large size.             |
| At \$50, from \$100—<br>Two-piece Suite; mahogany frame; damask cover.                                       | At \$27.50, from \$115—<br>Two-piece Suite; mahogany frame; green silk velour cover.                                                                   | At \$75, from \$170—<br>Three-piece Suite; Louis XVI. design; solid mahogany frame; richly carved; silk damask cover.           | At \$22.50, from \$45—<br>Mahogany Veneered Sofa; figured red velour cover.              | At \$137.50, from \$275—<br>Louis XV. Gold Sofa; richly carved; matted and burnished gold; silk damask cover.               |
| At \$60, from \$120—<br>Two-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; olive green velour cover.                        | At \$92.50, from \$185—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved; red velour cover.                                                         | At \$80, from \$100—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; English Colonial figured moquette cover.                             | At \$28, from \$75—<br>Mahogany Frame Sofa; richly moulded and carved; moire silk cover. | At \$75, from \$150—<br>Gold Sofa; rooccoo design; richly moulded and carved; damask cover.                                 |
| At \$62.50, from \$125—<br>Two-piece Suite; mahogany frame; olive green velour cover.                        | At \$100, from \$215—<br>Three-piece Suite; Louis XV. mahogany frame; richly carved and moulded; damask cover.                                         | At \$102.50, from \$205—<br>Two-piece Suite; mahogany frame; English Colonial figured moquette cover.                           | At \$32.50, from \$65—<br>Fire-side English Chair in tapestry.                           | At \$42.50, from \$85—<br>Gold Sofa; Louis XVI. design; pattern tapestry, cream ground.                                     |
| At \$105, from \$210—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; green Verona velour cover.                        | At \$37.50, from \$75—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; carved and moulded; tapestry seats.                                                       | At \$102.50, from \$205—<br>Three-piece Hepplewhite Mahogany Suite in inlaid white mahogany; red embossed velour cover.         | At \$29, from \$58—<br>Mahogany Easy Chair in tan leather.                               | At \$62.50, from \$125—<br>Louis XVI. Gold Sofa; richly moulded and carved; powdered and burnished gold; silk damask cover. |
| At \$137.50, from \$275—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; green panne velour cover.                     | At \$85, from \$170—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; carved and moulded; damask cover.                                                           | At \$90, from \$180—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved; silk damask covers. The "feather" suite.              | At \$47.50, from \$95—<br>Louis XVI. Mahogany Sofa carved and moulded; moire silk cover. | At \$20, from \$40—<br>Mahogany Arm Chair; inlaid frame; damask cover.                                                      |
| At \$57.50, from \$115—<br>Two-piece Suite; croch mahogany veneers; damask cover.                            | At \$107.50, from \$215—<br>Three-piece Suite; rare old Chippendale mahogany; carved and moulded; slip seats in green hair cloth.                      | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$25, from \$50—<br>Turkish Chair in damask.                                          | At \$14, from \$28—<br>Reception Chair; carved; silk damask cover.                                                          |
| At \$60, from \$120—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany-veneered; green panne velour cover.                      | At \$87.50, from \$175—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved; silk damask covers. The "feather" suite.                                  | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$38, from \$76—<br>Mahogany Sofa; croch mahogany veneers; velvet cover.              | At \$80, from \$160—<br>Carved Mahogany Arm Chair; tapestry seat.                                                           |
| At \$35, from \$70—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany-veneered; cream tapestry cover.                            | At \$107.50, from \$215—<br>Three-piece Suite; rare old Chippendale mahogany; carved and moulded; slip seats in green hair cloth.                      | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$22.50, from \$45—<br>Mahogany Sofa; English design; velour cover.                   | At \$22.50, from \$45—<br>Carved Mahogany Arm Chair; damask cover.                                                          |
| At \$60, from \$120—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany-veneered; cream tapestry cover.                           | At \$87.50, from \$175—<br>Three-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved; silk damask covers. The "feather" suite.                                  | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$22.50, from \$45—<br>Mahogany Sofa; English design; velour cover.                   | At \$11, from \$22—<br>Reception Chair; mahogany finish; tapestry cover.                                                    |
| At \$110, from \$220—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved and moulded; fine red velour cover. | At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                                                             | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Mahogany-veneered Sofa in tapestry.                               | At \$9.50, from \$19—<br>Mahogany Finished Chair; richly upholstered.                                                       |
| At \$45, from \$90—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; tapestry cover.                                     | At \$60, from \$120—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                                                             | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$62.50, from \$125—<br>Mahogany Colonial Sofa; green velour cover.                   | At \$32.50, from \$65—<br>Mahogany Arm Chair; striped velour cover.                                                         |
| At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                   | At \$110, from \$220—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved and moulded; fine red velour cover.                                           | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$22.50, from \$45—<br>Mahogany Sofa; English design; velour cover.                   | At \$18, from \$36—<br>Mahogany Arm Chair; embossed velour cover.                                                           |
| At \$45, from \$90—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; tapestry cover.                                     | At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                                                             | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Mahogany-veneered Sofa in tapestry.                               | At \$27.50, from \$55—<br>Mahogany Reception Chair; damask cover.                                                           |
| At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                   | At \$110, from \$220—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved and moulded; fine red velour cover.                                           | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Mahogany-veneered Sofa in tapestry.                               | At \$19, from \$38—<br>Carved Mahogany Wall Chair; silk damask cover.                                                       |
| At \$45, from \$90—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; tapestry cover.                                     | At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                                                             | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Mahogany-veneered Sofa in tapestry.                               | At \$9, from \$18—<br>Arm Chair; mahogany finish; tapestry seat.                                                            |
| At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                   | At \$110, from \$220—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; richly carved and moulded; fine red velour cover.                                           | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Mahogany-veneered Sofa in tapestry.                               | At \$10, from \$20—<br>Mahogany Reception Chair; damask cover.                                                              |
| At \$45, from \$90—<br>Five-piece Suite; mahogany frame; tapestry cover.                                     | At \$80, from \$160—<br>Three-piece Suite; overstuffed frame; rich red panne velour cover.                                                             | At \$112.50, from \$225—<br>Three-piece Suite; solid mahogany frame; Hepplewhite design; richly carved; cane seats.             | At \$24, from \$48—<br>Mahogany-veneered Sofa in tapestry.                               | At \$10, from \$20—<br>Mahogany Reception Chair; damask cover.                                                              |

And don't forget the other August Furniture—for Dining-room, Bedroom, Library—which while not at half price, offers savings not to be met again for another six months at least. Four days, and your chance is over.

# JOHN WANAMAKER

Formerly A. T. Stewart & Co. Broadway, Fourth Avenue, 9th and 10th Streets.

## The President

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# ARNHEIM

Broadway and Ninth Street.

## TAUGHT TRICK HORSE IN 5 DAYS.

Frank Melville Wins Bet From Ernest Clarke With Unpedigreed Animal.  
Old dogs may not be susceptible to education, but a young man in New York has proved that you can teach an old horse new tricks that have been demonstrated by Frank Melville, the circus man who was born on horseback, to the satisfaction of everybody who has seen his wonderful silver gray stallion perform. The stallion is not very old compared with circus horses, whose luxurious life keeps them in the ring beyond the thirties; but he is old compared with the horses that do the rough work of the world. He has been in the West, just what part Melville does not know, and he has no pedigree, like some other famous Americans. He is just a plain horse, not in looks, because he is a beauty, but in the lineage that counts at a horse show. As Mr. Melville says, he is like Napoleon, the first of his line. He might have remained forever neglected and gone the way of other untaught geniuses if Melville had not happened to have a dispute at the Hippodrome with Ernest Clarke, who was riding a horse named "The Duke" that both insisted on taking her and that there was going to be a fight between them when she made them go to the strength test instead.

"But, oh, dear," said she joyfully to John "I wanted you, and I'm glad I thought of that frankfurter."

## JEROME TO EAST SIDERS.

In a Letter to Schoenfeld He Thanks the Volunteers for Their Interest.  
District Attorney Jerome's East Side Volunteers sent out about a ton of literature through the district on Saturday and yesterday.

Part of it consisted of small cards, one side of which read: "What are the three most popular words heard on the East Side? (Over)."

The other side read in larger type: "Go to Jerome."

The Volunteers will be the first organization in the campaign to issue buttons, and they will be forgotten to the last of the middle of the week. About 100,000 of them have been ordered. They bear the inscription: "Jerome for Mine."

Myer Schoenfeld, who organized the movement and who has fitted up a clubhouse at Grand and Forsyth streets, said yesterday that the members of the organization were with Jerome for any office.

"Mr. Jerome has nothing to do with this movement," he said, "and all he knows about it outside the newspapers is a letter which was sent to him, which he acknowledged."

Mr. Schoenfeld made public Mr. Jerome's letter. It reads:

"DEAR MR. SCHOENFELD: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of Aug. 14, informing me of the formation of District Attorney Jerome's East Side Volunteers. It is extremely grateful to me to know that so much interest is taken by good citizens in the effort I am making to take and keep the office of District Attorney New York out of the hands of the corrupt and to call attention to the need of a direct appeal to the people over the heads of the small group of irresponsible men who control the executive machinery of political parties."

"While a real man will endeavor to do his duty simply because it is his duty, whether he receives popular support or not, it is much easier for him to do it with the approval of good men than to do it standing alone."

"Believe me, that I appreciate your efforts, and those who are associated with you, very highly, and shall be successful in establishing the principles that we are fighting for. I believe that a long step will be taken in the direction of breaking up the corrupt rule of bosses. I remain yours, most respectfully,

WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME."

## WRONGED WOMAN'S LONG QUEST.

Miss Sutcliffe Wins Deeds Her Bigamous Husband in Brooklyn.  
PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 27.—After a search extending over two years Mamie Sutcliffe of this city has run down Harry Albert Meyer, who married her in August, 1903, thus committing bigamy, as he has a wife and three children in Brooklyn. After three months of married life with Meyer Miss Sutcliffe called at her husband's place of employment and was introduced as his wife to a man named Dougherty, who knew that Meyer was already married and had a wife and children in Hoboken. Dougherty told the first Mrs. Meyer, who came to this city with a seven-year-old baby in her arms and met her husband's Paterson wife. The two compared notes. Meyer owned two houses in Hoboken. Mrs. Meyer lived in one, the other paid \$10 a month rent, which went to the Hoboken wife. He also sent her \$4.50 a week from his wages.

Miss Sutcliffe was also informed that Meyer had married a New York girl in 1906 and that she had died. In 1908 he had married the Hoboken woman.

Miss Sutcliffe, her brother and her parents lost no time in planning to have Meyer arrested. She appeared before Justice Cohen and charged him with bigamy.

Meyer fled. Miss Sutcliffe presented her evidence to the Grand Jury and had him indicted. Then she began her search for him. She has visited every city within a radius of fifty miles of New York in her quest. Sacrificing the comforts of her home, she found employment in the mills of Hoboken, New York and other places.

She recently appeared before her work in the Novelty Braid Works so that she could carry on her search. She found that Meyer had gone to his Hoboken wife and she later located the family in Devoe street, Brooklyn.

With her wedding ring, her marriage certificate and a copy of the indictment against Meyer, Miss Sutcliffe appeared before a Brooklyn Magistrate on Friday and asked for Meyer's arrest. Accompanied by her mother and a policeman of Brooklyn, she went to the Meyer home.

Mrs. Meyer begged Miss Sutcliffe not to prosecute, and pointed to a two-week-old baby.

He married me while you were about to become a mother two years ago, and I shall have no mercy on him," said the Paterson woman.

Meyer will be brought here Tuesday next and will be placed on trial next month. One of his gifts to Miss Sutcliffe while courting her was a gold mounted watch chain made of hair. He said the hair was his sister's, but Miss Sutcliffe learned that it was hair of his wife.

## TWENTY FALL IN THE WATER.

Leading Collapsed as They Watched the Torpedo Boat Races.  
NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., Aug. 27.—The body of Seaman Cure of the U. S. S. Alabama, who was drowned several days ago, was thrown up by the sea off Ocean road yesterday. The torpedo boat Morris was sent here from Newport, and conveyed the body of the dead seaman across the bay. Just before the torpedo boat sailed, twenty people standing on the yacht club landing were precipitated into the water by the collapse of the pier, but all escaped serious injury, as the water was shallow.

## Killed by Train at Crossing.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Aug. 27.—John W. Emmes, a bookkeeper for the New York Piano and Key Company of this city, was instantly killed to-night at the West Main street crossing of the Erie Railroad in this city. The train hurried Emmes twenty-five feet against the side of the station, crushing his head and breaking his limbs.

## ONLY \$50,000 IN THE BOX.

It Was Thought to Hold \$1,000,000 of Farnsworth's Fortune.  
ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 27.—Heirs of the late James R. Farnsworth were greatly disappointed yesterday when the mysterious strong box of the Rockland Securities Trust Company which has figured in the litigation over the estate was opened and found to contain only \$50,000 in stocks and securities and the will of Mr. Farnsworth. The estate has always been considered a very large one. An estimate of \$1,000,000 was considered conservative. Securities valued at many thousands of dollars are still to be accounted for.

By the will Mr. Farnsworth left one-half of his property to his wife, Helen E. Farnsworth, and her heirs outright, the other half being bequeathed to the wife for use during her lifetime and at her death to revert to Mr. Farnsworth's mother, Mary A. Farnsworth, if living. Mrs. Farnsworth, the wife, has since died, and two months ago her heirs obtained from the courts an injunction restraining Lucy F. Farnsworth, sister of the deceased, from opening the box pending the decision of the court in the litigation over the division of the estate.

## A JUNGLEUT DROPS DEAD.

Was on Way to a Hospital and Was Waiting for a Street Car.  
August Jungblut, a real estate dealer, residing at 533 West 187th street, was taken with severe pains in the stomach while visiting his father-in-law, Noble Williams, at 355 West Forty-third street, last night.

They sent for his cousin, Dr. Christian F. J. Laese of 314 East Eighteenth street, who called in another physician. After a consultation the physicians agreed that the illness was beyond diagnosis by them and recommended a trip to St. Mark's Hospital.

The four men started for the hospital and were about to board a crostown car at Eighth avenue and Forty-second street when Jungblut collapsed. Dr. Laese told the police that he thought death was due to heart paralysis.

## EXCURSION TURNED BACK.

Beer Glasses Thrown—One Man Goes to the Hospital.  
A man who was greatly excited and out of breath ran to Policeman Dunston of the Church street station at the Christopher street ferry for help to quiet a crowd of 700 persons who were on two barges at the foot of Barrow street. The man said he was a deckhand from the tug which had the barges in tow.

Dunston went to the pier with several other cops. He found the barges were loaded with excursionists of the Harry Haaren Association, said to be composed of cooks and other employees in a large downtown restaurant.

About half the number were women; they were badly frightened. Some of the excursionists told the police that there had been all sorts of fighting on the boats, that soon after the barges left the landing glass and the sea badly out. One man who said he was John Daley of 88 Murray street was badly bruised about the head. He was taken to St. Vincent Hospital.

The tug had charge of the excursion and that they were not to blame for the rowdiness. A gang of young West Side toughs boarded the boats, they said, and caused all the trouble.

## BAKERS' STRIKE VICTIM.

Frederick Scinta Dies in the Hospital From Fatal Shot Wound.  
Frederick Scinta, 28 years of age, of 129 Grand street, died in St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday from a bullet wound in the abdomen. The shooting occurred on Aug. 6 at Grand and Mott streets, where Scinta and several other men, striking bakers, were lounging.

## The Provident Loan Society

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## STEEL WORKS IN TROUBLE.

Stockholders of Passaic Must Pay 11% Assessment to Continue Business.  
PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 27.—Stockholders of the Passaic Steel Works, one of the principal industries of this city, have been notified that they will have to pay an assessment of 22 per cent. on their holdings if the works, which are valued at \$5,000,000, are to be continued. The management says \$500,000 will be necessary to offset the loss of \$300,000 in the last two years and to bring the works up to a state of efficiency. The works were recently reorganized and the loss is attributed to mismanagement.

A meeting of the stockholders was held on the 22d inst. Gov. Stone of Pennsylvania represented the interests of the Pennsylvania stockholders. George A. Lee, head of the Philadelphia Trust and Finance Company, to which the Passaic Steel owes about \$100,000, also represented big interests. Many well known steel men were present at the meeting which decided on the 22d inst. assessment.

Local stockholders, who hold over \$500,000 worth of stock, will try to raise \$125,000. The Philadelphia Trust and Finance Company will put in \$40,000 and take stock for this and the amount owed to them for the works. It is estimated by the president, Niven McConnell, that \$250,000 of the proposed assessment will be needed at once and the remaining \$250,000 before next March.

The concern pays out nearly \$1,000,000 a year in \$300,000 in the last two years and the financial difficulties was received here with surprise, as it always has been reckoned very strong.