

WHY IS IT?

(Continued from last week's advertisement.)

We contend that most people make their own hard times by spending their money without thought, without knowing the value of the articles bought, and the prices they can be bought for at cash. They buy all stores are alike in one respect, that is they charge all they can get, and the poor or those who have little money have to pay the highest prices. This is true when those people get a little money ahead and step into the first store and buy without being posted on prices, or take a book and have the goods charged, at any price. We will quote some prices on goods we sell and give the regular prices which the same goods sell at elsewhere:

Madras Silks, our price 35c; regular price 50 to 60c a yard.

French Organdie Lawns, our price 12 1/2c; regular price 35c a yard.

Black and Fancy Organadines, our price 10c; regular price 20 to 25c a yard.

China Silks, in dark and light colors, our price 25c; regular price 35c a yard.

Jacquard Lawns, colored, our price 8c; regular price 15c a yard.

40in Worsteds Dress Goods, our price 15c; regular price 25c a yard.

Double Fold Dress Goods, our price 6 1/2c; regular price 10c a yard.

Double Fold Dress Goods, our price 8c; regular price 15c a yard.

Yard wide Percales, 5 and 6 1/2c a yard; regular price 15c.

The above are some of the bargains we offer in our Dress Goods Department to show the saving that can be made on them. Our stock is large, new and well selected.

Ribbons, Laces and Notions Department.

Dotted silk net veillings, in large assortment at 10c a yd; regular price 25c a yd.

100 yd spool thread, best quality, at 6 1/2c a spool; regular price 10c.

200 yd spool linen thread, best quality, at 5c a spool; regular price 10c.

Beauty Pins, 1, 3 and 5c; regular price 5, 8 and 10c.

Extension metal bag tops at 10c; regular price 25c.

Ladies' rubber gloves at 25c; regular price \$1.25.

Flag brooch pins 1c; regular price 10c.

Pearl, Jet and Steel hat and dress buckles, 5 to 25c; regular price 10 to 50c.

Garter Elastic, 3 and 5c a yd; regular price 5 and 10c a yd.

Laces, 1, 2, 3 and 5c a yd; regular price 2, 5, 8 and 10c a yd.

No. 40 to 60 all silk ribbon at 15, 19 and 25c a yd; regular price 35 to 50c a yd.

Corsets of all kinds, at 25 to 33 per cent off regular prices.

Wash and colored under-skirts, at 50c on the dollar.

The McCall Bazar Patterns at only 10c and 15c each. The equal of any in the city in style, cut, beauty and fit.

Men's soft dress shirts at 25, 35, 50 and 75c; regular price 35, 50, and \$1.

Men's Percal shirts, 2 collars and pair cuffs, at 75 and \$1.00; regular price 75, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Boys' Never Rip neck pants at 28 to 75c; regular price 40c to \$1.00.

Fur hats for men and boys, spring styles, at 50c on the dollar.

Shoes for Ladies, Misses, Children, Men and Boys at 25 to 50 per cent off regular prices.

Wall Paper at 2 1/2, 4, 6 1/2, 8 and 10c a bolt; regular price 5 to 20c a bolt.

CARPETS AND RUGS. Ingrain Carpets at 25, 30, 35 and 45c a yard; regular prices 33, 40, 50 and 55c a yard. All Wool Ingrain at 49, 50 and 55c a yard; regular price 60, 65 and 75c a yard. We make and lay fine carpets at a saving from 5, 10 and 15c a yd.

35 and 35c matings at 19 and 20c a yd.

Curea Medicated Soap at 10c a cake; regular price 25c.

Extracts Vanilla and Lemon at 5c a bottle; regular price 15c a bottle.

Wash Blue at 2, 3 and 5c a box; regular price 5, 8 and 10c.

Roasted Coffee in bulk at 10, 12 1/2 and 15c a lb; regular price 15, 18 and 25c.

Bulk Baking Powder at 5c a lb; regular price 25c.

Our Hottest laundry soap at 2c a cake; regular price 3c a cake.

Pearl Tapioca at 5c a lb; regular price 8c.

Granulated lye at 5c a box; regular price 10c.

Gold Starch at 5c a package; regular price 10c.

Fine quality Tea at 40 and 50c a lb; regular price 75 and 80c.

Cove oysters 6 1/2c a can; regular price 10c.

We have many bargains like the above; in fact, everything we sell is made at bargain prices. Count the per cent you save by buying from us. It pays big profits to you instead of you paying them to others. Think more of yourself than to give money away without value. The insane cry of poor goods, low prices, doesn't go here. It is good goods and low prices. We are the goods and guarantee them as we represent them, and if they don't prove so, come and get your money back. No misrepresentation. Everything open and ready for your inspection. No excuse for paying high prices on the score of quality, we have the quality at low prices. Come and see us and we will convince you that your money will get full value every time. New bargains every week at

Hutchinson's Bargain Store
169 Front Street.
Marietta, Ohio

SOME MONTE CARLO BLOUSES

A CAPTIVATING MISS FROM ENGLAND WHO WEARS THEM

A Little Miss Nobody Captivates the Beau.

ONE of the prettiest little bits of femininity that I have ever seen is a little English girl here at Monte Carlo. She is just a little Miss Nobody, whose papa has neither rank nor social position, but she has that which will buy both—she has wealth. Whether it was made in soap, in glue, in tallo or other marketable commodity equally as obnoxious to English society I am unable to state, but there can be no doubt that her beauty or her wealth, or both, are buying her a social position very rapidly. And the big, florid papa who is here with her stands idly by and watches it all, and is evidently well pleased with her success. All of the eligible beaux in the place have been captivated, and she is leading



Pretty Blouses Seen at Monte Carlo.

ing each one of them a merry race. One finds her everywhere; on the drives, in the parks, on board the yachts and at the gambling tables, where she loses her father's money in the most reckless fashion, but she seems not to care in the least, and is even more pleased than she is when by some odd chance she wins.

The thing that attracted my attention to the young lady most of all was her gown. She seems to have a new one for every day, and no one knows better how to wear them than she does. They are the most startling creations the dressmakers of Europe could turn out, and yet all of them are becoming to her, and she wears them with the grace of a queen.

She Wears the Newest and Prettiest Blouses.

Of her clothing nothing attracted my attention so much as the pretty blouses she wears. She seemed to have an infinite variety of them, and everyone seemingly more beautiful than the others. It has been but a few weeks since rumor had it that the blouse was to be discarded for the spring and summer seasons, but rumor was wrong.

But of some of my little English lady's pretty blouses. One which I saw but once was composed primarily of black and white, with revers of rose pink with corded edges, and a tucked vest and collar band to match.

Another pretty one, seen like the first, but once, was of ivory silk, with lines of faggy black and white silk ribbon, with a fringed border to simulate a bolero effect to outline the little epaulettes on the shoulder and to give a finishing touch to the double-kilted frills in the front, and the long, looped bow which fastens the waistband at one side.

The Possibilities of Black and White are Again Displayed.

In another of the possibilities of black and white are again displayed. In this one white moire was striped narrowly with black satin, which in its turn was patterned with wee white flowers. Then to border the slightly pouched fronts, where they open over a neckband of tucked white satin, there is a band of jetted net, outlined with a ruffling of white chiffon. It had a deep collar formed of black lisse, embroidered in an openwork leaf design, and edged with jet and chiffon, while turned over this came wide revers of the same transparent fabric, with a border of the pointed leaves coming beyond the whiteness of the chiffon ruche. The black and white of this might have been used as half mourning, but I am sure it was not so intended; and, indeed, it was so charming that it would have been too bad to have limited its beauty to only the one use.

Still another blouse that I have seen here, but which is not worn by the same person, is of pale mauve foulard patterned with white flowers for the material, being made in the bolero form, short to the waist at the back and sides, and with somewhat longer rounded fronts; while it is all outlined with a band of white satin, crossed by an array of tiny stitched strappings of mauve silk. The sleeves were quite plain at the shoulders, but a becoming

width was given to the slender figure by a scalloped collar of tucked white silk edged with stitched strappings of mauve satin, and disclosing an under collar of foulard with a combined white and mauve trimming. To this was added an underserv of white satin, where little diamond buttons were abling out, and a cascade of white shiflon, and yellowish lace, and this extravagant design in a blouse is complete.

A Novelty in Wraps in Mauve Cream Taffeta.

Something that is new in the line of wraps was seen here a few days ago. It was an elegant affair of mauve cream shot taffeta, covered with cream lace. While, strictly speaking, it is a cape and having that appearance, at front

Sheriff's Sale.

R. J. Stevenson, Plaintiff, vs. Mary Dutton, et al. Defendants.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the Court of Common Pleas, of Washington County, Ohio, in the above entitled action, and to me directed, I will offer for sale, at public auction, at the door of the Court House, in the City of Marietta, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH, 1899, at 10 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit: Situated in Washington County, State of Ohio, Township of Arcadia, and bounded on the north by the lands of Robert E. Smithson, thence North to the County line, thence East along the County line to the lands of H. E. Clinton, thence South to the County line, thence West to the place of beginning, containing 57 acres more or less and being situated in Sec. 16, Town 5, Range 5, Reserving and excepting, however, all the coal, petroleum, rock or carbon oil in and under the said lands, together with all the rights and appurtenances thereunto in anywise appertaining, and as much of the surface as may be necessary for engines, boilers, machinery, derricks and tanks required in said mining purposes, provided, however, that the use of said premises for mining purposes be not to interfere unnecessarily with cultivation thereof.

Appraised at \$550. Terms Cash. J. S. McCallister, Sheriff of Washington County, Ohio. Jno. A. Hamilton, Attorney. May 9th, 1899 - 2 weeks.

NOTICE.

George W. Dearth, whose place of residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Lulu Dearth did on the 25th day of April, 1899, file her petition in the office of the Clerk of Court of the Common Pleas, within and for the County of Washington and State of Ohio, charging the said George W. Dearth with wilful absence for three years last past, with failure to furnish necessary support, and with adultery with parties unknown; and asking that she be divorced from said George W. Dearth and be restored to her maiden name, which petition will be for hearing at the September term of said Court, 1899.

LULU L. DEARTH, By W. G. Way, her Attorney. April 29th, 1899 - 6 wks.

Township Road Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Board of Marietta Township, Washington County, Ohio, at their meeting to be held at the office of Clerk, Marietta, Ohio, May 24th, A. D. 1899, for the establishment of a township road on the following line, to-wit: Beginning at the residence of Philomen McYoung in Marietta Township, and running through lands of Samuel Hoesel, William Lyle and William Palmer, to the township road in Road District No. 8, and near the residence of John Seewers in Marietta Township, Washington County, Ohio.

PHILEMON McYOUNG, Ptn. Petitioner. April 28, 1899.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of the intent of the City of Marietta, Ohio, to make application to the Secretary of War for permission to build a bridge across the Muskingum River, in said City.

Provision showing the proposed location of said bridge will be on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, subject to the inspection of any persons who may be interested therein.

CARL BECKER, Clerk of the City of Marietta, Ohio. April 29, 1899.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of John J. Peterson, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the Estate of John J. Peterson, late of Washington County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of April, A. D. 1899.

ARTHUR PEPPERSON, Underwood & Ludey, Attorneys. Apr. 28, 1899.

Excursions to Columbus.

We respectfully call the attention of the public in general to the following excursions to Columbus, via the T. & O. C. E. R. R. at one fare for the round trip:

Knights of Pythias of Ohio Grand Lodge, May 23-25.

American Medical Association, June 6-9.

P. S. C. E. Ohio State Association, June 27-30.

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Trains Arrive at and Depart from Union Station.

ARRIVE.	WESTWARD.	DEPART.
8:08 a.m.	Athena, Chillicothe, Cincinnati, Marietta, Louisville, Lexington, West, South and West.	11:45 p.m.
12:05 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	8:00 a.m.
3:43 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	10:00 a.m.
7:05 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	11:30 p.m.
7:05 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	11:30 p.m.
8:30 a.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	Local.
7:05 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	Local.
12:05 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	Local.
3:43 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	Local.
7:05 p.m.	Bellevue, Athens, Chillicothe, Marietta, Lexington, West, South and West.	Local.

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OHIO RIVER RAILROAD.

Time Card in Effect Feb'y 12th, 1899. Eastern Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND.		SOUTH BOUND.	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Williamstown	7:35 a.m.	Williamstown	9:35 a.m.
Doyle	8:00 a.m.	Doyle	10:00 a.m.
Chillicothe	8:30 a.m.	Chillicothe	10:30 a.m.
Marietta	9:00 a.m.	Marietta	11:00 a.m.

MARIETTA & COLUMBUS SHORT LINE

Toledo & Ohio Central Ext'n.

Time Table in Effect July 3rd, 1899. Central Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND.		SOUTH BOUND.	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Marietta	7:20 a.m.	Marietta	9:20 a.m.
Chillicothe	8:00 a.m.	Chillicothe	10:00 a.m.
Doyle	8:30 a.m.	Doyle	10:30 a.m.
Williamstown	9:00 a.m.	Williamstown	11:00 a.m.

ANNUAL MEETING

American Medical Association.

COLUMBUS, OHIO.

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