

LET THINGS DRIFT

Decision of Wisconsin Delegation as to gubernatorial Campaign.

LIGHT ON PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Excellent Outlook for the Enactment of Nelson's Department of Commerce Bill.

From The Journal Bureau, Room 45, Post Building, Washington, D. C.

Washington, April 25.—The net result of the conference between the Wisconsin senators and representatives and members of the staff...

At the same time it was practically agreed that the campaign for Whitehead would not be presented as a serious one...

Department of Commerce Bill. Friends of Senator Nelson's bill to create the department of commerce are confident that it will be passed...

On His Own Hook. An interesting story is told as to how the president came to write into his message to congress the paragraph regarding Cuba...

Good Values in Gloves. Everything that makes gloves more handsome, more durable, more up-to-date is in these gloves...

Handkerchief Clearance. 35 doz. Ladies' Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, edge trimmed, with scalloped edge, 25c and 35c values...

SUBSIDIZING SHIPS

"Storm Winds Blow" Around the Frye Bill

Washington, April 25.—There are indications that the fight on the ship subsidy bill in the house will be as strong as that waged against the Cuban measure...

Underwear.

For bicyclists there is nothing better than a set of our ballgrain shirts. Drawers, the drawers have double seat and the shirts are double silk stitched...

Anything but Weather.

First Minneapolisian—How do you like this weather?—Dum, isn't it? Wish we could get something different.

Our Railroad Rates.

In the United States railroad rates, both freight and passenger, are lower than in any country in the world.

Linens Very Cheap

Just 42 Table Cloths left out of a big job lot. They are 8-4 and 10-4 cloths; worth \$2.25 and \$2.50 apiece.

48 real Satin Marseilles Bed Spreads. They are 53 values, but we'll sell them all—one to a customer—at 1.98

Hotels buy many, many yards of our 72-in. Homespun Barnsley Damask, a heavy linen that wears like iron.

These extra good bargains will be found in the basement. 8c Huck Towels, 16x32 in the Bleached and 18x36 in the Unbleached, all at 4 1/2c

Colored Table Cloths, 3 yards wide, with good values in blue and red and green and red, oil boiled. Until this sale the price has been \$1.69. We've about 25 of them to close out Saturday at 98c

Stockings for All.

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, good weight, with spliced heels and toes; make the attempt to gain the nomination. Secretary of State Wood has already declared himself a receptive candidate.

Misses' fine 1-1 ribbed black lisle hose, any size Boys' Bicycle Hose, extra heavy 2-1 ribbed, with double knees, heels and toes; 3 pairs for 50c

Little Savings.

A large, refilled assortment of new patterns in Finishing Braids. There are 6 yards in each piece and each piece is worth 10c. Take your choice at 5c

Good Values in Gloves

Everything that makes gloves more handsome, more durable, more up-to-date is in these gloves.

Ladies' German Kid Gloves, 2-clasp, in black, white and colored, and guaranteed 1.00

Ladies' Imported French Kid and Suede Pique Gloves, in all the new colors for evening 1.50

Men's Fine Kid and Mocha Gloves for dress occasions or the street; fitted and guaranteed 1.50

Silk and Lisle Gloves for ladies and children, in every style that's wanted.

Handkerchief Clearance.

35 doz. Ladies' Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, edge trimmed, with scalloped edge, 25c and 35c values; to clear 17c

200 dozen Men's Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, with 1/4, 1/2 and 1-inch hems, 35c values to clear 20c

Underwear.

For bicyclists there is nothing better than a set of our ballgrain shirts. Drawers, the drawers have double seat and the shirts are double silk stitched 39c

Ladies' like the medium weight Wool and Lisle Vests, those with high neck and long sleeves; the pants to match them are of ankle length. What's more they are 75c garments, to be sold Saturday at 59c

Minneapolis Dry Goods Co

Dress Goods.

Saturday that long Fifth street aisle will be a busier place than ever. One item alone of all that follow would be enough to bring a crowd. And yet it is hard to say which values are the best. Judge for yourselves.

56-inch Cheviot, all wool, heavy weight, perfect black. We doubt if you can buy a yard of this grade elsewhere for a dollar, and yet we shall put a whole case on sale Saturday at 59c

44-inch Etamines, the crisp kind, made from luster yarn. The usual price is \$1.25 a yard, Saturday 89c

56-inch Skirting, all wool, 24-ounce weight: Saturday a \$1.25 quality at 1.00

Colored Dress Goods.

A cream colored woolen Danish Cloth, 25 inches wide, will wash as well as cotton, suggesting the use for which it is made—lake costumes. The yard 15c

The best made French Challis, in Persian effects, absolutely fast colors. 50c

For Bicycle Skirts and Unlined Garments we sell a gray Skirting that is strictly all wool and 56 inches wide. Here you can get the \$1.25 quality at 89c

The Silk Story.

To-day it will be a plain unvarnished tale of bargain-giving. That is always the most interesting kind, isn't it?

45-in. striped Grenadines, usually \$1.00, 78c

45-in. plain sewing Silk Grenadines, \$1.25, 95c

45-in. fancy striped Grenadines, \$2.25, 1.60

Very handsome line of yarn dyed black wash silk, best made, Saturday 49c

45-in. fancy striped Grenadines, \$3.00, 2.10

36-in. Black Japanese Silk, 60c grade 55c

36-in. Black Taffeta, Swiss manufacture, warranted \$1.50 grade 1.18

48-in. Black Taffeta, domestic, \$1.75, 1.40

Ladies' Garments.

It's hard telling what the ladies will be most glad to have us remind them of in this announcement. Any one of a dozen different Sales would be timely and acceptable.

So we will first name a price of \$6.50 on some new Black Blouse Jackets. They are made of fine all wool Cheviots and Venetian, and trimmed with bands of silk. 6.50

Eton and Blouse Jackets, in Peau de Soie, Tucked Taffeta and Moire Silk, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$20.00.

Melton Walking Skirts, in a fine quality of all wool cloth, cut in either of the leading styles—flare or flounce, stitched with silk, all seams bound and finished. Colors are light gray, medium gray, Oxford, tan, brown and black. These regular \$7.50 skirts will, for one day, be 5.50

Among the Etamine Skirts we'll show some unusual values at \$11.50, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.50. They are effectively trimmed with bands of moire.

There are Tailor-Made Suits for misses, with jackets in double breasted or Eton style, flounce or flaring skirt. Some are \$15.00 suits, others \$16.50, but you take your choice 12.50

The prices of these Children's Jackets will be cut down nearly to the middle point: Ages 6 to 12 years, \$4.50 Jackets will be \$3.00, \$7.00 Jackets will be \$3.75

Misses' Jackets at the same reduction: \$5.00 Jackets for \$3.00 | \$7.50 Jackets for \$3.75 | \$10.00 Jackets for \$5.00

WAISTS AND DRESSING SACSQUES.

Dressing Sacques of white lawn, trimmed with embroidery; the \$2.00 kind, at 1.25

China Silk Waists, latest styles in cream color, \$3.98, \$4.50 and \$4.98.

In the Gibson styles, \$3.98 and \$4.98. White Lawn Waists, worth \$1.25, trimmed in front with two rows of fine embroidery, in all sizes, each 98c

\$2.00 Waists, made of fancy Striped Percale and Madras, each 1.48

Again Those Pillow Tops.

The last offering of Lithographed Pillow Tops—like those that made so much commotion a few days ago—will be made Saturday. They are seconds, but remarkably good seconds. We sold a hundred dozen in one day at 12 1/2c apiece. Today we have only 30 dozen and the price will be 10c

20 Tapestry Pillow Tops, to clear, 8c

50 dozen 29c Laundry Bags, full size, best assortment of colors, to clear 15c

Battened Brains, all linen, Nos. 5, 6, 8 and 10, usually 40c for the piece of 36 yards; to clear 19c

(Stairway Bargain Tables.)

Optical Dept.

Our optician is in the balcony every day, ready to talk about your eyes. He will correct any trouble with them if it can be done by properly adjusted glasses.

We have a lot of 10k solid gold Spectacle Frames, also some glasses of the same quality, which we will close out 2.50

50c Men's Wear 39c

50c Night Shirts, made of good Domest Flannel, the kind you'll want for some time, and all summer if you're at the lake; this is our spring clean-up; each 39c

50c Silk Neckwear, all our newest shapes, colors and designs; reduced for Saturday to 39c

Seasonable Wash Goods.

Seasonable? Yes. Don't let one little left-over snow storm blind you to the fact that May is nearly here. These bargains for Saturday will help you to see that Opportunity creates Duty —be the weather good or bad.

You know how popular the black-and-white goods are this season. Saturday we shall put on sale a beautiful assortment of them. The materials are Dimities, Batistes, Madras, and Percalines, in all-white grounds with black dots, stripes 12 1/2c and figures. Your choice of the lot at 15c

Another lot will include an assortment of goods in the Linen Colors. They are Batistes, Dimities and Chambrays, plains and fancies. Choice of this lot at 15c

There's also a great stock of plain colored Shirt Waist Linens, 32 inches wide, and of 50c quality. At this sale they are 29c

Fifty pieces of a fine, sheer and very pretty Batiste have come along just in time to join the sale. Dark, medium and light colors. These 12 1/2c and 15c goods will go in at 9c

(Down Stairs.) A new lot of Batiste in medium and dark colors, fresh and pretty styles. The yard 5c

10c Satin Striped Dimities and Batiste in a big variety of styles at 7 1/2c

Print Sale—Simpson's Black-and-Whites, Grays, Fancies, Turkey Reds and Cadet Blues—all 7c and 8c values, at 5c

A good Apron Gingham, in all colors and all checks, at 4 1/2c

Offering of Fine Laces.

Coming to us directly from Paris—stopping at the custom house long enough to pass the time of day with Uncle Sam—these sample pieces of the styles now current at the Gay Capital will interest you.

They consist of Black Chantilly Laces, in widths from one to ten inches. Also Venise Laces, Irish Crochet, Point d'Angleterre and Point d'Alencon. Also many beautiful novelties in Bands, Festoons, Gallons and Motifs. There are Lace Allogers to match.

Prices run from 12 1/2 to \$7.50 a yard. But any talk about prices sounds mercenary, for these things seem made to look at, not to sell. So come and look at them.

New Veilings.

You'd hardly believe there were so many kinds to be bought by the yard. Besides, we've all the latest novelties in Pattern Veils; 25c and up to \$1.00.

Newest Styles of Boas and Neck Ruffs, \$1.98 to \$7.50.

Shades and Curtains.

Speaking of Window Shades reminds us that we carry the best oil opaques that are made. We can fit any window in your house or store. Let us give you an estimate on one window or a hundred. We can handle any contract you may submit, and the work will be satisfactory, judged by cost and results.

We sell a good Shade in any standard color, mounted on a first-class spring roller, complete with fixtures, for 19c

A handsome Brass Extension Rod for 9c.

Half Price Saturday on a lot of odd pairs, and half-pairs of Lace Curtains, in such famous lines as Brussels, Arabian and Battenbergs.

Real Brussels Curtains, 50 inches wide, 3 1/2 yards long; the pair 2.98

Great bargains in Ruffle Curtains at 98c, \$1.49 and \$2.25 a pair.

Portieres in all colors, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide, fringed at both ends 3.75

The newest Portieres, some just arrived, will interest you most. They are handsome ones in both pattern and coloring, and have a lustrous mercerized finish. Each \$5

The richest collection of Velour Portieres we have ever shown. All prices—except the high ones. Folding Screens, 98c to \$25.00.

Women's Headwear.

The heading sounds prosaic, doesn't it? But there's nothing prosaic about the Trimmed Hats and Bonnets that we will show you Saturday. They are \$3.75, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

The show of Walking Hats, Outing Hats and Ready-to-Trim Hats will be entirely new.

Fifty dozen new Flowers, Foliages, Berries, Black Flowers; also a new idea in small Rose Wreaths, white and pink. Saturday will end the sale of Chiffon Hats at \$2.98.

Black Velvet Ribbon of all widths. Black Moire Ribbon, 5 and 6 inches wide, the yard, 50c.

Camera Dept.

8-oz. graduates, 9c each. 4-oz. graduates, 7c each. 2-oz. graduates, 5c each.

Thomas Paste, 1 pint 25c

Photone Albums for 5x7-in., 4x5-in. picture, 11c, 9c each.

Passpartout Binding, in all colors, 9c roll.

Brass Hangers, 6c dozen.

Bicycle Sundries.

Inner Tubes 55c

Hartford Tubes, warranted 75c

Single Tube Tires, each 1.05

Pumps, all brass 35c

Graphite 3c

Cement 3c

Cycle Oil 3c

Spokes 1c

Pants Guards, pair 3c

Cotton Counter.

These specials will be waiting for you Saturday morning: 81x90 Hemstitched Sheets, 75c kinds 69c

81x90 very fine Hemstitched Sheets, 85c kind 75c

45x36 Cleo Hemstitched Cases, 25c quality 17 1/2c

63x90 Salem Sheet, 45c grade 39c

72x90 Boston Sheets, 67 1/2c grade 55c

81x90 Salem Sheets, 55c grade 49c

42x36 New York Mill Cases, 46c kind 14c

42x36, the famous New York Cases, 15c kind 16c

60x36 New York Mills Case, 20c kind 18c

42x36 Banda Rosa Case, 12 1/2c kind 9 1/2c

45x36 Banda Rosa Case, 14c kind 10 1/2c

The Ribbon Show.

Black Velvet—An extra fine quality, with satin back, in widths from No. 1 to No. 40. Prices below normal.

Colored Taffeta—The all silk washable kind that you like so well, White, cream, blues, pinks, scarlet, cardinal, turquoise, etc. These are important colors but there are plenty of others. No. 14c

French Novelty—Neck Ribbons, 4 to 6 inches wide, in fancy stripes, Persian; Dolly Varden, reversible and crepe effects. 25c to 75c a yard.

White Goods.

How far will a quarter go? As far as 40c generally goes, if you test it Saturday. That's the value of a fine 48-in. French Batiste that will be sold at 25c a yard. Same price for a fine, sheer, 82-inch Persian Lawn that is worth 55c. A 38c imported India Linen, same width, will go at the same price 25c

15c will buy from 20 to 25 cents worth of up-to-date novelties in Lace Stripes, Openwork Lawns, Corded Lawns, fancy Striped Dimities, etc.

BASEMENT. 40-in. sheer Victoria Lawn, 15c quality 9 1/2c

40-in. Swiss, in stripes of various widths, 8 1/2c quality 5c

8 1/2c Striped Dimities, Striped Lawns and Checked Nainsooks 5c

Baseball Goods

Boys' Mitts, leather faced, with all leather backs, extra well strapped and sewed; each 25c

Finger Mitts, 25c, 35c and up to \$1.00.

Baseballs, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. Bats, 5c, 10c, 35c and up to 75c.

Carpets and Rugs

Five patterns of all wool Ingrain, yard 39c

Tapestry Brussels, the yard .65c

Japanese and Chinese Matting, 1 1/2c to 30c.

RUGS FOR SUMMER COTTAGES

Hodge's Fiber Rugs, Japanese Rugs, Sanjo Rugs and Tami Rugs are all appropriate. Sizes 6x9, 7-6x10, and 9x12.

India Porch Rugs are the most suitable for verandas.

Hardware.

Minneapolis Clothes Wringers—Warranted, rolls vulcanized to shaft, \$2.25 value for 1.80

Iron Frame Wringers—1.25 Worth \$1.75 for 39c

Willow Clothes Baskets, worth up to 98c—No. 1 30c No. 2 39c No. 3, 45c; No. 4, 65c; No. 5, 75c

Galvanized Iron Wash-tubs—don't fall to pieces and do not rust; worth up to 1.25

Toilet Paper, fine quality, 1500 sheets to the roll 5c

Shell Paper, fancy colored, 3 packages for 5c

Paints and Varnishes. Ready-mixed Paints, good quality, a gallon 1.00

Jap-a-Lac Varnish Stains, Enamels, Floor Wax, etc.

PERUNA Cures CATARRH OF HEAD, THROAT, LUNGS, STOMACH, KIDNEYS & BLADDER FEMALE ORGANS.

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