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Clearance Sale of Boys' and Youths' Clothing.

FEW boys there are who do not need (at the present time) a suit, an overcoat, a pair of pants or some other article of furnishing to finish the winter out with.

With the new spring shipments in sight room must be gradually made for their display—hence the decisive price reductions on nearly all our lines of boys' suits, overcoats, and furnishings. Included are lots that were recently closed out from manufacturers at price concessions. All of them are excellent values.

Youths' Long Trousers Suits, made of excellent materials and tailored in the latest fashion. The colorings are stylish and attractive—such as appeal to the up-to-date youth; sizes 16 to 20, or 32 to 38 inch chest measure.

Special price, \$9.95 each. Were \$16.50, \$18.50, and \$20.00.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants Suits, of all-wool materials, in red, grey and brown; also fancy effects in long overalls; sizes 16 to 20, or 32 to 38 inch chest measure.

Special price, \$5.00 each. Were \$7.50 and \$8.50.

Boys' Wool Suits, in sailor blouse, Russian blouse, Norfolk and knickerbocker trousers styles; also with straight-cut pants. Made of excellent materials and well finished; sizes 7 to 12.

Special price, \$3.75 each. Were \$5.00, \$6.00, and \$7.50.

A label of Boys' Overcoats and Reefers—pretty models, in red, grey and brown; also fancy effects in long overalls; sizes 24 to 36.

Special price, \$5.00 each. Were \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, and \$10.

Third floor—Tenth st.

New Spring Dresses and Wraps For Girls and Misses.

WE are showing a splendid collection of Girls' and Misses' New Spring Jacket Suits. They are made of Panama, fine serge, and novelty cloth, in stripes and checks. These are shown in sizes 12, 14, 16, and 18 years.

\$15.00, \$18.50, \$22.50, and \$28.50 each.

We have just received a shipment of Misses' and Girls' Spring Reefers Coats, in navy blue, red, and black-and-white check materials. They are made box style, with velvet collar, and lined throughout with silk; sizes 6 to 14.

Special value, \$12.50 each.

We have also received a nice line of Girls' Dresses, in linen, duck, and gingham. They are distinctly new and attractive styles, and are prettily trimmed with embroidery; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Prices, \$5.00 to \$15.00 each.

Misses' Winter Coats Reduced.

We are offering several lines of Misses' Coats at reduced prices. One model is of French broadcloth, lined throughout with black satin and finished with velvet collar and cuffs; sizes 14, 16 and 18, or 34 to 36 inch bust measure.

\$18.50 each. Were \$35.00.

We have a few Broadcloth Coats left for girls of 8 and 10 years. They are brown and scarlet, made full length and lined with satin.

\$17.50 each. Were \$22.50.

There are a few All-wool Panama Jumper Dresses left for misses. They are in dark checks and plaids and the sizes are 14, 16 and 18.

\$8.75 each. Were \$13.50.

Third floor—G st.

Special Sale of Black Silk Petticoats.

WE have secured and offer the best value in Black Taffeta Silk Petticoats. They are made in a twelve-month. They are made of a beautiful quality rustling taffeta silk, very full and wide, and have silk under-flounce where you usually find percaline. Two very attractive styles in the lot—one with wide flaring sectional flounce finished with narrow accordion-plaited flounce; the other style is tailor-made, with deep, full flare sectional flounce. These petticoats will also make handsome drop skirts for thin dresses. We offer them at the uniform special price.

Regular value, \$7.50 each.

Third floor—Eleventh st.

Special Sale of 1908 Calendars.

WE have secured a large lot of Calendars at a fraction of the original prices, and offer them at correspondingly low figures. There are all sizes and kinds, including Drop Calendars, Block Calendars, Religious Calendars, and Fancy Calendars. Many of them are handsome pieces and artistic to an unusual degree. They all are in excellent condition, fresh, and clean, and the prices are merely nominal.

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Main floor—G st.

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Fifth floor.

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IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

Dinner and Musicals at the White House.

FLONZALEY QUARTET PLAYS

Postmaster General and Mrs. Meyer Hosts at Dinner—Miss Margaret Cameron to Tennant Sims House. Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks Guests of Senator and Mrs. Burrows.

According to their usual custom of entertaining at a large function the night following a state affair, the President and Mrs. Roosevelt were hosts last night at a dinner and musicale at the White House.

Mrs. Roosevelt wore for this occasion a gown of lavender brocade, trimmed with point de Venise lace. She received the guests who came for the dinner in the Red Room, where red roses and carnations harmonized with the hangings and furnishings.

In the state dining-room, where the company met at table, Golden Gate roses and white carnations were used as decorations, quantities of them beautifying the table, which was lighted with gold candleabra, capped with golden shades.

The company included Senator Warren, Senator and Mrs. Depeew, Senator and Mrs. Frazier, Senator and Mrs. Briggs, Senator and Mrs. Paynter, Senator and Mrs. Bankhead, Representative and Mrs. Dabell, Representative and Mrs. Sherman, Representative and Mrs. Howard, Third Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Huntington Wilson, Gen. and Mrs. George E. Elliott, Gen. and Mrs. Wotherpoon, Commander and Mrs. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Chandler, who are house guests; Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, Miss Elizabeth Kean, Miss Langham, sister of the Baroness von Sternburg; Miss Tyler, who is also a house guest; Lieut. Miller and Lieut. Reed.

After the dinner several hundred guests joined the company to listen to the musicale in the East Room.

The programme was rendered by Mr. Thomas Evans Greene, tenor; the Flonzaley Quartet; Mr. Adolfo Bettl, first violin; Mr. Alfred Pochon, second violin; Mr. Ugo Alfa, viola, and Mr. Iwan d'Archembaeu, violoncello; Mr. Harry Wheaton Howard, at the piano.

The selections were: "Where'er You Walk" (air from "Sembré"), Handel; "She Never Told Her Love".....Haydn; "Duet".....Mozart; "Madrigal" (poem by Thomas Haywood, 1576, 1659).....Minnetti; "Quartet in D major, Op. 78".....Haydn; "Air from Dreams of the Night".....Hahn; "Nona and Night".....Hawley; "Remember".....Hawley; "Intermedium".....Giazontoff; "Schwanzel from quartet in D major, Op. 2".....Szigidigaly; "Sleep 'L' Chille" (morceau ballade).....Bourlign; "Sweet Miss Mary".....Nelliger; "Kitty O'Brien" (from "The Highwaysman" de Kores); "Gipsy John".....Clay.

The Italian Ambassador and Baroness Mayor, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador and Baroness Hengelmueller, the Minister to China and Mrs. W. W. Rockhill, the Naval Attaché of the French Embassy and Mme. de Bianpre, the Naval Attaché of the Italian Embassy and Mme. Piaster, Maj. and Mrs. McCawley, Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbill, Justice Moody, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Slater, Gen. Crozier, Signor Montagna, commander of the Italian Embassy, and Miss Houghton, of Boston, were dinner guests last night of the Postmaster General and Mrs. Meyer, at their home in S street.

Col. and Mrs. Bromwell entertained at dinner last night, having as their guests the Russian Ambassador, Baron Rosen; the Secretary of Commerce and Labor and Mrs. Straus, the Peruvian Minister and Mme. Pardo, the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Newberry, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Richardson Clover, Gen. and Mrs. Bates, Chief of Staff, and Mrs. J. Franklin Bell, Miss Carow, sister of Mrs. Roosevelt, and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Foster.

Miss Margaret Cameron, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont at their residence, in Scott circle, has leased the Sims house, at Eighteenth and Church streets, for the remainder of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Morgan, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Moseley at their residence, in Sixteenth street, were the guests for whom the President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at luncheon Thursday at the White House.

Senator and Mrs. Julius C. Burrows entertained at dinner last evening complimentary to the Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks, inviting to meet them the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Metcalf, Senator and Mrs. Morgan Bulkeley, Representative and Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, Dr. and Mrs. T. L. MacDonald, and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hodges, of Kalamazoo, who are the guests of Senator and Mrs. Burrows.

Owing to illness, Mrs. George Harris McLanahan, of 201 Q street, will not receive this afternoon.

Mme. Godoy, wife of the Mexican Minister to Cuba, will receive this afternoon.

Four Years of Duty in Capital. Secretary Taft and Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, the Chief of Staff of the army, are considering the advisability of recommending that Congress enact a law providing that the term of duty of staff officers in Washington be limited to four years.

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sturdy little legs by means of an elastic, though they may be gathered and finished with bands, if this method is better liked. Wine-colored serge is a pretty development for such a suit, the material being shrunk before making up; or a tub fabric would be suitable, should the season and climate permit. For the four-year size 3 yards of 27-inch material will be required. Sizes, 2, 4, 6 years. A pattern of this may be obtained by enclosing 10 cents in stamps and addressing Pattern Department, The Washington Herald, 734 Fifteenth street northwest, giving the number (2769) and size wanted.

ARMY AND NAVY.

Army Orders.

Brig. Gen. ALBERT H. MILLER, from Department of the Visayas to command Department of Luzon.

Brig. Gen. CHARLES L. HODGES, from Jolo to command Department of the Visayas.

First Lieut. JOSEPH A. MARION, Twenty-fifth Infantry, detailed captain, Philippine Scouts, assigned to Thirty-fourth Company.

Maj. PIERCE M. B. TRAVIS, Eleventh Infantry, found incapacitated, is retired.

Private JOHN R. ARNOLD, general service, infantry, recruiting station, Grand Rapids, discharged from the army.

Private GEORGE A. KILLIAN, Hospital Corps, Vancouver Barracks, discharged from the army.

Private OLIVER CLYDE, Hospital Corps, general Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, discharged from the army.

Corporal BENIGNO RODRIGUEZ, Company B, Fourth Infantry, Fort MacKenzie, discharged from the army, in the interest of the United States.

First Lieut. ALLEN J. GREER, Twenty-eighth Infantry, from Columbus Barracks to Philippines.

Quartermaster Sergeant PATRICK KELLY, Seventeenth Infantry, placed on retired list.

Following post commissary sergeants from posts designated to Presidio of San Francisco, thence to Philippine Islands: JOHN W. BLACK, Fort Clark; WILLIAM H. HILL, Fort Robinson; ELMER HODGE, Fort Assiniboine; WILLIAM W. RICE, Fort Union; HENRY CHAPMAN, Presidio of Monterey, and ANDREW WALKENSTEIN, Fort McDowell.

Post Commissary Sergeant CHARLES SANDERS, from New York City to Fort Rodman, vice Post Commissary Sergeant LEMUEL A. BRYAN, from Presidio of San Francisco, thence to Philippines.

Following sergeants first class, Hospital Corps, from Depot of Recruits and Casualties, Fort McDowell, to the stations designated: MARTIN SIMMEL, to the recruit depot, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; to recruit depot, Fort Totten, Minn.; to recruit depot, Fort Totten, Minn.

Private LEWIS R. GODDEN, Signal Corps, Fort Hays, relieve First-class Private CHARLES B. SINGLEY, Signal Corps, who will proceed to Fort Totten, Minn.

Private JAMES E. OVERHOLSER, Thirty-fourth Company, Coast Artillery Corps, Fort Logan, discharged without honor from the army by reason of desertion.

Sergeant WALTER G. MEYER, Hospital Corps, from Depot of Recruits and Casualties, Fort McDowell, to General Hospital, the Presidio of San Francisco.

E. ADAMS, detached navy yard, Boston, to Philadelphia.

First Lieut. T. E. BACKSTROM, to Washington, examination for promotion.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS—The following movements of vessels have been reported to the Bureau of Navigation.

Arrived—January 22, Saturn, at Mare Island. Sailed—January 22, Anax, from Rio de Janeiro for Ponta Arenas.

Midshipman ordered commissioned, navy yard, League Island, February 1.

WARM STATE RIGHTS TALK

Anniversary of Webster-Hayne Debate in Congress. Senator from South Carolina Made Memorable Speech 78 Years Ago. Gaiteau Sentenced in 1832.

Seventy-eight years ago the United States Senate was the scene of a memorable debate on State rights, between Daniel Webster, of Massachusetts, and Robert Young Hayne, of South Carolina.

Hayne had been elected to the Senate as a State Rights Democrat, in 1832, and soon became conspicuous as an advocate of free trade and State rights. He is best known, however, for his debate with Webster, in January, 1830, arising out of the so-called "Footnote resolution," but covering the important question of the relation of the States to the Federal government.

Hayne's most celebrated speech was made on January 25, Hayne attacking New England, and especially Massachusetts, for the part taken by that section in the war of 1812. Hayne upheld the theory that the Federal government was, in reality, a compact between the States, and that the Federal government was a party with each of the individual States to the compact thus formed, and that any State, when convinced that the compact had been broken, could, for its own protection, nullify or arrest the enforcement within its borders of any law deemed to be in violation of the Constitution.

Determined upon putting his theory of State rights into practice, Hayne attended the nullification convention that met in Charleston, on November 19, 1832, and reported the famous ordinance of nullification passed by the convention on November 24.

Soon afterward he resigned from the Senate. In December he was elected governor of South Carolina.

In his inaugural address he pledged himself to maintain, at all hazards, the principle of nullification.

For a time there was danger of an armed conflict between the forces of South Carolina and the Federal government. Trouble was averted, however, by the adoption of a compromise. Hayne peacefully served out his term as governor, which ended in December, 1834. He died at Asheville, N. C., on September 24, 1838.

Twenty-six years ago there was great excitement around the historic old City Hall, in this city. Charles Gaiteau, the murderer of President Garfield, after a trial covering a period of seventy-two days, was sentenced to death.

DEATH RECORD. Mary A. Wood-Allen, 2 Iowa circle, 66 years. Ida Beck, 317 Md. ave. ne., 7 years. John Sexton, 81 1/2 st. ne., 72 years. Hugh B. Van Horn, 608 6th st. sw., 4 years. Kate Garner, 82 1/2 st. ne., 65 years. Michael B. Doyle, rear 323 Mo. ave., 66 years. Priscilla J. Shipman, 306 1/2 st. ne., 74 years. Sarah Joyce, 83 2 1/2 st. ne., 65 years. Thomas Saunders, 602 11th st. sw., 36 years. Annie H. Dickey, Deanswood, D. C., 19 years. Infant of Emmett C. and Jessie R. Crockett, 2134 P st. sw., 2 hours.

COLORED. Hattie Lee, Emerg. Hosp., 13 years. Ruel A. Patterson, 902 D st. se., 3 years. William Carter, 1305 Chester court, 43 years. Annie Julius 115 1/2 st. ne., 77 years. Olie Stockton, Groat, Dist. Hosp., 45 years. Wesley Johnson, 1020 Jefferson st. ne., 23 years. Mamie Burke, 2325 O'Connor's court nw., 26 years. Kate Garner, 82 1/2 st. ne., 65 years. Maria Burton, 1022 Temperance ave. nw., 1 year.

EX-SENATOR IS ILL

Conflicting Reports About Henry Gassaway Davis.

OPINION OF MISS ASHFORD

Fiannce Believes the Multi-millionaire's Sickness Is of "Grave Nature"—Senator Elkins Thinks His Father-in-law Is in No Immediate Danger—Caught Cold in Storm.

Henry Gassaway Davis, former Senator from West Virginia, multi-millionaire, and octogenarian, is ill.

He is confined to his apartments in the Shoreham Hotel, and is attended by a trained nurse. A physician has been a frequent caller.

"That he is seriously ill is the opinion of his fiancée, Miss Maud Ashford, of this city. Morely a slight cold, says his secretary. Mr. Davis is improving, is what his son-in-law, Senator Stephen B. Elkins, has to say of his condition.

Clerks Are in Doubt. The clerks of the hotel do not surely know, but are of opinion that Mr. Davis is quite ill. The trained nurse is mute on the subject. The physician has not been interviewed, and might regard the information as a professional secret.

Mr. Davis was at his office yesterday morning, it is said, and dictated a few letters to his stenographer, but later was forced to return to his hotel on account of his condition.

Plans for the Wedding. Mr. Davis is eighty-five years old. A few days ago announcement of his engagement to Miss Maud Ashford, of 915 Farragut square, was made, although both Miss Ashford and Mr. Davis had denied the report until a day or so ago, when Miss Ashford admitted it.

Yesterday she said no plans for the wedding had been made and the date had not been set. At this time Miss Ashford declared that Mr. Davis was a very sick man. She was of opinion that Mr. Davis would not venture out of bed for several days. She had not seen him all day, she said.

Senator Elkins said last night that Mr. Davis was in no danger. "He was out in the snowstorm Thursday night," said Senator Elkins, "and caught cold. I understand he is improving. I don't believe his illness will amount to anything."

The nurse, who will not discuss her patient, refers all inquiries to the clerks of the hotel office. The clerks are not positive, but believe Mr. Davis to be only ill. They are unable to say what his trouble is.

Says It Is a Cold. Mr. Davis' secretary was seen in Mr. Davis' offices at H street and Vermont avenue, yesterday afternoon. He said Mr. Davis was confined to bed with only a cold. This cold, said the secretary, was contracted in Philadelphia on Thursday.

The trained nurse was employed, said the secretary, because Mr. Davis did not employ a valet and needed some one to attend to his wants while ill.

ST. PAUL'S DAY OBSERVED.

Parish Guild Also Celebrates Anniversary—Bishop Satterlee Speaks. St. Paul's Day was observed by St. Paul's Church, Twenty-third street, near Pennsylvania avenue northwest, last night by special service. It was also the twenty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the parish guild.

Bishop Satterlee made an address in which he gave account of the good work accomplished by the church. Dr. Alfred Harding, rector of the church, told of the labors of the guild during the past year. A special musical programme was presented by the choir. After the services, a social meeting was held, in which the congregation participated.

Dr. Harding will celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of his rectorship of the church the latter part of February.

WILL SIGN ON MONDAY.

French Trade Agreement Not to Be Submitted to Senate. The French trade agreement, negotiated under section 3 of the Dingley tariff act, will be signed on Monday.

The text of the agreement has been completed. It will not be submitted to the Senate.

M. Jusserand, the French Ambassador, was in conference at the State Department, yesterday, with Secretary Root, when the final details were settled. The agreement will go into effect February 1.

The principal provisions of the agreement provide that France will impose her minimum tariff rates upon Porto Rican coffee and on American petroleum, and will relax her method of inspecting American meat products.

The United States will grant an abatement of 20 per cent in the duty on champagne, will more liberally construe the provisions of the pure food act in its effect upon French imports, and will revise the administration of the customs service regarding French products.

The agreement also provides for the appointment of a joint commission which will investigate and report upon the customs administrative systems of the two nations.

Veterans Play Euchre. Spanish War Veterans in Davidson's Hall, 75 Sixth street northwest, last night gave one of a series of euchre parties, which they are conducting this winter. The committee in charge was: J. A. Costello, chairman; B. T. Tubman, secretary; Oliver Sears, Eugene Dolman, and J. P. Ely, clerks. A euchre is conducted by the veterans every two weeks throughout the winter.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Lewis H. Bennett, 21, and Anna O. Norton, 21, both of Baltimore, Md. Rev. W. G. McNeil, COLORED. Daniel F. Trimmer, 23, and Helen A. Hill, 18. Rev. P. J. O'Connell.

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