PROBATION SYSTEM FAULTY.

GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION CALLS FOR SWEEPING CHANGE.

Would Have Appointments in the Larger Cities Made by Unpaid Boards—Police Probation Officers Do Little Work—Lax About Visiting Paroled Prisoners

The commission, of which Homer Folks is chairman, which Gov. Higgins appointed to investigate the workings of the probation system in the State has completed its report, which will be sent to the Governor to-day. The commission finds many things to condemn and concludes that better results would be obtained if the power to appoint probation officers were taken from the Magistrates and given to an unpaid commission in each of the large cities. It is suggested that the State Board of Charities should supervise the whole system.

In the police courts in this city the commission finds the most to criticise. There is no system of identification, says the report, and there is no opportunity for ascertaining positively in many cases whether a prisoner is a first offender or not. As a result many confirmed offenders are put on probation and some of the less hardened type are committed.

It was found that few of the police probation officers had the peculiar qualifications needed in their work and that many of them did practically nothing, being merely additional court officers. One officer was found who admitted that in nine months he had had only fourteen cases, only one of whom had to be visited. The officer was supposed to devote from one-third to one-half of each month to visitation.

Most of the police probation officers got their details through pull rather than merit, the commission believes. It is firmly convinced that the detail of policemen to probation work in this city "is a waste of public funds, diminishes unnecessarily the force available for proper police work and hinders the development of real probation work in these courts." There are a very few such officers, however, who are commended.

The women probation officers in the police courts have been handicapped by failure of the Magistrates to appreciate the opportunities of the probation system, the commission declares, and there has been no uniformity of method, no adequate system of visiting probationers at their homes or securing information regarding their manner of life. The work as a whole is ineffective.

An investigation was made of street women who had been paroled, and the women, with few exceptions, declared that they had not been visited by a probation officer. Nor had steps been taken to punish them for failure to report or for resuming their old life during the period of parole. "It is evident," it is concluded, "that with this class of offenders probation has little or no meaning. It is more than likely that Magistrates have yielded to the requests of lawyers to place such women on probation when a commitment would have been for the public interests."

In the Court of Special Sessions the system was found to be giving better results. The same report is made regarding General Sessions, but the conclusion is reached that the probation officers are unable to devote as much of their time as is necessary to the supervision of probationers.

In the Children's Court the commission was favorably impressed by the work of the Judges. Regarding the work of the Gerry society the report says that it is too largely that of securing information rather than of actively cooperating in securing reformation. There is little or no personal relation, it declares, between the society and the child.

If this society continues to do the probation work of the Juvenile Court it is desirable, in our opinion, that it should differentiate such work more fully from the other work of the society, that a sufficient number of officers should be detailed for this purpose and relieved from other duties and that much greater stress should be laid upon the establishment of friendly and helpful relations between such officers and the children under their care.

In summing up the commission finds that there is danger of too indiscriminate use of the probation principle.

To fail to place the offender under a vigorous corrective discipline when such course is clearly indicated by the circumstances of the offence and the previous character and present disposition of the offender is an evil only less serious than to imprison the offender when the circumstances would justify his release upon probation.

Periods of probation should be considerably lengthened, and when the behavior on probation is unsatisfactory, the probationer should be called into court for a sharp rebuke or for sentence. The underlying weakness of the system, the commission believes, is the absence of any supervision, coordination or organization of the work. There are practically as many systems of probation as there are courts using the law, the report says. Nor can the courts keep close enough watch over the relations of the probationary officers to the probationers.

The commission recommends, therefore, that the number of persons charged with the appointment of probation officers should be greatly reduced, and that in the larger cities the power of appointment be placed in the hands of an unpaid commission, who shall have practically the powers of a board of directors. Probation officers, it declares, should be chosen by competitive examination, both oral and written.

It is recommended:

That the Probation Commission in the city of New York shall consist of seven members, appointed by the Mayor, for terms of one, two, three, four, five, six and seven years, with subsequent appointments for terms of seven years each. That the presidents of the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, Society of St. Vincent de Paul, United Hebrew Charities and New York Prison Association shall submit a list of names to the Mayor of not less than twice the number of places to be filled, from which such appointments may be made.

If the Legislature passes laws following out the commission's recommendations, the present probation officers will be superseded by new appointees not later than September 1 of this year.

IMBODEN AND HILL LOSE AGAIN.

Colorado Court Refuses Supersedeas Asked by Bank Wreckers.

DENVER, Col., March 11.—The State Supreme Court has denied the writ of supersedeas asked for by Leonard Imboden and J. A. Hill, convicted of wrecking the Denver Savings Bank.

The men will be taken to the penitentiary at once to begin serving their sentences of ten years each.

Their counsel will now appeal to the Supreme Court to review the evidence and reverse the decision of the lower court. The court will also be asked to advance their cases on the docket. Imboden and Hill declare that they will use every legal weapon and fight to the last.

SENT UPSTAIRS TO SNORE.

So That Sixteen Policemen Downstair Could Get to Sleep.

Sixteen patrolmen of the reserve squad of the East 104th street police station marched from their sleeping quarters on the second floor down to the desk and complained bitterly that they couldn't sleep because of the terrific snoring of Cop Henry S. Simony, seventeenth member of the squad. Sergt. Norturup sent for Simony, who said he couldn't help it. The sergeant told Simony to make his bed on the third floor for the good of the service.

DOCTORS DON'T KILL THEM.

That Isn't the Way We Treat Incurables Here—Not on Purpose.

The statement made in the Iowa Legislature by Representative Gregory in introducing his bill requiring physicians to kill incurables that "every large hospital in Chicago, New York and other large cities is the scene of such murders almost daily" was received by those in charge of New York hospitals with much ridicule. Representative Gregory is described as being a physician himself.

The nearest thing to Dr. Gregory's statement that ever had currency here was that old superstition among the very ignorant of a "black bottle" kept at Bellevue to wind up the careers of pauper patients, especially if the dissecting room needed cadavers.

Supt. Armstrong of Bellevue said last night that no such practice as Dr. Gregory has discovered was ever known here.

"There was at one time," he said, "an agitation in favor of capital punishment by means of alkaloid poisons. A few drops of some of these alkaloids would do the work far more easily and satisfactorily than electricity or hanging. But the agitation met the combined opposition of physicians because the moral effect on a community would be to give the word 'drug' a sinister significance. The province of a physician and of drugs is to heal, not to kill, and no physician would think of administering any drug in a quantity which he knew would take human life."

DENIES THEFT OF BONDS.

Chicago Banker Says William Blumenthal of New York Is Mistaken.

CHICAGO, March 11.—Robert T. Martin, former president of the Home Safety Deposit Vault Company, which suspended business a year ago, declared to-day that the charge of stealing United States bonds representing $3,000, on which he was arrested Saturday night, was false.

William Blumenthal of New York swore out a warrant charging the former banker with the theft. He furnished bonds for his appearance March 16 in the sum of $15,000.

"I do not know of any missing bonds and think that Mr. Blumenthal is mistaken in his charges or in the man," said the banker.

"If the box is not as it was when he left it that is not my fault. With the rules enforced in the bank it would have been impossible for any person to take Mr. Blumenthal's property."

CUMMINS ATTACKS HEPBURN.

Declares Congressman Was Forced Into Present Position on Rate Bill.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 11.—In a sensational attack upon Congressman Hepburn in a speech at Humeston yesterday Gov. Cummins charged that he had been forced to adopt his present attitude toward the Rate Regulation bill.

"The bill bears his name," said the Governor, "but I'd rather see the Eighth district represented in Congress by a man who serves his constituents because he loves them and right principles instead of because he fears their vengeance.

"For seven years, beginning with 1898, the appeal has gone forth for rate legislation, and your present Representative adorned the seat he now holds, but it was not until President Roosevelt forced the matter before Congress, in 1904, that the appeal was heeded."

WRECK SMASHES THREE TRAINS.

Two Freights Crash and Fast Passenger Train Runs Into Debris.

FOSTORIA, Ohio, March 11.—The west bound flyer crashed into a freight wreck on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio five miles east of Fostoria at noon to-day and killed two persons and injured fourteen. The dead are John Hootman of Chicago Junction, fireman of the passenger train, buried under engine; W. Roy, Wheeling, W. Va., postal clerk, caught in postal car and skull fractured.

A snowstorm caused the wreck. A fast freight stopped for water and was run into by another freight. The flyer, behind time, crashed into the wreck.

TRIPLETS IN THE SHEEPFOLD.

A Very Proud Ewe Now Among the Many Central Part Mothers.

For the first time in the history of the sheep family in Central Park one of the ewes yesterday gave birth to triplets. The little lambs were as strong as any of the other baby sheep in the fold and in a few hours were frisking about the warm enclosure. The mother ewe seemed to be proud of her feat. Keeper Conway said she had good reason to be proud, for it was very seldom that lambs came in triplets.

There was quite a flock of little lambs in the sheepfold yesterday. They began arriving last Tuesday and the keeper now has twenty entered on his books, and by the time the flock is turned out on the park green the keeper expects to have about forty lambs.

The stork has been busy in other parts of the park. One of the aoudads, the one with the broken horn, had twins two days ago. There are also a young axis deer and two angora goat babies. Director Smith expects a baby Bactrian camel shortly—one with two humps on its back, and the keepers are talking about the coming of a youngster in the buffalo enclosure.

Esquimau Pups Go on the Bottle.

The Bronx Zoo, which has been exultant over the prospects of raising the five puppies of Nellie, the Esquimau dog, which were born a week ago, went into mourning yesterday when it was found that Nellie had deserted her family. One of the pups has died already for lack of nourishment. The keepers are trying to raise the others on the bottle.

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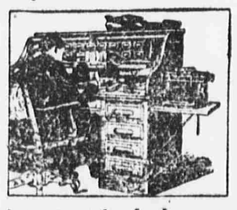

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Items in a Large Problem

Destruction. Construction. Reconstruction.

The great favor bestowed by the retail shopping population in New York, upon our sort of storekeeping, during the past nine years, has been an unfailing encouragement and inspiration. WANAMAKER'S in New York is an institution.

Out of it all has come a large desire to produce the model retail store of the future. All the world knows of our building plans that are leading toward the ideal. But the progressive steps come singly, perhaps slowly. They are marked by much that destroys, much that creates, much that re-creates.

Opticians, Not Oculists.

In the construction of the new Jewelry Store we practically destroyed our business in optical goods. The dark room was removed, the show-cases were confused and naturally the sales diminished.

Now reconstruction is complete, and we are doing the business of opticians as never before. Elegantly constructed accommodations now give all needed facilities for the trial of glasses, and for any ordinary suggestion that the optician may properly make. Our optical people never touch the field that belongs to the oculist.

Prices are moderate, service of the best opticians free, and the Optical Store is just a sample of the store that's coming here.

Wanamaker Leadership In Dress for Women

Many reasons have combined to bring about the pre-eminence of the Wanamaker Store in the matter of dress for women. Many years of aggressive and intelligent effort have been given, and they have been years of splendid accomplishment both in securing earliest representation of foreign styles and developing the best that is in America. Year after year we have stood back of our own manufacturers, helping them in the matter of models, keeping them informed as to the public demands, and giving them the aid of the advice and experience of our experts. This not only gives to us their first and best efforts, but to our stocks a breadth and originality that do not exist elsewhere. And the matter of price has been all the time cared for in the most effective manner. With all the originality and exclusiveness of Wanamaker garments and the careful way in which they are inspected as to making and finish, Wanamaker prices are lower than garments of similar materials and inferior workmanship and style sold elsewhere. Today the broadest stocks in America are shown here.

In coats and wraps there are on view today the very latest conceptions from Francis, who is the acknowledged leader in designing women's outer garments. There is a superb group of lace and silk coats from L. Artus (formerly Artus, Paillard & Co., Paris). They are marked at prices ranging from $35 to $100. There is another superb group of beautiful coats from Berlin. There are hundreds of different varieties of Spring coats from best American makers, many of them developed from models brought from abroad this year.

The popular varieties of jackets, Etons and other coats are shown in profusion.

Broadcloth coats at $12 to $37.50.

Covert jackets, beautifully tailored, at $10 to $27.50.

Dainty silk Etons, bolero, hip-length and three-quarter length coats, ranging in price from $10 to $65. And many other varieties which cannot be mentioned here.

There is equally lavish variety in Women's Dresses of every sort. Tailor-made suits of plaids, mixtures, stripes, checks and plain colors, in every new shade favored this Spring, showing all the variations of style and decoration. Prices range from $15 to $110.

The collection of Princess Dresses is one of the most fascinating groups in the assemblage. The collection includes gowns of net, dotted Swiss muslin, lawn and linen, variously trimmed with lace and embroidery. Prices range from an exquisite costume at $120 down to the graceful and dainty Princess dress at $13.50, shown in the picture. This dress is made of dotted Swiss muslin, plaited from the shoulder, with small square yoke of lace, trimmed with pointed medallions. The girdle is made of lace insertions, which are also used in decorating the flounces of the skirt. Elbow sleeves with lace ruffles. A very beautiful dress at the moderate price of $13.50.

The Shirt-waist Suits are very interesting at the present time, and they range in price from $4.50 to $27.50.

There is a splendid group of linen suits made with Eton and semi-fitted jackets, ranging in price from $9 to $100.

There is also a very elaborate collection of separate skirts of all the materials favored this Spring, at prices ranging from $4.50 to $25.

Second floor, Broadway.

Princess Dress, $13.50

Here Are the New Socks from Paris

Men will be delighted—tempted to the very limit of their Spring appropriation for socks, when they see these new arrivals from Paris. Many of our friends have been inquiring anxiously when we expected the shipment—this, by way of due notice.

All new—we never carry over *any* fancy socks from one season to another—all handsome. Wanamaker Hosiery has always had a name among the elect for its exclusiveness, good taste and good values. There are:

Lisle Thread Socks, in pretty combinations in shot designs; clocked or embroidered; in light or dark grounds, at $1.25 a pair.

Lisle Thread, in various designs and colors, at $1.50 a pair.

Lisle Thread; fancy satin-striped and embroidered; some with openwork, at $2 a pair.

Pure Silk; black, embroidered, plain, or ribbed; cardinal, tan, olive green, navy blue, handsomely embroidered, $3.50 a pair. Ninth street.

Spring Stocks of Muslin Underwear

The time of thin dresses and waists, of fluffy skirts and general summeriness is just around the corner. And here's the fine, frilly underwear that belongs to that pretty season.

New designs and new changes upon old favorites. Fresh heaps of fine white garments, as attractive and lovely as a fall of Spring petals.

Stocks will not be quite so new again this season. And prices will never be lower.

Nightgowns of nainsook; low or high neck, short or long sleeves; trimmed with lace or embroidery, beading and ribbon. At $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, up to $18.

Petticoats of cambric or lawn; with deep flounce of embroidery, or trimmed with Valenciennes, Torchon or point de Paris lace and insertions, and fine plaits; some ribbon-trimmed. At $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.25, up to $20.

Corset Covers of nainsook or lawn, trimmed with lace or embroidery, insertions, medallions and ribbon; others with ribbon shoulder straps. At 85c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, up to $6.

Chemises of nainsook, trimmed with lace and medallions, embroidery and ribbon; plain or trimmed skirt. At $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, up to $5.

Drawers of nainsook or cambric; with ruffle of embroidery and plaits, or trimmed with lace and insertions. At 85c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, to $4.50.

Second floor, Tenth street.

The March CHINA SALE

Practically Makes a New Start Today

Splendid new wares have been coming forward all along the line. Those who come today will find an equally superb collection to the first day's presentation. There is still a splendid representation of the Theodore Haviland Dinner Sets, although some of the lines are getting very low. New lots of Fancy China were brought forward on Saturday night, and a fine new collection of richly Cut Glass at the same astonishing reductions as brought such enthusiastic selling last week. The items speak for themselves:

New Cut Glass

On Saturday last three large shipments were opened and have been put on sale this morning at special prices. Absolutely new in patterns and designs, and not a piece that does not show a saving of a clean third:

Bonbon Dishes on foot, at $1.25 and $2.25, worth $2 and $3.25.
Tall Compotes, at $3.50, $5 and $6, worth $6, $9 and $10.50.
Sugars and Creams, at $6 pair, worth $10.
Flower Vases, at $6 and $10, worth $9.50 and $15.
Small Covered Butter Dishes, at $6, worth $9.
Bowls, 8-inch, at $3 and $3.50, worth $5 and $6.
Water Caraffes, at $2.75, worth $4.
Claret Jugs, at $7 and $8, worth $10.50 and $12.
Water Jugs, 3-pt., at $4.50 and $6, worth $7 and $10.
Olive Dishes, at $1, $1.25 and $1.50, worth $1.75, $2 and $2.75.
Spirit Bottles, at $4, worth $7.
Whiskey Jugs, at $5, worth $8.50.
Nappies, at $3 and $4, worth $5 and $7.
Water Tumblers, at $3 and $4 dozen, worth $4.50 and $7.
Celery Trays, at $3 and $3.75, worth $5 and $6.50.

China Store, Basement.

Fancy China

Salad Bowls, at 50c, 75c and $1 each, worth $1, $1.50 and $2.
Chop Dishes, at $1 and $1.50 each, worth $2 and $3.
Comb-and-Brush Trays, at 50c, 75c and $1 each, worth $1, $1.50 and $2.
Tete-a-Tete Sets, at $1.25, $1.75 and $2 a set; worth $2.50, $3.25 and $4.
Sugars and Creams, at 50c, $1 and $1.50 pair, worth $1, $2 and $3.
Cake Plates, at 50c and 75c each, worth $1 and $1.50.
Compotes with handles, at 50c, 75c and $1 each, worth $1, $1.75 and $2.
Chocolate Pots, at 60c, 75c and $1 each, worth $1, $1.50 and $2.25.
Cracker Jars, at 60c, $1 and $1.50 each, worth $1.25, $2 and $3.
Condensed Milk Holders, at 35c, 50c and 70c each, worth 75c, $1 and $1.50.

Under-Price Store, Basement.
China Store, Basement.

Dinner Sets

At $20 a Set, worth $35

Elite French China Dinner Sets, in a spray flower design, with all handles gilt; soup tureen and three large meat platters. A regular $35 value.

At $16 a Set, worth $32.50

Fine Austrian China Dinner Sets of 102 pieces, with soup tureen and three large meat platters. A beautiful full rose design and all handles gilt. A regular $32.50 value.

At $10 a Set, regularly $18

American Porcelain Dinner Sets of 100 pieces, with soup tureen and three meat dishes; flower decorations and all pieces gilt.

Added to these, the following unmatchable values:

$55 Theo. Haviland Dinner Sets for $30

101 pieces, including soup tureen and four large meat platters; beautiful flower decoration and continuous heavy gold stippling on every piece; solid gold handles.

$45 Theo. Haviland Dinner Sets for $25

100 pieces, with soup tureen and three large meat platters; fine flower design and continuous gold stippling on every piece; solid gold handles.

Decorated Plates at 25c

In a great variety of decorations and in several sizes.

Salad Plates, Tea Plates, Bread and Butter Plates. Former prices ranged up to 75c each.

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Fine China Head Plates At $1.25 Each, from $2.25

With rich border designs.

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Austrian Pottery With Dutch Scene Decorations

Cake Plates, at $1 each, worth $1.50.
Covered Jugs, at 35c, 50c and $1, worth 50c, 75c and $1.50; without covers, at 25c, 30c, 45c and $1, worth 40c, 50c, 75c and $1.50.
Cups and Saucers, at 25c and 35c, worth 50c and 65c.

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Canvas-Covered CANOES

The Best That Are Built

If you pass through our Sporting Goods section, you will see a rack of the trimmest, most graceful, Indian-model canoes you ever looked at. They are the Fraser Canoes; and the man who builds them sees to it that their structural excellence comes up to their looks. In fact, his tendency is to make them far too good for the prices at which we sell them—but *you* needn't worry about that.

Materials are thoroughly seasoned; the canvas skins are of a specially high grade, closely woven and tough, to stand our special method of stretching to obtain an absolutely smooth fit, in one piece from stem to stern, without seam or wrinkle. The canoes are fastened throughout with copper and brass.

As far as stanchness, buoyancy, ease in paddling, durability, and maximum strength with minimum weight are concerned, the Fraser Canoes are the best we know.

If you saw the canoes at the Sportsman's Show, you will appreciate these Frazer Canoes, which were not exhibited there; for their good points appear to best advantage after an exhaustive examination of the other makes. Two grades; identical in model:

Grade A

Length.	Beam at Gunwales.	Beam at Bilge	Price
16 ft.	32 in.	34 in.	$39.50
17 ft.	32 in.	34 in.	$43.50
18 ft.	32 in.	34 in.	$45.50

Grade B

Length.	Beam at Gunwales.	Beam at Bilge.	Price.
16 ft.	32 in.	34 in.	$32.50
16 ft. 6 in.	32 in.	34 in.	$33.50
17 ft.	32 in.	34 in.	$35.00
18 ft.	32 in.	34 in.	$37.50

Place your orders now for future delivery.

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Hand-made and finished in best possible manner. Length, 5 ft. 3 in., 5 ft. 6 in., 5 ft. 9 in.; in spruce, maple or cedar; varnished natural color, **$1.50 each.**

We are also showing a full line of St. Lawrence River Skiffs, Canvas-covered Dinghies and Sharpies. Basement.

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At Lower Prices Today

Today we offer several hundred pairs of lace curtains picked out of the various lines in our stocks, in order to close out the patterns. All are worth the regular price which they were marked, and they are in perfect condition. The saving is clear gain to the housekeeper who profits by it. The variety of selection is quite broad. The items follow:

Point D'Arabe Lace Curtains

At $4 a pair, from $5
At $12.50 a pair, from $15.75
At $14.75 a pair, from $18.50
At $16 a pair, from $20
At $16.75 a pair, from $22
At $17.75 a pair, from $21
At $18 a pair, from $22.50
At $19.25 a pair, from $24
At $20 a pair, from $25

Brussels Lace Curtains

At $14.75 a pair, from $18.50
At $16 a pair, from $20
At $20 a pair, from $25.

Colored Irish Point Lace Curtains

At $3.75 a pair, from $5
At $4.35 a pair, from $6.50
At $4.50 a pair, from $9
At $4.80 a pair, from $6

Tambour Lace Curtains

At $9.25 a pair, from $11.50
At $10.50 a pair, from $13
At $11 a pair, from $13.75

White Irish Point Lace Curtains

At $3.35 a pair, from $4.25
At $4.65 a pair, from $5.75
At $5.75 a pair, from $7
At $6 a pair, from $7.50
At $6.35 a pair, from $8
At $7.35 a pair, from $9.25
At $7.75 a pair, from $9.75
At $8 a pair, from $10
At $8.75 a pair, from $11
At $9 a pair, from $12.50
At $10 a pair, from $11.50
At $11.25 a pair, from $14
At $14.25 a pair, from $17.75

Renaissance Lace Curtain

At $3.50 a pair, from $4.75
At $3.75 a pair, from $5.50
At $7 a pair, from $9.50
At $9.15 a pair, from $14.50
At $11 a pair, from $15 and $16.50
At $12.75 a pair, from $17.25
At $20 a pair, from $27

Third floor.

Lingerie Blouses

Batiste, linen and lawn—and there's no telling which is prettiest.

Embroidered fronts are no longer merely embroidered fronts—they are embellished with laces and insertions in yoke effects and lattice effects and every charming design. Fluffy, cool-looking, fine Lingerie Blouses.

Marvelous beauty; and almost limitless variety.

Batiste, lace and embroidery trimmed, $4.50.

Batiste, with shadow embroidery and lace, $10.

Sheer lawn, lace and embroidery trimmed, $6.50.

Sheer linen, lace-trimmed and embroidered, $7.50.

Allover embroidery, lace-trimmed, $15. Others up to $22.50.

Second floor, Tenth street.

CORSETS

These savings are timely when Spring dressmaking is in progress. Wise savings because the corsets are worth enthusiasm even at their usual higher prices:

At 50c, worth 85c — Extra-wide Tape Girdles. For slight figures, Supporters.

At 50c, worth 85c—Splendid mode for medium and stout figures; long over hips and abdomen.

At 75c, worth $1.25— C. B. a la Spirite; for medium and slight figures; with long or short hips.

At $1, worth $1.50—R & G; for the average figure; small tapering waist; supporters in front and at sides.

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