

The Saks Store

Domestic Friday.

A concentration of effort culminates in a special offering of the commodities of the home and the wardrobe here on Fridays. These weekly events are carefully planned for the benefit of the pennies' advantage in price that can be had, you are given the full benefit of always lower than others—BUT LOWER THAN OURSELVES ON FRIDAYS.

Pillow Cases, 8c each.
That are worth 12-15c—we don't need to tell you that. They are standard quality; 42x36 inch size, heavy and new, with wide hems. Not over 6 to a customer.

Bleached to a Cotton, 6c a Cotton, 6c a Cotton.
A full case to be sold today. If we could advertise this cotton under its real name ten cases would not supply the demand. Neither would it if you saw it—for you'd recognize the brand. Not over 10 yards to a customer.

Unbleached Canton, 6c a Canton, 6c a Canton.
500 yards of the best quality Unbleached Canton Flannel, usually sold for 10c a yard, but with the heavy weight. Not over 10 yards to a customer.

Huck Towels, 10c each.
Regular 12-15c weight and worth—and 12-15c for 50 dozen 20x40 Huck Towels, with the heavy weight. Not over a dozen of either lot to a customer.

Crib Spreads, 50c.
13 Heavy Crochet Spreads, in large crib size—good patterns and good value for 75c.

Crochet Spreads, 89c.
77 Colored Crochet Spreads, in light blue and light pink—worth 1.25; also 37 Heavy Crochet Spreads—in Marcelline pattern; worth 1.25, for 85c.

Blankets, 89c a pair.
There are just 22 pairs of them—Heavy Flannel Blankets, with Pink and Blue borders, that retail usually at \$1.25.

Flannellette Skirting, 19c per pattern.
100 Heavy Flannellette Skirt Patterns, with heavy crocheted edge, and good value at 37-15c—note that.

Apron Gingham, 4c a yd.
In the popular pattern and the same grade you consider good value for 6c a yard.

Crib Blankets, 39c.
Fleeced Crib Blankets, regular 75c kind, with Blue and Pink edge, heavily crocheted.

158 Pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 69c each strip.
You may be able to get two, three or four pairs of a pattern—but of some there are only single strips. They are in Brussels and Fish Net effects. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.25 a pair value.

Door Mats, 39c.
200 Cotton Door Mats, good size and well made.

Window Shades, 19c.
150 Opaque Window Shades, 25 inches wide and 2 yards long; slightly soiled. Regular 35c shades.

Good Luck in Linings.
Heavy Twilled Silena and Mohr Percale, fast black and colors; worth 12-15c a yard, for 9c.

Men's White Unlaundered Shirts, 35c, 3 for \$1.
Never, never, NEVER have you had such a chance—and even now enjoy it—for there are no 35c shirts. The same shirts that we have been selling at 35c in the great first-of-the-year "White Sale"—and a better shirt than is offered at 35c elsewhere. That has been proven by comparison. We get from the maker 16 dozen more—men's size, 14. He closed them out to us—so we "revised them out" to you.

- Revised "Notion" List.**
- English Book Pins, assorted sizes.....3c
 - Curting Iron.....3c
 - Hairpin Cabinet, Heavy and left visible.....3c
 - Muslin-covered Corset Steels.....3c
 - One dozen Tape Buttons.....3c
 - Women's Cotton Side Garters, Black and White.....7c
 - Hump Buttons and Eyes.....6 cards for
 - 3-piece America Court Plaster.....1c
 - Dressmakers' Pins, 300 in the paper.....1c
 - Mohair Skirt Binding, with cord finish, per yard.....4c
 - Silk-stitched Bone Casing.....5-card piece for
 - 12-yard piece White, Black, or Grey Binding.....12c
 - Double-covered Dress Shields, warranted, per pair.....12c
 - Black or White Gaining Cotton on spools, two for.....3c
 - Silk Abdominal Hose Supporters, with belt.....25c

A SPECTACULAR FEATURE

The Alleged Bribe Money Produced at the Clark Hearing.

Thirty Thousand Dollars in Large Bills Exhibited to the Investigating Committee—To Be Examined by Experts in an Endeavor to Trace Their Original Holders.

The Montana senatorial enquiry was continued yesterday before the Committee on Privileges and Elections of the Senate. The day was spent in the examination of witnesses opposed to Senator William A. Clark. The most spectacular feature of the proceedings was the exhibition of \$30,000 in currency in bills of the denominations of \$1,000, \$500, and \$100. This is the money which was handed over to the investigating committee of the Montana Legislature by the political opponents of Senator Clark, who said they had received it from Mr. Wellcome, whom they believed to be the personal representative of Senator Clark. This money was brought to Washington by T. E. Collins, Treasurer of the State of Montana, to whom the money was committed by the investigating committee.

When the money and the envelopes containing it had been offered in evidence, Mr. Chandler, chairman of the committee, called upon the witness to read the series and numbers of the bills. This was done by Mr. Clark and McLaughlin between the time when there would be any objection if a Treasury expert were called on to examine the bills. There was no objection. The committee will then endeavor to determine whether the money was Mr. Daly's, as charged by the Clark forces. It is thought by the committee that the thousand-dollar bills may be traced. The session opened, Frederick Whiteside was called to the witness chair, and his re-direct examination was begun. "How many times did you meet Charles W. Clark and McLaughlin between the time you went to Helena and the meeting of the legislature?" asked Mr. Campbell. "I cannot say, but perhaps half a dozen times," replied the witness. "When you appeared before the grand jury how long did your examination last?" "About one hour."

"To what matter was your testimony in the main directed?" "To the matter of the \$30,000 turned into the investigating committee of the Montana Legislature."

"Why is it that before the grand jury you did not mention the names of certain members of the legislature which you have mentioned here?" "I had no list of the legislature before me then, as I had here, to refresh my memory."

"To what political party do you belong, Mr. Whiteside?" "I am a Democrat."

"To which faction of the Democratic party in Montana do you belong?" "In 1895 I was a partisan of Senator Clark, though I did not antagonize anybody else. When I went to the legislature I opposed the Daly faction."

"Prior to this exposure did you ever speak with Mr. Daly about the matter?" "No, sir, I did not."

Mr. Campbell then withdrew the witness and put T. E. Collins, State Treasurer of Montana, on the stand. Mr. Collins was asked: "Was any money in envelopes put in your possession?" "Have you it with you?" "I have."

Mr. Collins at this point produced four envelopes, he said, had been handed to the legislative committee by State Senator Clark, of Madison county. It contained \$1,000 bills. Another envelope contained \$5,000, which, Whiteside said, had been given him by Mr. Wellcome. When Mr. Collins left the witness chair, Messrs. Stiff and Whiteside were recalled by the attorney for the memorialists for the purpose of identifying certain papers in the case.

State Senator Clark was called to the stand, and his direct examination by Mr. Campbell he said, had been offered him \$10,000 to vote for Senator Clark. The cross-examination was conducted by Roger Foster, associate counsel for Senator Clark. He addressed the witness thus: "How long have you known Marcus Daly?" "Not long."

"You have acted as his attorney?" "In one instance."

"You gave him a check for \$5,000?" "Yes, sir."

"In a matter before the legislature did you say that Whiteside was a scoundrel?" "I said I thought he had acted in the matter of the Capitol Commission in a scoundrelly way."

The witness denied that he had said that Whiteside was "rotten," although he admitted that he may have said Whiteside's conduct was not commendable. "Had you been connected with the Daly faction?" "I have never been connected with the Daly faction at any time."

"How many times have you testified about this matter?" "Four times."

"Where?" "Before the legislative committee, the grand jury, the Supreme Court of Montana, and here."

"Does your memory improve with the lapse of time or does it grow dim?" "I don't know."

Mr. Foster called the attention of the witness to a report of his testimony given before the Montana Legislature, and bent his efforts toward showing discrepancies. The witness told of conversations with Mr. Campbell, in which he, the witness, agreed to go into the scheme to expose the alleged bribery. There was a slight discussion between the witness and Mr. Campbell, in which he, the witness, admitted Mr. Foster that the witness should be allowed a fair share of the time. The last witness during the session was Frederick W. Cowan, Northern Pacific Railway conductor. He testified that Mr. Bickford had asked him to see Mr. Stiff and to offer him \$15,000 to join the Clark forces. His cross-examination was conducted by former Senator Faulkner. The committee will meet again this morning.

NEW B. & O. TERMINALS.

Senator McMillan Introduces a Bill for Elevated Tracks.

Senator McMillan introduced in the Senate yesterday a bill to provide for the elimination of certain grade crossings in the District. The bill requires the construction of new terminals and tracks for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The new terminals and terminal tracks shall occupy streets within the territory bounded as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Street, which is a line forty feet from the east building line of Delaware Avenue and parallel thereto, thence along said line parallel to the easterly building line of Delaware Avenue and forty feet therefrom, to the west line of First Street east; thence by said west line of First Street east to the north line of C Street north; thence by said north line of C Street north to the east line of North Capitol Street; thence north by said east line of North Capitol Street to the south line of C Street north; thence by said south line of C Street north to the intersection of the west line of First Street east; and the south line of H Street north; thence to the point of beginning, or so much of this area as may be found to be necessary for proper terminal facilities, and agreed upon between the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company and the Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

The main lines connecting the new terminals and terminal tracks shall be located as follows: From the south side of H Street said lines shall run by a masonry viaduct of sufficient for five tracks, but not exceeding in width eighty feet (with such turnouts and crossings as may be required) as may at any time hereafter be constructed under the authority of this act, northerly along the middle of Delaware Avenue and thence to adjoining property, and crossing Florida Avenue over-bridge by means of a two-span plate girder bridge or by masonry arches, to the north side of Florida Avenue; thence by diverging lines crossing over New York Avenue by means of two-span plate girder bridge or bridges over the same, or by masonry arches—the one line, with two or more tracks, in the most practical route in a general northeasterly direction to a point of connection with the present tracks of the Washington Branch Railroad north of Wisconsin Avenue, and the other line with two or more tracks in a northerly direction by the most practicable route to a point of connection with the present tracks of the Metropolitan Branch Railroad at near T Street.

The cost of Government Stationery will be higher next year. Bids for supplying the Government with printing, writing and other papers for the next fiscal year were opened yesterday by the Joint Committee on Printing of the House and Senate. There was a noticeable increase in the price of paper as shown by the bids, together with a falling off both in the number of bidders and the number of articles for which each of them submitted bids.

The firm represented numbered but thirty, against forty-six last year, and the proposals of three of the thirty were irregular. The New York and Pennsylvania Companies, makers of the writing and fancy papers at the smallest prices. The awarding of the contracts by the joint committee will be made later.

FOR STREET EXTENSION.
A Permanent Board to Consider Consideration Proceedings.
Representative Jenkins, of Wisconsin, who is a member of the District Committee, has introduced a bill authorizing the District Commissioners to appoint three persons of experience and good judgment as a permanent board, for the opening, by condemnation proceedings, of streets, alleys, rights of way for sewers, and for the acquisition of any real estate within the use of the District of Columbia. It is provided that should the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, or any owner of the land so condemned, be dissatisfied with the award of the board aforesaid, either may appeal from the decision of the said board to the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia. The salary of each of the members of the board shall be at the rate of \$3,000 per annum. Mr. Jenkins will bring the bill up in the committee at the first opportunity.

The Anglo-American Agreement.
The House Committee on Foreign Affairs yesterday held a meeting and ordered a favorable report on the resolution introduced by Mr. W. A. Smith, of Michigan, authorizing the President to negotiate with the House the status of the agreement between the United States and Great Britain to prohibit the building, arming, or maintaining of more than a single war vessel on the Great Lakes, with information to include all data bearing upon the subject now in the possession of the department.

Chairman Hitt will probably call up the resolution in the House today.

An Increase of Patronage.
The House Committee on Accounts yesterday agreed to a resolution which will be reported to the House today authorizing the appointment of assistant clerks to the following committees: Military Affairs, Naval Affairs, Judiciary, Interstate and Foreign Commerce, and Public Lands. A resolution authorizing the use of fifteen additional folders in the office of the Doorkeeper of the House was considered, but went over until the next meeting.

May Be Invited to Washington.
Mr. Cullom of Illinois introduced a joint resolution in the Senate yesterday to authorize the President to extend an invitation to the International Congress of Navigation at its eighty-second session to be held in Paris in July, 1900, to hold its ninth assembly in Washington. Provision is made that room should be set apart in the Congressional Library for the use of the Congress, and an appropriation of \$25,000 is asked to pay the expenses of the session.

For a Statue of Washington.
Representative Cowherd of Missouri has introduced a bill to appropriate a sufficient sum of money to purchase a bronze statue of George Washington, to be placed in Statuary Hall in the Capitol, in the Congressional Library building. The bill is now before the Committee on the Library.

To Ensure the Payment of Alimony.
Representative Felt of Illinois has introduced in the House a proposed amendment to the bankruptcy law which provides in effect that the law shall not be invoked to avoid the payment of alimony or the support and maintenance of one's family under a decree of court.

Nominations Sent to the Senate.
The President yesterday sent the following nominations to the Senate: Andrew F. Caldwell, Indian Agent, Fort Hall Agency, Idaho; Andrew J. S. Thomas, Supervisor of the Twelfth Census for the Fourth district of South Carolina; Sgt. Maj. Obe C. Nichols, THE FOURTH INFANTRY, to be second lieutenant.

Opposed to the Metric System.
The House Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures yesterday took up for consideration the bill proposing to adopt the metric system for the United States. The sentiment of the committee appears to be against the measure.

Hecht's Greater Stores.

Bargains at the "Hour Sales."

IX to X.

Rainy Day Skirts, very handsomely made; extra heavily stitched; all-wool plaid reversible back; worth \$9.98, for \$4.98.

Children's Tam O'Shanter Caps worth 35c for this hour at 15c (in millinery department).

Quills in all colors, and bunches of Violets, worth 8c for 1c.

Children's Fast Black Ribbed Hose, worth 10c, for 4-12c.

The celebrated Oakley perfumed Soaps, elegant for toilet; regular 10c value at 5c.

Satine and Italian Cloth Underskirts in black and colors, plain and fancy stripes and figures; corded ruffles; worth up to \$1.50 at 50c.

10c and 15c Combination Shoe Dressing in black or tan at 2-12c.

Children's Dugongola Springheel Shoes; sizes 6 to 7; 50c quality at 23c.

Pretty styles of cream Curtain Scries, 36 inches wide for 17-8c.

Waterproof Felt Window Shades, in all colors; complete with fixtures; this hour 7-8c.

Men's Random Mixed, and Black Half Hose; worth 10c for 4-12c.

Boys' Knee Pants; well made; all sizes; neat patterns; go at 5c.

Boys' Golf Caps nicely made; go at the special price of 15c.

X to XI.
Electric Seal Collarettes; superb finish; latest shapes; lined with fine quality satin; worth \$10, for \$5.45.

Ladies' fine quality Jersey jackets in tan, black and castor; finely lined with satin; handsomely stitched; new dip front and scalloped back; worth \$12.50 at \$1.50.

Ladies' Mises and Children's Flats and Short Boots in all the latest shapes; fine quality; black only; worth 60c, at 15c.

Ostrich Hair Plumes and Tips, 3 in a bunch, in black and colors; also a large lot of Wings, Quills, Paper Feathers, etc. Worth from 49c to 99c. Choice of entire lot 15c.

Ladies' Elderdown Dressing Scaques, in pink, blue, and red; nicely made, go at 35c.

Ladies' Heavy Cardigan Jackets; guaranteed all wool, 85c.

A choice line of Ladies' Ribbed Vests, in grey, white, and ecru; heavily faced; regular 35c value, at 15c.

Children's Hose Supporters, black or white; worth 15c, for 5c.

Misses' Red Felt Jullets, with fur trimmings; sizes 11 to 2, \$1 quality at 45c.

Ladies' Rubber Sandals; finest quality; sizes 2-12 to 3-12; worth 50c, at 15c.

Lace Allovers, in very handsome designs; worth fully 50c per yard, at 15c.

Black Satin, rich and lustrous; best black; worth 10c, at 5-7-8c.

Remnants All-silk Chinas, and hand-woven Habutai Silk, in desirable lengths and favorite shades; worth 25c to 45c; while they last, 25c (21-22 inches wide).

All-wool Imperial Serges, yard wide; in such desirable colors as green, brown, navy, plum, marine, golden, and black; never sold less than 25c, for 25c.

Extra heavy 10-4 Blankets, in white or ecru, with pretty borders; worth 75c, for this hour 45c.

White Applique Bureau Scarfs, in artistic designs; worth up to 30c, at 15c.

Best quality Yale-Holland Window Shades, with heavy fringe or lamour back; various colors; with fixtures complete; worth 40c, at 23c.

XI to XII.

Choice of our superb line of Black and Colored Silk Waists in all the new and elaborate hemstitching, cording, and tucking effects; every new and desirable color and color combination, and black. Worth up to \$15, at \$5.98.

Misses' and Children's Best Fur Felt in black and colors; all desirable new shapes; worth \$1.49, at 49c.

A large lot of Fancy Feather Devices, Wings, Quills, etc. Usually sell up to 40c, at 7c.

Underskirts in black and colors; Satine, Metallic Striped Satine, and Twilled Italian Cloth with clusters of narrow ruffles and deep Spanish flounce; some lined with flannel; worth up to \$2.50, at 95c.

Heavy Flannellette Wrappers, excellently made; nicely lined waists; all sizes; this hour at 49c.

Odd ends in Ladies' Stylish Shoes; only a few pairs of each kind and size; regular \$2.50 and \$3 value at \$1.25.

Ladies' Strap Sandals; sizes 5 to 5 only; \$1.25 quality at 50c.

Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs of excellent quality; worth 10c at 1-7-8c.

Ladies' Fast Black Hose in all sizes, and sizes, worth 10c, at 2-12c.

Novelty Pincushions, naturally representing fruit and vegetables, 3c.

Infants' Plain Slips with box pleated front, 14c.

All Wool Ladies' Cloth, yard wide, in black and all the desirable shades; now much in vogue for fancy waists; worth 40c at 35c.

Imported Silk Velvets Remnants in all good, desirable shades and lengths; nicely adapted for waists, hats, and dress trimmings; regular \$1 value at 49c.

The choice of any of our 10c Wrapper Flannellette, faced back; pretty designs, 6-7-8c.

Bed Spreads in pretty Marseilles patterns; full double size; worth 75c at 49c.

All-wool Smyrna Ruga in artistic Oriental designs and rich coloring; fringed on both ends, 25c.

Boys' Fur Alpines in all colors; regular 55c value as an extra special, 45c.

Children's Blue Flannel Waists nicely made; only sizes 9 to 14; regular 40c value at 25c.

Children's Tan Covert Overcoats, finely made and excellently lined; sizes 4 to 15. Worth \$4.58, for \$2.88.

Men's Japonette Handkerchiefs, with fancy borders, 3-7-8c.

Drapery Silk in handsome Oriental and floral designs and colorings; 30 inches wide; worth 50c, for 37c per yard.

I to II.
Ladies' all-wool, blue and black Cheviot Serge Skirts, well made; lined; worth from \$1.19 to \$1.25, at 50c.

Little Girls' Reefers in plain and fancy rough and smooth cloths; handsomely made and nicely lined; some with beautifully braided sailor collars; worth fully \$4.98 at \$2.49.

Ladies' Untrimmed Hats in best quality fur felt; all the new and desirable shapes; worth \$1.58 for 95c.

Imported Feather Novelties in Birds, Wings, Phantasies, Sea Gulls, Doves, Butterflies, and many attractive hat ornaments worth from \$1.98 to \$2.98 at 50c.

Children's Heavy Knitted Drawer Leggings; three sizes; 25c.

Turkey Red Table Linen; good designs; full width; regular 27c quality at 14-3-4c.

All-wool Heavy Twilled Household Cloth, the kind that will wash and wear well; 40c value at 27-8c.

5-foot Curtain Poles in oak, cherry, and walnut finish with brass fixtures complete at 13-12c.

Slate and Runner Oilcloth in pretty patterns and colorings, 6-7-8c a yard.

II to III.

Ladies' all-wool Grey Homespun Skirts, made with newest box pleat; worth \$5.98, for \$3.98.

Ladies' Suits in Broadcloth, Venetian, Homespun Cheviot, and other favorite fabrics; made in newest designs; some of the jackets are silk lined; worth \$25, for \$12.50.

Ladies' best quality untrimmed fur coats in black and colors; all desirable shapes; worth \$1.98, at 95c.

Children's Hats, some trimmed with velvet; others with silks and velvets; some have velvet. Tam of Shanter crowns; all the newest ideas in trim and shape. Hats worth from \$3.98 to \$5.98, for \$2.49.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, a general clean-up of odds and ends; many sizes; many shades and many styles; worth \$1.00, for 35c.

Ladies' Satin Stock Collars in many pretty colors go at 2c.

Choice of any Black or Colored Flannel Waist in the house that sold at \$1.48 or \$1.98; this hour for 95c.

All Silk Foulard, navy blue ground with pretty designs in white. The newest spring fabric, 50c value at 35c.

Heavy Twilled Medicated Red Flannel usually selling at 15c, for 12-1-2c.

24-inch Crepon Dress Gowns, neat designs; usually 25c; only a small lot at 8-7-8c.

White Applique Mats in pretty designs; worth 10c for 4c.

Handsome Silklines and Gold Crepes in new patterns and rich colors; worth up to 10c, go at 5-7-8c.

Children's Knee Pants in wool chevrot, all sizes; well made; worth 35c, for 15c.

Children's Suits in fine All-wool and Fancy Casimeres and Cheviots, and plain blue and black chevrots. Vests in sizes 4 to 8. Double-breasted in sizes 5 to 16. Worth \$5, at \$2.98.

25 Youths' Coats and Vests in All-wool Casimeres and Fancy Silk Worsteds; nicely made and lined; sizes 14 to 19. Will fit men up to size 35. They are from odds and ends detached from suits that sold from \$5 to \$15. Choice for \$1.98.

III to IV.
Ladies' superior quality Black Cheviot Serge Skirts in new box pleat; handsomely appliqued in taffeta silk; worth \$10, at \$4.98.

All-wool Plaid Skirts in splendid color combinations; worth \$5.98 at \$3.98.

Beautiful large Blister Silk Crepon Skirts, made in latest style; perfect hang; a skirt that stylish dressers will appreciate; worth \$15, for \$9.50.

Handsome Black Satin Waists beautifully tucked; worth \$5.98, for \$3.98.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, large, small, and medium shapes; Bonnets, Touques, or Turbans in finest quality felt or velvet; superbly trimmed in many new varieties; worth from \$5.98 to \$9.98, at \$3.98.

Priestley Mourning Veils, soft silk finish; woven hems, 4 to 7 inches deep; size 40x72, worth \$5.98; size 44x90, worth \$7.98; choice of either size, \$2.48.

Ladies' Liberty Silk Neck Boas; handsome accordion pleated ends; slightly crushed front; holiday handkerchiefs; worth from \$1.19 to \$1.25, at 50c.

50c for 27-inch all-silk Black Rustling Taffeta, and all-silk 27-inch extra high lustrous finish Satin Duchesse; wear guaranteed; never retails at less than \$1.49.

All-wool Huck Towels, with fast color borders; large size; 10c value, at 9c.

White Apron Goods, plaid and striped effects; suitable for children's school aprons; 6c value, at 3 3/4c.

Extra heavy 11-4 Blankets, in white or grey; worth \$1.49, at 70c a pair.

Pretty Chenille Table Covers, fringed all around, 19c.

Children's Grey Chinchilla Reefers; good plaid lining; regular \$5 value; but as we have only a small lot in sizes 8, 13, 14, and 15, you get choice at \$1.98.

Children's Knee Pants—the celebrated Crackback brand; warranted not to rip, double seam and double knees; all sizes; worth 75c, at 37c.

Ladies' Fascinators, 15c.

IV to V.

Superior quality Mercerized Satine Underskirts, in plain black and colors; with clusters of five flounces; some in beautiful brocaded effects; others with deep corded ruffles; bound in velvet; worth up to \$4, at \$1.98.

Plaid Glass Towels, ready for use, 25c.

White Fleece Shaker Flannels, 25c.

Boys' Fur Alpines, in all colors and latest shapes; hats worth 35c, for 45c.

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ALL DAY These Great Clothing Values Continue.

Men's \$8.50 and \$12.50 Suits, \$5.