THE EVENING STAR.

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THE EVENING STAR has the fullest Local Circulation of any Newspaper in the World, and as an Advertising Medium is worth more than all the other papers published in Washington.

The state of Maryland erects today at the ancient town of St. Mary's, the germ of the colony and commonwealth, a modest monument to Leonard Calvert, its first governor. Few states have had such a noble beginning—not in the glare of the stage foot-lights amid the clatter of an audience delighting in impressive scenes, but soberly, religiously as beseemed a serious people sprung from the bosom of English liberty. Among the founders of America George, Cecilius and Leonard Calvert are ever to be named as worthy of special honor and esteem—the first that he prepared the way, the second that he sent out the hopeful colony, the third that he governed it wisely and with his own hand planted the tree of toleration in the soil of America. A singular fact in the history of the country's settlement is this—that Jamestown, Plymouth and St. Mary's, the first towns founded, respectively, in the first three British colonies never attained any considerable growth or, after the very beginning, importance. Maryland was the second southern and third of all the English colonies formed. From the small community at St. Mary's on the lower Potomac, 1634, it has without the advantage of a wide territory developed into a noble commonwealth with large cities, well developed farms and prosperous industries.

The baccarat scandal and a long array of other scandals preceding it place the upper class of England on trial before civilization. Not Sir Gordon Cumming alone, but his set—the Prince of Wales, "heir of England," and of all the royal houses of Britain from Cerdic to Hanover—are the real accused. The monarchy of Great Britain and the social and political institutions with which it is interlinked are not capable of standing an indefinite strain, for they rest on the respect of the people of England. If that respect were withdrawn for a single moment the whole costly structure that has taken perhaps fifteen hundred years to become what it is would crumble and leave behind it only that which is useful to the every-day life of the people. It was the remark of Guizot, a truth of history, that no element of the English political life had ever been lost. Applying that profound observation to the present state of British upper-class morals it could be foretold wisely that a revolution in English government due to the extravagance and profligacy of the royal line and the nobility would not uproot all established institutions, as was the case in the French revolution, but would modify them as they were modified by the English revolutions of the 17th century.

The orator, the subject and the occasion met today at Galena when Depew discussed Grant as the man of the moment. "Clients failed to retain him as a surveyor, his real estate office had to be closed, and he was not a factor in the tanners' firm. But the moment that the greatest responsibilities were thrown upon him and the fate of his country rested upon his shoulders," said Mr. Depew, "this indifferent farmer, business man, merchant, became the foremost figure of the century." The people of Galena and Illinois do well to erect a monument to Gen. Grant, and to induce such a felicitous speaker as Chauncey Depew to eulogize his career and place in history. New York can supply a Grant orator, if not a Grant monument.

It may always be in dispute whether athletics conduce to scholarship, but Yale's graduating class would seem, so far as one swallow can make a summer, to settle the question affirmatively. The honors were carried off by the same men, the highest athletes having been the hardest students and most intellectual men. Other institutions and conditions may produce different results. Evidently, what is wanting in college and all sedentary life is sufficient physical exercise to make a counter balance for the necessary mental exercise, and the greater the strain on the mind the greater the obvious necessity for healthful physical development. A happy correlation of the two sorts of exercise is important.

The German Kaiser is an avowed friend of the code duello. He has been challenged by a New Jersey music teacher who was once an officer in the German army. This challenger is so considerate as to affix a condition. If William shall have Prince Bismarck executed before the duel the latter need not occur. It is suggested that this is a good way for the imperial autocrat to avoid the inconvenience of a duel with an American sovereign, gratify his private resentment and effect a stroke of state policy all at one time. Will the man who says that he is "master and no one else" in Germany behead his subject-enemy or fight his late subject-friend?

What has become of the condemnation proceedings in the matter of the post office site? Why doesn't the Treasury Department act upon the report of the commission appraising the property condemned? Have the papers been lost or pigeon-holed, or has merely a summer torpor settled upon those who ought to be vigorously and expeditiously pushing this great work to completion? The people of Washington need very much their permanent and commodious post office, and will reasonably be impatient at unreasonable delays in carrying out the nation's will, as expressed for their benefit and for the credit of the capital in the recent wise act of Congress.

Twenty-five Yale students stampeded Barnum's circus parade in New Haven by throwing torpedoes at the horses and elephants and the faculty regard the matter as serious and will call the students to account. And so also should the civil authorities and give these young gentlemen the full penalty of the law. A woman or child or women and children crushed to death in such a stampede would have been only the natural and presumptively intended consequences of their act.

Hon. Columbus Delano of Ohio has come to the surface once more, and he announces that the farmers of Ohio will vote with the republicans in that state. The opinion of the people's party of Ohio is to the effect that Mr. Delano's long retirement has resulted in rusting the hinges of his predictor.

Senator Stewart in a New York *Recorder* interview is rather depressed over the republican outlook and says if all other candidates fail, the party may fall back on Ignatius Donnelly. This is ciphering the situation down to a very fine point indeed.

The Philadelphia council thinks it is "a biger man than" Gov. Pattison in the matter of appointing city treasurer, and the courts will adjudicate on this question of relative bigness.

The blue and the gray marching under one flag at the world's fair would be a pleasant specimen of brotherly love and union. Only one flag, however, and that the flag.

The average democrat thinks that the democratic party is the people's party, but the average people's party man thinks something else.

The Omaha *Bee* at this late date is endeavoring to explain what caused the November landslide in that state. A better thing would be to repair the damage as soon as possible.

A better time for settling the seal skin question could not have been selected than during this superheated spell of weather.

Germany will maintain her tariff on grain. Recent rains did it.

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A variety of Furnishings more comprehensive than to be found in any exclusive Men's Furnishing Store is at the Palais Royal, corner of 12th st. and Pennsylvania ave. The department is under the management of one who has had many years of experience in the leading men's furnishing stores. Prices are quoted that are only possible when buying in large quantities direct from the producers and selling at the small profit a cash business enables. Our Mr. Porter and his young men will be glad to demonstrate that these statements are unexaggerated.

THE "OPENING" OF SUMMER FURNISHINGS IS OCCURRING.

It is customary at the Palais Royal to open the season with a special "Opening" display, during which the new goods are offered at the wholesale prices as a souvenir of the occasion. In the lower portion of these columns is given the MEN'S SOUVENIR LIST. To the left hand of the list are the prices you will notice marked on the goods; to the right are the special prices. There is no question that the prices are 15 per cent below prevailing quotations, but as to the variety you may have doubts.

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, SASHES, BELTS, ETC.

Where else such a collection of Silk Shirts? The Black and White Wash Silk Shirts marked $5.50 are the $7.50 quality of the majority of stores. It is equally a fact that the All-silk Shirts in stripes of all colors are usually sold at $5, *though we offer them at only* $2.89. There's a history to these Shirts that explains the case. Ask our Mr. Porter. Here, too, is a matchless variety of All-linen Madras, Cheviot, Momie and Flannel Shirts. Those marked $2 are all-wool flannel. You'll notice they are quoted in the Souvenir List at $1.50. For $1 you may choose from Sateen, Cheviot or Madras Shirts, of course not all linen, but looking like the All-linen Shirts we sell at $1.39, $1.68, $1.89, $2 and $2.89. The New Sash and Belt combined for $1.68 is nearly 20 per cent less than usually asked. Belts of all kinds proportionately cheap.

MEN'S SUMMER UNDERWEAR, HALF HOSE, ETC.

All-wool Underwear is gaining in popularity. Of the various reliable makes the "Glastenbury Health Underwear" seems to have the best indorsements of physicians and others. This Underwear is being advertised by the leading merchants of New York and Chicago and other cities at $2 a piece. We find we cannot afford to permanently quote a lower price, though for the "Opening" we make the price $1.50 a piece. You'll notice the 50c. Underwear is offered at 42 cents. This includes our trouser-shape Jean Drawers. Sizes 30 to 46 inches. Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers of every description, good at 35 cents, the best at $1.25. Half Hose guaranteed Fast Black and in all the correct summer shades. Boston Garters, Silk, 39c. a pair.

MEN'S NECKWEAR, UMBRELLAS, SATCHELS, HANDKERCHIEFS, &C.

But space to point to a few "specials." The Silk Grenadine and Wash Silk Knot Scarfs, with loose flowing ends, are reduced from 39c. to 25c. for the "Opening," and we ask you to compare them with those offered elsewhere at 50c. The 39c. White Crepe de Chine and China Silk Four-in-Hands are also the usual 50c. goods. You'll find here more Umbrellas, Satchels and Handkerchiefs than in any other three houses combined. A complete variety of Men's Furnishings that a page of the Star would not enumerate.

MEN'S SOUVENIR LIST.

(Department near door No. 1119 Pa. ave.)

$1 "Health" All-wool Summer Underwear	82c
75c. Summer Underwear, all styles	64c
50c. Summer Underwear, all styles	42c
50c. Half Hose, all styles	39c
25c. Half Hose, all styles	21c
$1.25 Outing Shirts, all styles	$1
$2 All-wool Negligee Shirts	$1.50
$5 Pure Silk Shirts	$2.89
39c. All-silk Grenadine Windsors	25c
25c. Wash Silk Windsors, all styles	22c
49c. Four-in-hand and Knot Scarfs	39c
25c. Knot Scarfs, all styles	16c
75c. "Palais Royal" Night Shirts	50c
15c. Four-ply Linen Collars, all styles	10c
20c. Four-ply Linen Cuffs	15c
$1.25 "Gloria" Umbrellas, paragon frames	$1.09
$1.50 "Gloria" Umbrellas, warranted one year	$1.39
$3.98 Silk Umbrellas, novelty handles	$3.79
$5 Silk Pongee Sun Umbrellas	$4.25
$1.25 Cotton Pongee Umbrellas, green lining	$1.09
25c. Linen Handkerchiefs, new style borders	22c
50c. Initial Jap. Silk Handkerchiefs	39c
50c. Black Jap. Silk Handkerchiefs	44c
$1 Black Jap. Silk Handkerchiefs	89c
$1.35 Castor Beaver Driving Gloves	$1.25
$1 English Dog Skin Driving Gloves	89c
$1.35 Cape Tan Driving Gloves	$1.25

Also see souvenir prices in Leather Goods, Jewelry and Toilet Articles Departments.

LADIES' SOUVENIR LIST.

$12.50 White Lawn Suits, all styles	$11.50
$8 White Suits, all styles	$7
$5.50 Suits for $5 and $4.75 Suits	$4.25
$3.98 Embroidered White Wrappers	$3.68
$2.68 White and Gingham Wrappers	$2.48
$1.68 Calico and Gingham Wrappers	$1.48
$1.35 Calico Wrappers, all styles	$1.25
$1 Calico Wrappers (usually $1.25)	89c
$7 Wash Silk Shirt Waists	$6.25
$5.50 Silk Waists, Black and colors	$5
$4 Flannel Blazers, all styles	$3.50
$2.50 Blazers, in club colors	$2.25
$12 English Summer Coaching Jackets	$9
$9 Jackets for mountain and seaside	$7
$8 Imported Jackets, all styles	$6

Shawls at 10 per cent discount.

Children's and Misses' India Lawn, Gingham and Flannel Suits at one-tenth less than marked prices.

$1 Vassar Shirts, from E. & W. laundry	89c
$1.35 Imported French Percale Shirts	$1.25
$1.50 Vassar Shirts, all styles	$1.39
$1.75 Shirts, with embroidered linen bosoms	$1.50
$1.98 Puff-front Shirts of embroidered lawn	$1.79
85c. India Lawn Shirt Waists	69c
$1 White and Fast Black Lawn Shirts	84c
$1.25 White Lawn Shirt Waists, embroidered	98c
$1.48 Lawn Shirt Waists, hemstitched	$1.29
50c. Boys' of Misses' Shirt Waists	44c
75c. Boys' or Misses' Shirt Waists	64c
$1 Figured India Silks, all styles	85c
25c. Scotch Ginghams, all styles	20c
12½c. Outing Cloths, all styles	10c
12½c. Silk-finish India Pongees	10c

10 per cent discount on all Black Silks, Grenadines, and Priestley's, Lubin's, Courtauld's and other makes of Black Wool Dress Goods.

10 per cent off marked prices of all Laces, Drapery Nets, Flouncings and Parasol Covers and the following special souvenirs:

$1.19 Black Lace Flouncings	$1 yard
17c. Veils, all styles	15c
12c. Veils for 10c., and 7c. Veils	5c

Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Flowers and Ribbons at 10 per cent discount.

$1.68 Parasols, all styles	$1.25
$2.68 Surah Silk Parasols, all styles	$2.48
$3.98 Pongee and Surah Silk Parasols	$3.68
$5.98 Bouquet Parasols, all styles	$4.98
$6.98 Lace Covered and other Parasols	$6.25
$13.50 Imported Black Lace Parasols	$11.98
$15 Imported Lace Parasols, all styles	$12.98
$5.98 Cheneadale Silk Sun Umbrellas	$4.98
$3.98 Sun and Rain Silk Umbrellas	$3.79
$2.48 Silk Sun Umbrellas, all styles	$2.19
$2.20 "Gloria" Umbrellas, men's and ladies'	$1.98
$1.25 "Gloria," warranted one year	$1.09
$1.25 Pongee Umbrellas, green lining	$1.09
25c. Silk Windsor Scarfs, all styles	22c
50c. English Silk Windsor Scarfs	44c
12½c. Mull Ties, all styles	10c
25c. Vassar Shirt Fronts with collar	22c
25c. Embroidery Collarettes	22c
35c. Mull Fichus, yard square	29c
68c. Embroidered Mull Fichus	59c
$1.35 Silk Crepe Pleated Ruffling	$1.24
$1.98 Double Row Chiffon Ruffling	$1.68
98c. Single Row Chiffon Ruffling	79c
25c. Neck Ruchings, all styles	22c
15c. Ruffings, ten styles	12c
22c. Tinsel Edge Chiffon Ruffling	19c
16c. Crepe Ruffling, shell design	15c
25c. Duplex Tourist Ruching, six yards	22c
25c. Cord Tourist Ruching, six yards	18c
3 for 25c. Linen Collars	4 for 25c
22c. "Cleopatra" Linen Collars	19c
25c. Fast Black Hose, all styles	22c
25c. Boot Pattern and other Fancy Hose	22c
35c. Fast Black and Colored Cotton Hose	29c
44c. Silk Lisle Hose, all styles	39c
50c. "C. G." Lisle Hose	44c
75c. Fancy Novelty Lisle Hose	69c

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85c. Fast Black Boot Pattern Silk Hose	75c
98c. Paris Summer Novelty Lisle Hose	89c
$1.50 Pure Silk Hose, all styles	$1.39
$2.98 Novelty Boot Pattern Silk Hose	$2.75
25c. Children's Fast Black Hose, all sizes	22c
19c. Swiss Ribbed Vests, all colors	17c
25c. Ribbed Vests, all styles	22c
35c. Ribbed Vests and Pants	29c
50c. Summer Underwear, all styles	44c
65c. Ribbed Silk Vests, all colors	59c
98c. Spun Silk Ribbed Vests	89c
$1.48 Heavier Weight Silk Vests	$1.39
$1.98 English Silk Ribbed Vests	$1.75
25c. Children's Ribbed Vests, all sizes	22c

Ladies' and Children's American Hosiery Co.'s Underwear; also the French "C. G." Balbriggan Undergarments at 10 per cent discount.

50c. Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers	44c
50c. Short Skirts for Ladies	44c
68c. Cotton Underwear, all styles	59c
85c. Cotton and Cambric Underwear	69c
$1 Gowns and Skirts, in many styles	84c
$1.35 Cotton and Cambric Undergarments	98c
$2.25 Garments, $1.98, and $1.68 Garments	$1.29
50c. Summer Ventilating Corsets	44c
75c. Summer Corsets, all styles	64c
$1 Summer Corsets, all styles	84c
12½c. All-linen Towels	10c
25c. Towels, all styles	22c
$1.98 Children's Gingham Dresses	$1.75
$1.48 Gingham Dresses, all styles	$1.29
50c. Children's Aprons, all styles	44c
98c. Prettily Trimmed Aprons	69c
$1.33 Sun Hats, all styles	98c
75c. Sun Hats, 64c., and 50c. Hats	44c
$1 Nainsook Dresses, all styles	84c

10 per cent off marked prices of White Dress Goods and Embroideries, including the Embroidered Black Nainsook Robes.

9c. White Lawn Handkerchiefs, all styles	4c
25c. Linen Handkerchiefs, all styles	22c
50c. Linen Handkerchiefs, all styles	44c
75c. Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
50c. Men's Black Jap Silk Handkerchiefs	44c
85c. Men's Black Jap Silk Handkerchiefs	75c
50c. Men's White Jap Silk Handkerchiefs	39c
5c. Children's All-linen Handkerchiefs	4c
25c. Silk Gloves and Mitts	21c
50c. Silk Gloves and Mitts	44c
75c. Silk Gloves and Mitts	68c
98c. Silk Gloves and Mitts	89c
$1.85 "Palais Royal" Suede Kid Mousquetaires	$1.68
$1.50 "Palais Royal" 4-button Kid Gloves	$1.35
$1.25 Riding and Bicycling Gauntlet Gloves	$1.10
$1 White and Yellow Chamois Mousquetaires	89c
$1 Foster-hook Kid Gloves	95c
96c. Kid Gloves, all styles	89c
96c. Pig Skin or Biarritz Mousquetaire	89c

Also see Men's Department Souvenirs.

$1 Jewelry, all styles	89c
75c. Jewelry, all styles	63c
50c. Jewelry, all styles	42c
25c. Jewelry, all styles	21c
19c. Oxidized Silver Garter Clasps	15c
$1.25 Sterling Silver Neck Chains	98c
$1.50 Sterling Silver Hair Pins	$1.35
19c. Hair Bands, all styles	15c
68c. Match Boxes, all styles	59c
20c. Japanese Fans, all styles	17c
18c. Fans for 15c. and 8c. fans	7c
50c. Black Japanese Fans	44c
$1 Embossed Black Japanese Fans	89c
$1.35 Black Silk Fans, all styles	$1.25
50c. Quill Feather Fans	44c
$1 Feather and Gauze Fans, all styles	89c
25c. Pocket Books, &c., all styles	21c
50c. Pocket Books, &c., all styles	42c
$1 Pocket Books, &c., all styles	89c
$1 Leather Belts, all styles	89c
75c. Imported Leather and Silk Belts	68c
25c. Canvas and Silk Belts	21c
$5 Leather Toilet Cases, fitted	$2.98
$1 Shopping Bags, new styles	89c
$2.25 Imported Shopping Bags	$1.90
$2.68 Card Cases, sterling silver trimming	$2.50
82c. Alligator Satchels	73c
33c. Fancy Silk Elastic	29c
23c. Garter Elastic, all colors	19c
"Gem" and "Feather-weight" Dress Shields	11c
5c. Boxes Cabinet Hair Pins	4c
5c. Papers English Pins	4c
11c. Whalebones	8c
20c. Covered Whalebones	17c
25c. Bottles Bay Rum	21c
8c. Bottles Ammonia	7c
9c. Cakes Castile Soap	7c
35c. Paris-made Tooth Brushes	29c
25c. Tooth Brushes, all styles	21c
10c. Tooth Brushes, worth 15c	8c
25c. Hair and Nail Brushes	21c
75c. English Hair Brushes	68c
25c. Everlasting Rubber Combs	21c
18c. ounce bottles "Palais Royal" Lilac Extract	15c
25c. two-ounce bottles	21c
25c. bottles Florida Water	21c
17c. pound (100 sheets) Linen Note Paper	15c
8c. Envelopes to match	7c
15c. Boxes Writing Paper	13c
25c. Boxes Writing Paper	21c
25c. Packs Playing Cards	21c
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SSS than the SILK OR CAMBRIC WAISTS! The DERBY and VASSAR SHIRTS ought to come in as "crumbs of comfort"—now, too, so many of the gowns and thin wraps were designed to be worn with something of the sort. Seems as if their use was ordained by the powers that set the pace of becoming style.

The Shirts have been favorites from the day they made their appearance. Starch does much to give an air of dress—and their freshness is so easily renewed.

The DERBY SHIRTS with plaited bosoms and standing or turned-down collars are $1 and $1.25. The COLORED FIGURES or STRIPES cost the same.

COLORED STRIPED PERCALES with puff bosoms—$1.35.

WHITE LAWN VASSAR SHIRTS with bosom, collar and cuffs of white wash silk—$2.75. If you are "pining" for a rich effect this is where you can find it.

And the WAISTS—they don't call for a bit of extra fixing. Any skirt you have got makes out a proper suit.

STRIPED CAMBRIC, with plaited fronts and high shoulders—50c.

STRIPED PERCALE—plaited front and back—98c.

FANCY STRIPED MADRAS—plaited front and back—$1.25, $2 and $2.50.

STRIPED SURAH SILK—plaited back and front—$3.75.

WHITE INDIA LAWN—tucked and embroidered—98c., $1.25 and $2.

BLACK and BLACK-AND-WHITE STRIPED SATINE—$2.

We have reduced a lot of all colors of SURAH SILK WAISTS TO $6. They have the front and back plaits.

THE BLACK, NAVY BLUE and CARDINAL SURAH SILK, with tucks back and front and a belt, have been reduced to $6.50.

BLACK and CARDINAL SURAH, tucked back and front and with shirred collar—$9.75.

INDIA SILK, with a White ground crossed by a hair-line stripe or small check, plaited front and back, with a scarf of the goods—$7.50.

Don't miss those two lots of REDUCED WAISTS we have mentioned. The "come-down" in price has not checked the quality nor the style either.

If you were to have one of the GORDON SASHES to wear with these negligee garments, you would find the natty effects doubled. They are dressier than a belt.

BLACK and NAVY BLUE, PLAIN or POLKA DOTTED—$2 and $2.50.

No wonder there is a stream of buyers around this department most of the time. We don't know as ours are a cent cheaper than anybody else's—but we *guarantee they hold the worth of their cost—fit perfectly*—and are patterned in supreme good taste. Nobody sells more for less.

No trouble to show them. We will put them before you—design after design—until you cry—"Hold, enough!"

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"PERRY BUILDING,"

NINTH STREET AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE.

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"THE MONUMENTAL."

A mighty rush of trade. The third day of bargains. Bargains everywhere, on every counter and shelf, all over the store.

Prices never before quoted for stylish and beautiful Millinery and a happy, delighted crowd of buyers from morning until evening.

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Elegant Trimmed Hats at $3.75 and $4.75. Every one worth $5.50 and $6.50 for the same quality.

UNTRIMMED STRAW SHAPES.

We positively carry the largest variety of Fine Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets in the city. Our immense trade demands it. Not a shape or style made that cannot be had here at popular prices.

FLOWERS, FRUITS, FOLIAGE.

The flowers that bloom in the spring and the flowers that bloom every other season are here in radiant perfection and almost endless variety. Wreaths, Sprays, Garlands, Buds, Blossoms, Fruits and richest blooms of home and foreign production.

RIBBONS, RIBBONS, RIBBONS.

The choicest offered at prices below the net cost of manufacture.

107 pieces Imported Ribbons at 75c. yard, former price $1.87 to $2.25.

At 25c. Fancy Ribbons; former price, 40c.

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Every width in Black and Colored Silk Velvet Ribbons at greatly reduced prices.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY.

When you buy your Underwear and Hosiery at the Monumental you act wisely and study your personal interest.

We've everything in Underwear and Hosiery, from a corset cover for ladies at 12½c. to the very finest.

We continue to sell the balance of those 50c. Fast Black Hose for ladies, "Louis Hermsdorf dye," 40-gauge, extra length, at the extremely low price of 25c. Also Ladies' Fancy Hose, Richelieu ribbed, with black boot. Also in Tan and Gray, at 12½, or 2 pair for 25c.

UMBRELLAS.

120 Fine Silk Gloria Umbrellas, with very handsome handles in ten styles, all with best paragon frames, at 98c.; do for either rain or sun.

154 Gents' Umbrellas, superior gloria silk, paragon frames, imported natural sticks; nothing better style or more serviceable made at $1.50 and $1.75.

NECKWEAR DEPARTMENT SOUVENIRS.

25c. Silk Windsor Scarfs, all styles, at	19c
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37c. Embroidery Collarettes, at	25c
25c. Neck Ruchings, all styles, at	19c
15c. Ruffliings, eight styles, at	12½c

Silk Crape Pleated Ruffling, Chiffon Ruffling, Crape Ruffling, Tourist Ruffling.

LEATHER GOODS SOUVENIRS.

Pocket Books in all styles, 19c. to $2.25.

Belts in a variety of styles, Domestic and Imported Leather, Velvet, Silk, Worsted and Canvas, from 15c. upward.

FAN DEPARTMENT.

Japanese Fans, all styles. Silk, Gauze, Feather, Quill and Embossed Black Japanese Fans.

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Suede Mousquetaires, Biarritz, Chamois, Glace Kid, Silk Taffeta Gloves and Mitts in everything that is new and desirable. All our Gloves, from 97c. up, warranted and fit to the hand.

THE MONUMENTAL,

1t* 937 and 939 F st. n.w.

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We can't imagine why in the world anybody is holding to thick UNDERWEAR *now*. If you want weather to change *in*—you've got it—hot and plenty of it. We've got lots for you to change *to—good* and *cheap*. Fact is, we never had so many styles before that we felt perfectly safe in putting into our "Dollar and Under" grades. You can't command as much quality anywhere else. We can give you GAUZE or BALBRIGGAN either at 50c—long or short sleeve Shirts and Drawers to match. A dollar a suit is little enough.

So many men wear JEAN DRAWERS in the summer that we busied ourselves to get something above the average to sell for 50 cents. We found we could use the PEPPERALL JEANS—have them tailor-made—and meet the price. After this 50c. for the Pepperalls.

We import our 75-cent UNBLEACHED BALBRIGGAN from France direct. It beats anything we ever saw for the price. Both Shirts and Drawers.

OLD GOLD, SILK FINISH, GUARANTEED FAST BLACK and RANDOM BALBRIGGAN are our ONE DOLLAR NOVELTIES. We know it's the exception to the rule when you find value and fashion at so small a price. But don't you hesitate over this a minute—They're exceptionally good qualities.

You'll find us "at home" at any price you call—up to $3.50. We can give you a good silk for that—either Black or Novi—even if others can't.

☞ Merit is selling us a quantity of NEGLIGE SHIRTS.

"BROKEN STRAWS."

By huddling together all the "Odds and Ends" of our $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $2 CHILDREN'S STRAW SAILOR HATS we've got a lot of two hundred or more broken sizes. We're going to put them on sale tomorrow morning for

68 CENTS.

They are plain and mixed straw, and it won't take two minutes of your time to see if your little tot can use one. They're the result of the inroads your big buying this season has made in the regular lines. You'd "enough sight" better have the benefit of 'em for 68c. than for us to have them "lumbering" up the department. So they go.

☞ OUR MEN'S STRAW HATS run from 48c. to $4.

☞ For any use you've got for an OUTING CAP—we've got the *Cap*.

SAKS AND COMPANY.

ANOTHER "PROP" FALLS.

TTTT HE WEATHER AND THE PRICES ARE
T cutting the last ties that bind us to the
T Cloak business. It's a sort of "bitter
T sweet"—because every sale is a loss—but every loss is a gain in time.

To the other "half rates" we have added:

All the LADIES' BLACK JACKETS.

All the WHITE LAWN SUITS.

All the WHITE LAWN WRAPPERS.

All the GINGHAM SUITS.

ONE-HALF THE MARKED PRICE BUYS THEM.

You never "saw the best" of the way the people have been buying. There isn't a stitch of old stock to be pushed aside. Every garment you meet is a prominent feature of the latest fashion—and what's the wonder that you should "make hay while the sun shines?" We'll bury this department in the glorious memory of the biggest bargains ever offered in any community. If you don't fix yourselves for the balance of *this season*, and *next*, you're not mindful of your own interests.

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BURCHELL'S FAMILY TEA
(Spring Leaf).
At 50c. a pound.
Do you want a
Delicious cup of Tea?
This will make it.
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WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF ALL SIZES OF SHORT PANTS SUITS IN BLUE AND FANCY SERGES AND THE SAME FASHIONABLE DESIGNS IN WASHABLE FLANNELS THAT ARE SO POPULAR IN MEN'S GARMENTS, ALL TASTEFULLY MADE AND TRIMMED AND VERY NATTY IN APPEARANCE. WOULD YOU NOT LIKE *YOUR* BOY TO WEAR ONE?

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TO PROTECT YOUR CLOTHES

Against the ravages of moths Mineral Camphor is highly recommended. Unlike moth balls of previous seasons it is comparatively a pleasant odor. We had three qualities, but are sold out of one. We only have the best and second grades left, and have reduced the price to 8c. and 15c. per pound.

A GOOD NIGHT'S REST.

To secure this keep vermin out. Dalmatian Insect Powder (genuine) we recommend when properly applied. Reduced from $1 to 57c. per pound. Hotels and others buying largely we are prepared to give special prices. Persian Insect Powder, 39c. per pound.

M. AND S. ROACH PASTE,

Guaranteed to kill all kinds of roaches, including the large black variety that infest the city at present. Price, large bottles, 25c.

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White Hellflore for destruction of plant lice, rose slugs and bugs of every kind infesting rose bushes and shrubbery. Also White Oil Soap for same purpose, very cheap.

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