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Home Makers' Sale

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This popular 50-piece "BLUE BIRD" Dinner Set given absolutely free to all home-makers during this sale whose cash or credit furniture purchases amount to \$100.00 or more.

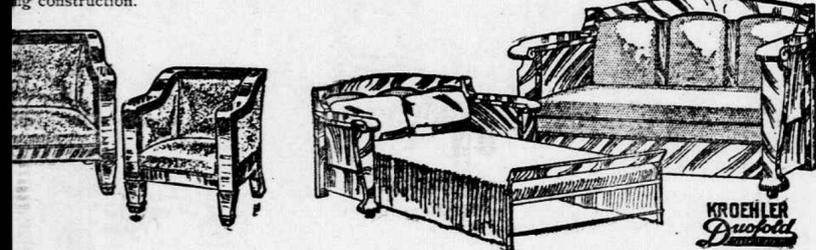
This Handsome 25-piece Case of Wm. Rogers Guaranteed Silver Plate given absolutely free to all home-makers during this sale whose cash or credit furniture purchases amount to \$50 or more.



Parlor Suite \$45.75 This 'Duofold' Davenport Golden Oak Frame and Brown Imitation Leather \$26.95

Suite of three massive pieces, upholstered in the best imitation Spanish leather.

This Massive Duofold Davenport is a handsome parlor Davenport by day and a full size, comfortable Bed at night. Heavy golden oak frame, fully upholstered in the best brown imitation Spanish leather.



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Disc records perfectly. A sound-reproduction. Highly Polished Sapphire Stylus, which never scratches the Pathé discs. Rock Sound Chamber, amplifying the music in the discs are double-faced, including the operatic selections. Change.

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Easy Terms

(The 815 Model.)

Kitchen Cupboard \$5.95

Nicely Finished Kitchen Cupboard, with double glass door china closet top, two drawers and large double-door compartment below. An extra special value!



The Greater-Hub White Enamel Lined Top KITCHEN CABINET \$24.75

This cabinet is the equal of any \$35 cabinet ever advertised. Built of carefully finished, well seasoned hardwood, it has one-piece white enamel-lined cabinets, a set of four drawers, metal-lined bread and cake drawer with sliding metal lid; extension nickel aluminum working top, galvanized wire utensil racks, glass spice and sugar jars with nickel tops, fitting flour bin and sifter and many other features.



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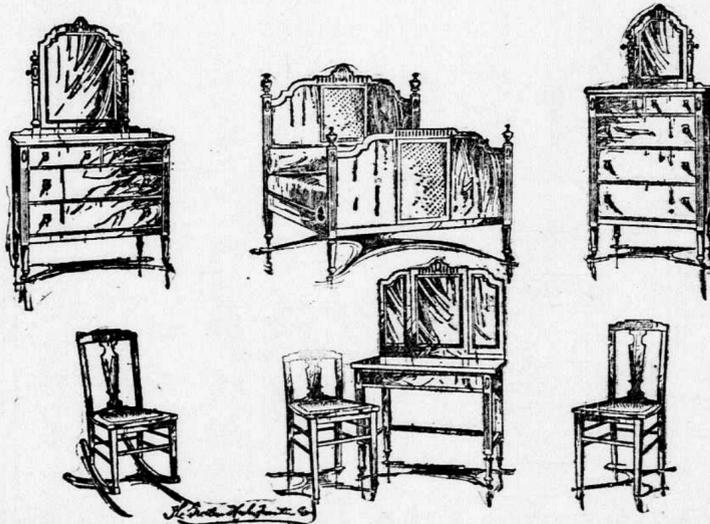
YOUR ambition to furnish your home as it should be furnished can be fully realized during this September "Home-Makers" Sale without overtaxing your means. You are welcome to make your selections from the host of wonderful values in furniture of every description, either for immediate or future delivery, and you are also welcome to USE YOUR CREDIT as freely as you please. A small deposit will reserve your purchases for later delivery.

THE GREATER HUB.

This 4-Piece Bedroom Suite

In Rich Old Ivory, Mahogany-finish or American Walnut. **\$106.50** Special

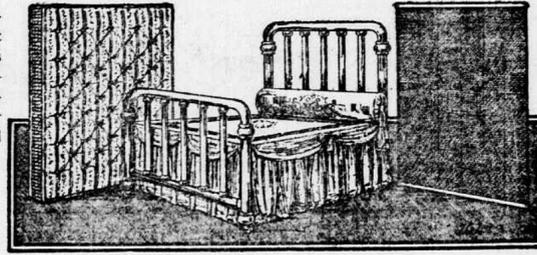
This Elegant Suite will meet your demand for something distinctive in style and superior in construction and finish. The four pieces are perfectly matched. The Dresser, Chiffonier and Triplicate Mirror Toilet Table have genuine French plate mirrors. The Full Size Bed has cane inset panel in head and footboard. Choice of old ivory, mahogany finish or American walnut. Shown in Ye Old Colonial Mansion. Third Floor.



This Complete Brass Bed Outfit

—Including Massive 2-inch Continuous-post Guaranteed Lacquer Brass Bed, with ten heavy fillers; Iron Frame Woven-wire Spring and Sanitary Soft-top Mattress. All for

\$18.75



This 8-Piece Solid Oak Colonial Dining Room Suite Exactly as Illustrated \$36.75

A wonderful value in solid, substantial furniture for the home. This Hand-polished Solid Oak Suite includes a Colonial Buffet with French plate mirror, Quartered Oak Rim 6-foot Extension Table and six Solid Oak Dining Chairs, with black imitation leather seats. A suite that will give years of satisfactory service. Shown in Ye Old Colonial Mansion. Third Floor.



American Oak Finish THIS FOLDING

Rocker \$1.79

A very pretty oak-finished Rocker, with panel back and solid saddle seat.



Go-Cart \$1.19

Has steel gear, rubber tires and varnished wood body.



MAYO'S RED FLEET ANNIHILATES BLUE

Invading Army Landed at Far Rockaway After Decisive Defeat of Defenders.

BIGGEST WAR GAME EVER UNDERTAKEN BY U. S. NAVY

Two Superdreadnaughts Are Lost by Victors—Results Announced by Admiral Knight, Umpire.

The greatest war game ever undertaken by the American navy ended yesterday with a victory for Admiral Mayo's "Red" fleet, which theoretically wiped out the defending "Blue" fleet and landed an invading army at Far Rockaway Beach, Long Island.

Rear Admiral Knight, acting as umpire, announced the result in his report to the Navy Department.

"Mayo completely routed Red and Blue bodies engaged 9:30 to 10:30 this morning ten miles southeast of Ambrosia lightship. Blue decisively defeated, Red gaining command of sea. Red effects landing at Far Rockaway and securing base."

Dramatic Fight Off Lightship.

The final report closely followed one announcing that Rear Admiral Helm's "Blue" defending fleet virtually had been annihilated in a dramatic fight off Scotland lightship at the entrance of New York harbor. With the exception of a few light craft, the entire "Blue" fleet was full of holes.

The "Red" losses were not known last night, although early reports showed that they included the superdreadnaughts Nevada and Texas and two destroyers.

With Admiral Helm's fleet out of the way, only a thin line of submarines remained to protect the coast. Then these, too, were quickly destroyed by the "Red" fleet and with nothing left to interrupt the landing of troops from his transports, Admiral Mayo was declared victor in the game.

"Red" and "Blue" alike, started for Newport after four days of arduous duty at sea.

Helm Completely Puzzled.

The story of the game as pieced together from radio reports to the Navy Department indicates that the tactics of Admiral Mayo completely puzzled Admiral Helm and forced him to accept battle in a position from which there was no hope of escape. The umpire declared the "Blue" fleet destroyed hours before the time limit of the action expired.

When the game began Admiral Helm's fleet was assembled at Narragansett while Admiral Mayo completely routed the transport train were 600 miles off Cape Hatteras. At 6 a.m. August 22 Admiral Helm received word of his enemy's location, and his seventeen scouts swept out to sea in a long circling line. An hour later the "Blue" battleships also were at sea following the scouts.

Scout Flees for Safety.

The cruiser Baltimore sighted five battleships, two cruisers and three other units of the "Red" fleet at 6 p.m. August 23. They were 600 miles off the coast, steaming west. The Baltimore dared not attack such a force, and presumably fled for safety.

It was 11 a.m. August 25 before the "Red" force again was sighted. This time it was a battleship which was picked up 120 miles off New York. Again the "Blue" scout was outmatched.

At 6:30 p.m., August 25, the destroyer Benham, later reported destroyed in action, sighted the "Red" transport train seventy-five miles off the New Jersey coast. Relying on her speed to escape the conveying warships, the Benham followed the transports, keeping Admiral Helm informed. At that time the "Blue" battle fleet was fifteen miles farther in shore, steaming in a line parallel to the transport train. At 8:30 the same evening the Benham reported that three enemy battleships and the transport train had headed in shore to make a landing.

Fleet Cuts Off Attack.

Admiral Helm drove his battle fleet forward to intercept the "enemy" at daylight. He sighted the "Red" ships at 5 o'clock this morning. The transport train was steaming in toward the Long Island coast with its destroyers screen thrown out to seaward. During the night, however, the "Red" battle fleet also had come up, and steaming parallel to the transports and between them and the "Blue" fleet, it interposed itself to cut off Admiral Helm's attack.

The fleets engaged promptly, but the "Blue" position was hopeless. To cut off the rush of the transports for the coast it had to swing sharply to the west. As the "Blue" ships came to the turn they were met by the concentrated fire of Admiral Mayo's guns.

Helm Plays Last Card.

While the battle still was in progress Admiral Helm played his last card. The seventeen submarines, mobilized at Block Island the preceding night, were following the movements of the "Red" transports, but keeping well in shore as a last line of defense. Daylight found them within an hour or two of the chosen landing point of the invaders. Admiral Helm ordered them forward in a desperate effort to destroy the troopships, but they were not equal to the task, and the transports and their shielding fighting ships steamed by victorious.

Meeting of Republican Women.

The Woman's National Republican Club is to hold a meeting in the Gridiron Club room at the New Willard Hotel Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Representative Jacob E. Meeker of Missouri will be the principal speaker, and Mrs. Mary Logan Tucker will preside.

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Some of those who probably will celebrate the opening of the season on the local marshes are George Barr, Dr. R. M. Ellison, Dr. Wade H. Atkinson, Joe Hunter, Harry Wilson, James Clark, Judge George C. Aukam, Postmaster General Burleson, Third Assistant Postmaster General Otto Prager, W. P. Bowie, Jack Bowie, Calvert Bowie, E. C. Graham, Robert Slavin, Ralph W. Lee, Frank Huseman, Matt Cook, George A. Emmon, George Seitz, Frank Dudley, Robert T. Gray, John Keane, Harry A. Undergriff and Charles Wilson.

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WARNING SIGNS UP FOR HUNTING SEASON

Limits Indicated by Placard Put Up by Washington Police.

BLACKBIRDS PLENTIFUL: NO ORTLAN OR REEDBIRDS

Postmaster General Burleson Expected to Be One of Sportsmen to Take a Gun Into Marshes.

Lieut. Russell Dean, in command of the harbor police precinct, and members of his command yesterday completed the work of erecting warning signs in the vicinity of the marshes along the Potomac river and Eastern branch, where gunners will be in evidence shortly after daybreak September 1, the season for reedbirds, ortolan and blackbirds opening that day.

"I had many gunners arrested," said a member of the harbor squad, "it will be their own fault and not the fault of the police."

Mr. Pullman has had the police do everything possible to prevent misunderstandings on the part of hundreds of sportsmen who will be on hand early in September with their guns and ammunition. The morning the season opens there will be a detail of policemen on hand to enforce the law and protect pedestrians and drivers who pass over Benning bridge and along highways in the vicinity of the marshes.

Limitations Marked.

Not only did the police put up signs to warn gunners of the 200-yard limit from the highways and bridges, but they also were erected to indicate the District line of the Prince Georges county, Md. border. Persons who cross that line without holding a license issued in Maryland may be arrested and fined.

Hundreds of sportsmen have put in months of anxious waiting and cleaned their guns preparatory to participating in the sport. Now they are anxious to have the birds come this way. There are thousands of blackbirds on the nearby marshes. Reedbirds and ortolan have not yet put in appearance.

"But they sometimes come in a night," was the consoling remark of W. T. Bailey, who has been an Eastern hunter for more than 20 years.

"This is the first time I have known the marshes to be without reedbirds and ortolan so late in the season," he added. "They may come before the opening day."

Plenty to Feed Upon.

The enthusiastic sportsmen and expert shot told a Star reporter that the oats this year are about as thick as he has ever seen them. Last season the crop of oats was poor and the birds were correspondingly scarce. This year the oats are plentiful, and only blackbirds are on hand to eat them.

There are many sportsmen who will not hunt blackbirds, blackbird pie not appealing to them. They are more than willing to shoot reedbirds and ortolan, however not only because they are fond of them, but also because they like to present them to their friends.

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Blackbirds Surely Plentiful.

Conflicting reports have reached here from the Patuxent river and lower Potomac marshes. As long ago as early last week it was stated that reedbirds and ortolan were plentiful on the marshes of the Patuxent river and some few had been seen on the Hunting Creek marshes. A later report had it that only blackbirds were on the marshes.

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