

\$5,000 GIVEN AWAY

TO WEAREKS OF THOSE FAMOUS

Queen Quality Shoes



What a beautiful Christmas present a pair of those famous Queen Quality Shoes for Women, and a Prize Competition Certificate entitles the holder to an opportunity to get the \$1,000 prize or part of the \$5,000 given away to wearers of Queen Quality Shoes Jan. 1, 1903, for good reasons why the famous Queen Quality \$3.00 Shoes are superior to all other makes. Sold only at

THE NEW STORE.

A BEAUTY CULTURE

Our Grandmothers Practiced the Most Approved Methods Without Knowing It.

They Grew Supple and Round From the Exercise of Daily Household Duties.

In the days when women were just women—not bachelors, nor women with a career, nor women who owed a duty to themselves—scientific beautifying of the figure had hardly been heard of. There were, of course, many time-honored recipes for preserving the complexion, and you may be sure our grandmothers would never have thought of



Alike results obtained by use of the broom and the clubs.

stepping out of doors without hat or sun-bonnet. Fine complexions they had, too, not the roughened skin, the wrinkled forehead, the eyes surrounded by crow's-feet, the faded hair, which many a girl of twenty nowadays owes to reckless hatlessness and the wind and sun. The one conscious effort at beauty culture fifty years ago was more a matter of development than anything else. It was intended to secure an erect, flat-backed



The modern girl "reduces the abdomen" in one way; her grandmother did it in another.

figure, and it involved some pretty severe training in the matter of backboards. But as for deliberately setting out to develop the neck, arms, shoulders, chest or any part of the body, our grandmothers would have opened their big eyes wide at such nonsense, though they were unconsciously practicing a system of beauty culture, which was in many ways quite equal to the modern method.

Instead of standing erect and raising the arms straight up above the head, and then letting them fall a certain number of times in order to develop the neck,



Similarity in leg movement.

shoulders and upper chest and to ventilate the lungs, our grandmothers simply hung out the newly-washed linen in the fresh air and as much sunshine as heaven provided. For the same good purpose was the washing of windows and the standing on tiptoe to chase unwary cobwebs out of ceiling corners.

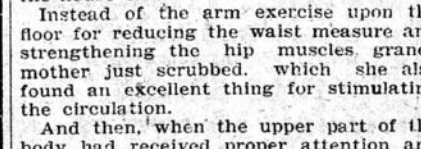
To keep down the weight and reduce the waist measure, in place of bending double till her fingers touched the ground the prescribed number of times, they



Our grandmother straightened her spine by hanging out the laundry.

gathered chips from the woodshed floor, for reducing the waist measure and strengthening the hip muscles, grandmother just scrubbed, which she also found an excellent thing for stimulating the circulation.

And then, when the upper part of the body had received proper attention and



The same kind of exercise.

the house was fresh and sweet as lavender, she seated herself in a low rocker and gave the baby a ride on her foot, which proved to be a leg exerciser of the first order.

She didn't know a thing about athletics and would have considered them quite beneath her notice if she had and so

CONCERT

IN OUR MUSIC DEPARTMENT—

8:30 P. M.

THE LEADER

251 & 253
Nicollet Av

Santa Clausian Suggestions Notably Undervalue

Stocks are in the zenith of their suggestiveness. Bargains are in abundance now. The future contains but shadowy uncertainties. The present proclaims many rich allurements that will float away as a butterfly on a summer breeze. Shrewd people will scarcely require a second nudge.

Interesting News of the Dolls and Toys.

The Princeton, Yale, Harvard University football players with football at each choice, 98c	Soldiers and Indians, from a box, 25c to 19c	Girls' Sleds, worth 30c— 19c	Girls' Strap Skates at 79c	4c Faba Baga Games at 35c
25c Games of Educ and many others—at choice 10c	Boys' lock level Skates at 59c	500 jointed Blaque Body Dolls, all dressed, 10 inches long, at each 21c	21-inch exquisitely dressed and jointed dolls at \$1.75	Fire Engines, from— 21c to \$1.75
Girls' and Boys' all iron Sleds, unbreakable; regular \$1.50 \$1.00	500 jointed Blaque Body Dolls, all dressed, 10 inches long, at each 21c	25c Game of Donkey Party, at 19c	Parasols, the old family game, worth 75c—at each 49c	Children's Trunks, 24-in. long, worth \$1.98, at \$1.48
Jointed Darkey Dudes, swell dressers, each 48c	Double Rocking Horses, with or without chimneys 48c	7c Horses at 19c	Boys' hardwood Coasters, 32-in long, worth 30c, at 17c	War Ships, 16-in. long, 21c
14-inch dressed, jointed Dolls 50c	7c Horses at 19c	\$1.50 Horses at 98c	Boys' hardwood Coasters, spring runners, 30-in. long, worth 40c, at 25c	Fairy Balls, all kinds, at 75c
18-inch dressed, jointed Dolls 95c	12 yards nice Christmas Tree Tinsel for 10c		Boys' Coaster Sled, 36-in. long, spring runner 45c	Doll Dressers and Sideboards at 5c

Most Surprisingly Great Attractive Garment Bargains.

Nowhere else on the Western Hemisphere can you find their equals. Grand and superior garment at the most thrilling underprices. Mark the tremendous savings.

Rich Astrakhan Coats, made of guaranteed skins, lined with "Skinner's" Sat in lining, \$60 coat at \$35.00	Sublime Nearseal Coats, made of the very best skins, lined with "Skinner's" Sat in lining, \$87.50 coats for \$24.00	Stylish Fall box Coats, bell sleeve and made of beautiful imported Kersey, \$15 coats \$9.50
Misses' Monte Carlo Coats, of rich Zibelines and Kerseys; correct styles, worth \$12 \$8.98	Astrakhan Cloth Capes, nicely trimmed with fur, splendidly worth \$8—at \$4.98	Silk finished Kersey Cloth Coats, genuine Beaver, collar and revers; worth \$18.00 \$11.98
		Women's Monte Carlo Coats, stunning effects, bell sleeves; \$18.00 coats at \$12.98

Overgaiters
9c
small sizes
Men's chenille embroidered slippers worth \$1.25 75c
Men's embroidered slippers 45c
Boys' 50c chenille emb. slippers at 39c
Boys' Canvas Loggings at 25c
Boys' waterproof seamless shoes \$1.35
Ladies' Rubbers 9c
Sizes 2 to 3 1/2

SHOE and SLIPPER SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY
Christmas Slippers 98c
For Men and Women Worth up to \$2.00
Sample Shoes 1.98
For Men and Women Worth up to \$3.50

Slipper Soles
Ladies' 9c
Women's high top fur lined bed-room slippers 49c
Women's \$1.25 Felt Slippers 75c
Women's, Misses' and child's storm overshoes 49c
Women's fur top Roomers worth up to \$1.50 75c
Boys' Moose hide Moccasins 79c
Felt Sole Slippers 19c
Misses' and Children's

Women's Underwear and Hosiery

Priced for Saturday—most supremely under value. This is but a partial list.

Ecru Ribbed Vests and Pants, fleece lined, worth 38c, at 25c	Silver Gray Ribbed Vests and Pants, fleece lined, 50c kinds, at 39c
Extra heavy black cotton fleece lined seamless hose, the 17c quality, at 10c	Union Suits (Florence make), worth to \$3.00, at \$2.45c
Plain and ribbed black cashmere Hose, merino heels and toes, splendid heavy quality, excellently worth 42c, at a pair 25c	

Two Big Handkerchief Bargains.

Displaying most advantageously "The Leader's" saving power.

12 1/2c Handkerchiefs 8c	Up to 25c Handkerchiefs 15c
In this mammoth collection you get dainty Swiss hemstitched edges, all pure linen hand-made initial, very fine and sheer, exquisite lace trimmed, and men's all pure linen hemstitched, value to 25c.	

she was not rawboned and muscular—she was even rather sloping shouldered. And she was not short, she was of medium height—but she did her innocent beauty exercises with the regularity which their nature demanded and with the housewifely industry which their visibility good results justified.

So all unconsciously, wrist and arm, neck and shoulder, waist and hips developed the most desirable womanly curves which made her so lovable even if she wasn't very independent or progressive.

FRENCH VIEW OF ROOSEVELT

"An Athlete, a Warrior and a Statesman," "Brave, Honest, Far-Seeing and Modest."

A Free Translation from Le Figaro. Talking with a young man who had lived for six years in the United States, I asked him:

"How about President Roosevelt? What do the people—those outside political parties and cliques—think of him and say of him?"

"Roosevelt," said he quickly and earnestly, "Roosevelt is held in high esteem and much liked."

"Why?" I insisted.

"Because he is brave, honest, far-seeing and modest."

"I said, 'there are four cardinal qualities placed in a succession which pleases me. But is there nothing more?'"

"Nothing more? Well, he has captured the imaginations and fired the hearts of the people because that he, a man of the better class, of Dutch ancestry and from an old New York family, rich and cultured, married and the father of six children, a high executive official in the navy department, did not hesitate in the last year to give up all in order to go to the front with his 'Rough Riders' and risk his life without being obliged to do it. That has greatly impressed and greatly touched all."

"But then his attitude toward the negroes and his speeches on the trusts—have they not hurt his chances of election?"

"In my opinion, not at all. He is both respected and loved."

"I became silent. But I envied those monarchial nations like England and Germany, and those republican ones like Switzerland and the United States, who love themselves and respect themselves in loving and respecting their rulers, hereditary and elected."

"The United States are a gigantic empire. We know it, but we do not know enough."

"Imagine a population of nearly eighty millions of people distributed among forty-five states flexibly yet strongly federated in a single nation under the folds of the starry flag. Imagine this great people moved by a spirit which has five sources: the strength of soul of the first colonists who exiled themselves to preserve their liberty and their conscience; the strength of temperament of the later immigrants, the seekers after fortune; the comparative ease of great success in a country of inexhaustible resources; the joy of a liberty which finds no limit in at once the most flexible and the strongest of constitutions, and above all the intoxicating dream of a planetary hegemony reserved, it would seem, to the North Americans."

And then at the head of this great people moved by this ideal imagine a man of 44 years (on Oct. 27, 1902), at once an athlete, a warrior and a statesman, possessing in an equal degree the sense of the ideal and the practical, the sense of justice and the sense of power and animated by the highest sentiment of his mission and the mission of his people."

Such is the position of the United States in the world, and such is the position of President Roosevelt in the United States.

lete, a warrior and a statesman, possessing in an equal degree the sense of the ideal and the practical, the sense of justice and the sense of power and animated by the highest sentiment of his mission and the mission of his people."

Such is the position of the United States in the world, and such is the position of President Roosevelt in the United States.

THE ROLLING STONE

It May Get a Fine Polish as It Goes but Lands at the Bottom of the Hill.

New York Tribune.

"I wonder why it is that young men in this country, in learning a trade, do not follow the fashion of the apprentices of France and Germany?" said a young man who had just returned from Europe, where he had spent \$2,000 or \$3,000 of his father's money in seeing the sights.

"I suppose they would if they thought it would do any good," said his roommate, who had never been abroad, and who, despite not having had a college education, was working his way ahead in the bank faster than his companion.

"Do any good? Of course it would do no good."

"For instance, in France these apprentices learn a trade, then for another, and picking up the best in each place. They get a chance to see the world, too. But here in America a fellow settles down in one office or store or shop, and there he stays."

"It would take a good part of a man's life walking over the United States," said the roommate.

"Ride on bicycles, then," said the much traveled young man.

"A rolling stone gathers no moss," said the poor youth, seeing that argument was of no use.

"But it gets a fine polish," ejaculated the other, smiling to himself.

"Yes, and lands at the bottom of the hill," quietly remarked the roommate.

AND HE WAS SINCERE.

Patience—Did he wish the engagement ring on her finger?

Patience—Yes, he wished he'd have the money to pay the first installment when it comes due.

A HEARTLEAF DEFINITION.

"Say, pa, what is an adult?"

"An adult, Jimmy, is a person who doesn't kick out a good pair of shoes every two weeks."

AT THE GLOVE COUNTER

"I notice that you have a full hand," remarked the young clerk who was fitting Tenipost for a new pair of gloves.

"A full hand?" muttered the latter, absently. "Great guns! Why couldn't I have had it last night?"

COMPARISON.

Washington Star.

"I suppose you like your automobile better than you did your horse?"

"I don't know," answered the man who is never truly happy. "The difference, so far as I have observed, is that a horse gets to going and you can't stop it, while an automobile stops and you can't get it to going."

Established 1882.

The Plymouth

His First Silk Hat

Nine times out of ten was a Christmas gift—so we are selling more now than at any other time of the year, \$5, and the Knox, \$8.

Opera Hats, \$8.

But the Hat Store is filled with all sorts of good hats—and furry things that are much given.

Seal Caps, \$18 down to \$5.
Soft Hats, \$1.50 to \$5.
Derby Hats, \$1.50 to \$5.
Collars for coachmen.

Fur Gloves—Seal, Beaver and other furs.
Foot Muffs for carriages or invalids.

The Plymouth Corner, Sixth and Nicollet.

We Can Save on Your Pocketbook

In Xmas Gifts We Have a Very Fine Outlay.

Hanging Lamp, \$1.75 and up	Berry Sets, from 50c up
Vase Lamp, \$2.00 and up	Chocolate Pots, from 50c up
D.C. Chamber Sets, \$1.69 and up	China Bowls, from 50c up
Dec. Dinner Sets, \$3.95 and up	Glass Sets, from 25c up
Dec. Water Sets, \$1.00 and up	Doll Buggies, from 50c up

The finest line of Silverware in the city; with factory guarantee, Coffee Sets, Tea Sets, Baking Dishes, Knives and Forks, Spoons, etc.; Child's Sleds, Toys, Evergreen, Xmas Trees. Come and see.

K. ASLESEN, 509-511 Wash. Ave. S.

HOTEL REDONDA, Redonda Beach, California.
HOTEL ARCADIA, Santa Monica, Cal.—by the sea. More sunshine and amusement at these hotels than any winter resorts in California. For rates & A. D. Wright, Pro. booklets, Address—

An Unusually Large Lot of **GOOD DAIRY BUTTER** (Moderate prices.)

The Crescent Creamery Co. Both Phones, 619. 618-620 Men. Ave.

WITHOUT EXCEPTION

EUSTIS BROS. 712 Nic. Ave.

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

DIAMONDS