

MARVELOUS GROWTH OF BUSINESS A WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT STORE GREATLY ENLARGED. Local Firm to More Than Double Its Space—Modern Establishment on Seventh Street.

The old saying that "Great oaks from little acorns grow" finds exemplification in the remarkable growth of Goldenbergs, the Seventh Street department store. For some time it has been apparent that the firm has outgrown its present quarters at 922, 924, 926, and 928 Seventh Street. The plans which were formulated some months ago for the addition of other buildings have now been consummated. Several stores, ad-

GOLDBERG'S NEW DEPARTMENT STORES.



SEVENTH STREET FRONT.

Joining its present buildings have been acquired, as well as three buildings on Eighth Street, directly in the rear, thus giving them more than double the space now occupied.

The property acquired has been given over to the builders and contractors and the work of remodeling begun. In addition to the stores mentioned above, 922, at present occupied by the shoe department and dress goods, will be vacated at once and rebuilt with the others. It is the intention of the firm to start immediately the erection of a modern building, up to date in all its features, equipped with every appliance and device for the convenience of the shopping public. The new store will have the best of elevator service, waiting and retiring rooms for its patrons, and with broad aisles and improved shopping facilities will rank among the leading retail establishments in the country.

The work will be hurried to successful completion, and this splendid structure will be joined to the present store. When completed, the establishment will have a frontage on Seventh Street of 192 feet; from Seventh to Eighth Street, 200 feet, and from the present entrance on K Street to the last Seventh Street store will be 275 feet. One may form an idea of the immense amount of ground to be occupied when it is said the combined space will be 100,000 square feet.

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holdings department, which will contain everything in this line for the housewife, including chinaware, glassware, tinware, clocks, bric-a-brac, wood-ware, granite ware, and in fact everything needed in this line for the home. The immense first and main floor will have spacious aisles, and roomy spaces will be devoted to the usual lines of dry goods, such as silks and dress goods, embroideries and laces, leather goods, toilet goods and small wares, with large

present time over 300 are on the pay rolls. Additions have been made from time to time to the first building, until the four adjoining stores were annexed, one by one. Now this space is to be tripled—a monument to the industry and untiring efforts of its proprietors.

Mr. M. Goldenberg was seen by a Times reporter yesterday, and said: "The Washington shopping public, acknowledged in mercantile circles to be the shrewdest and most intelligent class of

buyers to be found anywhere, has been prompt to appreciate our efforts to please, as is evidenced by the growth of 'The Dependable Store.' Without that loyal support this big business would not have been possible. We have striven to repay the confidence reposed in us, and which is shown in the constantly increasing business, by remaining steadfast to our first business principles.

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On the return of the commission a set of reports will be made, which will be written by the delegates, each from his own point of view entirely, but no attempt will be made at a joint report. It may be added that the commission is strictly non-political, and that Mr. Mosely is anxious for its inquiries to be as unrestricted and comprehensive as possible, so that it may be in a position to judge both of the weakness and of the strength of American methods.

An English newspaper writer, commenting on the proposed work of the commission says: "Perhaps the fundamental point which Mr. Mosely hopes the members of the commission will realize as a result of what they see and hear is that the United States is an industrial competitor with this country, and that it is not to be ignored. There are people who hold that the danger of American competition has been grossly exaggerated, and who every day that it exists at all as a factor in the industrial situation, and this attitude unfortunately is sedulously fostered by certain organs that profess to pay particular attention to the interests of labor.

Proportions Altering. "Twenty years ago agricultural produce formed something like 80 per cent of the total, and manufactured articles accounted for only about 14 per cent; but since that time the proportions have been gradually altering, especially during the last five or six years, until in the period covered by the three years 1890-1901 the proportion of manufactured articles had risen to nearly 50 per cent of the whole, and agricultural products accounted for less than 64.

"This does not mean that the absolute quantities of agricultural products sent out of the United States have fallen off, for they are as large as ever, but that there has been an enormous expansion in the amount of the exports, due mainly to increased shipment of manufactured articles, which, in fact, were of the average annual value of \$21,966,000 in the period 1880-1881, of \$41,400,000 in 1894-96, and of \$232,300,000 in 1899-1901. These figures are sufficient to show the increasing importance of the United States as a seller in the markets of the world, and it is noteworthy that her advance in this respect is proceeding at an accelerating rate."

HORSE THAT LEARNED TO WRITE. Most Wonderful Equine in the World. Can do Many Things Intelligently.

Dr. George Rouhet, of Marseur, France, is the owner of a horse which has been pronounced by experts to be the most intelligent equine in the world. The doctor is a country physician, and in his moments of leisure he has trained the animal entirely by patience and kindness to do many wonderful things.

When Dr. Rouhet exhibits Germain's talents in public he mounts him, for then the skillful penman writes better, but in private the horse writes without any restraint whatever. He is a worthy rival of the penman who writes better, but in private the horse writes without any restraint whatever.

CHICAGO'S WITCHCRAFT CASE. Woman Enters Suit for Damages Against Alleged Sorcerers.

Mrs. Louise Goldhorn, of Chicago, has begun suit for \$100,000 damages against Mrs. Dorothea Stenzel, the result of Mrs. Stenzel's alleged witchcraft. Mrs. Goldhorn has bewitched them. They charge her with having caused the Stenzel girl's hair to fall out, with attempting to bewitch the mother, and with having killed trees and plants.

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THE FLORIDA OYSTER. Census Reports Condition of Succulent Bivalve Throughout the Country.

In Europe the supply of oysters has been practically exhausted for centuries, and millions of people have been deprived of a healthful and nutritious food by the improvidence of their ancestors; how is it with us? The census report for 1900 puts the situation within easy reach of saying:

"The public beds along the coasts of Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, and Delaware are so far depleted that the supply is very irregular and uncertain, and the oyster food is very small. In the Chesapeake Bay and Southern waters the public reefs are somewhat exhausted, the oysters are small, and many are transplanted to private grounds for maturing. Oysters are found in the Gulf of Mexico, and also to a small extent along the Pacific Coast. Seed oysters from the Atlantic Coast have been planted on the Pacific Coast, but with little success."

Within the last ten years the number of canning establishments in Florida has increased from one to six, according to the report, but there is good rea-

RIDING IN A HANSOM. The Feat Somewhat Difficult of Achievement Gracefully to Unintended.

Everyone knows that you have to learn how to ride a horse, and that the bicycle is not to be negotiated with ease by the entirely uninitiated. But few people, we imagine, were aware how cunning a skill in required to ride with safety in the ordinary hansom. A "Daily News" reporter has interviewed Mr. Forder, the great cabmaker, and elicited from him much valuable information. When you ride alone in a cab you should always sit in one of the corners, so that in the event of the horse stumbling you have the pillar on which the door is hung to prevent you from falling out of the vehicle; and, similarly, when there are two people in a cab, they should both be ready to take advantage of this safeguard. Of course, the interview was a surprise to Mr. Chamberlain's accident, and the manufacturer expressed surprise that the official secretary did not know how to sit in a cab. Now that the general public are enlightened on this subject, we shall miss the formerly common sight of a solitary rider balanced with a kind of nervous pride in the direct middle of the seat—Pall Mall Gazette.

son to believe that a full enumeration was not secured, while there has been a further development of the industry within the two years since 1900. We would encourage the placing of these factories, but we would so restrain the gathering for their benefit as to leave us hope for the future. Under careful harvesting the supply increases and improves, but now the advent of a factory is speedily followed by the destruction of every bed within reach. It is true that the posting of private waters does not secure protection from the hand of the spoiler by night and by day; it is true that the factory makes no inquiry as to its source of supply; and it is plain that oysters illegally taken are stolen goods within the law, and both the robber and the receiver can be punished. Moreover, where property is insecure, the motive for planting and care is lacking, and Florida will soon be as bare of oysters as her sister States if the law on the book is not enforced. We call the attention of sheriffs to the law, we invoke the help of Commissioner Dewitt, and we note that the governor has a duty in the premises which we hope he will not ignore when the facts in the case are brought to his attention. The matter is one of importance to all our people, and every encouragement should be given the planting and care of the bivalve that has grown to be a necessity as well as a luxury to all—Florida Times-Union.

Goldenberg's. Ladies' Aprons. 12 1/2c. These accompanying chapters will prove of deepest interest—for they tell of the many bargain chances that come to this alert store. We hold it as the plain duty of 'The Dependable Store' to be invariably lowest. It is the keynote of our whole business. Low prices here DO NOT mean poor quality—but the best for the least.

Tomorrow's Household Replenishing Sale. You can get the house's fall and winter needs ready now. An easy way is paved by this sale of Household Furnishings and Kitchen Supplies. Our forethought has gathered extraordinary values that are possible to offer at minimized prices.

- Best quality Mason Fruit Jars, choice of pints or quarts, 1 doz. in box, with rubbers..... 48c
2-quart, as above, dozen..... 60c
Extra quality Crystal Glass Water Tumblers..... 2 1/2c
1000 double-thick Dinner Plates, worth 10c..... 5c
Stone China Cups and Saucers, per pair..... 5c
Double-thick Meat and Vegetable Dishes, Choice..... 5c
Stone China Meat Dishes, with large size..... 10c
150 Decorated Toilet Sets, with covered Jar, Special..... \$1.49
White Metal Tea Spoons, will not tarnish, Special, each..... 1c
Galvanized Iron Wash Tubs, worth 50c, for..... 39c
Giltware Sham Holders, will fit any bed..... 19c
Giltware Lace Curtain Stretcher, with clamp ends, nickel-plated pins, with easel steel centers..... \$1.49
Good size Copper-Bottom Wash Boilers, Special..... 59c
50-foot Cotton Clothes Lines..... 5c
White Metal Table Spoons, will not tarnish..... 2c
Large size Tin Ham Boilers with cover..... 25c

- Granite Ware, 10c. (Worth 15c.) Hanging Soap Dishes, Pie Plates, Cake Pans, 1-qt. Cups, Soup Ladles, Gallon Measures, Comb Cases, Soup Skimmers, Lipped Saucepans, Baby Food Cups.
Granite Ware, 19c. (Worth 25c.) Covered Buckets, 1-qt. Novelty Measures, Griddle Cake Pans, Lipped Preserving Kettles, large Cake Pans, with tubes, Milk Pans, Colanders, Wash Basins, etc.
Granite Ware, 25c. (Worth 35c.) Seamless Covered Saucepans, 3-qt. Covered Buckets, 4-qt. Lipped Saucepans, 1-qt. Tea Kettles, 3-qt. Preserving Kettles, large Chambers, extra large Frying Pans, extra large Wash Basins.

- Art Department. Regular 30c Spachtel Bureau Scarfs, and Pillow Shams to match—in new and showy patterns. Tomorrow..... 25c
Another lot of Spachtel Bureau Scarfs, Shams to match. Finer quality and beautiful patterns. Tomorrow..... 49c
Battenberg Thread..... 2 1/2c spool
Battenberg Rings..... 2 1/2c dozen
Battenberg Braid, 36 yards..... 25c
New Laces. Regular 5c German Torchon Laces, in a splendid assortment of new patterns, offered tomorrow for..... 1 1/2c
Special lot of new Venice Laces, in handsome patterns. Regular 15c and 19c qualities, for..... 12 1/2c
Fresh, new assortment of Torchon, Point de Paris, and Medici Laces, up to 4 inches wide. Beautiful styles. Regular 8c and 10c qualities, for..... 3 1/2c
Ribbons. No. 5 Satin-back Black Velvet Ribbons, usually sold at 12 1/2c yard, offered tomorrow for only..... 7 1/2c
No. 7 Satin-back Black Velvet Ribbons, usually sold at 11c yard, offered tomorrow for..... 11c
Satin Taffeta Ribbons, the non-crushable sort; also splendid line of moire Ribbons, both in white and all the wanted shades; 4 1/2 inches wide; regular price, 29c yard. For Monday's selling..... 19c

- Bedwear. Things that the house will need almost immediately. By buying them now you'll save handsomely. You'll pay considerably less now than later, because of the advanced buying game we command of the lines at special prices. Monday will find this third floor section the center of interest among housekeepers.
Fine Quality Satin-covered Comforts, extra heavy quality. Scroll-stitched quilted on best pure white laminated cotton. Regular \$5.99, \$3 quality, for..... \$1.69
Heavy-weight Wool Blankets, soft fleeced quality. Full double bed size. Pair, only..... 98c
100 pairs of 14-White Cotton Blankets, finished with bound edges and colored borders. Per pair..... 48c
Two cases of 11-4 Double Bed Blankets, one each of white and gray; have colored borders. Soft and fleecy. 69c Special price..... 48c
A case of 11-4 Double Bed White Wool Blankets, with blue or red borders. Special price..... \$2.48
Linens. Irish Satin Damask, two yards wide, full bleached, fine and heavy; every fiber pure linen; all new patterns, with open border effect. Actual value, 75c yard. Special for a day, yard..... 59c
Special lot of 5-8 size Dinner Napkins, cream German Damask; all pure linen; in neat dice patterns; fast selvage edges; both sides. Instead of \$1 dozen, to go for..... 79c
200 dozen Bleached Huck Towels (size 19x40 inches); heavy woven red borders; hemmed; ready for use; full of wear and satisfaction. To go, each..... 9c
10 pieces extra heavy Cream German Table Damask, made of the hard twisted thread; about four times the weight of the ordinary damask, consequently four times the wear. Line of good patterns to choose from. Instead of 66c yard—extra special, per yard..... 52c
Rugs. A purchase of 1,000 genuine Smyrna Rugs, closed out from John Bromley & Sons—on sale tomorrow. Much less than usual to pay because we took all the maker had of certain patterns. Choice and effective colorings in great variety. A chance to brighten up the home for fall at little expense.
Good size ones for 69c. Size 26x52 for \$1.39. Size 30x60 for \$1.69. Size 36x72 for \$2.48. Size 4 ft. x 7 ft. for \$3.18. Size 6x9 ft. for \$8.98. Size 8x10 ft. for \$14.00. Size 9x12 ft. for \$19.00.
Embroideries. You have very little to pay for pretty new Embroideries tomorrow. We are going to give you the balance of that importer's surplus stock in these two lots. Note that the styles are the most desirable—the patterns of the faintest designing, and the widths just what you want.
Beautiful Nainsook, Swiss, and Cambric Embroideries, Edgings, and Insertings, included are Readings in large variety of styles; designs of every sort—handsome, designs of the season; quantities sold at 15c and 19c—for..... 9 1/2c

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Sheets, Pillow Cases and Domestic. A special occasion—freighted with money-saving possibilities far out of the ordinary. Prices are lowered because we thought and planned far enough ahead to arrange and control advantages possible then, but impossible now.
500 pieces of light-colored Outing Cloth, in pink, blue, and oxblood stripes. Specialty desirable for undergarments and shirts. Monday's leader at..... 7c
200 dozen 51x90 Unbleached Sheets, full double bed size. Hand torn and ironed. Monday's leader at..... 35c
75 pieces of 9-quarter Unbleached Sheeting; full width for double beds. Monday's leader, yard, at..... 12 1/2c
500 pieces of newest fall Flannel-ettes, in latest stripes, figures, and pelka dots. Colors include green, blue, red, tan, gray, and lavender. Monday's leader at..... 10c
54x90 Columbia Sheets, full size for single beds; hand torn and ironed. Monday's leader at..... 32c
500 dozen 45x26 Pillow Cases. Regular size; good quality. Monday's leader at..... 9c
200 dozen 51x90 Columbia Sheets, hand torn and ironed. Full double-bed size. Monday's leader at..... 44c
200 dozen 72x90 Columbia Sheets, full size for three-quarter beds; hand torn and ironed. Monday's leader at..... 39c
50 pieces of Feather-proof Fancy Ticking, in a variety of patterns, including blue, red, and tan stripes. Monday's leader at..... 14 1/2c

TAKING THE CENSUS OF THE CITY'S DOGS. Troubles of the Canine Cavalry Many and Trying.

LADY WITH PET PUG IN TEARS. People Who Complain Because Their Neighbors' Animals Have Not Been Enumerated—Police Must Enforce the Law Despite All Obstacles.

The troubles of the United States Census are not worse, the local police say, than those encountered in taking the dog census of the District. The law requires that every dog shall be registered by a number and a tax of \$2 paid by its owner once every year. And one of the numerous duties of the guardians of the law is to see that this act of Congress is rigidly enforced.

In order to do this the policeman must make a house-to-house canvass of the entire city once or twice a year to find out those families which keep dogs. The canvass is taking place now in some portions of the city.

All Kinds of Obstacles. The policemen in making the canvass are confronted with all kinds of obstacles. An officer will call at the residence of a person and ask if he has any dogs that have not the necessary tag; he receives "no" for answer, and at the same time there may be two or three dogs away back in some obscure place impossible for the officer to see. He politely asks the party his name, and in the meantime takes the number of the house.

Several weeks, or possibly months, after this some nearby neighbor who has paid his tax for the maintenance of a dog sees his friend with several dogs and not paying the necessary tax, and becomes very indignant. The matter is reported to the police for investigation.

"No Dog," Policeman's Book Says. The policeman who canvassed that house during the siege is assigned to the case. He merely consults his memorandum book. Casting his eye down the

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The idea of my dear little doggie having to put a collar on its neck! It is really cruel. I will not have it." The bluecoat is persistent, and reads several copies of the law, which convinces her that Uncle Sam's rule must be complied with.

MAJOR ARMES SUES ATTORNEY FULTON. Brings Action Against His Alleged Assailant's Counsel to Recover on Judgment.

Major George A. Armes has taken another step in the legal controversy out of which grew the shooting affair at "Fairfield," in which he was wounded by J. Roland Johnson. Yesterday in Justice of the Peace H. E. Paine's court in Georgetown he instituted suit against Creed M. Fulton to recover the sum of \$275. Mr. Fulton is the attorney for Johnson.

Major Armes claims direct damages in the sum of \$150. He states that in answer to interrogatories served on Mr. Fulton for the purpose of attaching funds alleged to be in his hands and belonging to Mr. Johnson, against whom Major Armes had secured judgment for \$125, Mr. Fulton stated that he had none. Major Armes claims that Mr. Fulton had funds belonging to Johnson and that through Mr. Fulton's answers he has sustained a direct loss of the above stated amount.

Seek to Partition Estate. Henry G. Bergling and William John Bergling have filed suit against Eleanor Nolte and Louisa Nolte for the purpose of making a partition of the estate of the late Henry Bergling. The property involved consists of Nos. 614 and 612 Fifth Street northwest, 1124 Seventh Street northwest, and 1215 Seventh Street northwest, aggregating a value of about \$20,000. John L. Cassin is named as counsel for the petitioners.

TO MAKE INQUIRY INTO AMERICAN CONDITIONS. Commission of Englishmen to Study Labor.

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