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### Shirt Waist Suits.

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The new shapes in White Pique Skirts, at \$2.25, \$3, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75 to \$10.50.

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The Sweet New Duck Spot Duck Skirts, in black, blue and white. Special \$2.50.

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A Dainty Summer Skirt that is always dressy elegant values at \$3.25 to \$12.50.

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Elegant Black, Blue and Tan Sicilian Suits—\$15.50 to \$25.50. —Black, Blue and Tan Sicilian Suits—\$15.50 to \$25.50. —Black, Blue and Tan Sicilian Suits—\$15.50 to \$25.50.

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Superb assortment at \$15.50, \$18, \$18.50, \$22.50, \$25.50, \$35 to \$50. —Superb assortment at \$15.50, \$18, \$18.50, \$22.50, \$25.50, \$35 to \$50.

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Percales, Dimities, Zephyrs, India Linens, Linen Lawns, Persian Lawns and Pl. d'Esprit at every price between 50c. and \$10.

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## TWO YEARS ABROAD

Observations of Ex-Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin.

CHANGED FEELING IN EUROPE

Englishmen Think More of Us Than Formerly.

GERMANS DON'T LIKE US

Ex-Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin is in the city, having returned here after two years spent abroad with his family. The purpose of his visit is to see his son, First Lieutenant Mitchell, who is stationed at Fort Myer. Lieutenant Mitchell is but twenty-one years of age. Three years ago he entered the army as a private, and has served in Cuba and the Philippines. He was first promoted to be an officer in the Signal Corps, and later was commissioned a first lieutenant in the regular army.

Opposed to Annexing People.

"I am as thoroughly as ever opposed to annexing people to our government without their consent," said Mr. Mitchell to a Star reporter today. "I do not find such power given specifically in the Constitution, and without the power specifically indicated I do not think we can do it. It is of no consequence to refer to the land formerly annexed to our nation, as indicated by the thought of such action. We formerly added land, and necessary land, to our domain. We never became a very big nation, but we now have. Germany is increasing her population a million people a year, and there is no place for them in Germany. We are not a young man, but we are a colonial policy. England has the same problem. England has made a great sacrifice in carrying on the war against the Kaiser, but their reasons do not have any force in our case in considering the need of our country."

How People Abroad Regard Us.

"Two things are very evident to an American traveling abroad. One is that since the Spanish war Englishmen regard Americans in a very different way from that in which they regarded them previously, and the second is that the Germans and French don't like us at all. When I was in Paris, I was a very big man, and I remember that the English were inclined to look upon Americans and America as something inferior to themselves. That has changed, and they are now a very big man for us, which is evidenced by many little acts of friendship. But during the two years I have spent abroad, I have never once seen an indication of friendship for the United States in any German or French newspaper, and I have read them constantly. I have seen a young man in Germany, who I don't like us, nor do the French. They regard us as their rivals and fear the effect of our trade competition. The English realize that it is to their advantage to be friendly to us, and they are friendly with us. But with the German it is different. He only regards us as a rival. The French, on the other hand, regard us as a rival. He regards us as a rival in breaking away from the country of his birth."

The German Government.

"I like the German very much as a people, and the German in America are the best people in the world. But I don't like the German government. Politically Germany is an autocracy, while socially it is an aristocracy. Although the country has a constitution, the emperor is practically a dictator. He does as he pleases. It is dangerous for a German or a foreigner to criticize him in Germany, because he is something supernatural and is constantly quoting God and his grandfather. He is a member of the well-known family of Marbury, the original owners of Glympton. He has a brother, who is in the employ of the ordinance branch of the Navy Department as a surveyor. Efforts are being made this afternoon to communicate with him. He is surviving in the woods near Hampden, where he has relatives in Alexandria and in Georgetown, and efforts are being made to communicate with them."

Emperor William.

"Is Emperor William really a man of great ability, in spite of his peculiarities?" "He is simply riding on the top wave of the tide that was set in motion by Bismarck. The German nation was the people who were the backbone of the empire. They are a people of great genius, and Emperor William is in no way responsible for their advancement. He keeps his ministry busy denying things he says and in preventing the truth from coming out. "Are the conditions such as to threaten trouble between this country and Germany?" "Do not think that it is at all likely. There will not be another war involving this country for many years. I will never see another war, I am quite certain, in which the United States is a party."

Police Cases Disposed Of.

Judge Kimball today in the District branch of the Police Court disposed of the following cases: John Acker, disorderly as the result of an unknown man calling him a monkey, fined \$10, with thirty days in the workhouse as the equivalent. Sarah Wormley, disorderly on I street north-west; \$10 or thirty days. William Duvall, a fourteen-year-old boy, alleged destruction of private property; fined \$3, which was paid. Theodore Seibler, who was arrested from the house of a woman, aged 40, and who said he could get no work and would like to go back to the farm, was fined \$10, with thirty days in the workhouse as the equivalent. A. J. Hickey, a large contractor, fined \$40, with the alternative of 120 days on the farm.

School Site Offered.

Joseph I. Weller has written to the District Commissioners stating that he is authorized by the owner to offer as a school site in Trinidad lots 22 and 24, in block 4, for 15 cents per square foot.

# Move Into the Great Inter-Ocean Building.

The \$100,000 Worth of Fine Furniture at 1226 F St. to Be Sold Regardless of Cost.

These Prices Will Give You an Idea of the Sacrifices Being Made.

**Chairs.**

\$2.00 Large Dining Chairs, with high backs and cane seats (No. 288) \$1.35

\$4.50 Fine Box Seats, with high backs, quartered oak (No. 7) \$2.25

\$2.00 High-back Wood-seat Chairs \$1.30

75c. Good Wood-seat Chairs \$48c.

\$2.50 Quartered Oak Cane-seat Bed Room Chairs (No. 1392) \$1.40

\$2.75 Quartered Oak Cane-seat Bed Room Chairs \$1.65

**Refrigerators.**

Hundreds of the latest model Refrigerators of well-known and reliable make. Prices cut beyond all precedence.

Refrigerators cut to as low as \$6.80

Ice Chests cut to as low as \$3.70

**Sideboards.**

\$15.00 Sideboards go at \$10.75

16.00 Sideboards go at 10.75

21.00 Sideboards go at 14.80

26.00 Sideboards go at 22.50

30.00 Sideboards go at 29.50

35.00 Sideboards go at 43.50

**Couches.**

\$14.50 Box Couches for \$8.85

18.00 Box Couches for 11.90

19.00 Velvet Couches for 14.95

20.00 Velvet Couches for 15.50

23.00 Bed Couch for 19.80

27.00 Bed Couch for 22.25

25.00 Leatherette Couches for 15.90

34.00 Leather Couches for 24.75

45.00 Leather Couches for 35.50

**Go-Carts.**

Our very complete stock of all kinds of Go-Carts being sacrificed in a most relentless manner. Many are sold at just about half price. This is a chance of a lifetime.

\$7.00 Best Quality Full-size White Enamel Brass-trimmed Cribes go at \$4.90

**Wardrobes.**

\$12 Double Wardrobes now \$7.05

\$15 Mirror-front Wardrobes now \$14.25

\$30 Mirror-front Wardrobes now \$25.25

\$40 Mirror-front Wardrobes now \$29.50

\$50 Mirror-front Wardrobes now \$37.50

\$35 Combination Wardrobe and Chair, former cut to \$25.25

**Hall Racks.**

\$16.00 Hall Racks for \$10.75

18.00 Hall Racks for 12.75

21.00 Hall Racks for 15.50

26.00 Hall Racks for 19.25

30.00 Hall Racks for 26.25

**Chamber Sets.**

\$25.00 and \$27.00 Chamber Sets \$19.50

35.00 Chamber Sets 27.50

38.00 Chamber Sets 29.25

40.00 Chamber Sets 32.50

47.00 Chamber Sets 35.50

68.50 Chamber Sets 56.25

85.00 Chamber Sets 65.50

**Children's Cribes.**

\$7.00 Best Quality Full-size White Enamel Brass-trimmed Cribes go at \$4.90

**Iron Beds.**

An immense assortment of Enamel and Brass Beds, including a large selection of the new art colors. All at greatly reduced prices.

**Extension Tables.**

\$6.00 Extension Tables for \$4.15

8.00 Extension Tables for 5.25

11.50 Extension Tables for 8.25

15.00 Extension Tables for 10.25

17.50 Extension Tables for 11.40

20.00 Extension Tables for 13.50

33.00 Extension Tables for 22.75

38.00 Extension Tables for 26.50

40.00 Extension Tables for 28.50

60.00 Extension Tables for 42.50

**Pillows.**

Several hundred Best Quality Feather Pillows, with regular sale at \$1.50. 85c.

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# CASTELBERG'S, Washington's Leading Opticians, 935 Pa. Ave.

## BATTLE GROUND CEMETERY.

### Program of Exercises to Be Observed There Memorial Day.

The program of Memorial Day services at Battle Ground National Cemetery, near Brightwood, D. C., under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic, will be as follows: Sounding assembly, Soldiers' Home bugler, music, "Departed Days," Soldiers' Home Band; invocation; calling assembly to order by presiding officer, Gen. Thos. M. Vincent, U. S. A.; address, Blair Lee, Brightwood Citizens' Association; recitation, Major John Tweedle, U. S. A.; song, Brightwood public school children; music, Schubert's "Serenade," Soldiers' Home band; oration, J. H. Brigham of Ohio; "America," school children and audience; dirge and decoration of graves, school children; benediction, music, "La Salome," Soldiers' Home Band; "Taps," Soldiers' Home bugler.

### Three Cases of Diphtheria Reported—Other News.

Three cases of diphtheria were reported at the Georgetown station this morning. A resident on the Conduit road appeared at the station with a son, nearly grown, who was suffering with the disease. It was impossible to place him at the Georgetown University Hospital, and he was removed to Garfield Hospital for treatment. Two little girls of Moses Booth, the janitor of the station, are ill with the disease at their home on Valley street, and the janitor was given a leave of absence for ten days to attend to them.

### Proposed Organization.

Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle in Prospect. A movement was recently originated by Mrs. Speer, secretary of the Metropolitan Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, to have a union or joint meeting of all the Chautauquians in Washington some time during the month of June. There is a large number of members in the city whose names have been registered at the Cleveland headquarters, and there are doubtless many others who are interested and reading the course. Four circles are being located and are connected with and bear the name of the following churches: Metropolitan Presbyterian Church, Western Presbyterian Church, Hamline Methodist Church and Wesleyan Methodist Church. Another exists in the northwest, but its name and place of meeting are unknown. The circles mentioned have been asked

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**CATARRH-POWDER.**

That distressed feeling in the head from the congestion and stopping of the nostrils is quickly relieved by Catarrh Powder. Catarrh Powder comes from registered chemists. The Catarrh Powder as soon as a cold begins to stop up the nostrils and you will get instant relief and prevent Grip and Pneumonia.

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## INJURIES RESULT FATALLY

DEATH OF MISS ELLA MARBURY DUE TO ACCIDENT.

Was Knocked Down by a Wagon Last Night and Died This Morning.

Miss Ella M. Marbury, a clerk in the National Museum, was run down by a butcher wagon, driven by Carl Pflueger, last night about 8 o'clock, at the corner of Virginia avenue and 11th street southwest, and received injuries from which she died at 11 o'clock this morning. The investigation made by the police shows that the accident was unavoidable and no arrests will be made. Coroner Nevitt will hold an inquest Monday to render an official verdict.

## Long a Government Clerk.

Miss Marbury was sixty-seven years old. She has been in the employ of the government for more than forty years, having served first as an index clerk in the dead letter office of the Post Office Department. She was transferred to the fish commission when that bureau was established, and in 1887, she was transferred to the National Museum, where she has remained ever since.

## LAUREL NEWS.

Prospects for Large Berry Crop—A. P. Gorman, Jr. in Politics.

Large shipments of berry crates have been received here from Pittsburg for the strawberry season, which is now in full blast in portions of Montgomery county contiguous to this city. The berries of this section are said to be of the best quality, and nearly all are shipped to Pittsburg and other points north, where they bring high prices. Laurel is the shipping point for the producers, and it is thought no better market for the berries can be found in the northern markets this summer.

A report is being circulated to the effect that the friends of Mr. Arthur P. Gorman, Jr., son of ex-Senator Arthur P. Gorman, desire to have him contest for the democratic nomination to the house of delegates from Howard county, of which county he is a legal resident, and where he has resided since the new law went into effect.

He read law in the office of Mr. John P. Gooch of Baltimore city, and is now engaged in the practice of his profession in that city. He has taken an active part in the county politics and has been sent to the Episcopal church of this town to hold a strawberry and ice cream social last night at Hill's Hall, which was largely attended. An excellent musical program was rendered.

Thrown From Carriage.

Nicholas Schlegel of 512 O street northwest was thrown from a carriage on E street northwest between 13th and 14th streets, between 8 and 9 o'clock last night, and painfully injured, his arm being sprained. A lady who was in the carriage at the time of the accident was also slightly injured. They were attended by a physician.

## RECEIVER MCKENZIE PARDONED.

Had Been Sentenced to Confinement for Contempt of Court.

The President has pardoned Alexander McKenzie, now confined in the jail at Oakland, Cal., for contempt of the circuit court of appeals for the ninth circuit. McKenzie was appointed, July 23, 1900, by Judge Royce of the district court of Alaska, receiver of a number of gold mines which were in litigation in his court. Under this appointment as receiver McKenzie took possession of the mines and worked them. The defendants appealed from the appointment as receiver to the circuit court of appeals through Circuit Judge Morrow at San Francisco, and August 29 Judge Morrow issued a writ of supersedeas and an order directing McKenzie to return to the defendants all the property which had come into his possession. This order reached Nome September 14 and was served upon McKenzie. He returned to defendants the mines and all machinery for working them, but refused to return the gold dust which had come into his possession, claiming that in this action he was following the advice of his counsel.

## Worse Than Apaches.

Details Received of Horrible Crimes Inflicted by Filipinos on Prisoners.

Official papers received at the War Department from the Philippines give the details of many horrible crimes committed in the islands for which the perpetrators were tried before military commissions convened from time to time. Many of them, for savage cruelty and pure wantonness, are unsurpassed. For instance, a native named Flores led a detachment of about sixty Filipinos on a piratical raid upon the pueblo of Irocin in Saragosa to plunder a colony of peaceful Chinese merchants. They were a sufficient force to accomplish this without bloodshed, but while meeting with no opposition, they failed to deal with three innocuous Chinese, assaulted another so murderously that he was killed, and then they were taken on the highway, where his assailants finished him with bolos and left him lying lifeless in the road with a paper ball in his hand and a blanket in his breast: "Countrymen, don't imitate me, for I am an Americanist and have talked with the Americans."

## Big Liberal Opposition Develops.

LONDON, May 25.—The result of the bye-election yesterday in the west division of Shropshire, for a successor in the house of commons to Stanley Leighton (conservative), has been as follows: Mr. G. O. Gore (conservative), 4,518; Allan Bright (liberal), 3,390. Conservative majority, 1,088. At the last election Mr. Leighton was returned without opposition.

## Arrested Charged With Embezzlement.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., May 25.—Moses T. Hale, who has been for eight years city treasurer of Colorado Springs, and Charles E. Smith, who was for four years prior to 1897 the city clerk, are under arrest on charges of embezzlement of \$20,000 as principals and accessories. The action has been expected for some time, a shortage having been discovered May 1.

## Mr. Edison Not Threatened.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The report circulated that Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, had received a letter threatening that his young daughter, Madeline, would be stolen if he did not leave a certain sum of money at a place on the Orange mountain designated in the letter, was denied at Mr. Edison's home in Orange, N. J., today. Mr. Edison, through his secretary, John F. Fanning, said that no such letter had been received by him or by any member of his family. No threats in regard to either of his children had been conveyed to him or any one connected with him in any manner whatever.

## MORE HOPE OF HARMONY

BRIGHTER PROSPECTS FOR THE PAN-AMERICAN CONGRESS.

It is Believed That South American Governments May Reach Common Ground.

The officials of the State Department are today encouraged in the hope that the Pan-American congress at Mexico will meet, after all, with a full attendance of representatives of the republics of the two continents. Of course, this hope is based on the expectation that Chile on the one side and Peru and Bolivia on the other will compromise their differences, and the exchanges that are now progressing are in such satisfactory shape that the State Department finds its hope on them. It appears that there has been some misapprehension of the attitude of the United States in this matter. It is learned that at no time has our government or its representative on the executive committee of the bureau of American republics taken sides in this matter. At the first meeting of the committee when Chile proposed to settle the question of arbitration, the motion was carried without a division. At the second meeting when Peru sought to reopen the question of arbitration, the motion was carried without a division. At the third meeting, when Chile proposed to settle the question of arbitration, the motion was carried without a division. At the fourth meeting, when Chile proposed to settle the question of arbitration, the motion was carried without a division.

## Headache.

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS.

At all drug stores. 25 Doses 25c.

## Hydrographic Office Changes.

Mr. V. L. Ourlan, a clerk in the office of the hydrographer of the navy, has resigned in order to go into private business in Japan and Germany. The following promotions have resulted in the hydrographic office:

A. C. Eubank, \$1,000 to \$1,800; R. E. Gray, \$1,500 to \$1,600; R. A. Daniel, \$1,200 to \$1,400; C. W. Shaw, \$1,000 to \$1,200, and D. P. Swope, \$800 to \$1,000.

Temporary piece work computers have been appointed in the Nautical Almanac Office, Navy Department, as follows: Henry S. Brinkerhoff, Jr., Hermann Gletzer and George Auhagen.

## The D'Estrees Sails for St. Pierre.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—The French training cruiser D'Estrees, which arrived here on May 5, sailed today for St. Pierre, Miquelon Island, where she will await the arrival of her new commander, who is now on his way from France to Halifax, N. S.

## Gen. Grant Visits Mrs. Palmer.

CHICAGO, May 25.—Brig. Gen. Fred Grant arrived here today from San Francisco. He will remain here a few days as the guest of Mrs. Potter Palmer, his sister-in-law.

## Five Reasons Why You Should Use the Pyramid Pile Cure.

First, it cures every form of piles without a particle of pain. Second, it cures without any inconvenience or detention from daily work. Third, its effects are lasting and not simply a temporary relief. Fourth, it is the cheapest and safest pile cure before the public. Fifth, it is entirely harmless, containing no mineral poisons, and cannot harm the most delicate. It has been thoroughly tested by physicians in every state in the Union and is recognized by the best authorities as the safest, surest and cheapest pile cure known. It is remembered that usually piles in 100 cases are due to constipation. The results obtained from using a single package are certainly remarkable to say the least. People who have been annoyed with piles for years are astonished at the results obtained from the Pyramid Pile Cure. The Pyramid Pile Cure is made by the Pyramid Co. of Marshall, Mich., and is now also for sale at all drug stores, together with a treatise on cause and cure of rectal diseases.