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25 rolls of high-grade novelty Japanese Jointless Cotton Warp Matting which has been selling at 37½c per yard, for..... 29c

Just a Matter of Exchanging Dollars,

This domestic selling of ours. It means very little for us, but a whole heap for you. Such money-saving values are sure to crowd this department, and we'll have it tomorrow.

25 pieces of full-bleached Fruit of the Loom Muslin, not quite a yard wide, will allow 10 yards to each customer, at, per yard.... 5⅞c

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2 cases of new spring patterns in Dress Ginghams, standard quality cloth, light and medium effects, per yard..... 6⅞c

50 pieces of light and dark Piques, all new patterns, which are worth 15c per yard, for..... 9¾c

200 pieces of fine sheer, fancy Dimities, very choice patterns, per yard..... 12½c

100 pieces of very fine Zephyr Ginghams, in plain colors, stripes, and plaids, these goods look exactly like the imported kind, per yard..... 15c

Notions and Small Findings.

These are every-day needs which are more or less used in every home. What we offer tomorrow are all leaders:

Kleinert's new Dress Shield—Fit-well, can be washed and ironed, self adjustable and odorless—sizes 2, 3, and 4.

22c, 25c, and 29c.

Realite Dress Bones, two stripes of the finest quality real whalebones, incased in a silk covering in such a manner as to be attached to a dress either by hand or machine sewing—black, white, or dark—36 inches long, per piece..... 17c

Wire Collar Dress Forms, 15c value, for..... 9c

2 papers of the best English Pins, for..... 5c

Toilet Pin Books, the 5c kind, 2 for..... 5c

2 spools of good quality Basting Cotton..... 1c

Machine Twist, full 1 ounce spools..... 39c

Hump Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, 2 dozen on a card..... 2c

Nickel-plated Scissors, 5, 5½, and 6 inches long..... 15c

Adamantine Pins, one dozen papers for..... 10c

Machine Oil, the kind that will not gum, three bottles for..... 5c

Pearl Buttons, two dozen on a card..... 5c

Pompadour Hair Rolls, made of the best French hair, 8, 10, and 12 inches long.

7c, 8c, and 9c.

Hose Supporters, with Belts, button clasp..... 8c

3 dozen Nickel Safety Pins, for.. 5c

Roy Rob Hairpins Cabinets, 2 boxes for..... 5c

Three pieces of Flat Hat Wire, for..... 5c

Round Garters with buckles, 10c kind for..... 5c

Brush Edge Skirt Binding, per yard..... 1½c

Kirby Beard Hairpins, per paper..... 2c

Treasure Safety Pin Books, 10c value for..... 7c

Family Linen Thread, per spool... 1c

Brooke's Machine Cotton, 100-yard spools, 6 for..... 11c

Hosiery.

Women's full regular-made Cotton Hose, fast black, spliced soles, heels, and toes, usually sold at 35c and 25c per pair. Three pairs for..... 50c

Women's all-over Lace, Four-thread Lisle, Hermsdorf, Fast Black Hose, which is one of our 50c numbers. Per pair..... 39c

Women's full regular made Hermsdorf, Fast Black Cotton Hose, with white feet and split soles, spliced heels and toes..... 25c

Women's full seamless Cotton Hose, spliced soles, heels, and toes, all black and plain dropstitch, black, with white feet, black with embroidered fronts and fancy striped boot patterns. Per pair..... 12½c

Children's full seamless ribbed Cotton Hose, fast black, double knees, heels, and toes, our own special brand, all sizes. Per pair..... 12½c

Boys' bicycle ribbed Cotton Hose, double throughout, strong and durable; sizes 6 to 10. Per pair..... 15c

Children's and Misses' four-thread Lisle Hose, fine rib, double knees, heels, and toes, fast black, and seamless; all sizes Per pair..... 25c

Men's seamless Cotton Half Hose, black, tan, fancy striped, and printed. Per pair..... 12½c

Men's full regular made imported Cotton Half Hose, 25c styles of fancy stripes. Per pair 25c

Another Big Sale of Ribbons.

Not many prices, but excellent values. In all, about 500 bolts, divided into three lots at the following figures:

100 bolts of All-silk Fancy and Plain Ribbon, 1 1-4 inches wide, in satin and gros grain, plain taffeta, and fancy stripes and checks—suitable for the hair or dress trimming, per yard..... 5c

200 pieces of Black Velvet Ribbon, with fast woven selvage, satin back, 1 inch wide—the very thing for dress trimming, hair bows, or belting—worth 15c per yard, for... 9c

Several hundred pieces of wide, soft Sash Ribbon, which can also be used for neckwear—6 inches wide, in the following colors: Light blue, pink, violet, old rose, mais, green, black, and white; also an elegant assortment of new Dresden Ribbon, 4 inches wide, showing value from 29c to 45c, for..... 29c

Millinery

As you see it at the Busy Corner is a different showing from what you see elsewhere. The assortment is unlimited and the variety of styles endless. A few specials:

Flowers of all description, small, medium, and large effects. All new, fresh goods—stacks of them which are worth 38c and 50c for..... 25c

Women's Rough Straw Ready-to-wear Trimmed Shortback Sailors; trimmed with soft fancy silk, making a very nobby shirt waist hat..... $1.48

A lot of Children's High Grade Untrimmed Straw Hats, all good shapes, in plain and combined colors; worth 75c and $1, for... 48c

Our line of Women's Trimmed Hats, designed and finished in our own workrooms, and patterned after new foreign creations; made of good quality material and finished in first-class style; which cannot be duplicated by any under $7 to $9. Special tomorrow at..... $5.00

Women's Neckwear.

More new arrivals in this line for Monday's selling. Many pretty conceits which others are unable to show.

We've just opened a beautiful collection of cream and white turn-over collars, made of Point Venice and hand-made Renaissance lace. This is a special purchase which we shall sell at 21c, although worth 39c 21c

All kinds of new Washable Neckwear, round and square back sailor collars, automobile ties, Princess Chic ties, and many pretty stocks in various colors and designs 48c

New Boas, made of fine liberty silk, with long ends, Point Venice collars and assorted lace ties, showing value up to $1.25 ..... 89c

Umbrella Dept.

You probably found the past week that you had just one umbrella too few to go around. You know there are lots of wet days to come, and you know the proverb about preparing for a rainy day. Here's an opportunity you would do well to take advantage of:

500 26-inch Women's Umbrellas, made of fine Union Taffeta; every kind of fancy handle known—some of them alone worth $1 before mounting on the silk..... 98c

300 fine 26-inch Union Taffeta Umbrellas. Every one in the lot good value at $2.00. Our special price..... $1.55

600 Women's 24- and 26-inch Fine All Pure Silk Taffeta Umbrellas, in plain colors; also fine neat borders; made to sell for $3.50. Each mounted on a fine Princess handle. The greatest bargain ever shown..... $1.98

First Floor—Main entrance.

Dress Trimmings.

Many a new gown will still require garniture of some kind. Our assortment at this writing is just as complete as it was 30 days ago. The selling that we do in this department requires a stock to be complete.

We have perhaps a dozen yards left of handsome Braid Net, in combination of white and gold, suitable for yokes, boleros, revers, etc.—worth $2.98 per yard, for..... $1.98

Very nobby entire Boleros, made of the best black silk braid—the very newest designs—they are positively worth from $1.50 to $2, for..... 98c

Exquisite pieces of Persian Band Trimming, 1 and 1½ inches wide, in all the leading combinations and colorings—worth $1 per yard, for..... 69c

Very effective trimming in serpentine and bands of the best spangled jet used so much for waist and skirt trimming, worth 59c per yard, for..... 39c

New satin folds in white and black, for beltings and trimmings for Etons and skirts—a very big seller, worth 49c per yard, for.. 25c

New gilt and silver Buttons in the newest designs, worth 19c per card, a card of two dozen, special..... 15c

Silk Grenadines.

In this line we are showing everything in plain as well as fancy effects. In fact, even extreme novelties have as much showing as the plainer ones. Here are four items specially priced for this coming week's selling:

All-silk, plain black Grenadine, this is an excellent cloth for durability and wear, is guaranteed not to crock, 44 inches wide, regular $1.25 value, for..... 89c

We have 25 pieces of all-silk, black Grenadine, in a dozen or more pretty effects, this lot represents our entire line of goods which we sell at $1.25 per yard, 46 inches wide, per yard..... 98c

44-inch all-silk black Hernani Grenadine, this particular fabric is well and favorably known as one of the most useful and durable of all summer textiles, 44 inches wide, and is worth $1.50 per yard, for..... $1.19

44-inch silk and wool, iron-frame Grenadine, regular value $1.50, specially priced at..... $1.25

Wash Goods.

(First Floor—Section B, to the right.)

We are in hopes that we have struck the weather which demands this line of materials. Our exhibit is considered the best, the prettiest, the largest, and the cheapest in price of any seen in all Washington.

5 pieces of Hop Sacking, something entirely new, in tan, pink, light blue, new blue, and black, excellent value, at..... 25c

200 pieces of fine imported Gingham, silk stripe and Madras effect, all the new colorings, excellent value, at..... 25c

6 pieces of Dotted Madras, each piece representing an exclusive shade, which makes it the extreme novelty very swagger and stylish, per yard..... 25c

5 pieces of Pure Grass Linen, so much in demand for serviceable dresses, which we know to be unusually good value, at, per yard..... 19c

Imported Grass Linen, very sheer and web-like, durable and stanch, will make a very pretty summer costume, very good value, per yard..... 29c

50 pieces of stylish Linens, in stripes, checks, and plaids, suitable for misses as well as grown folks, special, at..... 35c

New Spring Linings.

Any old lining won't do any more. Fashion has given frowsy linings a slap that has sent them out of sight to stay. Silk linings? Yes. If you care to pay the price. If not, the silk-faced ones of the new family of silk substitutes, just as pretty as silk. Feels like it. Looks like it, wears as well, and costs but little.

50 pieces of silk-finished fast black Hercules Percaline; we will place this quality with any sold at 25c per yard—a special large purchase enables us to sell this grade at..... 12½c

25 pieces of silk-finished Lining, just as good as Neva Silk—in black only—this is positively an 18c quality, for Monday only..... 12½c

22-inch black French Haircloth, just as good as the 35c quality quoted elsewhere, for..... 19c

20 pieces of black shrunk Canvas—regular 12½c value for..... 6¾c

36-inch Moire Finished Percaline in black and all colors which we shall sell at..... 7¾c

30c value of fine Mercerized Italian Cloth in black only—which we have made a one-day special of at..... 17c

15c quality of black back figured Waist Lining—these we have marked down for one day at..... 10½c

40-inch Lining Lawn, in black and all colors; regular 15c value, for..... 12½c

White Goods Dept.

This centre is always well patronized. Daily sales double, and some even trebled over bygone seasons. Experience has taught us that a successful department requires good judgment in buying. We sell as we buy, cheaper than all others.

A very superior quality of fine sheer white India Linon, usually sold at 18c., for, per yard..... 12½c

Special values in fine sheer Persian Lawn and Sea Island Batiste, which we have specially priced at, per yard..... 15c

Extra fine sheer quality of Batiste Mull and Swiss Chiffon, 42 inches in width, which is sold elsewhere at 29c per yard, special 25c. All colors of 40-inch wide Silk Mull, very special, at, per yard..... 18c

50 pieces of fine Imported White Pique, medium size welt; a 20c quality, for..... 11½c

1 case of 40-inch wide white Victoria Lawn, regular selling price, 10c per yard. Special..... 6¾c

Plain black, also white, fine sheer French Organdie, 46 inches wide, which sells regularly at 40c per yard, special..... 27c

12-yard pieces of fine English Nainsook; well worth $1.75 apiece. Special.. $1.45

The Busy Corner. Eighth and Market Space. The Busy Corner.

HELD FOR THE GRAND JURY

Judge Scott's Decision in the Railway Fraud Cases.

Bond for the Defendants Fixed at $1,500—Five Men Concerned in the Attempt to Defraud—Witness Gardner Faints While Being Examined.

Judge Scott, in the Police Court, yesterday held the five men who are charged with having conspired to defraud the Washington Traction and Electric Company for the action of the grand jury and reduced the bonds in each instance to $1,500. The men involved are George E. Cadarr, formerly an engineer, employed at the East Capitol Street power house, and Conductors George W. Blair, John W. Meyers, John J. Keating, and Edward Parker.

George H. Harries, the Vice President and General Manager of the Traction Company, resumed the stand when the case was called yesterday morning, at the conclusion of the routine business, and was cross-examined at some length by the attorneys for the defence.

An effort was made to bring out the particulars concerning the interviews at the stationhouses, where the alleged confessions are said to have been secured. But little additional light was thrown upon the matter, and the witness was soon permitted to retire.

At the request of Attorney Niles, Mr. Harries furnished him with the stenographic report of the interview with Parker.

When Albert A. Gardner was called to the stand, Mr. Niles, who was retained as counsel for Gardner before he was made a Government witness, requested that the court instruct Gardner as to his legal rights in the premises, in order to have the record clear as to what course the Government would pursue regarding the prosecution of the man.

Mr. Mullowny, the prosecuting attorney, replied that Gardner had been employed by the company and was acting under instructions from its officers in dealing with the men. He was practically a "spotter." If the witness dealt fairly with the Government, he said, it was not his purpose to prosecute him, but if he broke faith the Government would not consider itself bound in the premises.

Mr. Moss objected to the witness being heard, claiming that he was under duress. His objection was overruled.

Mr. Gatley, who is associated with Mr. Niles in the defence, asked that the witness be advised that it was not necessary for him to answer any question that might tend to incriminate himself, and this was done.

Gardner testified that he had on several occasions purchased canceled and scorched tickets from Cadarr, which he turned into the President of the Traction Company, under whose instructions he was working. He said that Cadarr had told him of the manner in which he secured the tickets, but that the witness was never able to get him to disclose the names of any of the men to whom he sold the tickets. Gardner denied that he had ever had any conversation with Parker, although he was employed for that purpose. At this point a recess of half an hour was taken.

When the session of the court was resumed at 1:30 o'clock Gardner asked permission to revert to his dealings with Cadarr, as he had been somewhat confused when questioned by the attorneys. He had not secured tickets from Cadarr at his first interview, which was in February, he said, but went back for them later. He also recalled that at one time he had talked with Parker regarding the purchase of tickets. The witness stated that Cadarr had offered him the tickets at $1 a hundred.

Mr. Gatley questioned Gardner as to whether Oliver A. Gardner was his right name, and the witness stated that his name was Orin Addison Gardner, but that he had changed the first name to Oliver, as he liked it better. While being questioned concerning the changing of his name Gardner fainted.

He was partially revived and then helped from the room in order that he might have quiet and rest and fully recover. He informed the judge that he had had nothing to eat since morning, and requested that something be procured for him, which was done.

Detective M. R. Muller was then placed upon the stand, and related the particulars of Cadarr's arrest. He said that when the prisoner was taken into custody, he had 474 canceled and signed car tickets in his lunch basket. The accused informed the witness that he was taking them home for the children to play with. Cadarr afterward told witness that he had sold tickets to Parker and Gardner. The witness had a conversation with Parker when Mr. Harries was not present. In the presence of Detective Floyd, at the Sixth precinct station, Parker acknowledged having bought tickets from Cadarr. Meyers said, the witness testified, that he had bought two hundred canceled tickets from Parker for $2.50. Some of them were pretty badly damaged and could not be used again. He corroborated the testimony of Harries to the effect that in their presence Keating had acknowledged having bought sixty-seven tickets from Parker for $1.

At this point Gardner returned to the stand. Attorney Gatley resumed his examination and questioned him closely as to his past record and what had brought him to Washington. The witness stated he had never been convicted of any crime. In July of last year he secured employment as conductor with the Metropolitan Railroad and had held that position ever since.

Lieutenant Daley, of the Ninth precinct, was sworn and identified the property which was found in the possession of Parker at the time of his arrest. He was followed by Detective Call Flather, who related a conversation he had with Meyers at the Georgetown police station after he had been placed under arrest.

An effort was made to have introduced in evidence the full stenographic report of the conversations with the defendants at the stationhouses, but such evidence was not admitted. The usual motions to dismiss the defendants were made and overruled and after short arguments by opposing counsel the case was closed and Judge Scott held the defendants for the action of the grand jury, as previously stated.

Richard Williams, who has been confined in jail as a Government witness, was not placed upon the stand. On motion of Prosecutor Mullowny, Williams and Gardner, who had been similarly confined, were discharged from custody.

A Matrimonial Agent Exposed.

The Postoffice Department issued an order yesterday denying the use of the mails to L. J. Moss, of Utica, N. Y. Moss is said by the department officials to be one of a number of young men, who have been operating matrimonial bureaus in a number of cities and towns in northern New York. As there are 250 letters addressed to L. J. Moss in the Utica postoffice, it appears that despite the numerous warnings of the department there are still numerous confiding persons who believe in the existence of the "beautiful widow with $8,000 in cash, who desires a congenial companion for life."

THROWN TO THE GROUND.

A. D. Markely Seriously Injured in a Street Car Accident.

About 7 o'clock last night William Gillard, forty years of age, and a man whose name is said to be A. D. Markely, fell from car 19 of the Capital Traction road, on Fourteenth Street northwest between Rhode Island Avenue and M Street. Gillard was only slightly injured about the head, and went to his home, but Markely was rendered unconscious by the fall. The man was picked up and carried into a drug store and a call sent in by Policeman Raley brought the Emergency Hospital ambulance, in which he was carried to the hospital.

The man is evidently a stranger in this city, as the only marks of identification found upon him were a ticket of transportation on the Washington and Alexandria Electric Railroad, upon which was the name given above. His injuries were of a serious nature, his head having been terribly cut by the fall, and besides the surgeons were of the opinion that he is also injured internally. He is still in an unconscious condition.

It seems the two men were standing on the running board when the car started, giving such a jerk that threw them into the street.

Policeman Raley secured the names of the motorman and conductor, and is now making an investigation of the affair. He is also trying to locate the friends or relatives of the injured man.

THE COLUMBIAN DEBATERS.

Supporters of an Anglo-American Alliance Win the Contest.

The sixth public debate of the debating society of the Schools of Law of Columbian University took place at University Hall last night.

The subject of debate was: "Resolved, That the mutual interests of Great Britain and the United States would be promoted by an Anglo-American alliance." The affirmative of the question was supported by John A. Pace, Texas; Corridon H. Trickey, District of Columbia, and Benjamin Le Roy Rich, Idaho; while the negative was defended by Osmond F. Byron, Kentucky; Charles A. Maentz, Virginia, and Charles Stevens, of Kansas. Judge Andrew C. Bradley, District of Columbia, Chairman; Aldis B. Browne, District of Columbia; Hon. Milton K. Alles, Ohio, acted as judges.

The subject was very ably discussed by both sides and the judges awarded the debate to the affirmative.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 1901.

Weather Indications.

Fair today and tomorrow; fresh northeasterly winds.

TEMPERATURE.

Highest temperature, 4 p. m.....60
Lowest temperature, 6 a. m.....43

THE SUN AND MOON.

Sun rose.....5:07 A.M. | Sun sets.....6:42 P.M.
Moon rises..... | Moon sets.....3:19 A.M.

TIDE TABLE.

Low tide.....10:54 A.M. and 11:07 P.M.
High tide.....4:24 A.M. and 4:44 P.M.

STREET LIGHTING.

Lamps lit today.....7:28 P.M.
Lamps out tomorrow.....4:14 A.M.

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Thomas J. Tydings and Alice May Souter; Lorenzo Benington and Olia B. Young, both of Baltimore, Md.

Theft of Two Rings Reported.

Dr. G. H. Wright, a resident of Forest Glen, Md., called at headquarters last night to complain of the theft from his home of two valuable diamond rings within the past week. When the first ring disappeared Dr. Wright says several workmen were employed about the house.

Result of a Free Fight.

Nathan Cartrell was fined $30 with six months in jail as an equivalent, in the Police Court yesterday, and Charles H. Brockenbrough $50 or nine months in jail, on charges of having assaulted each other. From the evidence it appears that Brockenbrough fired a shot from a revolver at Cartrell and the latter struck him with a brick in return.

Jennie Klopfer Arrested Again.

Jennie Klopfer, forty-five years of age, was arrested yesterday at the Pennsylvania depot by Detective Boshert, and taken to the First precinct station, to await examination of her mental condition. Her actions about the depot excited suspicion, and, it is said, complaint from an Avenue merchant led to her arrest. The woman will be examined this morning by surgeons of the police department. She claims to be from Philadelphia, but has relatives at 442 Eighth Street southwest.

The Death of Sister Mary.

Sister Mary, of Mt. Carmel, died Friday evening at the Convent of the House of the Good Shepherd, in Georgetown. Funeral services will be conducted at the House of the Good Shepherd tomorrow, and interment will take place in Mount Olivet Cemetery. Sister Mary was formerly a resident of Georgetown. Her maiden was Margaret Brown, and she was a sister of Mr. John A. Brown. She entered the cloister about sixteen years ago in Baltimore. For the past year she had been in ill health.

The Best Investment He Ever Made.

A well-known business man was asked the other day what was the best paying investment he ever made. After due consideration, he replied as follows: "I think my best investment was made last week. It was this way. I had some less of other contracted a bad cold, which I was afraid would develop into pneumonia, and naturally enough was a little frightened. I was relating my troubles to a friend, stating that I was about to consult a physician. He looked at me and said: 'you don't need medicine, you need a stimulant. Get yourself some good whiskey.' I at once ordered a bottle of 'OLD PURISMA' from William Cassidy's 1225-7 Seventh street northwest. It cost me just one dollar for a full quart, and I consider it the best investment I ever made, as I am a well man today. I would not be without a bottle or two in the house." It is the best whiskey distilled; absolutely pure, as the name implies, OLD PURISMA.

Johnstons Great Spring Reduction Sale of Groceries.

The great number of articles named below are genuine bargains, on which you can save from 20 cents to 50 cents on the dollar. Every item should receive your careful consideration.

12 large boxes Parlor Matches for - - - - - - 9c
25 boxes good pure Chic Laundry Soap, (120 cakes to the box) - - - - - - $2 box
By the smaller quantity for 3 cts. cake.

500 large 10c Cakes White Pearl Soap.....4½c each
1,000 Cakes of 5c Cincinnati Oleine Soap.....4c cake
500 packages of good, fresh Macaroni .....6½c pkg
1,200 Cakes of Borax and El. Star Soap at .....2c cake

Potatoes, 49c bu.

For Monday we will sell 300 bushels of fine, large, smooth Burbank Potatoes at 49c per bushel. You have used thousands of bushels of our potatoes, therefore know of their excellent cooking qualities. This price (49c per bushel) is only half of their real value. Make up your orders for other groceries to be delivered with the potato order. We deliver free.

Pillsbury's Flour Is a Big Bargain.

12-pound sacks of Pillsbury Best Flour for 43c, and 24-pound sacks for 64c. By the barrel, $5.30. The best flour made. Try it.

The 12-pound sacks of Best Family Flour for 25c, and 24-pound sacks 45c. The ¼-barrel sacks 98c. By the barrel, $5.75.

Large Evaporated Meaty California Prunes; regular price, 15 cents lb. Special price..... 9½c lb

Peanut Butter Sandwiches—something new; very light and flaky; make an excellent lunch. Special price... 9c pkg

Flaked Rice, made from the choice large grains, prepared and flaked light as snow; usual price, 15c lb. Special price..... 10c lb

Large bags of Quick Freezing Ice Cream Salt. Now is the season to buy it..... 15c

500 pounds good, large Prunes—5 pounds for 23c.

Wheatlet and Pillsbury's Vitos.....12c pkg
Pure high-grade Corn Starch.....5c pkg
Best White Navy Beans.....5c lb
Large lb. Bottles of Ammonia.....5c
Fresh Norfolk Cabbage (new).....5c and 5c
Best Burbank Potatoes.....15c pk
Best Drip Table Syrup.....35c gal
New Orleans Cooking Molasses.....35c gal
Bags Quick-freezing Ice Cream Salt....15c
Fresh Ginger Snaps.....4c
Packages of Ivory Table Salt.....5c
25c Burnham's Clam Chowder.....19c
Good, Clean Cooking Rice.....6½c lb
Hire's Prepared Root Beer drink.....1c
Kingan's 20c cans of Soap.....10c
Fresh Creamery Butter for.....22½c lb
5 Bags of Fine Table Salt for.....25c
Best Bright Sun-dried Apples for..19½c lb
Good Malt Vinegar.....20c gal
Very large Table Pickles.....10c lb
Large Cans Table Syrup.....10c
Jars of Eagle Jam for.....10c

London Sauce.....5c
Large 8-inch Jars Mustard.....5c
8-inch Bottles Pickled Onions.....12c
Large Bottles Catsup.....10c
Cullen's c. Rice Flour.....10c
Large Glass Jars Preserves.....10c
Jars Tripe and Pig Feet.....10c
Large Bottles Bluing.....5c
Good Carpet Brooms for.....19c
10c Large Sacks Table Salt.....8c
Sacks of Table Meal.....11c
Large Cans Baked Beans.....5c
Cans of Salt White Baking Powder.....5c
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