

Woodward & Lothrop. Misses Catherine and Eleanor Ridgely Return Home.

A Special Remnant Day. We have cleaned out our stocks in all the various departments more thoroughly than usual this week...

Men's Department. 100 pairs Men's Fancy Sox; ends of several lines; mostly the 3 for \$1.00 kind...

Men's Clothing Dept. 9 Men's Gray Mixed Suits, in two and three piece styles; ends of several lines...

Women's Suit Dept. 1 Woman's Tan Tuxedo Suit, trimmed with fancy braid; full-skirted suit...

Women's Coat Dept. 2 Women's Natural Linen Coats, "3/4" length; half fitted; sizes 36 and 38...

Women's Waist Dept. A lot of Women's Fine French Lawn Waists, in plain blue and white...

Misses' Department. 4 Misses' Dotted Swiss "Princess" Dresses, in assorted plaids...

Boys' Clothing Dept. 8 Boys' Norfolk Suits, with knickerbocker pants; sizes 7, 8, 10, 12...

Boys' Furnishing Dept. 18 White Duck Sailor Tams, for boys or girls. Reduced from 35c to 10c each.

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

Misses Catherine and Eleanor Ridgely Return Home. Visiting at Summer Home of Nathaniel Simpkins at Beverly Farms, Mass...

Miss Catherine Cullom Ridgely and her sister, Miss Eleanor Ridgely, who have spent the summer with relatives in Gloucester County, Va., arrived in Washington yesterday morning...

Mr. Sylvano Gurgel do Amaral, counselor of the Brazilian Embassy, now acting charge d'affaires, went to New York a few days ago and will be absent from the city for about a week.

Miss Ethel Roosevelt, second daughter of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, is a guest at the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Simpkins, of Washington, at Beverly Farms, Mass...

Miss Agnes Grey Kennedy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Danbridge Kennedy, was married to Dr. William Beverly Mason, of Washington, yesterday, at Warrenton, Va.

Miss Mary Willoughby Kennedy was her sister's maid of honor. The bridal gown was of white satin, trimmed with rare old family lace...

Mr. and Mrs. John Schweitzer announce the engagement of their daughter, Erma Louise, to Mr. J. Henry Robertson. The wedding will take place the first part of October.

Mrs. H. Jennings, of Washington, was hostess at a dinner Wednesday evening at Malvern Hotel, Bar Harbor, preceding the dance which took place there.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Davis Bowles, of Washington, are the guests of Miss Emily Tuckerman, at Ingleside Hall, Stockbridge, Mass.

Despite the warm weather, Narragansett shows no signs of diminishing gayety, and the season will be prolonged at least a fortnight...

Mrs. Chadwick, wife of Rear Admiral French Chadwick, U. S. N., was decorated an "officer d'Academie" by order of the President of France, Wednesday.

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REPORTS UPON TAXES

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and action in the matter of assessments against the electric power company for service wires and meters of the complete of the next triennial assessment, in which effort will be made by the board of assistant assessors to meet all the requirements upon the subject of their duties while consistent with the limitations of law in regard to property rights; and of the annual report of the assessor for the year 1907, in which recommendations suggested by the facts presented by this inquiry will be set forth.

Commissioner West said the report did not call for comment, as it contained no recommendations and shows that every effort is being made faithfully and equitably to execute the law.

ANIMAL SHOW HERE SUNDAY. Gentry Brothers to Present Many Novelties This Year. Gentry Brothers and their famous trained animal exhibition will move their big tents into Washington Sunday morning.

MILITIA RETURNS TO BUFFALO. New York Soldiers See the Sights of the City. Ten companies of the crack Seventy-fourth New York National Guard spent yesterday in Washington sightseeing.

REPORT ON GAS COMPANY. With regard to the gas companies, which, by escaping an annual tax of \$136,320 Commissioner West to call for a statement from the board of assistant assessors, the report says:

Washington Gaslight Company, \$1,705,949 \$5,752.52 Georgetown Gaslight Company, \$2,283,313 4,461.30

FROM WOMAN'S POINT OF VIEW. Every girl who has not had the inestimable advantage of a domestic training under capable maternal eyes should get experienced in some way before undertaking the care of a home for which some man's hard-earned money must pay.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Walter Eshelman, 38 and Lather Smith, 21, both of Riverport, Va. Rev. J. Luther Frantz.

DEATH RECORD. John F. Skinner, Providence Hospital, 63 years. Hugh Hagan, 44 and 34 1/2 St. N.W. 63 years.

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