

WASHINGTON, D. C., SUNDAY, JULY 19, 1908.



White cannon cloth,
Regular 15c goods, 8³/₄c
reduced to 8³/₄c

All steam shrunk. Only one case
left. Has the real Irish linen
being steam shrunk, it is particu-
larly well adapted for the making
of separate skirts, coat suits, and
children's garments that must go to
the laundry.

No phone, C. O. D., or mail or-
ders for these goods will be filled on
account of the limited quantity.—
First Floor Domestic Annex.

KANN'S SONS & CO.

8th St. & Pa. Ave.
THE BUSY CORNER

RUN-OF-THE-MILL SALE OF PILLOW CASES... 12¹/₂c

Sold subject to slight imperfections which you'll find difficulty
in detecting. All made from regular high-grade cottons and not from odds and
ends. Many are absolutely perfect, having the "over-run" on contract orders.
These cases are worth 15c to 20c each. At 12¹/₂c we shall not have enough to fill
C. O. D., mail, or 'phone orders.

Finest quality taffeta and Rajah silk dresses, Worth \$15, \$17.50, \$19.75, \$22.50, \$25, \$29.75, CHOICE, \$9.95

MY, WHAT A CHANCE! It's the biggest chance this year. We've made a big window display of them.
Biggest values we've ever seen. Examine them closely. Notice the careful workmanship, and the superior qualities
of the silks. The sale price would not buy the materials at wholesale.

THE RAJAH SILKS are to be had in navy, Copenhagen, brown, leather, light pink, light blue, and champagne.

THE TAFFETAS are in both plain and fancy weaves. The plain are offered in black, brown, and navy. The fancy taffetas are all striped, most of them being in two-toned or changeable effects, such as navy and green, black and white, gray and white, black and tan, tan and green, lavender and gray, and other light combinations.

THE STYLES are all Princess jumper effects, with embroidered hand forming square yoke, and with sleeves of nice quality flax net or lace. Skirts are cut extra full—four yards in width—and are prettily trimmed with folds.

THIS IS A FLEETING CHANCE. These dresses were made for a well-known New York house. The concern had been making a big feature of them, and the makers without a single order had cut their material for about 200 dresses. The New York store changed buyers and the new buyer would not buy more goods. This left the maker with the cut silks on hand. We got the entire lot at a big sacrifice and had them made up in the very styles the New York house had such big success with. And we're going to sell them for less than half what New York women paid for theirs.

WASH GOODS at clearance sacrifice prices.

Of course these lots are not all that we have at sacrifice prices. There are odd lots in small quantities—some too small to mention, and on which prices are so much lower than where lots are in better assortment.

17c PARIS BATISTE, Reduced to 7³/₄c a yard.
Linen and white grounds printed in ring, dot, and other patterns, in colors that are absolutely perfect. This Paris Batiste is the most popular material we have had in the store this season. The value at the clearance price is extraordinary. You will get nothing better by waiting.

10c and 12¹/₂c DIMITIES & LAWNS, Reduced to 6³/₄c a yard.
Nice qualities, good assortment of patterns with white and tinted grounds. Styles are suitable for saques, house dresses, wrappers, etc.

35c TAN LINEN SUITINGS, Reduced to 25c a yard.
Every thread warranted pure linen. Nothing better for suits, separate skirts, or jumpers. And this fabric is especially good for making boys' trousers and summer suits.

10c FAST COLOR CHAMBRAY, Reduced to 5³/₄c a yard.
This is the regular chambray blue, which is so well and favorably known for its durability and good looks. Suitable for boys', girls', or ladies' wear.

ODDS AND ENDS IN Sheets, 49c Bleached cotton, 5c yard.
Sizes suitable for single, three-quarter, and double beds. All sold subject to slight imperfections. The cottons used are all standard brands. These sheets if perfect—and they'll give as good service as any perfect one you can buy—would cost 50c to 80c each. No mail, C. O. D., or 'phone orders.

We shall sell the regular 80 quality 35-inch Bleached Cotton to-morrow at 50c a yard.
No C. O. D., mail, or 'phone orders will be filled on account of the limited quantity.

\$3.00 TO \$5.00 ALL-SILK Umbrellas at \$1.69

It is bargain news in every sense of the word! Every umbrella is perfect, too, in every detail. All have covers of silk serge or taffeta. These for women are in black, blue, green, or red. Men's umbrellas are 28-inch size, with plain boxwood sticks. The handles on the women's umbrellas are trimmed with rolled gold or silver.

We're going to pay for this "dry" spell soon with lots of "wet" weather. Haven't you better grab this chance to-morrow of securing an All-Silk Umbrella for \$1.69 and be fortified?

First Floor—Bargain Tables.

WASH WAISTS at less than cost of materials.

Impossible to buy the material and the lace or embroidery trimming at the prices quoted to-morrow for the completed waist. That's how low clearance prices are to-morrow:

WHITE AND COLORED LAWN WAISTS, odds and ends—trimmed and styled—long or three-quarter length sleeves. Worth up to \$2.50. Take your choice to-morrow of any in this lot for \$1.00

FIVE LINGERIE WAISTS, elaborately trimmed in fine laces and medallions; fancy yoke effect; trimmed blouse, yoke, and sleeves. Not more than two or three of a kind, and very pretty waists. Odd sizes. Worth up to \$5.00. Take your choice to-morrow at \$3.00

Second Floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

Hats and flowers Must be cleared out.

Many days yet to wear a straw hat—about \$2. Will you last that long? If you are going away, surely an inexpensive hat would help out a great deal.

At clearance prices it is possible to buy a good hat for a very small sum. We've straw hats in a number of desirable shapes, black and colored. Choice to-morrow 19c

We have flowers and foliage in nearly every conceivable kind, and in desirable shapes, black and colored. Choice to-morrow at 10c and 25c

Second Floor—Millinery Parlors.

59c to 75c Trimmings Now choice at 29c a yd.

Beautiful Silk Trimmings that will be in good style this fall for trimming frocks, but we have but ten or twelve yards left of any one style or lot, and so have included all in the July Clearing Sale.

Choice of Appliques, Bands, or One-sided Trimmings in beautiful Oriental or other designs; many with just a hint of silver and gold to relieve the subdued colorings.

Then, too, we have trimmings in this lot that are of brighter hue.

Any of these trimmings to-morrow at the very special clearance price of 29c a yard.

First Floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

WON'T YOU BUY QUICK \$1.50 Wash Boilers at 69c?

Of course, you will—that is, those who are economical.

Wash Boilers, in sizes 7, 8, and 9, of block tin and with copper bottoms; some with copper rims; drop or black handles.

We'll be frank and say that all are a trifle soiled; otherwise we would not have reduced their price.

The dents do not affect the wear of these boilers at all—and who sees the dents but the washwoman? For all purposes as good as though perfect. For we GUARANTEE THEM NOT TO LEAK.

Buy them in the lot to-morrow at choice, 69c.

Third Floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

SATAN TELLS WHY MEN WITH A "PAST" ARE FASCINATING

By HELEN ROWLAND.

"This is delightful!" exclaimed Mr. Satan, cordially putting out his hand, as a small imp ushered me, with a wave of his tiny spiked tail, into his majesty's private office. "I've been rather expecting you. Did you have a pleasant trip?"

"Very," I replied, politely, glancing with astonishment at the crackling fire which glowed in an open grate, in spite of the fact that the weather was already taking the wave out of my march. "It's always pleasant 'going down,' isn't it?"

"We try to make it as easy as possible," returned his majesty, gracefully offering me a seat on a tiny gridiron beside his desk. "But at this season we're so rushed that everything is overcrowded. May I smoke?" he added, taking a monogrammed case from his pocket and lighting a gold-tipped cigarette at my nod of acquiescence.

"I wonder," I exclaimed, glancing with unconcealed admiration from Mr. Satan's immaculate yachting flannels, dainty patterned tie, and irreproachable patent leather pumps to his clean-shaven chin and finely cut nose, "why they paint you so black?"

The devil shrugged his shoulders, and dropped his eyes modestly.

"People will talk," he returned, with attempted nonchalance. "And besides," he added, blowing a smoke ring, "I don't mind it."

"Of course you should," agreed Satan, promptly. "You are a woman, and a woman's reputation, to be worth anything at all, must be lily white, or at least only faintly tinted. But a dash of scarlet or a dark brown past gives a touch of spice to a man that no woman on earth can resist."

"I see," I said, nodding and secretly beginning to hope that the heat hadn't taken all the powder off my nose.

"There's a fatal fascination," continued the devil musingly, "about the man who has done those things which he ought not to have done—"

"Like the fascination of fire for the baby?" I interrupted.

Satan nodded.

"Or of matches for the child," he rejoined, "or the red rag for the bull, or the edge of the cliff for the giddy-headed—"

"Or deep water for the swimmer—"

"Or the speed limit for the automobilist."

"I know," I sighed, comprehendingly. "It's always the things with the 'Hands Off' sign that one wants to finger in the shops, and the parks with the 'Keep Off the Grass' warnings that look most fascinating, and the doors with 'Public Not Admitted' on them that we are dying



(His majesty Satan tells why men with a "Past" are fascinating.)

to open, and the things labeled 'Dangerous' that we are longing to do, and the forbidden—"

"Exactly!" broke in his majesty. "It's the fascination of the forbidden. Eve might never have plucked the apple if it hadn't been forbidden; and Pandora never would have opened the box if nobody had told her not to; Fatima wouldn't have thought of unloosening Bluebeard's closet if she hadn't been warned against it. All a man need do in order to be perfectly irresistible to women is to hang a danger signal around his neck."

"What?"

"A woman," exclaimed Satan gently, "will follow a danger signal as far as she can see it."

"Oh, will a man," I declared, tossing my chin and shutting my fan with a snap, "if it's peroxide hair or a peck-a-soo waist, or a red parasol, or a pair of eyes or open-work stockings, or—"

"But," interrupted his majesty hastily, "that isn't the only thing about a man with a checked past that is fascinating. Any person who can be distinctly anything—even distinctly wicked, or distinctly dangerous—is more interesting than any who is everything he should be, and not particularly much of anything. Any kind of reputation is better than no reputation at all—for a man. Now, I, for instance—"

"Oh, you—!" I called my fan impatiently.

"Well, nobody ever called me a milk-sop," declared the Devil zealously, "nor namby pamby, nor a mother's darling—like the dear little things who drink nothing but tea and go home at half-past ten and never take a step nor have an original idea without first consulting their families or their lawyers or the book of etiquette, and who never dare—"

"That's it!" I cried, suddenly dropping my hands in my lap, with conviction.

"What?"

"It's the element of dare-devil in a rake," I explained, "that we can't help admiring."

"And which makes him a sort of hero in feminine eyes," rejoined his majesty, with perfect equanimity. "A small girl can't help admiring the small boy who isn't afraid to smash windows—"

"And to swing the cat by its tail," I interrupted.

"And who leads all the other boys in their raids on the orchard—"

"And is in the midst of all the fights—"

"And at the head of all the escapades. And a woman," continued Satan triumphantly, "can't help admiring the man who has the daring to smash all the social conventions and break all the rules of morality—"

"And to have escapades of his own," I put in.

"And to plunge recklessly into the midst of life," finished Satan. "His very audacious charms her as a snake charms a bird. You see," he continued, leaning back and gazing with twinkling eyes through the smoke of his cigarette, "a woman likes a man with something in him—even if it's only original sin."

"And that's about all most men have in them," I declared, sarcastically.

"Not at all. Not at all," protested Satan soothingly. "Every man has an element of good in him somewhere. You don't suppose my business is a sin, are you?"

"And as long as you can make women

CONSOLO, A LA FRANCAIS.

From M. A. P.

A curious incident took place at St. Petersburg, when Paderewski performed there recently before a select audience which comprised the Russian royal family and the leading court dignitaries. After Paderewski's recital, which created the utmost enthusiasm among his audience, the Czar called him to where the royal party were seated, and said:

"Sir, you are the greatest pianist in the world, and Russia is proud to number you among her subjects." Paderewski drew himself up, and, looking straight into the Czar's eyes, remarked stiffly: "Pardon, sire. I am a Pole—not a Russian." On the following day the pianist was escorted to the German frontier by the police.

Paderewski's Conge.

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The Grim Portent.

From the Pledge Blaster.

"To your husband in?"

"Yes, but he's having his wine."

"Well, it won't disturb him. I'll come back in an hour. He'll be finished then."

"Well, but then he won't be able to speak to you at all!"

CATHOLIC SUMMER SCHOOL AN IDEAL SPOT FOR STUDY

One Hundred Acres Near Milwaukee Selected.

New York, July 18.—A Western Catholic summer school will be opened in August at Spring Bank, Wis., a beautiful spot on Oconomowoc Lake, twenty-eight miles west of Milwaukee. The grounds comprise about 100 acres, situated in the heart of the beautiful lake region of Wisconsin. Spacious buildings have already been erected, and no pains have been spared to make this an ideal and successful Catholic summer school from the start.

The project has the approval and active support of Archbishop Hessemmer, of Milwaukee, who is chairman of the general committee in charge. More than 100 prominent Catholics of the West are taking an active part in the organization of the summer school. This year the school will continue from August 12 to 29. A large number of Catholic families have signified their intention of spending the summer at Spring Bank. The executive committee consists of the following Milwaukee gentlemen: John H. Hopfer, chairman; John T. Kelly, secretary; Jos. Zimmerman, treasurer; H. J. Hogan, J. H. J. Keogh, August N. Ritz, Humphrey J. Desmond, John C. Carel, and Rev. F. C. McBride. The general committee comprises some thirty-odd members from Milwaukee, including the archbishop, Very Rev. James J. Keogh, Rev. F. J. Roche, Rev. H. Kampschroer, M. H. Wilkison, Patrick Cudaly, some twenty-four members throughout Wisconsin, including John A. Kuyper, Maurice Fitzsimons, and Right Rev. John J. Fox; and a large number of Chicago Catholics, among whom are Father Kelly, of the Extension Society; Rev. A. J. Barrows, of St. Ignace College; Rev. Peter J. O'Callaghan, of the Paulists; Hon. Thomas H. Cannon; John A. McGarry, of the Irish Fellowship Club; J. S. Hyland, the Catholic publisher; Richard H. Wolfe, of the Irish Choral Society; and Hon. P. L. McArdle. The State Council of the Knights of Columbus in Illinois has adopted a resolution approving of the project, and the Wisconsin knights, at their State convention, did likewise.

The question as to whether the Catholic Church is a legal person, while settled in actual practice in this country, has recently been passed upon for the first time by the Supreme Court of the United States. The decision handed down is by Chief Justice Fuller. It is the case of the municipality of Ponce, appellant, versus the Roman Catholic Apostolic Church in Porto Rico. The decision makes clear the complete right of the Catholic Church in the United States to acquire and hold property the same as any corporate body.

In view of the recent declaration of the Philippine assembly that the people are ready for immediate independence, as reported in the news columns of the press, and of their demand for just treatment in trading with this country, the following opinion of the Philippine, expressed by Archbishop Harry after close personal observation, is clothed with a special interest for American readers. The archbishop says:

"The more I know of the Philippine people, the more I love them; and the more I know of their past history, the greater is my wonder and admiration, now at the heroic labors of the ancient missionaries, now at the wonderful correspondence of the people with these labors, and their extraordinary advance from savagery, and even cannibalism, to a civilization as widespread through the islands as ours throughout our country. Hence it is that the more convinced I am that in the future, when the effects of these demoralizing influences shall have passed away, this people, united by faith, will be found to have lifted themselves to stand alone on a very high plane of civilization. Even now many of their churches and other public edifices would honor any American city. The standard of the learned professions, manned by natives mostly, is very high. The University of Manila now, in spite of the upheaval of the revolution and the civil war, is offered mainly by natives, and has 900 students of law, medicine, pharmacy, and all the university branches.

"The people are as good as they are bright and clever. The women are remarkably pure. The men, young and old, possess remarkable self-control. Only those who have lived in the East can realize what this means. Such of the church edifices as we have priests for cannot hold the people who wish to attend divine service. This is why we need outside clergy, and must continue to need them until the native clergy, whom we are preparing, are ready."

Shy.

From Jody.

Wallye—Next to a woman, what is the most nervous thing you know?
Willye (ungrammatically)—Me—next to a woman.