

CHRISTMAS NEXT

And the Bon Marché, With Full Lines and Generous Assortments of Gift Things, Is Ready to Render SPLENDID HOLIDAY SERVICE TO THE EARLY BUYER



\$14.50 Brussels Tapestry Rugs at \$9.90 9x12 Feet

A Jobber's Surplus Stock—Just 100 Rugs in the Lot

With Rug prices mounting skyward, it is a genuine pleasure to be able to offer you 9x12 Brussels Rugs that sold at \$14.50—before prices began to rise—for \$9.90 each.

They are full room size, 9x12 feet, made of heavy Brussels Tapestry with closely woven looped wool face.

Handsome New Colorings in Oriental and Floral Designs—Useful and Excellent Gifts for the Home

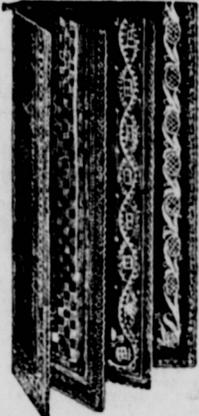
2,000 Pairs of \$1.75 Lace Curtains at —95c a Pr.—

2 1/2 and 3-Yard Lengths

Discontinued Patterns and Dropped Lines From a Well-Known Mill

By buying all this mill's dropped patterns and discontinued lines of \$1.75 Nottingham Lace Curtains (some 2,000 pairs in all), we can sell them to you at 95c a pair.

They are double-thread weave in choice designs, 40 to 54 inches wide, in white, cream and Arabian color, and they can be depended on to give good wear.



15c White Curtain Swiss 36 Inches Wide, Priced at 10c

Good quality White Curtain Swiss, 36 inches wide; this material is firmly woven and has well finished edges; in the lot there is a splendid variety of designs, both floral and conventional; a yard, 10c.

54-inch Brocaded Velvet \$1.00 a Yard That Formerly Sold at \$5.00 a Yard

Only a Limited Quantity—Better Come Early If You Want Some

Beautiful, rich Brocaded Velvets that originally sold for \$5.00 a yard. You can buy it Friday for one dollar a yard—one-fifth of the original price—as long as we have any of this lot left.

Three good shades, taupe, a rich brown and jet black.

Values Like These in Dress Silks Are Rare Indeed

\$1.25 Silk Crepe de Chine, 40 Inches Wide —79c Yd.—
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Black Dress Silks, 36-Inch —79c Yd.—
59c Plain and Fancy Dress Silks Priced at —39c Yd.—

This soft, pretty Silk has proven one of the most popular weaves; it is ideal for Waists and Underwear, in black, white and colors.

50 pieces of rich black Dress Silks: Chiffon Taffeta, heavy Satin Messaline, Peau de Soie, black Moire and lustrous Satin Duchess, a full yard wide.

About 100 pieces to select from; plain and fancy Poplins, Satin Messaline, Wash Silks, striped pieces and Imported Pongee in street and evening shades.

150 Pairs of Women's Shoes at 50c a Pr.

Sizes 2 to 4 in the Narrow Widths

The smaller, narrower sizes of several \$3.00 and \$3.50 lines.

Who ever heard of a bargain like this in Women's Shoes? There'll be one mad rush when they go out on tables at 50c a pair instead of \$3.00 and \$3.50—lace and button style, discontinued lines; sizes 2 to 4, mostly all narrow widths.

Every Sale Final—No Exchanges

Women's Warm Felt Slippers \$1 Pr.

Our line of Slippers at this price consists of a splendid variety of styles and colors; plain Slippers or those trimmed with fur, and all have flexible hand-turned soles; all sizes, 2 1/2 to 8.



500 Untrimmed Hats Going at \$1 Apiece

Hats That Were \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50 & \$3.95 a Short Time Ago



These Hats are a wonderful money's worth at only \$1.00. The lot includes many styles, all the season's newest, to be sure—soft brimmed shapes with shirred edges, large and medium size Sailors and many others.

A Real Santa Claus in the Fourth Floor Toy Shop

Be Sure and Bring the Little Folks Down Town to See Him

Odds and Ends of Dinnerware 10c Ea.

Best American Semi-Porcelain Dinnerware with wide gold band decoration. There are plenty of Plates in all sizes, but only a few of the covered dishes—so if you're looking for Covered Dishes you will have to come early to get some. Glad to deliver all orders of \$1.00 or more.

Included in the lot are:

- Dinner Plates
- Breakfast Plates
- Soup Plates
- Vegetable Dishes
- Meat Platters

10c Each

As Long as We Have Any Left to Sell

- Cups & Saucers
- Milk Pitchers
- And a Few of the Covered Dishes

On Sale From 9 A. M. to 12 Only 60c Snow White Cotton Bats For 39c Ea. 20 Bales of Snow White Cotton Bats, which weigh almost three pounds each; at this price not over two of these Bats to each customer.

THE BON MARCHE

Pike Street—Second Avenue—Union Street.

Elliott 4100.

BATTLE IS STARTED IN CONGRESS FOR BIRTH CONTROL

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Dr. Frederick H. Robinson, famous editor of the Medical Review of Reviews, and leader of the fight for birth control in the United States, announced today that as a result of the greatly discussed death of the little Bollinger baby in the German-American hospital in Chicago a national battle to secure the repeal of laws preventing birth control in America is to be started the minute congress convenes in Washington, December 6.

Dr. Robinson announced that a band of reformers has already been selected to assail the legislators when they assemble in the capitol.

"Three years ago," said Robinson today, "we were treated like criminals when we attempted to get the matter before congress. But the wide discussion of the Bollinger case has made it impossible for the law makers to ignore the subject any longer.

"The Bollinger case has no direct bearing on birth control, for the mother already had had two healthy children.

"But the publicity which the case has received has at last swept away these barriers of silence which hitherto have kept the subject of child-birth from consideration by our great American public.

"The federal law now provides a penalty of five years in prison and a fine of \$5,000 for any physician who advises a patient how to avoid child-birth.

"We have been urging the repeal of this law, but without any success.

"There is no single measure that would so positively and immediately contribute towards the happiness and progress of the human race as teaching the people the proper means of birth control.

"I have been drawn into this propaganda by my observations as a physician of the terrible suffering and misery resulting from too many children, which I have witnessed among my friends and acquaintances, and, in the early years of my practice, among my patients.

"There is not a physician who has not had many cases in his practice of families which started life well, but which became quickly demoralized, financially and physically, by children coming in too rapid succession.

"Of all civilized countries, the United States is the most reactionary in dealing with this matter.

"In Holland, information relating to family limitation is given to all married persons who seek it by doctors and nurses. The law authorizes the dissemination of such information.

"In England similar service is performed by the neo-malthusian leagues, for all those who apply, stating that they are married or about to be married."

10,000 MASONS PARTICIPATE IN CEREMONY HERE

Ten thousand Blue Lodge Masons and high officials of that order from every part of the state took part Thursday morning in a gigantic parade and ceremonies attending the laying of the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple, Pine st. and Harvard ave.

Headed by Nile Temple band of 54 pieces, and with a second band farther down in the line, the parade formed at the old temple, 2330 First ave., at 10 o'clock, winding thru the principal downtown streets to the new temple site.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Keator, of the Episcopal diocese of Seattle, was chief orator at the cornerstone laying.

The new temple will be owned by the 17 Masonic bodies of Seattle. It will represent an investment of \$200,000, and will be ready for dedication, it is expected, by next May.

Spurns Society to Become Nurse



She is the daughter of Charles Nagel, secretary of commerce and labor under President Taft, and she has eschewed the pleasures of a society leader for the hard work of a hospital nurse. Miss Nagel, who was prominent socially in Washington and St. Louis, has entered a St. Louis hospital as a first-aid nurse, where she works in apron and cap in the emergency operating room.

Levi Q. Curtis, of Omaha, and Mrs. Margaret Shreve, of Brownsville, Neb., eloped recently to the Omaha license bureau, then returned home and begged the forgiveness of their children, pleading that they were only 73 and didn't know any better.

DAILY CARTOONET



HIS HAT IN THE RING

CITY IS AFTER COMMON USER ON FOURTH AVE.

Under the plan announced several days ago in The Star, resolutions calling on Corporation Counsel Bradford to take steps looking toward the acquiring of common-user rights for the municipal cars over the tracks of the Seattle, Renton & Southern, on Fourth ave., are under way.

The city utilities committee Wednesday voted to recommend resolutions to this effect, and they will come before the council next Monday.

The new resolutions eliminate the necessity of the municipal cars running over the Seattle Electric Co. tracks, by routing them down Fourth ave. to Washington st., and thence over the old tracks of the Seattle, Renton & Southern to Second ave. The proposed loop has been eliminated.

The cars, under the new plan, will run to Second ave. over Washington st., and return the same way.

Army Favorite to Enter Society



MARGARET READ

Miss Margaret Read, daughter of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. George W. Read, and one of the most popular among the social buds who have not yet "come out," will make her first bow to Washington society Dec. 2. She will be presented at a tea dance given by Gen. and Mrs. S. B. M. Young, U. S. A., the former the grandfather of Miss Read.

GOLDEN RULE VS. PREPAREDNESS!

Dr. Sidney L. Gulick, secretary of the American branch of the World Alliance for the Promotion of International Friendship, speaking at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday night, urged the international adoption of the Golden Rule as the best means of establishing world peace.

"Love your enemies," he said. "That is the great preparedness plan."

He argued that peace might become world-wide if half the military preparedness appropriations were spent in spreading the gospel of love.

George A. Lee, Seattle attorney, spoke in favor of military get-busy-ism. "A policy of non-resistance," he said, "would be an abandonment of Christianity. Disarmament would not promote peace, but trouble and confusion."

BIG CARGO ON EVANS

A cargo of valuable gold bullion, ore, concentrates, fresh halibut, canned salmon and salt fish came into Seattle on the liner Admiral Evans Wednesday from Alaska.

FREDERICK & NELSON Christmas Gifts for Everybody

500 Yards of High-Grade Suitings Reduced to \$1.00 Yard

THE values offered in this lot are exceptional. The fabrics are all in this season's styles and colors, and include English Tweeds, Hairline Novelties, Checked Suitings, Diagonals, Homespun, Chevots and other weaves appropriate for making up into smart suits or separate skirts.

All are fifty-four inches wide. Priced for clearance at \$1.00 yard.

A CLEARING OF DRESS GOODS REMNANTS

is scheduled for Friday, offering unusual opportunities to acquire suitable lengths for women's and children's garments, in seasonable fabrics. Among the items included are

- Poplins Serges Gaberdines Broadcloths Plaids Novelty Suitings

REMNANTS OF DRESS SILKS

have also been marked at very low prices for quick clearance, and will be on sale Friday. Included will be useful lengths of Fancy Silks, Velvets, Corduroys, Chiffon Velvets, Velveteens, Crepes de Chine, Taffetas, Poplins, Satins and many other seasonable materials for garments and fancy-work purposes.

Basement Salesroom

Dress Goods Reduced

To 39c Yard

ABOUT five hundred yards of Dress Goods in the offering, including 54-inch Mixtures, Wool Crepes, Albatross and Serges (color line is broken). Exceptional values at 39c yard.

These Underpriced Offerings Make Unusual Saving Opportunities

HOUSE DRESSES in sizes 32, 34 and 36 only, sharply underpriced at 39c.

Dust Caps reduced to 5c.

House Sacques in broken lines reduced to 25c.

Middy Jackets reduced to 19c.

Broken lines of Undermuffs at sharply reduced prices.

Odd sizes in Net Brasieres reduced to 19c.

Broken lines of Neckwear in two underpriced lots—5c and 10c.

Auto Caps and Hats reduced to 10c and 45c.

A broken assortment of Ribbons, 2c and 10c yard.

Ostrich Feather Neckpieces reduced to 95c each.

Fox Neckpieces sharply underpriced at \$2.50.

Broken lines of Lace Insertion reduced to 10c bolt.

Lace Drape Veils reduced to 15c each.

Flowers for corsage bouquets reduced to 5c.

Large Hair-pins reduced to 5c each.

Hair Ornaments in broken lines, reduced to 10c each.

Machine Oil reduced to 2c bottle.

Broken lines of Art Needlework Novelties in three low-priced lots—1c, 5c and 10c.

Stamped Articles for embroidering reduced to 25c each.

Broken lines of Children's Hosiery reduced to 10c pair.

Broken lines of Children's Underwear, 15c garment.

Women's Mixed-wool Tights, broken lines, 39c.

Women's Stockings in a broken assortment, 10c pair.

Children's Union Suits, 25c garment.

Women's Evening Slippers

Reduced to \$1.85 Pair

BROKEN lines of Women's Evening Slippers, in Patent Leather, Velvets and Satins, with hand-turned soles and Louis heels, sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Sharply underpriced at \$1.85 pair.

New China Silk Waists

Special 95c

THERE are 250 of these dainty White China Silk Waists to sell at this special price. Five good styles to choose from, all with two-in-one collar and long sleeves. Special at 95c.

Black Sateen Petticoats, 60c

PETTICOATS of good quality black sateen, with deep flounces in combination tucked and ruffled effects, unusual values at 60c.

Children's Rain Capes

Special \$1.45

JUST 100 of these practical Rain Capes to sell Friday at this special price. They are in sizes 4 to 12 years, made of red or blue sateen over rubber, with attached hood. Exceptional value at \$1.45.

Broken Lines of Linens Reduced

Dresser Scarfs in 18x50-inch size, neatly embroidered and scalloped, reduced to 25c.

Lace Dresser Scarfs, Embroidered Linen Stand Scarfs and 24-inch Embroidered Linen Centerpieces in two low-priced lots—30c and 75c.

Broken lines of Fancy Linens, including Lace Scarfs in 36-, 45- and 54-inch sizes, Round Linen Table Covers, small Dolly Centers and Lace Squares, some slightly soiled, at greatly reduced prices for clearance.

Unbleached Linen and Cotton Towelings in 1-yard lengths, reduced to 5c each.

Towelings in linen, union linen and cotton qualities, in towel lengths, sharply underpriced for clearance.

Remnants of Bleached and Unbleached Damask, Bleached Union Linen and Mercerized Cotton Damask in several widths, at greatly reduced prices.

Hemmed Silver-bleached Napkins, size 18x18, good linen-and-cotton quality, reduced to 10c each.

Odd Hemmed Crochet Bedspreads of various qualities, reduced for clearance.

Unbleached Bath Towels, large size and heavy, slightly imperfect, greatly underpriced at 15c each.

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75 TRIMMED HATS Reduced to \$1 Each

THIS reduced-price collection of Women's Trimmed Hats affords an opportunity to make a decided saving. Seventy-five only in the assortment, to sell at \$1.00 each.

CHILDREN'S HATS REDUCED TO 95c AND \$1.95—

Every Child's Trimmed Hat remaining in the Basement Salesroom will be found in one or the other of these underpriced groups—95c and \$1.95.

MISSSES' SCHOOL HATS REDUCED TO 95c—

Misses' Felt Hats in desirable styles for school wear, reduced to 95c.

Curtain Marquisesettes Special 20c Yard

SHEER Mercerized-thread Marquisesettes, fine and evenly-woven, resulting in a clear and smooth fabric. Forty inches wide, in cream and ecru. Special 20c yard.

Etamine Curtains, Special \$1.35 Pair—

Etamine Curtains, soft and sheer, in mercerized finish, attractively trimmed with novelty lace edges and insertions. In ivory, cream and ecru; 2 1/2 yards long. Special \$1.35 pair.

36-Inch Cretonnes, 18 1/2c Yard—

Cretonnes in attractive Chintz effects, suitable for making fancy bags, covering boxes, for cushions, screen panels and many other purposes. Thirty-six inches wide, exceptional values at 12 1/2c yard.

Drapery Remnants: Clearance—

Many useful pieces accumulated during the season's selling, all marked at very low prices to close out quickly. Silkolines, Cretonnes, Chintzes, Scrims, Denims, Burlaps, Curtain Nets and Madras.

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