A FOOT BALL SCHEME

Efforts Being Made to Organize a County Club.

FRED PFEFFER HAS HIS SAY

Dunlap Wants to Join the Philadelphia Brotherhood Team.

SPICER WANTS TO RUN SOME RACES

A movement has been started to organize a county football club. Efforts will be made to secure the use of Exposition Park. Fred Pfeffer states that Jack Rowe, the ball player, is dead. John Spicer offers to run McClelland various races. There were some interesting local sporting events.

As soon as the ball grounds in Exposition Park are completed an effort will be made to secure the occasional use of them for football games and practice. If the present programme, as laid down by local football enthusiasts, is carried out Pittsburg will soon be one of the leading football centers in the East. A club of unlimited membership is to be organized as soon as possible, so that all arrangements can be made for practice whenever it is needed. A gentleman prominently connected with the sport in this city said yesterday:

A RATTLING CLUB.

"Yes, we intend to organize a rattling club here, and before the year closes there will be three or four good football clubs in and about Pittsburg. Everyone of us who takes an interest in the sport, has been surprised at its growing popularity in this city during the last few months. Why we could have made a half dozen teams, so many young men wanted to play. This fact has made such a good impression among the lovers of the sport that a number of us have held two or three meetings on the matter, and we have resolved to organize what we may call a county club. Our resolve has been hastened by the fact that Exposition Park is to be laid out, and it is likely that we could make arrangements to secure the use of it when we needed it.

THE SCHEME EXPLAINED.

"Now the county club arrangement may need a little explanation, because although it would seem to be only one club, it will be made up of several. For instance, we will have a distinct club in Allegheny City, another at Shadyside, another in Pittsburg proper and probably a fourth. These will all be distinct clubs, but the county club will have the power to make up its team from men from any of the clubs named. This means that we will be able to get together the very best 11 players in the county, and the team at all times will be known as the Allegheny County Eleven. We intend to do this because it is our intention to try and arrange a schedule of games with other clubs East and West. I think we'll put an eleven on the field that will surprise somebody. Why, I could go out now and get, within the city limits, 30 or 40 players who could make a remarkable showing.

A FOOTBALL CIRCUIT.

"In a few words, our intention is to have a football circuit organized here, just as it is in England and Scotland at present. In Great Britain football is booming more now than ever baseball did in this country. Thousands of pounds are being made by the games, and players are being signed for the season just as baseball players are being signed here. It really is becoming the national game. It is just as certain that in a short time the game will become a leading pastime in this country. At any rate we are going to give it a try. Our club will get excellent backing, and a considerable amount of work is necessary before we can get things in proper shape. This is why we are beginning to busy ourselves in the matter now. Certainly we expect that the Exposition Park authorities will allow us the use of the ground, and that they won't charge us too much for it. Of course the team that we have had has not been a thoroughly organized club. It was an experiment, and so far we are more than satisfied with the results."

FRED'S FEW WORDS.

Pfeffer Criticises President Young and Says Jack Rowe Is Dead.

CHICAGO, January 7.—In reply to statements recently made by Mr. Young, of the National League, in Washington, to the effect that the Deague will work in as many young players as possible even if it wins its suit and gets back its old players, Fred Pfeffer, of the Players' League, said to-day:

"They will not win the suit nor get back any more of their old players other than those already bought up. It is probable that the League will find it necessary to cut prices while they are introducing and educating their new talent, unknown to the public. The Chicago Club in making their patrons acquainted with "Anson's colts" did not cut prices, but, instead, sacrificed their gate receipts, and came in third, and failed to satisfy the public. The League, to use its own words, made its reputation for "honest ball playing" with the men they are now after and using the best legal talent obtainable to compel their reputable men to play ball for them against their wishes, and while they are doing this Mr. Young is contradicting his own words by saying they have no further use for talent and reputable ball players, and their future policy will be to throw out these men and introduce new men as fast as possible.

"The public knows baseball talent, and also that eight teams are necessary to make a successful League. Upon all sides the outlook is bright," continued Pfeffer. "There are 108 loyal men under contract to-night, and all the necessary men are in sight. Captain Comiskey will be in Chicago and on a Players' League contract by Saturday. Thursday's injunction case against Ward in New York settles nothing. We are betting that we win it though. In about nine out of every ten cases such applications are granted. Should it be in Ward's case no point is decided. The case will be tried on its merits later. The National League only hopes to get a temporary injunction, and during the bluff of exultation over such an alleged victory seek to use its bribery fund on a few more of our men. It will find that the sellers of their birthright for a mess of pottage have all gone. The Players' League is long ago past the danger point.

Pfeffer to-day received a telegram announcing the death of Jack Rowe, the celebrated short stop, who was to have been a member of the Players' League next season.

DUNLAP'S LATEST DESIRE.

He Wants to Play With the Philadelphia Brotherhood Club—Shannon Signs a New League Contract—He Wants a Big Salary.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, January 7.—The local Brotherhood club to-day signed Daniel Shannon, of last year's Louisville team, to play second base for them during the coming season. For some time past the Athletic and Brotherhood managements have been negotiating for the services of this promising young player. It was known that he was anxious to leave the Louisville club on account of the unfriendly relations between him and his manager. The inducement offered to Shannon by the local Brotherhood is very large for a young player; much more than the Athletic people cared to give, and of this he will get a considerable sum. Shannon's record at second base last season marked him as among the very best of the youngsters. His work with the Louisvilles in the field was excellent. This is especially noticeable, as the young player worked under a manager he cordially disliked.

President Love stated last night that Fred Dunlap, the king of second basemen, would probably find a place on the local Brotherhood nine. He has written to Mr. Love expressing a great desire to play in this city, and if a sufficient consideration was offered he would sign the contract. Mr. Love said the matter would be laid before the Board of Directors immediately that action might be taken in the matter. He was confident that the club would put up a considerable sum of money to get the great second baseman. If anything like a satisfactory monetary agreement can be made, Dunlap will play second base for the Brotherhood nine next season. It has been known for several years past that he was desirous of playing in this city, where he has a great many admiring friends and considerable property.

Mr. Love said the insufficient consideration offered by the local baseball management has been the one barrier. In event of his being secured he will probably be offered the captaincy. The lease of Forepaugh's Park for five years was to-day signed by the Brotherhood.

Mutrie's Story.

When it comes to telling baseball yarns Manager Mutrie can make them all stop. Mutrie and Ward met to-day, and the shortstop told a funny story of an application for a players' position which he had received. When Ward finished Mutrie asked: "Did I ever tell you about the fellow who walked from Philadelphia to Jersey City to see me? He was a pitcher, and carried a knife two feet long. He said he used it to protect himself against tramps. I didn't want to have any argument with him, so I told him I thought he was the man I needed, and I'd go right out then and try him. We went on the diamond; he took his place in the box, and the first ball he pitched went over the grand stand. I ran around after it, and didn't stop until I got down to the ferry. No, I haven't seen him since." The party dispersed.—*Special to Enquirer.*

TEBEAU SIGNS.

The Reds Add Another Good Player to Their Attractive List.

CINCINNATI, O., January 7.—George Tebeau, the fine left fielder, yesterday signed a contract to play with the Cincinnati club next season. George called at President Stern's office about noon yesterday, and after a short conference a partial agreement was made. Later in the afternoon the left fielder again held a consultation with the President of the Cincinnatis, and a few minutes later affixed his signature to a contract. This makes 14 on the Cincinnati pay roll for next season. Only three are yet outside the fold, and one of these will in all probability come to terms before the close of the week.

Tebeau's engagement will be pleasant news to the friends of the local team. He is recognized as one of the hardest working players in the profession. Last season he was captain of the team during the closing months, and may serve in that position in 1890. The other player who it is thought will soon be in line is one of the best players in the country, and has been with the team for a long time. The players now under contract are Vian, Baldwin, Earle, McPhee, Holliday, Nicol, Carpenter, Beard, Mullane, Wittrock, Tebeau, Knight, Rhines and Harrington. The three yet unsigned are Reilly, Duryea and Keenan.

THEIR ALL DAY SHOOT.

The Northside Gun Club Have Sport in the Rain.

The all day shoot of the Northside Gun Club took place yesterday, and it was a success, despite the inclement weather. The attendance was good and the shooting excellent, considering the rainstorm. The shoot was under the able management of F. F. Davison, and Keystone traps and targets were used. The next sweepstake under the auspices of the club will take place on February 8. Yesterday all ties were divided. Following were the results:

First contest, 5 Keystones—Slicker first with 5, Means, Ward and Ward divided second with 4 each, J. Smith third with 3.

Second contest, 9 Keystones—Ward first with 9, Means and Smith divided second with 8 each, Weaver third with 7.

Third contest, 15 Keystones—Ward and McPherson divided first with 12 each, Smith, Slicker and Weaver divided second with 11 each, Means third with 10.

Fourth contest, 10 Keystones—Smith, McBroom and McPherson divided first with 9 each, Means second with 8, Kautz, Burgoon and Slicker third with 7 each.

Fifth contest, 9 Keystones—McPherson first with 8, Burgoon and Means second with 8 each; Kautz and Hart third with 7 each.

Sixth contest, 8 pair doubles—McPherson first with 9; Hart and Slicker second with 8 each, McBroom, Burgoon and Smith third with 7 each.

Seventh contest, 5 Keystones—Burgoon first with 5, McBroom, Smith and Ward second with 4 each, Hart, Slicker and McPherson third with 3 each.

Eighth contest, 25 Keystones—McBroom first with 22, McPherson second with 21, Burgoon third with 20.

Clifton Entries.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

RACE TRACK, CLIFTON, N. J., January 7.—The entries for to-morrow are:

First race, mile and a quarter—King of Norfolk, J. J. Ob, Fleve 115, Ernest, Manhattan 110, Letretia, Pegasus, Troy 105, Longfellow the Second, Bela, Pilot, Belmont, Charlie Rusdell, King B, Banbridge 100.

Second race, seven and one-half furlongs—Eugene Brodie, Falcon 130, Monte Cristo 147, Courtier, Trifler 129, Highland, So So 125, Alveda 115, Gallus Dan, 114, Gognod 102.

Third race, six and one-half furlongs—Brait 102, Autocrat, Zulu, Carnegie 100, Glenline 98, Moonstone, Pocatello 97, Henry George, 97, Blessed 92, Miss Cody 90, Blanche 86.

Fourth race, seven and a half furlongs—Firefly 116, Grimaldi 114, Autocrat 108, St. Paris 108, Speedwell, Swift 106, Glory, Sam 14, Perdita 100.

Fifth race, five-eighths of a mile—Sam Love, Pall Mall, Upper Ten, Vixen, colt, Australind 122, Miss Rhodie, Acorn 117, Sterling 112, Sue Finney, gelding, Blondin, Little James, McCormick, Florita 112, Viola, Naville 107.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs—Fordham 120, St. John, Firefly 112, Ofalece, Speedwell, Hilda, Puzzle, Traveler, Bridget Keaton, Fiddlehead, Now Then 105.

New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, January 7.—Winter meeting; seventeenth day. Weather partly cloudy and warm. Attendance and track good.

First race, selling, six furlongs—Nine starters: Probus 91, 7 to 1; Harry Mack 106, 15; Winnie Davis 107, 30; Relieve 107, 12; Crispino 107, 15; Duhme 109, 1; Churchill Clarke, 109, 15; Cora L 115, 4. Duhme had a good lead from the start and was never headed, winning by a neck. Probus second, a neck in front of Cora L, third. Time 1:16¼.

Second race, selling, eleven-sixteenths of a mile—Seven starters: Lillie Lochiel 93, 5 to 1; Joe Pierson 95, 30; Lone Star 100, 10; Marchburn 104, 3 to 5; Lida I. 105, 6; Fred Davis 107, 30; Frank Clapp 110, 40. Lida L took the lead when the flag fell and was never headed, coming in an easy winner by two lengths, Marchburn second, two lengths ahead of Lillie Lochiel third.

Third race, selling, furlongs—Six starters: Nicolini 91, 6 to 1; Little Bess 96, 2; Peanut 98, 4; Boot Jack 98, 1; Zeke Hardy 105, 8; Sheridan 110, 15. Peanut led at the start, but at the half they were in the following order: Sheridan, Peanut, Boot Jack, Nicolini, Little Bess, Zeke Hardy. On the turn Boot Jack went to second place, Sheridan winning by half length, Boot Jack second, one length ahead of Little Bess third. Time, 1:28¾.

Fourth race, free handicap, seven-eighths of a mile—Five starters: Bertha 104, 6 to 5; Balance 103, 5; McMurtry 101, 7; Neva C 98, 6 to 5; Buckler 95, 8. When the drum tapped Neva showed up in front, Bertha second, Buckler third, Balance fourth and McMurtry last. At the half pole the order was Neva C, Buckler, Bertha, McMurtry, Balance. This was the order when they swung into the straight and Bertha began her run, finishing first by a head, Neva C second, a length before Buckler third. Time, 1:28¾. Racing again Thursday.

Gilks With the Old League.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, O., January 7.—Robert L. Gilks, Cleveland's all-around player who recently received a prize for leading the League last season in fielding, to-day signed with the Cleveland League club for three years. He said that he did not care to leave his old employers, and that legal friends in Cincinnati advised him not to sign the Brotherhood contract.

Guttenberg Winners.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

GUTTENBURG RACE TRACK, N. J., January 7.—The races here to-day resulted as follows:

First race, six furlongs—Crispin first, Bonny Lass second, Fiaco third. Time, 1:18¾. Betting—Crispin, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Bonny Lass, 9 to 5 and 4 to 5; Fiaco, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1.

Second race, five furlongs—Dr. Jekyll first, Little Barefoot second, Lord Beaconsfield third. Time, 1:03. Betting—Dr. Jekyll, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5; Little Barefoot, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5; Lord Beaconsfield, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1.

Third race, six and a half furlongs—Australite first, Folsom second, Millerton third. Time, 1:24¾. Betting, Australite 8 to 5 and 3 to 5, Folsom 6 to 5 and 3 to 5, Millerton 20 to 1 and 4 to 1.

Fourth race, mile and an eighth—Frank Ward first, She second, Philip D third. Time, 1:59¾. Betting, Frank Ward 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, She 9 to 10 and 1 to 4, Philip D 6 to 1 and 3 to 5.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Onward first, Bradford second, Hearst third. Time, 1:02. Betting, Onward 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, Bradford 7 to 10 and 2 to 5, Hearst 4 to 1 and 4 to 5.

Sixth race—Nina W first, Equality second, Gendarme third. Time, 1:51. King William pulled up bleeding.

SPICER REPLIES.

He States Under What Conditions He Will Run McClelland.

The following letter explains itself:

To the Sporting Editor of The Dispatch:

SIR—In reply to the business-like challenge of E. C. McClelland to run any man who ran in the Pittsburg six-day race I wish to state that I will run him under certain conditions. I cannot think of running a man like McClelland ten miles even, but if he wants a fair and square race I will run him 20 or 30 miles on even terms for a substantial stake. I will take 300 yards start in 5 miles or 600 yards in 10 miles. I will run any of these races for $250 or $500 a side. I want business and not paper talk. I am yours truly,

JOHN SPICER,
4910 Paschall avenue, West Philadelphia.
JANUARY 6, 1890.

Their First Catalogue.

The first annual catalogue of Ethanmont Stock Farm, near Washington, Pa., has been issued. The farm is the property of W. C. Baldwin and J. H. Ellsworth, and the gentlemen need feel proud of the excellent catalogue they present to the public. The stock has been well cared for, and when it is said that the blood of Happy Medium, the sire of Maxey Cobb, predominates at the farm horsemen will understand the force of the statement. Happy Wanderer, by Happy Medium, heads the list at the Ethanmont farm. Altogether there are 42 head, including a number of promising and well-bred yearlings. The future of the farm seems a bright one.

Made a Draw of It.

HAVANA, January 7.—The fourth game in the chess contest between Tschgorin and Gunsberg was played to-day. The game was opened with the four knights defense, and lasted one hour. There were 13 moves, and the result was a "draw."

THE Inspector of Buildings granted a permit to Charles Claus to erect a three-story brick slaughter house, on South Twenty-first street, yesterday, to cost $2,600.

THE WEATHER.

For Western Pennsylvania, light local snow or rain, followed by fair weather, westerly winds, stationary temperature. For West Virginia, rain or snow, northerly winds, stationary temperature.

PITTSBURG, January 7, 1890.

The United States Signal Service officer in this city furnishes the following:

Time.	Ther.		Ther.
8:00 A. M.	28	Maximum temp.	41
12:00 M.	35	Minimum temp.	25
1:00 P. M.	—	Mean temp.	33
3:00 P. M.	37	Range	6
5:00 P. M.	—	Rainfall	0.49
8:00 P. M.	30		

River at 5:30 P. M. 14.2 feet, a change of 0.9 in 24 hours.

River Telegrams.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.]

MORGANTOWN—River 11 feet 6 inches and rising. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 42° at 4 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE—River 15 feet 6 inches and rising. Weather rainy. Thermometer 42° at 6 P. M.

WARREN—River 6 6-10 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and moderate.

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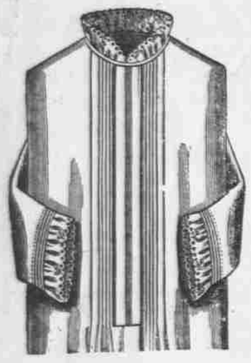
Our house has been known for years in this market as the LEADER IN THE LINE OF LADIES' FINE MUSLIN AND CAMBRIC UNDERGARMENTS. Since the inauguration of our great January Sales, some years ago, we have not said much in the papers about this branch of our business, having gone along quietly selling quantities of these goods. The merits of our several makes, from the best manufacturers in the country, being such as to hold the trade we have been building up in the sale of these goods. We, however, now propose to make a slight departure from this line of policy and still farther enlarge our trade by extensive advertising, so that those of the readers of this paper who do not know, as well as those who do, of our large lines of these goods, may be induced to give us a call, and see for themselves the facts we state. The special sale for this January commences TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, and will continue all through the month. The display of 25c, 50c, 75c and 98c goods will be made in the center of the store, where the ribbons have been shown; the finer goods will be seen in the rear part of the store, in the regular department.

LADIES' GOWNS



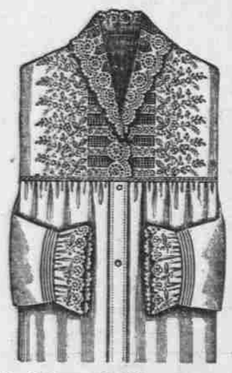
This being our No. 1 Gown, at 50c, made of a good, fine, heavy Muslin, with tucked front and sleeves. Neck and sleeves trimmed with Hamburg embroidered ruffle. Sizes 32 to 42.

No. 2, Mother Hubbard Gown, tucked and embroidered yoke. Price 65c.

No. 3 Gown is our 75c grade, in white muslin, two or three styles.

No. 4 Gown, 98c. At this price we show six to eight styles. Plain tucked yokes, embroidery and lace trimmed, in Muslin and Cambric.

No. 5 Gown, $1 25.



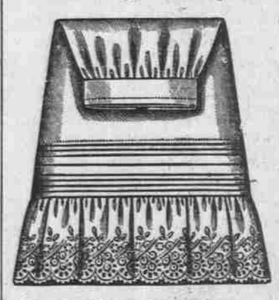
No. 6 Gown, $1 50.

No. 8 Gown is our $2 quality. At this price we have a number of styles, all the best values.

SKIRTS.

No. 30 Skirt, price 50c, is a well made garment, good heavy Muslin with a wide tucked ruffle and tucks above the ruffle. Lengths 36 to 42.

No. 31 Skirt, price 75c. Embroidered ruffle and tucks. We have a number of styles at this price.



No. 33 Skirt, wide embroidered flounce and tucks, 98c. This is our great leading price and we have any number of styles at this popular price. Lace and embroidery trimmed.

No. 34 Skirt at $1 50. Deep flounce and 15 rows of tucking. Quite a number of styles at this price.

No. 35 Skirt, $1 75, in a number of styles.

No. 36 Skirt. Deep flouncing, tucked, with inserting, yoke band, $2. At this price we have some entirely new things; lace trimmed, also with embroidery, also a hemstitched flouncing; a very choice style.

Passing to the finer Skirts we do not exhibit cuts, as the goods must be seen to be appreciated, being entirely new style of all lace and embroidery, and combination of lace and embroidery, ranging at prices as follows: $4, $4 50, $5, $6, $7, $7 50, $9 each.

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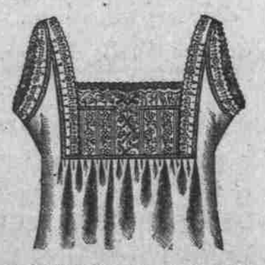
No. 1, Chemises begin in price at 25c; not a common, trashy article, but a good material and well made garment. All sizes, 34 to 44.

No. 2 Chemise, 40c. Corded band; plain, but made of an extra good muslin.

No. 3 Chemise, 50c, made of good muslin, embroidery and tucked trimming.

No. 5 Chemise, 75c. Tucking and embroidery; very neatly made.

No. 6 Chemise, V shaped, 98c.



No. 7 Chemise, square neck, 98c. In this, our leader price, we have at least a dozen styles, one out of which we give only. Both lace and embroidery trimmed.

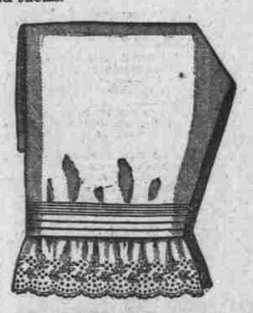
No. 8 Chemise, $1 25.

Ladies' Drawers.

No. 1 Ladies' Drawers, 25c a pair.

No. 2 Ladies' Drawers, 50c.

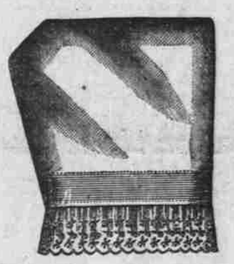
No. 3 Drawers, 50c. Embroidery and tucks.



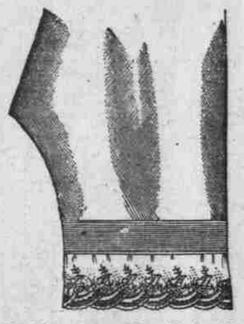
No. 4 Drawers, 50c. Embroidery and tucks.

No. 5 Drawers, 50c. Tucked and tucked ruffle.

No. 6 Drawers, 65c.



No. 7 Drawers, 75c. A number of other styles at this price.



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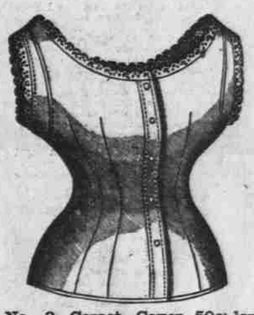
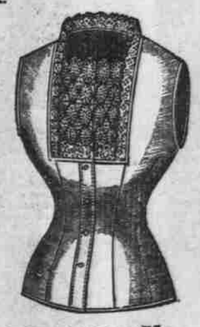


No. 3 Corset Cover, 50c; low neck.

No. 4, high neck, 50c.

No. 5, V shaped neck, 50c.

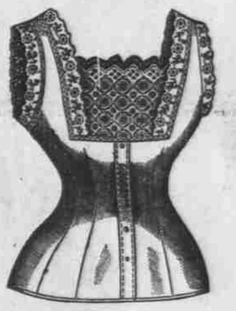
No. 6 Corset Covers, 50c; square neck.



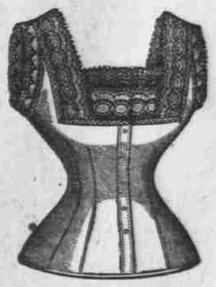
No. 7 Corset Covers, 75c.

No. 8 Corset Covers, 98c. V shaped neck.

No. 9 Corset Covers, 98c; square neck and lace trimmed.



No. 10 Corset Cover, $1 25; embroidery trimmed.



No. 11 Corset Cover, $1 25.

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