

AUSTRIANS HERE WILL NOT HAVE TO LEAVE CITY

Being regarded not as "alien enemies," but as "natives, citizens, denizens or subjects" of Austria-Hungary by President Wilson's proclamation, Austro-Hungarian residents of the District are not required to leave the city as are German alien enemies, who must quit the jurisdiction by Saturday.

Although the state of war existing between the United States and Austria-Hungary will exclude subjects of the latter nationality from becoming citizens of this country, applications for citizenship will not be refused by the clerk of the District Supreme Court. Only the final action of the courts in conferring full citizenship on the applicants will be deferred until after the conclusion of the war.

There has been a steady stream of German alien enemies to the office of the District marshal this week filling out the prescribed questionnaire and applying for the necessary pass to leave the District on or before December 15, the time limit set by the Department of Justice. It is estimated that about 500 will report before midnight Saturday.

One of the compelling reasons for the extremely lenient tenor of the President's proclamation governing the treatment of subjects of Austria-Hungary is that the internment of these enemy nationals would have cost steel and coal production 20 per cent.

Persons of the dozen nations making up the dual empire are well-disposed, and have conducted themselves with uniform orderliness, being good workers in many large industries. In the great steel mills of the Pennsylvania district, there are thousands of those subjects engaged in the various duties incident to steel manufacture.

Some Oppose Leniency. Some opposition to the leniency of the proclamation is manifest in military and Congressional quarters today.

It is not sufficiently outspoken, however, to amount to a vital objection or attack, while on the other hand, many quarters view it as an able addition to the attempted American waning of Austria from her Kaiser-master.

Austrian enemy aliens need not register as the Germans must. The proclamation enjoins them to preserve the peace, asks that Americans treat them in friendly ways, in so far as compatible with loyalty, and does not bar them from certain areas prohibited to the Germans.

The proclamation, however, does provide for rounding up and internment of any regarded as dangerous. Where there is objection, it lies against the fact that the Austrians are not listed and barred the same as Teutons, and that women are not included as enemy aliens.

MADE GERMAN CANDIES; INTERMED AS AN ENEMY

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Sweets Frederick J. Houser, a Toronto confectioner, sold cakes decorated with the German colors, candies designed as iron crosses and Prussian helmets, and lozenges representing things Teutonic. Federal authorities interned him on Ellis Island as an enemy alien.

LONDON HEARS OF SPANISH REVOLUTION

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The continued absence of press dispatches from Madrid is regarded in London as suggestive if not conclusive of a dispatch to the New York World. It is reported that a revolution has begun, but no confirmation can be had of any disturbances in any part of Spain.

Clysmic Ginger Ale

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Santa Claus Sits Enthroned at Lansburgh & Bro.'s Xmas Store Surrounded by More Than a Million Gifts---Gifts Specially Chosen for Men, Women and Children

Editorial

A little magazine which comes to our desk every month contains a little squib which we wish to repeat. It is under the heading of

"BIGGEST STORE ASSET"
"The biggest store asset is not the shrewdness to buy right, nor is it in smartness to sell much, although these qualities are necessary."

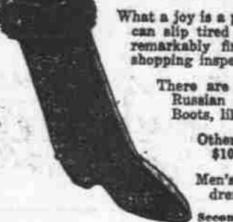
"The one big, powerful punch in business today is human service."

Here is a little magazine giving out the above as something new—an original thought, yet it is something the founders of this store have known for almost sixty years.

The only wonderful thing about the little section is that it has taken some people so long to find out the relative importance of "Human Service" to other phases of business.



There Is Great Buying of Slippers For Xmas



What a joy is a pair of slippers into which you can slip tired feet of evening. We have a remarkably fine collection ready for your shopping inspection.

There are some beautiful black velvet, Russian style, carriage or limousine Boots, like illustration, at \$6.50.

Other Slippers for women at 69c to \$10.

Men's Slippers, 50c to \$4. Children's Slippers, 98c to \$1.50.
Second Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

If Your Boy is 2 1/2 to 10 Give Him An Overcoat

We've a good assortment of the newest styles, including pinback, plaited and plain belted models in trench, military and naval effects. Made of heavy tweeds, English and Scotch mixtures. Also blue and gray chinchilla with self or velvet collars. December Sale prices, \$5.95 to \$9.95.



Other Practical Gifts

- Boys' Suits, \$5.95 to \$7.95.
- Mackinaws, \$5.95 to \$9.95.
- Juvenile Suits, \$5.95 to \$9.95.
- Corduroy Suits, \$5.55.
- Bath Robes, \$2.95 and \$3.95.
- Raincoats, \$2.95 to \$5.

Fifth Floor, Lansburgh & Bro.

Jewelry Gifts for Xmas Are Always Gladly Received

Every one likes to receive jewelry—from baby up to daddy. Besides it wouldn't be Xmas without jewelry.



- Stainless Silver Dorn Powder Boxes, with plain or enameled top, 98c.
- Velvet Neckbands, with white stone-set slides in narrow band effects, 98c.
- Stainless Silver Pearl Net Chokers, \$2.95.
- Opera Length Pearl Necklaces, \$2.95.
- Gold-Top Bar Pins, nicely boxed; guaranteed 5 years, 50c.
- Genuine Shell Cameo Brooches, with gold-plated frame; assorted designs, \$2.95.
- Fancy Casque Combs, in white or colored stone setting; nicely boxed, 50c.
- Children's Feather Fans in all colors, 50c.
- Men's Scarf Pins in a beautiful assortment of designs, 50c.

First Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

Women Love Dainty PETTICOATS

—Will be delighted with the showing we have arranged to have on hand during the Christmas shopping period.

Petticoats of punne cloth; ruffles have pleatings and small ruffles. Come in black and colors. Special at \$1.95.

Petticoats of good quality taffeta silk with ruffle in Van Dyke effects, finished with small ruffles; also ruffles with tucks. Come in black and changeable colors. Special at \$3.50.

Petticoats of good quality taffeta silk, in black and changeable colors. Regular and extra sizes. \$5.50, \$6.75 and \$7.50.
Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

44-inch \$1.75
Imperial Navy
Blue Serge
At \$1.48 Yd.

Sponged and shrunk, ready for the needle. The proper fabric for tailored dresses and suits; one shade only. A wonderful, rich shade of navy blue. Pure all-wool, beautiful suede finish.

48-inch Black Broadcloth, \$2.50

A splendid lustrous finish; all sponged, ready for the needle.

\$1 50-in. Black Mohair, Yard, 75c

Reversible and dustproof; beautiful silky luster; crew black; full 50 inches wide; light weight; nice for serviceable skirts.

3rd Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

Two Specials In Silks

Suitable For Xmas Gifts

A dress length of silk seems to just "hit the spot" as a Christmas gift. It's one of those things that combine the beautiful with the useful.

\$1.25 Silks, 95c

26-inch black satin messaline that is absolutely all silk and in a highly lustrous finish.

\$1.39 Silks, \$1.09

26-inch black chiffon taffeta of a heavy and strong quality. Perfectly finished. A lustrous crew black.
3rd Floor, Lansburgh & Bro.

FREE

Packages mailed free to any point in the United States. Send yours at once.



Biggest Showing in Washington

At 5c Each

Women's white or colored handkerchiefs with rolled edges.
Women's white or colored hemstitched handkerchiefs.
Women's white or colored handkerchiefs with embroidered corner.
Women's handkerchiefs with measuring border.

At 8c Each

Women's all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs.
Men's cambric hemstitched handkerchiefs; full size.

At 25c Each

Men's all-linen handkerchiefs with or without initial.
Women's all-linen handkerchiefs with plain or embroidered corner.
Women's Swiss embroidered corner.
Women's fine Shamrock lawn handkerchiefs with white or colored embroidered corner.

Women's all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, full size.
Men's fine cambric hemstitched handkerchiefs, full size.
Men's Silk Japonette handkerchiefs with embroidered initial.
Women's lawn handkerchiefs with hemstitched or rolled edge; white or colored corner.

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At 12c Each

Men's fine cambric handkerchiefs with hemstitched edge; with or without initial.
Women's Shamrock and fine lawn handkerchiefs with embroidered corner.

At 18c Each

Men's fine cambric plain or Initialed handkerchiefs.
Men's all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs.
Men's khaki hemstitched handkerchiefs.

At 10c Each

Men's fine cambric hemstitched handkerchiefs, full size.
Men's Silk Japonette handkerchiefs with embroidered initial.
Women's lawn handkerchiefs with hemstitched or rolled edge; white or colored corner.

Men's extra size handkerchiefs of cambric, 15c each, or 6 for \$2.00.
Men's extra size all-linen handkerchiefs, 40c each.
Men's extra size all-linen handkerchiefs, 50c.
Men's extra size all-linen handkerchiefs, 60c.
Men's extra size all-linen handkerchiefs, 75c.
Men's extra size all-linen handkerchiefs, 90c.
Men's extra size all-linen handkerchiefs, 1.00.
Children's embroidered corner handkerchiefs, 3 for 15c.
Children's embroidered corner handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c.

First Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

A Pre-Christmas Sale of Dresses

Every One Suitable For Gift Purposes

Other years this sale has been held after Christmas but, owing to the great tendency toward practical gifts, we have decided to have it before Christmas this year.

A clearing away of surplus stock, made of serge, satin and combination materials. Mostly navy, and black, but there are a few colors.

Some dresses worth up to \$25, reduced to

\$15

Sizes 16 to 44

Perhaps fifty different styles from which you may choose. Plenty of salespeople. None sent C. O. D. None exchanged. None returnable.
Second Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.



Fancy Xmas Hand Bags

No matter what part of the year it is, a woman must have a handbag. Even the little tots use them nowadays.

Chiffon Velvet Handbags, beautifully lined and finished with tassels; fitted with purse and mirror; \$3.25.

New Flap Model Handbag of black chiffon velvet. Flap studded with contrasting colored beads; panier handle; fitted with purse and mirror; silk lined; \$12.48.

Bracelet Handbag of blue or purple; engraved frame; fitted with purse and mirror; \$4.98.
Deep Model Handbag of black, navy blue or purple chiffon velvet; fitted with purse and mirror; silk lined; \$5.95.
First Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.



Children's Wearables for Christmas

Also Cute Garments for the Infants

Clothes with the charm, the modesty, the youthful style that's so hard to find for the little misses.

Old Santa is going to give a lot of these things as holiday remembrances.

- Misses' and Children's Middy Blouses, of Lonsdale jean, in regulation or buttoned front models. Sizes 8 to 22 years. \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$1.95.
- Misses' All-wool Flannel Middies. \$4.50 and \$5.00.
- Children's Dresses, of fine quality lawn, trimmed with fine embroidery and laces. Sizes 2 to 6 years. \$1.25 to \$2.95.
- Infants' Short Dresses, of fine nainsook, with lace and embroidery trimming. Sizes 6 months to 2 years. \$1.00 to \$3.95.
- Children's Beacon Blanket Robes, with satin trimming. Sizes 6 to 14 years. \$2.95 and \$3.50.
- Children's Gingham Dresses, in a large variety of advance spring models. Sizes 6 to 14 years. \$1.48, \$1.95 and \$2.95.
- Children's Dresses of fine lawn or voile; all prettily trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. Sizes 6 to 14 years. \$2.95, \$4.95, \$5.95 to \$9.95.
- Middy Skirts, of Lonsdale Jean, pleated, with waist. Sizes 6 to 12 years. \$1.50.
- Infants' Knit Sacques, 75c to \$1.95.
- Infants' Worsted Caps, 59c to \$1.95.
- Infants' Booties, 25c to \$1.00.
- Infants' Bibs, 25c to \$1.50.
- Infants' Pillow Slips, 59c to \$1.50.
- Celluloid Novelties, Rattles, Puff Boxes, Teething Rings, Rubber Toys, 25c to \$2.95.
- Dressed Dolls, 59c to \$7.50.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.



Neckwear For Christmas Two Specials At 50c Each

Stocks and Jabots of lace and net.

Collars of Georgette crepe, Swiss, satin, and ribbons.

Neck fixings with beaded ends, those dainty little string ties in colors.

At \$1 Each

Satin Collars, Broadcloth Collars, Georgette Crepe Collars, Net Collars, Sannie Cloth Collars.

Stocks and Jabots of nets and laces. Mercerized Neck Scarfs and Boudoir Caps.

Collar and Cuff Sets of organdie and Georgette crepe.
1st Floor, Lansburgh & Bro.

Some Tempting Boudoir Caps For Milady

The prettiest novelties in boudoir caps that have ever been brought to the District. You will find them arrayed on tables on the first floor for easy selection.

They're made of splendid quality laces and ribbons with rose bud trimmings.

Not just a head-covering, but a cap to add to Milady's good looks.

Pink, sky, lavender, rose, delft blue, and mauve.
Prices 59c to \$5.



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Store Hours: Open 9 A. M.; Close 6 P. M.

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