

# Woodward & Lothrop

New York—WASHINGTON—Paris.

## Trunks, Handbags, Suit Cases

A Three-Carload Purchase Offered at Manufacturer's Cost Price and Less.

Inaugurate this most extraordinary sale of traveling requisites tomorrow—Wednesday. Briefly stated, the enormous quantity made the price, and our customers will receive the benefit. New, fresh, high-grade merchandise—the largest and most advantageous purchase ever made by us in this line of goods.

Involved are:

- Dress Trunks, Bureau Trunks, Steamer Trunks, Wardrobe Trunks,
- Basket Trunks, Cowhide Handbags, Walrus Handbags, Seal Handbags,
- Matting Handbags, Leather Suit Cases, Matting Suit Cases, Cane Suit Cases.

On account of the extremely large quantities it will be impossible to display them in their entirety in our Trunk Department, and we therefore announce that all one-of-a-kind and one-of-a-size Trunks will be on sale on the Seventh Floor, G street building, where ample provision has been made for their display and sale.

The following items are representative of the price trend and of the savings:

A lot Light-weight Fiber-covered Steamer Trunks; size 32.

Sale Price, \$8.50 Each. Regularly \$16.00.

A lot Fiber-covered Steamer Trunks; light-weight; sizes 34, 36 and 38 inches.

Sale Price, \$10.00 Each. Regularly \$17.00 and \$18.00.

A lot Canvas-covered Steamer Trunks; 40-inch size.

Sale Price, \$10.00 Each. Regularly \$15.00.

A lot Canvas-covered Steamer Trunks; 38-inch size.

Sale Price, \$5.00 Each. Regularly \$7.00.

A lot Canvas-covered Dress Trunks, 32-inch size.

Sale Price, \$10.00 Each. Regularly \$15.00.

A lot Canvas-covered Dress Trunks, 34-inch size.

Sale Price, \$5.00 Each. Regularly \$8.00.

A lot Canvas-covered Dress Trunks; 30-inch size.

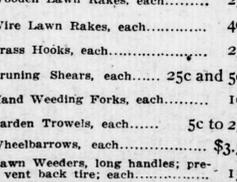
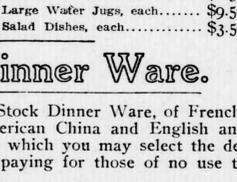
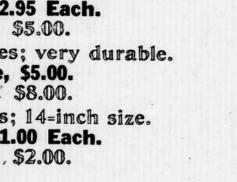
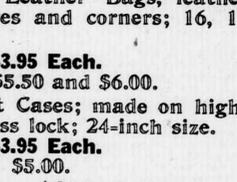
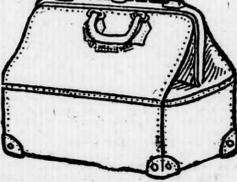
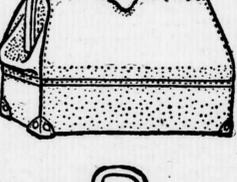
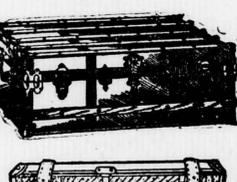
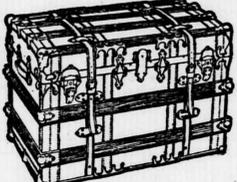
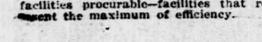
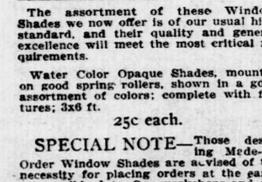
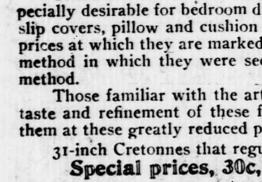
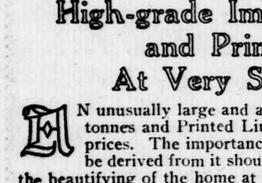
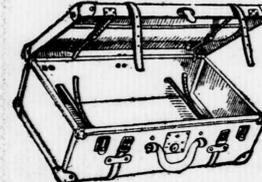
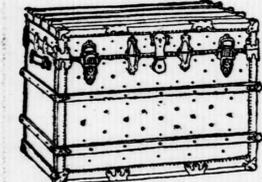
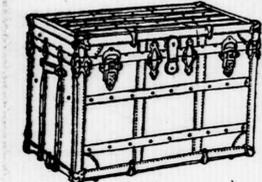
Sale Price, \$3.95 Each. Regularly \$6.00.

A lot Strictly High-grade Dress Trunks, karetoi covered and fiber bound; 42-inch size.

Sale Price, \$17.75 Each. Regularly \$25.00.

A lot Fiber-covered Dress Trunks; 44-inch size.

Sale Price, \$22.50 Each. Regularly \$40.00.



## PARTY OF ENGLISHMEN

### MASSACRED BY ABORS

Explorers in Williamson Expedition Slain on Frontier of Assam and Tibet.

Special Cablegram to The Star.

LONDON, May 15.—The story of the massacre of Noel Williamson and his expedition by the Abors on the frontier of Assam and Tibet is more hinted at than told in a telegraphic report which the secretary of state for India has received from the commandant of the punitive police force which is lying, too exhausted to advance, at Pasighat.

The tragedy begins with Mr. Williamson's arrival at Riu, leaving Dr. Gregerson at Sishain.

"On Williamson's arrival in the village," says the report, "the baggage was put down and the coolies taken to a big house where a quantity of spirits was produced. Williamson warned the coolies not to drink too much.

Opening of Massacre.

"Williamson was then led away by Madan Garm, Vichi, Williams's Naga servant, following at some little distance. They disappeared round the corner, and the coolies were invited into the house. Suddenly Vichi came running, shouting, 'The sheb is killed.'

"As if this had been the signal awaited, the village broke into confusion. As the panic-stricken coolies burst out of the house they were cut down by the Abors with the help of their guns, and escaped by jumping out by the back of the house and through the other end of the village.

"Vichi and the cook succeeded in finding two guns and a little ammunition, and with the few coolies remaining retreated from the village, using their guns and covering the escape of the surviving Nepalese.

Cook Takes His Own Life.

"It is said that the cook shot himself with his last cartridge. Vichi's fate is unknown, nor is anything known about the fate of the sepoy orderly.

"The five survivors fled, chased by the Abors who dogged them to the River Sishain, where there were no signs of Dr. Gregerson. His tent had disappeared, and only an ominous gathering of crows hung over the deserted campment.

"It is said that Gregerson heard firing, and started up the hill to him. Williamson, being shown the path by Sishain Abors. Somewhere on the path, with the teacher Sishain Abors and his son Komsing Riu Abors in front, he met his end.

Body Found in River.

"One of the sick men who remained at Sishain with Gregerson was Lal Bahadur, the coolie sardar. April 12 a sentry on the river facing Pasighat saw a body floating down stream with an arrow wound in the chest. The body was recognized as Sarda Lal Bahadur's.

"The last written words of the expedition came from Katoiki to his wife in Sishain. He wrote: 'Have arrived at Pasighat. Here Komsing is holding me further. Sahab insists on going into the village. My impression is we shall never return.'

"It is still undetermined whether the massacre occurred at Riu or Komsing. I am inclined to think it took place at Komsing."

MISSING BOY LOCATED

AT TOP OF LOFTY PEAK

Five-Year-Old Wanderer Survives Cold and Exposure Endured for Thirty Hours.

Special Cablegram to The Star.

LONDON, May 13.—A party searching for a missing five-year-old boy, Evey Sandalls, at Hayfield, Derbyshire, found the little wanderer in an exhausted condition on the top of Kinder Scout, the highest summit in the peak district. How the boy climbed to such a bleak spot without injury or why he did not succumb to his thirty hours of exposure on the mountain side is a mystery.

Accends 2,088 Feet.

The summit of Kinder Scout is 2,088 feet high, and is only accessible from Hayfield side by surmounting huge boulders and avoiding treacherous tracts of bog and broken ground. Saturday morning Sandalls set off with two companions to play in Kinder valley. His companions returned, but Sandalls scampered away and got lost. He spent the night, which was cold and wild, in climbing Kinder hills.

A party, including his father, the police and workers searched the moors and mountain side for ten hours Sunday, eventually finding the boy asleep on the edge of Kinder falls, a cascade which tumbles down the mountain side.

False Step Meant Death.

He was lying on some sand underneath an overhanging rock, a false movement would have meant his death. He was in a very weak state, but recovered under the influence of restoratives. He was unable to give a clear account of how he climbed the hills, but his inquiry was, "Where's my daddy?"

FORM NAVY LEAGUE.

German Women Organize to Urge a Powerful Fleet.

Foreign Correspondence of The Star.

BERLIN, May 4, 1911. The wife of Admiral von Hillmann presided at a meeting of Berlin ladies summoned to form a Women's Navy League for Berlin and the province of Brandenburg. It was pointed out by the speakers that German women could not contribute toward the cost of building battleships, or even that of building hospital ships, for in case of war vessels of the mercantile marine would at once be transformed into the latter. German women could, however, do much good work in providing for the needs of the personnel of the navy. An executive committee of women well known in society was elected, and the object of the league was formulated as follows: "The aim of the Navy League of Germany is to encourage the German women and to strengthen the conviction among German women that a powerful fleet is a necessary condition of the caring for the personnel of the fleet in cases of war."

Sturdy Garden Tools.

Wooden Lawn Rakes, each..... 25c

Wire Lawn Rakes, each..... 40c

Grass Hooks, each..... 25c

Pruning Shears, each..... 25c and 50c

Hand Weeding Forks, each..... 10c

Garden Trowels, each..... 5c to 25c

Wheelbarrows, each..... \$3.50

Lawn Weeder, long handles; pre-vent back tire; each..... 15c

COMPLETE LINES OF HOUSEHOLD TOOLS AND HARDWARE.

## Stumpfle's Refrigerators

631 to 639 Massachusetts Avenue.



Refrigerators, \$6.50 up.

You will be hard, indeed, to please if you can't find a Refrigerator to suit you amongst the many styles and sizes we show. And, moderately priced though they are, you need have no doubts about their quality, for we only handle makes that have unblemished reputations, and we guarantee every one we sell.

Price, \$4.50.

Properly a \$8.50 value, but we are making special prices on several Go-Cart patterns, of which this is one. A strongly made, thoroughly satisfactory, one-motion cart, with heavy tires and a good hood. We guarantee it, so you need't hesitate on account of the price.

We have a large line of Orlole Go-Baskets, Perambulators and Pullman Sleepers.

## All Staple Lines at Reduced Prices.

The big business we have been doing since we announced a cut in prices is rapidly relieving our overstocked condition, and the reduced prices will remain in force only a short time longer. Better take advantage of the opportunity—it means saving a substantial part of the price. The reductions are genuine and made from prices that would be considered special bargains at any other store, and embrace everything except strictly summer goods.



Price, \$5 up.

Cushions, 50c up.

A Handmade Chair of selected rosewood, in natural finish, with broad, comfortable arms. This is one of the many styles of Reed Furniture we are showing. It is ideal for summer use and not at all expensive. We make the cushions to order in any color you desire.



Excellent Brass Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts. This is a high-grade bed, made of heavy tubing and ball-bearing casters. Reduced to..... \$19

## TOPIC OF MEETING WILL BE EARTHQUAKES

Association of Seismology Will Convene at Manchester, England, in July.

Foreign Correspondence of The Star.

LONDON, May 6, 1911. The fourth biennial meeting of the International Association of Seismology will be held this year in Manchester from July 18 to 22, under the presidency of Dr. A. Schuster, F. R. S. Previous meetings of the association have been held at Strassburg, in 1905; The Hague, in 1907, and Zermatt, in 1909, and, though it has thus lasted but a short time, the work accomplished by the association has already more than justified its existence.

At the forthcoming meeting questions of administration will first occupy the attention of the members. The constitution of the association and the work of its committees will in all probability pass through the experimental stage into something approaching a final form. The report on the work accomplished by the central bureau at Strassburg will be presented.

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He is undoubtedly a stout, burly man and made a clean sweep of all the jewelry within reach. It was proved that in some cases ladies who were awakened and saw the "ghost" in their rooms were too horrified to scream, and for quite a long while Ostrovsky managed to escape.

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## "BLACK GHOST" CAPTURED BY THE POLICE OF NICE

Count Ostrovsky, Considered Dangerous Swindler, Said to Be in the Tolls.

Special Cablegram to The Star.

BERLIN, May 13.—It is announced that one of the most dangerous international swindlers, Count Ostrovsky, has been arrested at Nice. This man is well known to the Berlin police as the perpetrator of a series of daring robberies in various continental hotels.

He was famous for awhile as the "Black Ghost from the Kaiserhof" on account of the melodramatic manner in which he went to work in the Berlin hotel of this name. It was his custom to ingratiate himself with ladies who were in evident possession of jewelry.

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## CRISIS OF YOUNG TURKS WATCHED WITH INTEREST

Comments of Viennese Press on the Political Situation at Constantinople.

Foreign Correspondence of The Star.

VIENNA, May 1, 1911. The crisis in the Young Turk party at Constantinople is followed with keen attention here, and the peremptory language attributed to Mahmud Shevket Pasha is held to denote a hardening of the situation in the sense of a military dictatorship, with an accentuation of the orthodox Mussulman supremacy in the empire. In many respects this development is thought likely to clarify and consolidate the position in Turkey. The Fremdenblatt looks upon the success of the conservative elements as obviating the danger of another counter-revolution, "since conservatism is no longer directed against the constitution, but seeks successfully to conservatize the constitutional regime, which proposes to harmonize with tradition and assures the power of parliament by creating a stable equilibrium between the parliament and the sultan's government."

While the Neue Freie Presse accepts the development with resignation, the Christian Socialist Reichspost welcomes the attempt of the Young Turk party "to shake off the Jewish Freemasonic yoke."

A secret committee dictated the policy of the party, which committee was formed by the secret divisions of the Young Turk party, which took their orders from international Jewry organized as Freemasonry. And these Jewish orders were issued by the Young Turk party with true Omani fanaticism.

Lord Kitchener will have the police as well as the troops under his command on the occasion of the coronation processions. This is due to the fact that at King Edward's coronation a certain amount of confusion occurred owing to the divided authority.

In view of the enormous crowds expected to be present, it is also intended to have the troops and police in position two hours earlier than at the last coronation.

Lord Kitchener took over his duties as commander-in-chief of the coronation troops Monday last.

Why Girls Excel in Study. The superiority of female students, both children and adults, has been mentioned and explained hundreds of times, yet the pedagogic significance of the fact still seems to be ignored. The girls in many an educational college furnish an overwhelming percentage of the best students, and lead in later years the men take the year in every one of the lines in which as boys they were so backward. It is all due to the well known fact that in her weak physical state self-protection has demanded an early development of the perceptive faculties. Age for age, girls perceive understandingly what boys scarcely notice. The differences between the two sexes are so great that it is unscientific to class them together and there is a growing suspicion that each is injured by an educational method, the boys unduly stimulated and the girls retarded.

Another Old Favorite. The illustrated song in the next issue of our Sunday Magazine is that old favorite from "The Bohemian Girl," known as "Then You'll Remember Me." Our readers will recall the tremendous hit this song made wherever sung soon after civil war time. The painting illustrating it was made by William D. Stevens, and is, of course, of fine quality.

Mrs. Mary V. Benjamin, wife of Charles A. Benjamin, a former county commissioner of Cecil county, Md., died Sunday at Elkton, after several weeks' illness, aged sixty-four years.

## High-grade Imported Cretonnes and Printed Linens At Very Special Prices.

An unusually large and attractive line of Fine Imported Cretonnes and Printed Linens is now being offered at special prices. The importance of this sale and the helpfulness to be derived from it should escape no one's attention who has the beautifying of the home at heart.

There is a varied assortment of rich designs and colorings, especially desirable for bedroom draperies, curtains, window hangings, slip covers, pillow and cushion covers, wall coverings, etc. The prices at which they are marked are only made possible through the method in which they were secured—a special and very beneficial method.

Those familiar with the artistic possibilities and extreme good taste and refinement of these fabrics will not hesitate in selecting them at these greatly reduced prices.

31-inch Cretonnes that regularly sell from 50c to \$1.25 yard.

Special prices, 30c, 50c, 60c and 75c yard.

31-inch Printed Linens that regularly sell at \$1.50 the yard.

Special price, 75c yard.

50-inch Block Printed Cretonnes that regularly sell for \$2.50 and \$3.00 the yard.

Special prices, \$1.50 and \$1.75 the yard.

50-inch Printed Linens that regularly sell for \$3.00 and \$4.00 the yard.

Special price, \$1.75 yard.

Window Shades—Ready-for-Use.

The assortment of these Window Shades we now offer is of our usual high standard, and their quality and general excellence will meet the most critical requirements.

Water Color Opaque Shades, mounted on good spring rollers, shown in a good assortment of colors; complete with fixtures; 3x6 ft. 25c each.

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