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On Thursday evening we take shoes from our regular up-to-date stock and reduce the prices. The shoes are sold at the reductions for two days—Friday and Saturday. Monday the prices go back to the original figures.

The shoes are the latest styles—just what are being worn by the most stylish dressers. Every pair is this year's make, and the making is high-grade—in fact, it's the best workmanship possible for the money.

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- Men's patent Colt bluchers, guaranteed not to break through for three months, and likely they are good for ten months; a stylish shoe for stylish dressers; Friday and Saturday only. **\$3.15**
- Men's soft box calf blucher oxfords, extremely stylish; Friday and Saturday only. **\$3.15**
- Men's tan lace shoes of good color, full round toe; Friday and Saturday only. **\$3.15**
- Boys' and youths' satin calf lace shoes, quilted bottoms; Friday and Saturday only; sizes 13 to 2. **\$1.40**
- Boys' and youths' patent Colt lace shoes—a shiny, lustrous leather, like patent leather, but it wears much better; Friday and Saturday only; sizes 9 to 13. **\$1.80**; 13½ to 15. **\$2.10**; 2½ to 5½. **\$2.20**
- Ladies' patent leather lace shoes, extension soles, medium broad toe; Friday and Saturday only. **\$3.15**
- Ladies' tan calf lace shoes, extended soles, new round toes; Friday and Saturday only. **\$2.35**
- Ladies' fine kid oxford ties, patent tip and French heels; Friday and Saturday only. **\$2.35**
- Ladies' three-strap kid slippers, with French wood heels; Friday and Saturday only. **\$1.85**
- Children's and misses' kid lace shoes, fairly full toe, extended soles; Friday and Saturday only; sizes 8 to 11. **\$1.15**; 11½ to 2. **\$1.35**

We give mail orders our careful attention, and as our stock is very large we are most sure to have whatever you want. Write for catalogue.

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832 Market Street

Banquet by L'Allegro Club.
L'Allegro Social Club tendered a farewell banquet at an uptown restaurant last Tuesday evening to Charles Kells on his departure for the north. Phil Martin was toastmaster of the evening.

Board Awards Contracts.
The Board of Works received bids yesterday for making alterations and additions to the Columbia School and awarded the contract to James B. McSheehy for \$3000. The contract to grade the lot adjoining the Fremont School was awarded to Frank Simonark for \$881.

Tilttapper Sentenced.
Martin Oates was sentenced to one year in the County Jail by Judge Mogan yesterday, six months for till-tapping and six months for attempt to till-tapping. He is said by the police to be one of the two men who have tricked a number of storekeepers recently. One would get the storekeeper outside on some pretext while the other rifled the till.

Bekins Van and Storage Co.'s business is packing, moving, storing goods. 630 Market.
BADEN COMPANY INCORPORATES.—The Baden Company, a firm organized to transact a general business in realty, was incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of \$500,000. Directors are C. C. Burr, L. E. Holman, E. W. Burr, E. C. Burr and Mary N. Allyn. They have each subscribed \$1000.

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DIMMICK CASTS BLAME ON COLE

Tells Sleuth Burns How Cashier Could Have Stolen.

Clever Theories of Some One Else's Guilt Advanced by Defendant.

W. J. Burns, one of the brightest and keenest sleuths in the United States Secret Service Department, occupied the witness chair in the United States District Court yesterday afternoon and related several conversations he had had with Walter N. Dimmick, chief clerk of the Mint, in which conversations Dimmick practically charged Cashier Cole with the responsibility of the loss of the missing \$30,000. Mr. Burns said:

Mr. Dimmick said that the \$30,000 had undoubtedly been taken by the cashier, who was a careless, incompetent man, and that owing to a series of overpayments the cashier had been compelled to take the stacks and go to certain unknown persons for advice, and when those persons learned what he had done they blamed him. For instance, that Cole was three sacks short, and his advisers saw an opportunity of compelling him to take three sacks more.

Dimmick in the Art of Larceny. Burns, in order to draw out Dimmick still further, asked him how it was possible for Cole to get money out of the Mint without being detected. Mr. Burns added:

Dimmick told me that Cole could tilt the back of a sack and take out the money and substitute something else. Or he could cut the strings that are around the stacks, and as the strings were wrapped three times around them he could re-tie them twice. He said that the cashier could have carried away a sack at a time by putting it into his overcoat pocket and folding the coat in the usual way over his arm. Dimmick said that I did not think his theories plausible, and Dimmick said there was another method by which he could pay the money to a confederate on the outside. For instance, Cole could tell Captain Fitzpatrick, who has forty-one sacks when he wanted only forty, and the captain wouldn't know anything about it. When I asked him about the dress suit case Dimmick said that he never had a dress suit case and what Watchman Muller saw him with on the Oakland boat was a private book, which he was taking home to work on at night. Dimmick explained his presence in the Mint as late as midnight by saying that he was getting out a book for Mr. Leach showing the condition of the melters' and refiners' department.

Blame Dumped on Cole's Shoulders.
Louis M. Slater, private secretary of Superintendent Leach, was recalled and read from his stenographic notes a statement made by Dimmick July 10 and 11, 1901, in which he charged Cashier Cole with the loss of \$30,000. During that investigation Dimmick said that he had known several instances in which Cashier Cole had made short payments and over-payments. The first shortage he had discovered was one of \$120 in November, 1900, after Dimmick had been officiating as cashier for about two months. When Dimmick called the cashier's attention to the matter Cole said, "Yes, I am \$120 short, but I expect to find it because I know where I paid it out."

Dimmick marked this matter on his daily report and called Superintendent Leach's attention to it. A few days later Mr. Leach asked Dimmick whether the shortage had been paid and Dimmick replied in the negative. Cole remarked to Dimmick that it was a little expensive piece of business and had cost him half a month's salary.

Three months later Dimmick, as chief clerk, found that Cashier Cole had \$400 cash over and above what should be there. Cole looked through his accounts, but could not find where the mistake was. Dimmick tried to trace the depositors, but as many of them were Klondike men and had no fixed place of abode he was unable to find them. The money was always counted in stacks of \$400 each, and that mistake might have been made by counting one of the stacks twice. The \$120 shortage was deducted from the \$400 over-cash and the \$280 remaining was placed in the cashier's safe. On another day at the close of work Dimmick discovered a shortage of \$27, and Cole said that he knew where it was, and stepping into the vault, he returned with the money and put it into the tray. Dimmick said to Cole, "You can't do that; because, if you do, your vault account will be wrong." In a few days the shortage was made up, and the cash balanced to a cent. At other times there was a ten-dollar shortage and \$20 over-cash. "If a man will make these mistakes," said Dimmick, "it is reasonable to suppose that he will make others. I am satisfied that Cashier Cole is \$30,000 short in his accounts. I knew it the moment I figured it up that Saturday afternoon."

How Cole Recovered a Sack.
Dimmick, on the same occasion, told Superintendent Leach that Cole once paid out a \$5000 sack of gold too much, but discovered it a few moments later, and ran out to the gate where the money was being taken out on a truck and brought back the extra sack of gold to the vault.

"I have been fearful," proceeded Dimmick, "ever since Cole was appointed cashier that something would happen to cause a shake-up here. I think it is remarkable that his carelessness ceased all at once. I told that to Mr. Day. I called Mr. Leach's attention to whatever actual error I learned. I suspected that if anything was wrong the cashier would pile it on my head."

W. K. Cole, the cashier, was recalled to deny certain statements made by Dimmick about shortages or over-cash. The witness admitted that he had been short \$120 on one occasion, \$20 on another, and on another he had \$400 over-cash. He emphatically denied Dimmick's statement as to Cole having taken a \$20 piece out of the vault, and denied the story about his taking a sack of \$500 from a truck that he had overpaid by that sum.

Cole Strikes Back at Defendant.
The witness stated that Dimmick had a disagreeable habit of drawing money on his check and allowing it to lie as cash. He gave his check one day for \$20 and counted it as cash for several days. Then he gave Cole his check for \$40 and took up the \$20 check. He paid up everything finally. This last answer was in response to a question by Frank D. Collins, Dimmick's attorney.

Superintendent George A. Leach was recalled and testified that when Cole was appointed cashier, he (Leach) suggested to Dimmick to procure a locksmith to instruct Mr. Cole how to make a new combination. Then the witness called upon Dimmick for the combination that had been used by him as cashier, and Dimmick replied that he had taken it out of the safe, and when Leach spoke to him sharply and inquired by what right he had taken it out, Dimmick replied "here it is," and produced it out of his coat pocket.

The witness denied that Dimmick had ever reported to him that Cole had made an overpayment of \$5000, or that anything serious had happened. He made some complaints to the witness about minor affairs, but never about anything of grave character. At the investigation Dimmick denied to him that he ever had a dress suit case, and said that he never owned one or borrowed one.

Dr. Arthur P. Mullen, the physician who had attended Cole on June 27, 28 and 29, 1901, testified that Mr. Cole's complaint was bronchitis, but that his nervous system was not impaired, although he was anxious to get back to his office. The prosecution will close its case this morning.

Window Cleaner Injured.
Cornelius Harrington, a window cleaner, residing at 323 Mission street, received serious injuries yesterday by falling from the second story of a building at Divisadero street and Golden Gate avenue. Harrington lost his balance and fell to the sidewalk beneath, receiving injuries which may prove fatal.

Saracco Held to Answer.
The preliminary examination of Jerome M. Saracco on the charge of criminal assault upon his stepdaughter, Madge Graham, was concluded before Judge Cabanis yesterday afternoon. The judge held him to answer before the Superior Court in \$2000 bonds.

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In Cream, Butter and Ecru, for Yokes and frontings.
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10 pieces, worth \$1.75, at... \$1.25
10 pieces, worth \$2.50, at... \$1.75

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In Batiste, Irish Point and Venetian; chief designs; all this season's importations—
28 pieces, worth 35c and 50c
yds., Friday only... **25c**
35 pieces, worth 60c and 75c
yds., Friday only... **50c**
25 pieces, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25 yds., Friday only... **75c**
15 pieces, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50 yds., Friday only... **\$1.00**

Committee Sends Invitation.
The promotion committee of San Francisco has sent out postals to business men calling attention to the letter mailed last week in which funds were asked for to enable the committee to begin promotion. With the postals is a suggestion that the committee hopes to get in pledges immediately. Rufus P. Jennings says that the committee will not be able to call personally upon all to whom letters have been addressed, and will have to rely largely upon action of those who are public spirited. The subscriptions to date have not been as large as the committee hoped to receive. The invitation to subscribe is signed by Andrea Sbarboro, Charles Bundschu, W. H. Mills, A. A. Watkins and Rufus P. Jennings.

Interesting Church Concert.
An interesting concert took place last night at the Park Congregational Church, Hayes street and Central avenue. The affair was held under the direction of Mrs. Jessie Dean Moore and was enjoyed by a large audience. The following programme was rendered:
Organ selection, Leo B. Pomeroy; barytone solo, Dr. A. J. Brown; recitation, Miss Esther Macomber; violin solo, Mrs. Charlotte G. Gwynn; soprano solo, Mrs. Yda de Seminario; tenor solo, Algernon Aspland; solo, Mrs. Jessie Dean Moore; quartet, Mrs. Seminario, Mrs. Moore, Mr. Aspland and Dr. Brown; accompanist, Mrs. W. J. Batscheider.

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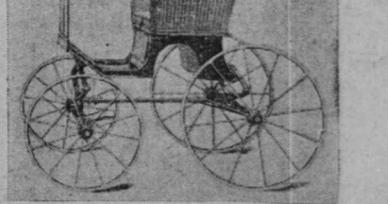
BLACK VENETIAN TAILOR SUITS, new box effect, with fancy stitched silk reverses, flounce skirt with 30 rows of stitching; a \$17.50 suit—
Cut Rate \$13.50

ANTIQUE MOIRE COATS.....**\$8.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50**
STYLISH SILK COATS.....**\$12.50, \$15.00 and \$17.50**

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