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# For Friday, April the 18th 48 in All--and for the Day Only

We've assembled a collection of small lots that will pay you well to come for tomorrow. Every department has contributed its quota of items which by every comparison can't be equaled in Washington for value giving. They'll be on sale for the day only.

<b>Bargain No. 1.</b> Women's \$7.50 and \$10 Serge Dresses, \$3.89 15 in all. A good assortment of colors, many of them trimmed in a most engaging manner. Not all sizes. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 2.</b> Women's \$2.98 Raincoats, \$1.74 Made of excellent quality rubberized material; mannish styles, with pockets and military collar. 100 of these; all sizes for women and misses. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 3.</b> Women's \$2.95 Silk Petticoats, \$1.85 Of soft quality messaline, in shades of blue, green and black. Finished with deep flounces. All sizes. 48 in all. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 4.</b> Women's \$3.50 Cloth Skirts, \$2.39 Many worth \$7.50. Handsome tailored styles of white and black serge and blue beford cord. 30 of these. A good assortment of sizes. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 5.</b> Women's \$3.50 Silk Waists, \$1.95 The smartest styles in taffeta and tulle; newest colors; fancy button and lace trimmings. Values to \$15.00. All sizes. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 6.</b> Women's Silk Dresses, \$7.65 Materials are messaline, foulard, tulle, newest colors; fancy button and lace trimmings. Values to \$15.00. All sizes. —Second Floor.
<b>Bargain No. 7.</b> Women's \$19.50 Suits, \$11.75 Strictly high-class tailored models of all-wool blue and white serge, pearl button linings; pearl button trimmings. All sizes. 64 of these. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 8.</b> 25c Crepe Plisse, 15c 26 inches wide, in a big assortment of desirable remnant lengths. White, cream, pink and light blue. 875 yards in the lot. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 9.</b> 39c Cream Pencil-stripe Serge, 19c A small lot of 500 yards only. In a splendid variety of wide and narrow stripe patterns. Light and dress lengths. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 10.</b> 75c & \$1.00 Silks, 38c Including 24-inch Satin Foulards, 27-inch Plain Tub Silks, 36-inch Messaline, 27-inch Imported Fancy Silks and 24-inch Crepe de Chine. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 11.</b> Men's \$15.00 Suits, \$9.55 A choice lot of the season's latest styles in conservative and young men's models. Mostly gray and tan effects. Sizes 34 to 42. Only 45 of these. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 12.</b> Young Men's \$12.50 & \$15 Suits, \$8.75 For the young fellow who is leaving the short-pants stage behind. Sizes 15 to 19 years. 59 of these. —Fourth Floor.
<b>Bargain No. 13.</b> Men's \$2.50 Trousers, \$1.90 Exactly 100 pairs to be offered at this price. A good assortment of gray, blue and white. Latest cut and perfect fitting. All sizes. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 14.</b> Boys' \$3.00 Suits, \$2.19 Norfolk effects of neat blue and brown mixtures. Knicker pants. Sizes for boys 4 to 14 years. Only 35 suits in this lot. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 15.</b> Boys' Russian Novelty Suits, 98c Regular \$2.00 values. Of plain blue, green and tan. In various trimmed effects. Sizes 2 to 6 years. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 16.</b> Children's Wash Suits, \$1.19 Of fast color gaiters, chambray and rep. Made Russian effect, with military and kimono and sailor collars. All colors and white. Sizes 2 to 8 years. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 17.</b> 6x9 Feet Stenciled Matting Rugs, 93c Beautifully stenciled in various oriental patterns; cool and durable. Just 300 in the lot. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 18.</b> Boys' Base Ball Suits, 98c In gray and blue combinations. Padded pants, belt and cap. Sizes for boys 6 years up to 15 years. 75 in all. —Fourth Floor.
<b>Bargain No. 19.</b> Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, 39c 107 pairs in all. Of wool fabrics, in tan and gray. Striped effects. Well made and serviceable. Sizes 4 to 15 years. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 20.</b> Boys' Brownie Overalls, 19c 500 of these. Just the thing for romping boys. Made of strong, close woven denim and khaki. Sizes 4 to 15 years. —Fourth Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 21.</b> Infants' \$1.00 Shoes, 51c 600 pairs in all; in kid and tan leather. Lace and button styles; sizes 1 to 6. First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 22.</b> \$1.50 Boy Scout Shoes, 69c 350 pairs in this lot; made of durable tan buckskin with strong elk hide soles. Lace styles; sizes 6 to 2. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 23.</b> Women's 69c Nightgowns, 33c Of muslin, trimmed with wide ruffle at neck and on sleeves; embroidered and plain; two to each customer; only 118 in the lot. Second Floor Annex.	<b>Bargain No. 24.</b> 75c Derby Corsets, 49c Just 129 of these; material is the quality coutil; good boning; finished with four horse supporters. Second Floor Annex.
<b>Bargain No. 25.</b> Women's 39c Undermuslins, 27c 150 pieces in all, skirts, drawers and corset covers; made of muslin and cambric; some trimmed with lace and embroidery. Second Floor Annex.	<b>Bargain No. 26.</b> Women's Long Kimonos, 31c Regular 64c values; just an even 64 in this lot; made of good quality lawn in various floral effects and finished with scalloped edges. Second Floor Annex.	<b>Bargain No. 27.</b> 12 1/2c & 15c Wash Goods, 33c 500 yards in all. A desirable lot containing wash goods, domestics and standard apron gingham; all warrantable lengths. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 28.</b> 19c & 25c Wash Goods, 73c All this season's fabrics, in a choice assortment of colors and patterns; useful lengths; 1,000 yards in all. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 29.</b> Children's 39c Rompers, 25c Of fast color Gingham and Chambray in shades of navy, red and brown with white piping; sizes 2 to 6 years. 85 in all. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 30.</b> Girls' \$5 Guaranteed Rain Capes, \$1.74 Made of good quality rubberized material in shades of navy, red and brown with silk lined hoods. All sizes. 67 of these. —Second Floor.
<b>Bargain No. 31.</b> Girls' All-wool Reefers, \$1.90 24 of these in red, navy and black and white checks; sailor collar, with turn-back cuffs and fancy button trimmings. Sizes 2 to 6 years. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 32.</b> Children's \$5.00 Serge Dresses, \$2.39 Of all wool fabrics in various styles; very cute and becoming. 8 to 12 in piped and trimmed with red. Sizes 2 to 8 years. 12 of these. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 33.</b> Girls' Sailor Dresses, \$3.25 Regular price \$6.00; of all wool manish blue serge in sailor styles. Trimmed with white braid; sizes 2 to 8 years. 10 of these. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 34.</b> \$1.00 Screen Doors, 79c Walnut finished, complete with fixtures; ready to put up; six sizes. Best wire mesh. 55 of these. —Third Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 35.</b> 30c Window Screens, 19c Walnut finish frames, perfectly adjusted. 24 inches high; finished with metal slides. 250 of these. —Third Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 36.</b> 20c Table Oilcloth, 9 7/8c yd. 500 yards in all. Choice of various neat patterns and colors. Slightly impregnated with oil, but not enough to affect its wear. —Third Floor.
<b>Bargain No. 37.</b> Madras Portieres, 27c Per Length Faintly snowflake patterns, in combination, with green and red and green and red. Lengths that match up into pairs. Value, \$1.00 pair. —Third Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 38.</b> 20c Bureau Scarfs, 9 7/8c White Applique Bureau Scarfs and Shams in various pleasing designs. Neatly made and finished. 125 of these. —Third Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 39.</b> Misses' and Girls' Coats, \$2.98 Norfolk styles. All-wool fabrics, in shades of red and green and green combinations. Sizes 12 to 20 years. Values \$5.00 and \$6.98. 42 in all. —Second Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 40.</b> Women's 39c Silk Hose, 19c Of good quality pure silk, in black, white and colors; garter tops and double sole. 124 pairs in all. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 41.</b> Women's Thread Silk Hose, 29c 94 pairs of these. Full regular make. "Seconds" of grades sold up to \$1.00 a pair. In black only. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 42.</b> Women's Ribbed Vests, 6 1/2c Regular prices 10c and 12 1/2c. Elastic and perfect fitting. Finished with taped neck and armholes. 98 of these. —First Floor.
<b>Bargain No. 43.</b> Women's 10c and 12 1/2c Stockings, 6 1/2c pr. Seamless Hose, in black only, 128 pairs in all. An exceptional value. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 44.</b> Men's Silk Hose, 19c pr. Worth 25c pair. In black only. With double soles and heels. Just 95 pairs of these. An exceptional value. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 45.</b> Men's \$1.25 Shirts, 69c Of percale; coat style, with separate soft collars. Nice spring colors. Nicely laundered and perfect fitting. 125 in all. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 46.</b> Men's Percalé Shirts, 19c 58 in this lot. In various colors. A good shirt for every-day wear. Well made. Not all sizes. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 47.</b> Ribbons, 10c to 39c Values, 4c Yd. About 500 yards in all. In a good assortment of colors, including black and white. 3/4 inches in width. —First Floor.	<b>Bargain No. 48.</b> Straw Braid, 10c Yd. Many in this lot worth 25c a yard. In burnt, navy and other desirable shades and black and white. Best quality. Limited quantity. —First Floor.

## STRIVE TO PROVE GUILTY OF MURDER

### More Witnesses Testify as to "Third Degree" in McCleary Case.

#### FATHER TELLS OF BAR AGAINST SEEING SON

#### Efforts Also Made to Prevent Physician From Visiting Accused Man, Is Charge.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

ROCKVILLE, Md., April 17.—More testimony that "third degree" methods had been used in obtaining a confession from Norman B. McCleary, in which he is alleged to have admitted killing Mrs. Nanette B. Henry of Hagerstown last August, was brought in at the trial today. The defense is endeavoring to prove that McCleary was treated improperly and a confession "forced" from him, and also that he was in an extremely nervous and irresponsible state of mind at the time he made the alleged confession.

It is believed that evidence along this line will be concluded late this afternoon, and that the judges sitting in the case then will be able to give an opinion as to whether or not the confession will be admissible as testimony.

The contention over the confession occurred practically all the time today; much evidence being produced to bear on this point.

**Father on the Stand.**

Jacob McCleary, father of the defendant, testified that when he went to the Saturday evening following the arrest, he was brought out to see a man, supposed to be in charge, and that he had been refused admittance on the grounds that "instructions had been given to allow no one to see the prisoner."

That special efforts had been made to prevent a physician from seeing McCleary after the alleged confession had been made was brought out in the testimony of other witnesses. Frank G. Wagaman, one of the counsel for the defendant, testified that when he, Charles D. Wagaman and Dr. Campbell went to the jail the Monday following the confession that the physician had hardly entered the cell when told he could not stay.

Sheriff Snively explained that in an interview with the coroner, who at the attorney had given instructions that no one was to see the prisoner "until things are straightened out." This statement of the interview was corroborated by Charles D. Wagaman and the sheriff's counsel, George Davis.

At the trial, a trusty at the jail at the time of McCleary's arrest, said the "ghost act" had been done the first night McCleary was brought to the jail. He also testified that he had seen many persons coming to the jail that night up to as late as 11 o'clock, and that McCleary had screamed nearly the entire night.

**Testify as to Confession.**

Yesterday was devoted to examination of witnesses as to the circumstances under which the confession McCleary is alleged to have made was obtained.

McCleary was among the witnesses placed upon the stand. He was allowed to be questioned only as to the incidents leading up to his arrest. The story he told was sensational.

McCleary swore that immediately after his arrest in Washington, he was held several days, the "third degree" process was tried on him by Assistant United States District Judge Hawken and two detectives, and that several other times before he was taken to Hagerstown similar tactics were resorted to in an effort to get him to confess.

In the jail at Hagerstown, he said, every time he was taken out of his cell and day hideous. He declared that not only was food withheld from him until he was nearly starved, but that the night before he was taken to the cell, he was held in a paper drawn up by State's Attorney Wolfgang of Washington county moans and groans were made to emanate from immediately behind his cell, and a voice was heard to say in pleading tones, "Don't let me" and "Don't let me die."

McCleary declared that the ordeals to which he was subjected completely unnerved him, and that while on the verge of a mental and physical collapse he agreed to make the statements urged by the authorities, and to sign whatever paper they presented in the hope of ending the torture. He said that he was in such a nervous condition that he neither knew nor cared what he made or signed.

Lloyd Plunkard, who was a prisoner in the Hagerstown jail when McCleary was brought to the city, testified that he saw McCleary "come across," and Mrs. Kish testified that she saw him at the time, testified to seeing the searchlight operated.

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## Very Extraordinary Sale Tomorrow.

### 300 Women's and Misses' Smart Tailored Suits.

FINEST SERGES, BEDFORD CORDS, IMPORTED EPONGES, CHECKS & STRIPES.

**\$16.95 & \$19.75**      **\$25 & \$29.50**

Regular prices, \$22.50 to \$30.00.      Regular prices, \$32.50 to \$50.00.

100 Street and Semi-Dress Coats, Special at \$16.95.

Are \$25 Values. Most Fashionable Materials. All Silk Lined, in Contrasting Colors.

### RAINCOATS

**\$5 for \$10 Values.**      **\$9.50 for \$16.50 Values**

Just 75 of These Coats.

### SPECIALS IN SILK DRESSES.

**\$13.95 for Silk Dresses.**      **\$29.50 for Silk Dresses.**

Values to \$25.      Values to \$50.

Charmeuse, messaline, Japs, stripes,      Handsome crepes, crepe de chimes and chiffon and nets.      charmeuse.

200 Dresses of Linen, Lingerie, Ratine and Voile, \$8.95, \$15 and \$22.50.

Are \$12.50 to \$30.00 Values.

### Sale of Silk and Chiffon Dress Waists.

All Colors in a Beautiful Variety of Models.      Actual values, \$5.00 to \$10.00.

**At \$2.98, \$3.98, \$5 and \$5.98.**

100 Striped Silk Shirts, Equal to any \$2.50 value. Special, \$1.98.

200 Silk Underskirts, all Colors, Messaline and Taffeta, at \$1.98.

### Special Offering for a Day

#### 65 Smart Models in Authoritative Millinery

TRIMMED BY OUR OWN EXPERTS.

**\$5 and \$7.50.**      Values, \$10.00 to \$15.00.

## WILL TAKE OVER WATERWAY.

### Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal to Be Government Property.

Within the next few days the United States government will formally take over the Albemarle and Chesapeake canal, connecting Albemarle sound and Chesapeake bay, thereby establishing the first link in the projected Atlantic inland waterway.

Congress has appropriated \$500,000 for the purchase of the property, and the transaction will be closed as soon as the Department of Justice has certified that the titles are clear. Col. E. W. Vinton, resident engineer at Norfolk, is arranging for the transfer of the property as soon as the legal formalities have been observed.

## MANN BLOCKS MONEY BILL.

### New Department of Labor is Still Without Funds.

Representative Fitzgerald, chairman of the House appropriations committee, failed today to have passed a special bill providing funds for immediate use for the new Department of Labor, and for contingent expenses and other necessary expenses of Congress. Minority Leader Mann objected to unanimous consent for the passage of the bill.

Chairman Fitzgerald announced that he would ask for the passage of the bill under special rule Monday. The bill would appropriate \$12,000 for the salary of the Secretary of Labor and \$20,000 for assistants, clerks and secretaries in the department. It also would provide for the transfer of appropriations from the Department of Commerce for the bureau and employees which are now included under the Department of Labor.

## SILVER-PLATING PLANT WOULD LOCATE HERE

### Factory Would Be Smokeless and Employ About One Hundred Workers.

Steps looking to the establishment in Washington of a plant for the manufacture of silver-plated ware, commonly known as Sheffield ware, were taken by the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting held today.

A subcommittee was appointed to get a complete report on a plant now located at Salamanca, N. Y., which is desirous of removing to this city. Should the report which the committee receives, which will include a complete audit of the plant's books and an appraisal of the property, be satisfactory the manufacturers committee will then urge that the Chamber of Commerce give the plan its indorsement.

J. H. Lawrence, who is interested in the plant, explained his reasons for wishing to bring it to Washington. He said that a company is being organized to buy the plant and good will, and that several Washington business men have subscribed to stock.

The plant will be a so-called "smokeless" factory, about 100,000 square feet of floor space will be required.

The subcommittee wishes to make arrangements for the examinations of the plant which is composed of H. C. C. Stiles, M. D. Rosenberg and Louis Levy.

## AUTO HITS ROSE WAGON.

### Owner of Machine and Fireman Badly Hurt—Former Arrested.

In a collision between the hose wagon No. 7 engine company and an automobile belonging to George W. Norris, 715 Randolph street northwest, last night about 10:45 o'clock at 9th and R streets northwest, George J. Smith, driver of the three horses, and Norris were so badly injured that they were taken to Emergency Hospital, and Capt. Ernest Howard sustained a slight injury to his knee.

Before he was taken to the hospital the police filed a charge of colliding against Norris, and he deposited \$40 collateral for his appearance in Police Court.

Driver Smith was urging his team east along R street, while Norris was operating his automobile north on 9th street. It was too late to prevent the collision when the automobile struck the fire apparatus, and the vehicles came together with great force.

Lieut. James Mowatt and Private C. C. McKay were on the hose wagon with Capt. Howard and Driver Smith, but they escaped injury. The driver would have been thrown to the pavement had not Capt. Howard caught him.

The automobile was wrecked and the hose wagon put out of commission. One horse was so badly injured that it probably will not be fit for service in the fire department again.

Firemen were going to a fire caused by a lighted match being dropped in an umbrella at the house of Mrs. Pauline Allison, 1224 4th street northwest. The fire was extinguished before more than \$5 damage had been done.

## BIG FINES FOR SHOPLIFTERS.

### Judge Pugh Imposes \$500 on Each of Three Prisoners.

Fines of \$500 each were imposed by Judge Pugh on Mary Thomas, alias Mary Gibson, Wesley King and Ernest Jeffersonson after their conviction before him in the Police Court on charges of shoplifting. Defective Barber and Policeman Boyle of the second precinct arrested the three suspects following a complaint from a local department store. It is alleged that the three, who are colored, stole several clocks and other things from the store.

The two policemen were highly commended by Judge Pugh for their good work in arresting the prisoners.

The court declared the only way to put a stop to shoplifting was to impose very heavy penalties on those convicted. In default of the fine the defendants will have to serve five months in the workhouse.

## TEST TRAFFIC LAW SECTION.

### Validity Involved in Daniel Hapgood's Suit for \$3,000 Damages.

The validity of the section of the new traffic regulations which requires vehicles not to approach within fifteen feet of a car loading or unloading at a street crossing is involved in a suit to recover \$3,000 damages filed today by Daniel Hapgood against Abraham Lisner.

Through Attorney Alvin L. Newmyer and Seaburg G. Quinn the plaintiff says he was lawfully on the highway of H street northeast, at or near 12th street, and was about to board a car which had stopped, or was about to stop, for him February 21 last, when an auto delivery wagon belonging to the defendant collided with him. Hapgood says he was dragged along the roadway for some distance.

He charges the operator of the machine failed to sound a horn, was negligent and violated section 30 of the new traffic regulation.

As a result of the collision, the plaintiff says, he was injured and severely bruised, lost a week from his employment as a railway fireman and was put to great expense for medicines and medical attention.

## PAINTER FALLS TO DEATH.

### Aged Herman Kahler Drops From Ladder, Dying Hour Later.

Herman Kahler, painter and decorator, of 1618 7th street northwest, fell from a ladder while working in a room on the second floor at the patent office this afternoon shortly after 1 o'clock, and sustained injuries which caused his death about an hour later.

Dr. Newhouse responded to a call sent to Emergency Hospital. He hurried Kahler to the hospital. The physician stated that Kahler, whose age was given as seventy-five years, was in a dying condition when taken to the hospital.

The painter was in the employ of Fabian Columbus of 1250 8th street northwest, and was on a ladder about ten or twelve feet from the floor, when he fell to the floor, striking his head.

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## WILL USE "WILSON ROAD."

### President to Drive Over Throughfare at Summer Capital.

CONCORD, N. H., April 17.—To reach the "summer capital" at Cornish President Wilson will drive over the "Wilson road," so named in his honor by the legislature today. An appropriation of \$12,000 for the improvement of the highway, which leads from the village of Cornish to the estate to be occupied by the President, also was passed unanimously in response to a special message from Gov. Folger.

## PASS COMPETITIVE TEST.

### Fifteen Civilians Appointed Second Lieutenants in the Army.

Fifteen civilian candidates, who were successful in the competitive examination of January last, have been appointed second lieutenants in the mobile army. Five are assigned to the cavalry arm, one to the field artillery and nine to the infantry arm.

Those assigned to the cavalry are: Harold M. Clark of California, Clarence F. Ellerson of Wisconsin, now third lieutenant of the Philippine Constabulary; Harold Thompson of Washington state, Richard B. Barritt of Texas and Raymond Morris of Massachusetts.

Those assigned to the infantry are: John C. P. Bartholof of Plattsburg, N. Y.; James P. Cole of Omega, La.; Robert H. Barrett, of Portsmouth, Va.; Ernest J. Carr of St. Paul, Minn.; Patrick J. Hurley of Lancaster, N. H.; Colin K. Lee of Kansas City, Mo.; Donald H. McMillon of Pennsylvania, Hugh B. Keen of Union, Va.; Ora M. Baldinger of Norfolk, Va.

Howard Eager of Portland, Me., is assigned to the field artillery.

Lieut. Clark Thompson, Morris and McMillon completed the preparatory studies in this city and are now residing here.

## SPANISH WAR VETERANS HOSTS.

### The Third Annual Picnic and Dance of the Richard J. Harden Camp, No. 2 United Spanish War Veterans, was given at Eagles' Hall, 6th and E streets northwest, last night. Fifty prizes were awarded, and there was a large crowd in attendance.

## All For 10 Cents GRAND SPECIAL OFFER

In order to introduce the Vapocura Inhaler and prove that it will cure every ailment of the nose and throat, healing the membrane and eradicating the germs of the disease. Thousands of testimonials from grateful people. For this regular one-dollar Vapocura outfit at with two bottles of Inhalant Fluid at the special price of 10 cents call Friday and Saturday, April 18 and 19, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.



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More than a half billion parcel post stamps with a face value of about \$25,000,000 have been assigned to the various post offices of the country since the installation of the new system last January. Since the original assignment, which approximated 120,000,000 stamps, was sent out for the inauguration of the service, the miscellaneous shipments have totaled more than 250,000,000 stamps.

The enthusiastic reception of the parcel post system has made it necessary for Postmaster General Burleson to double the daily output in order to prevent a possible shortage in stamps. The largest single order filled recently was valued at \$300,000 and shipped to New York city.

The newly designed stamps are expected to be ready for general shipment about the 1st of July.

Addresses Medical Society.

"High-Frequency Currents in the Treatment of Diseases" was the subject of a lecture last night by Dr. F. B. Bishop before the Medical Society of the District of Columbia. The lecture was given at the George Washington University Hospital. Dr. E. P. Magruder will address the members of the society next Wednesday night.

It matters little what it is that you want—whether a situation or a servant—a want ad in The Star will reach the person who will fill your need.

FREE A regular 10-cent snack of Pillsbury's Best Flour to every visitor to our Grocery Department tomorrow.

Hams, fancy lean, sugar cured, 7 to 10 lbs.	18 1/2c	Chow Chow, large 10c	7 1/2c	Pineapple, large Hawaiian, 21c
Flour, Pillsbury's best, 5 lb. bag	75c	To make 6 Cobs' Selects, large 7 1/2c	7 1/2c	Sliced 3lb tin, 16c
Quaker Oats, large 4-lb. 30c	20c	Style or Shoe Peg, 1 lb.	6c	Red Alaska, 16c
Peas, Shriver's Silver Label, 1 lb.	10c	Arbuckle's Coffee, 3 lb. 20c	23 1/2c	Quaker Corn, 5 1/2c
		Peaches, 2 1/2 lb. tin	10c	Syrup St. Regis, 24-lb. tin
		Lemon Cling	17 1/2c	