

The March Sales Are Sweeping Through the Bon Marche

Bringing in Their Wake Countless Economies in Spring Goods

130 NEW \$19.50 TO \$35.00 SILK DRESSES

at \$13.95



Beautiful Spring models in Silk Crepe de Chine, Crepe Poplin, Charmeuse, Eoliennes, Messalines and Chiffon Taffetas.

All made in the latest accepted modes—with tunic fold tiers and draped skirts, with bodices prettily trimmed with dainty laces and chiffon. Both high neck and low neck styles—whichever you prefer, and a lovely array of new spring shadings and color combinations to choose from.

We will have all sizes for both women and misses when this sale starts—can't say how long the range will be complete—for there is going to be a big rush for them at \$13.95.

NEW \$2.00 AND \$2.50 VOILE AND LINGERIE WAISTS AT \$1.59

Chic and smart models in Spring Waists that are really worth \$2.00 and \$2.50. Choose from lingerie, voile or marquisette, made from lingerie or short sleeves or drop shoulders. Some have high necks, others low necks with fluffy ruffles, trimmed with laces, insertions, tucks and embroidered.

New Silk Petticoats at \$1.69

A splendid opportunity to secure new Silk Petticoats at a ridiculously low price. They're made in the newest styles: have the deep accordion plaited flounce, and come in black, white and all the newest spring shades—both plain and changeable colors.

\$1.50 & \$2 Tub Dresses 95c

Extraordinary values in splendid Tub Dresses of gingham and linen. They're shown in all the best colors, checks, plaids, stripes, mixtures and plain effects; neatly trimmed with contrasting colors or embroidery and buttons. Low neck with collars, short sleeves.

THE MARCH SALE OF ALLOVER LACES & NETS

Deeply Cut Prices for a Day—on Pretty Laces and Nets for the Trimming of Your Easter Gown

Handsome 50c and 75c Bretonne and Point d'Esprit Nets for 39c

New Cotton Bretonne and Point d'Esprit Nets, 36 and 72 inches in width. Shown in white, cream and ecru. Extra fine quality. Wednesday, 39c a yard.

\$1.75 and \$2.98 Shadow and Net Lace Flouncings Priced, a Yard \$1.49

Shadow and Net Lace Flouncings in white, cream and black—18, 27 and 45 inches in width. A variety of designs in shadow effects to choose from. \$1.49 a yard.

\$1.98 to \$3.25 Shadow Lace Flouncings, Special at a Yard \$1.69

Beautiful Silk Shadow and Net Lace Flouncings, 18, 27 and 45 inches in width. Shown in new shadow work patterns, in white, cream and black. A yard, \$1.69.

25c and 50c Camisole Laces, Specially Priced at a Yard 19c

New Shadow Camisole Laces for corset covers—finished with single or double ribbon beading edges—assorted patterns to select from. 25c and 50c values at 19c a yard.

THE MARCH SALE OF BOOKS AND STATIONERY

50c ROVER BOYS' SERIES FOR YOUNG AMERICANS 35c, OR 3 COPIES \$1.00

Splendid Books for boys are the Rover Boys' series—500 copies in all at 35c, or 3 copies for \$1.00. Here are a few titles:

THE ROVER BOYS DOWN EAST. THE ROVER BOYS IN THE AIR. THE ROVER BOYS ON THE GREAT LAKES. THE ROVER BOYS IN THE JUNGLE.

THREE BOOKS OF 50c FICTION 39c BY MYRTLE REED, SPECIAL AT 39c

Three good books, very entertaining stories, by Myrtle Reed. Regularly 50c, special 39c copy. The Master Violin—A love story in a musical atmosphere.

A Spinner in the Sun—A splendid story that every one likes. Lavender and Old Lace—A story full of tenderness and delightful humor.



FANCY INITIALED BOXED STATIONERY AND CORRESPONDENCE CARDS AT HALF

Odds and ends from broken lines of Stationery, with slightly soiled boxes, in these letters: A, D, C, F, G, I, N, P, M, O, J, Q, Y, Z.

50c BOXES CARDS, 25c 25c BOXES CARDS, 13c 25c EMBOSSED PAPER, 18c 35c EMBOSSED PAPER, 13c

March Sale Specials From Several Sections

For Men's 75c Laundered Shirts 55c

Made of good material, in neat patterns, coat style, with cuffs attached. A large assortment, worth 75c, for 55c each.

For 25c Lace and Net Plaiting 15c

Splendid quality Plaiting in cream and white, both plain net and shadow lace, with scalloped edges, 15c a yard.

Men's 8 1-2c and 10c Socks, Pair 5c

Men's 8 1-2c and 10c seamless Cotton Socks, in black, tan and gray. Not over 12 pairs to each. —Lower Main Floor.

50c and 75c Neckwear Special at 35c

Embroidered Swiss Dutch Collars, fichus of net and lace, lace stocks with jabots, and lily collars, 35c. —Upper Main Floor.

"ONYX" SAMPLE HOSE—MOSTLY 50c VALUES

—25c— PAIR

Women's "Onyx" sample Stockings, 1,200 pairs in all, mostly 50c values, in plain cotton, plain silk hose, 18se thread, lace dovetails. Sizes 1/2 to 10. Choose from white, black, tan, pink and blue.

MARCH SALE OF BED

7 1/2c American Calicoes, 25 inches wide, lengths to 20 yards; light and dark shades. 5c 25c Kindergarten Cloth, 30 inches wide, fine quality; lengths to 10 yards; in neat patterns. 12c 15c Walzing and Shirring Madras, 32 inches wide, lengths to 20 yards, with woven cord and neat printed designs. 12c 15c Fancy Crepes, for kimonos and costumes, 20 inches wide, in all the new colors. 12c 25c Crepe Pleats, for dresses, waists and kimonos; full 30 inches wide. 19c

ING AND DOMESTICS

Minaret and Rice Novelties, Crepe, 30 inches wide, in all the new, handsome patterns and pretty colors. 25c 50c Bleached Bed Sheets, size 72x90 inches, made from good weight muslin with flat center seams. 35c 75c Bleached Bed Sheets, made from round thread sheeting; size 66x90 and seamless. 50c 10c Pillow Cases, size 42x36 inches, medium weight, neatly hemmed, each. 8c 15c Crocheted Bed Spreads, good, heavy, firm quality; full double size, with Marcelline pattern. 1.29

WOMEN'S \$1.00 "FOREST MILLS" UNION SUITS

—50c— EACH

"Seconds" of Forest Mills Union Suits, style No. 0350; summer weight. Two styles, with low neck, no sleeves. Sizes 34 to 44, low neck and wing sleeves, sizes 34 to 38, with close fitting knees.

BOALT IS TAGGED! DID THE LADIES GET TO YOU YET?

By Fred L. Boalt. A young girl of 15, perhaps, stood in front of the courthouse at noon today. She halted me when I came out: "The top o' the mornin'! And don't you want to buy a shamrock to help the poor orphans?" I learned later that the Orilla orphanage gets the money. "No!" I said. "I don't!" "I admitted I had one. 'Young?' " "Six—going on seven." "I got two," said the driver of the grocer's wagon. "And when that little girl asked did I want to buy a shamrock, I said, 'You bet!' and I bought two. I'd buy a dozen if I had the money on me." "You can buy a thousand for all I care," I retorted with heat. "Suppose you was to die!" he pressed the attack. "Suppose I was to die! We'd be glad to know that some one was going to look after our kids, wouldn't we? You heard her say it was for the poor orphans, didn't you? Then what's the idea?" Presented in this light, my calloused indifference assumed the proportions of a crime. I looked about for the shamrock girl, but she was gone. The grocer's man snorted, and drove away. An hour later I was in Pioneer square. A girl stopped me. "Don't you want to buy a shamrock to help the poor orphans?" she asked. "You bet!" I said, and bought two. The girl stopped a crochety-looking man, who was in a hurry, with the same question. "No!" he snapped. "I don't!" I was mad as a hornet. Such callous indifference to the welfare of orphans is heinous. I pursued him, shouting: "Hey, you! What's the idea?"

HERE IS OUR NEW HEALTH MAN

Referring to that old adage that "familiarity breeds contempt," we gravely, and in all seriousness, rise to remark: "Tut, tut." Coming down to cases, to employ the parlance of the day, we submit that familiarity, which Webster, sycophant Noah, translates as close acquaintanceship, did not breed contempt, but brought forth our new city health commissioner, Dr. J. S. McBride. Said acquaintanceship, close, intimate, loyal, in fair weather and in stormy seasons, was had, of course, with our mayor, Hiram Charles Gill. Doctor McBride has for 11 years ridden up and down the Colman building elevator with Gill, matched car tickets with Hiram on the M-Glona car line, and worried with Hiram whenever there was any illness in the Gill family. Doctor McBride knows less about politics than the sultan of Sulu about St. Patrick's day. But he knows Hiram Gill, Hiram Gill the man, and Jonathan and David of old were a couple of pikers with that brotherly love article compared with old Hiram and Doc McBride. Together they watched the election returns when Gill was recalled. Together they rode home. Gill joshed and smiled, Doctor McBride sat gloomy and forlorn. Three years later they watched the returns, and they both smiled. So, when Hiram Gill wanted a loyal assistant to head the health department, who could better qualify than Doctor McBride?



Dr. J. S. McBride. Doctor McBride was born 40 years ago in Ontario, Canada, graduated from the Detroit College of Medicine in 1897, practiced for six years in Milwaukee, and for the past 11 years in Seattle. He is married and lives at 811 35th av., two blocks from the Gill home.

SWEDEN'S KING IS PUT ON TRIAL

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, March 17.—Gustav the Fifth, king of Sweden, is being tried by his subjects. This is the real meaning of the campaign looking to the election of a new riksdag, which is now progressing with unprecedented excitement throughout the country. He has been popularly indicted on the charge of usurpation. The specifications include overriding the constitution, disregard of the wishes of parliament, discourtesy to the cabinet, unwarranted attempts to influence legislation, and arrogance in publicly proclaiming his own private views on political questions when he knew they ran counter to those of the people, as expressed through their elected representatives. In other words, he is accused of trying to introduce into Sweden a certain well-known German brand of personal monarchy.

IT'S THE WEARING OF THE GREEN

There is a wearing of the green in Seattle today. Green neckwear, green socks, green hats, clay pipes bedecked in shiny green ribbons, and little green snakes were the prevalent marks of the celebration of St. Patrick.

Safe and sane celebrations are also on schedule. A joint entertainment under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the ladies' auxiliary and members of the Cathedral parish, will be given in Cathedral hall tonight. Dudley G. Wooten, ex-congressman from Texas, will speak.

The occasion will be fittingly celebrated at the Washington Annex tonight, where a banquet and speechmaking comprise the program.

OH, KIDS! HERE'S A REAL FRIEND

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 17.—Because of the complications involved in issuing work permits to children under the child labor law limit, uniform blanks and state-wide supervision are necessary to real enforcement of the law, according to George A. Hall, secretary of the New York child labor committee, who today delivered the principal address at the tenth annual national child labor conference, which has been in session since Sunday afternoon.

SOON WE'LL ALL GO SWIMMING

"Come on in, fellers, the water's fine!" Thus we will hear the joyous shouts of Seattle's small boys, and grown-up ones, too, with the opening of the big Luna park salt water natatorium on Saturday, March 21. The big tank has been closed for the winter.

NO, FOLKS, THIS ISN'T THE JUDGE

LOS ANGELES, March 17.—Miss Martha E. Randle, 45, millinery buyer for the Newman-Levinson Co., of San Francisco, is plaintiff today in a breach of promise action directed at John F. Humphries, 75, of Venice, in which she seeks damages amounting to \$138,085. Humphries recently was married to Mrs. Kate Fields of Venice.

800 MEN FIGHT A FOREST FIRE

ONTARIO, Cal., March 17.—After 800 men had battled all night against forest fires that have swept the canyons north of Ontario, a change of wind came to their aid at daylight, and indications are that the fire will soon be under control.

DONG TING HAS A TOUGH QUEUE

Hundreds of spectators watched Dong Ting Chen, a member of the Imperial Pekingese troupe at the Empress theatre, as the daring Chinese, suspended by his queue, slid down a wire from the top of the Cheong building into the alley back of the theatre at Spring st. Several members of the troupe were at the end of the long wire to catch the speeding Dong when he finished the dizzy slide.

CITY'S COMMERCE FALLS OFF

With the report for the month of February, Port Warden D. Thomas Davies, who will not be retained by Mayor Gill, practically winds up his duties. The report was submitted today to the city's new executive. As compared to the corresponding month a year ago, a decrease is shown in Seattle's commerce for the month of February, in both imports and exports. Imports for February showed a valuation of \$3,750,538, as compared to \$4,239,550 for the preceding February. Export values were \$2,746,945, as against \$3,583,461 for February, 1913.

FREDERICK & NELSON Store opens at 8.30 and closes at 5.30 WEDNESDAY, FIRST FLOOR

Women's Umbrellas, Special \$2.95

Two Desirable Styles, as Follows: Women's Silk Umbrellas with 8-rib, 26-inch frame and detachable handles in plain, carved and mushroom-top styles, finished with Turk's head and military tassels. Colors: black, green, navy-blue, dark-red and scarlet. Special \$2.95. Women's Black India-shape Umbrellas with Gloria silk covering, on 10-rib, 23-inch silvered frame. Detachable handles in plain and carved woods. Special \$2.95. —First Floor.

Spring Novelties in Lingerie

SECO SILK GOWNS, \$1.95 New Kimono Gowns in this soft, silky material, trimmed with dainty and serviceable linen-pattern lace, run with ribbon, and shown in a range of attractive colorings, including Mais, Rose, American Beauty, Royal-Purple, Lavender, Tango, Pink, Light-Blue and Alice-blue. NEW CREPE GOWNS, \$1.00—As pictured, dainty Kimono Gowns of Dresden-Flowered white crepe trimmed with linen pattern lace beading, ribbon-run or Irish pattern picot edge. Excellent value. SECO SILK KNICKERBOCKERS, \$1.50—These attractive knickerbockers are in every way as serviceable as those of crepe de chine, and are made with elastic finish at waist and knee. They may be had in tango, green, rose, pink, light-blue, black, Alice-blue, royal purple and American Beauty, to match the new gowns and suits. DAWN-PINK BATISTE GOWNS, \$2.75—Well-made of soft batiste in the exquisite new "dawn-pink," trimmed with Valenciennes lace insertion inset in panel effect. Very attractive. —Second Floor.



Boys' Coat Shirts 50c and \$1.00 Shadow Lace Flouncings

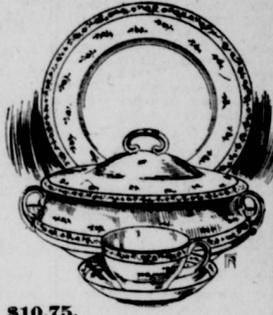
(Boys' Clothing Section, Second Floor) BOYS' well-tailored Coat Shirts of madras in serviceable colorings, also in black, blue or lavender and white stripe shirtings. Made with link-button collar attached; sizes 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2 and 14. Excellent value at 50c. Boys' French-cuff Coat Shirts with attached or detachable collars, in many neat stripe effects on white ground and including some smart effects in mercerized materials. Sizes 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2 and 14. Price \$1.00. —Second Floor. Attractive Values in these Favorite Materials: AT \$1.75 YARD—Silk Shadow Lace Flouncings in widths from 18 to 27 inches, desirable for blouses, minaret or tiered skirts and many drapery uses. An assortment of desirable patterns, moderately priced at \$1.75 yard. AT 75c YARD—Cotton Shadow Lace Flouncings, 12 to 24 inches wide, in well-selected designs appropriate for blouses and for trimming purposes. Moderately priced, 75c yard. —First Floor.

New Needlework Arrivals

Stamped Slipper Pillows, 17x38 inches, \$1.00. Stamped Linen Lunch Cloths in new designs, 45-, 54- and 72-inch sizes, \$2.00 to \$5.50. For the new 'knee-length chains—Beads in pearl, jet, seed, tango and cut glass effects. A full assortment of Tatting materials is in readiness, including Shuttles, Cottons, Instruction Books and finished models for copying. —Second Floor. White Bedspreads Special \$3.85 THE Bedding Section features two usual values Wednesday in ten styles of fine grade satin-finish White Bedspreads, one finished with scalloped edges, the other hemmed ready for use. Sizes 81x98 inches and 80x90 inches. Special \$3.85 each. Closing out 50 Hemmed Crochet Bedspreads, size 54x76, at a sharply reduced price, each, 50c. —First Floor.

The March Sale of Dinnerware

PICTURED at left, Rosenthal China Dinner Service on the favorite Donatello shape, decorated in characteristic Dresden design with lace gold edges. The set of fifty pieces, special \$19.00. 50-Piece Service. Special \$10.75—Fine grade English Porcelain, in the Granby pattern, with border effect of conventionalized corn flowers in red and blue, illustrated at right. Fifty-piece Set, service for six, special \$10.75. Separate pieces from both of these Sets are priced correspondingly-low in the March Sale. —Third Floor.



"Direct-Action" Gas Range Demonstration

THIS week the Stove Section is conducting a practical and instructive demonstration of baking, as performed with standard models of the Direct-Action Gas Range. Attend this demonstration and you will see why the Direct-Action gains enthusiastic friends wherever placed, because of its convenient design, first-class construction, sure baking results and low operating cost. The Demonstration begins at 2 o'clock and ends at 5 o'clock every afternoon. —Third Floor.

Bissell Improved Carpet Sweepers

Run so Smoothly; Do Their Work so Well; Outwear Many Brooms. THE Bissell Sweeper runs so easily that a mere touch will operate it, cleans thoroughly and confines all the dust and lengthens the life of your carpets and rugs. It does your sweeping in half the time required by the old method. There is no cleaning device at the price that approaches it for convenience and all-around utility. Bissell's Banner Sweeper, \$1.95. Bissell's Crown Jewel Sweeper, \$2.25. Bissell's Grand Rapids Sweeper with japanned trimmings, \$3.25. Bissell's Grand Rapids Sweeper with nickel trimmings, \$3.75. Bissell's Princess Sweeper, \$4.00. Bissell's American Queen Sweeper, \$4.25. Bissell's Grand Sweeper, \$5.00. —Second Floor.



THE BONMARCHE Union Street, Second Avenue, Pike Street.