

Saturday the Last Day

We Will Discontinue Our Fire Sale Tomorrow Night

—We still have \$10,000 worth of merchandise that we are selling at less than cost. These goods are not damaged in any way. ONLY ONE DAY MORE — YOU'LL HAVE TO HURRY.

Women's and Children's Underwear & Hosiery		Underwear & Hosiery	
15c to 25c Underwear go at	9c	50c to 65c Ladies' wool or silk hose	33c
25c to 35c Underwear go at	18c	65c to 85c fine cashmere or fancy hose	48c
35c to 50c Underwear go at	25c	\$6.00 Sweaters go at	\$3.99
50c to 65c Underwear go at	33c	\$5.00 Sweaters go at	\$2.95
75c to \$1 Underwear go at	49c	\$2.00 Wash Skirts go at	89c
\$1 to \$1.25 Underwear go at	69c	\$1.50 All Wool Voles, yard	49c
\$1.50 to \$2.00 Underwear go at	98c	35c yard wide Linings yard	15c
Better grades in the same proportions.			
20c Hosiery go at pair	9c	\$1.25 Velvets yard	69c
25c Black Cat and Pony Stockings	15c	Ribbons, Embroideries, Laces, Veiling and Notions at HALF PRICE and Less.	
35c Hose for women and girls	23c		
COATS		SUITS	
\$20 to \$25 Coats go at	\$9.75	\$15 to \$20 Suits go at	\$4.95
\$25 to \$30 Coats go at	\$13.89	\$20 to \$25 Suits go at	\$9.75
		\$30 and \$35 Suits go at	\$13.95

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Molasses Cookies
One cup of molasses, one-half cup of shortening, two and one-half cups of flour; one tablespoon ginger, one tablespoon soda, two tablespoons warm milk and one teaspoon salt. Heat the molasses to boiling point, add shortening and ginger. Then put in the soda dissolved in warm milk, and the salt and flour. Proceed as for ginger snaps.

DAY AND NIGHT BUSINESS COLLEGE
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SOCIETY

Dr. Maria L. Sanford of Minnesota will be the guest of Tacoma next week, coming here from California, where she has been visiting.

Fern chapter, O. E. S., will give the first of its series of dances at Masonic temple tonight.

Mrs. Harry Phelps, 609 South Ainsworth street, will entertain members of the Edelweiss club at her home today.

Tacoma music hall will be the scene tonight of a pretty dancing party for 30 couples of the younger set.

Nesika club will meet at the home of Mrs. Alexander Thornley, 420 North Yakima avenue, Tuesday afternoon.

Fern auxiliary, O. E. S., will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Wetherby, 1141 South E street.

Miss Carolyn Gray Tripple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. le, became the bride Wednesday evening of Wilfred Lewis of Seattle, in a ceremony taking place in the First Congregational church of that city.

Miss Charlotte Levings was honored at a pretty bridal luncheon Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Hockaday, South O street. Covers for 14 were laid.

Mrs. W. E. Barnum gave a bridal shower and card party at her home on North Anderson street Thursday afternoon for Miss Clara Bryant, who will be a bride next week.

MAIDS OF HONOR AT GOULD WEDDING



Little Helen and Dorothy Gould, who acted as bridesmaids at the wedding of their aunt, Helen Gould, are being brought up by her and are the daughters of Frank Gould by his first wife.

Cynthia Grey's Answers

Two Handsome Boys of 16
Dear Miss Grey: We are two boys of 16 and are very handsome. All the girls try to flirt with us every time we are on the street. We approve of no such conduct, as we want to be nice boys and we do not wish to be forward enough with our language to tell all girls who flirt with us that we do not approve of their manners without hurting their feelings. We wish you would kindly advise us.
BLONDIE AND BRUMMEL
A—I am sorry the girls annoy you so. If you walked down the street attending to your own affairs I do not see how you would know the girls were flirting with you. If you notice them, you are as much to blame as they. I think if you will get this conceited idea that you are "handsome" out of your head you will have no more trouble.

For the Benefit of "Miss Tenderfoot"
Dear Miss Grey: The story of Paul Bunyan was told to me as follows:
He was the man who helped Puget dig the Sound. They need the ox to haul the dirt which they piled up and made Mt. Tacoma.
The tides on the Sound were caused by the ox, who twice daily drank from it. He drank so much, the water went down to the low tide mark. In this way, the water got into the habit of rising and falling twice daily.
These stories, of which there are many, are told by loggers all over the U. S.
MISS FIFTEEN.

He Met Her After the Show.
Dear Miss Grey: I am a young actor and have been playing leads for a comedy company. Two months ago I met a girl while playing in a small Utah town. This girl sent me a mush note for me to meet her after the show, which I did, and then took her home. I played in this town three nights and this girl kept after me. Since I have been away she has written repeatedly to

me; but I have not answered her. She wants me to take her out on the road and says she loves me and that if I don't come back to her and take her out she will run away and come to me. Now I don't want her to do this and I think she likes me merely because of my profession. Will you kindly advise me?
WARRIEN.
A—Just what you deserve for meeting strange girls after the show. You are as much to blame as she. Write her a note of apology, and tell her it is impossible for you to come there or for her to come to you; that you are sorry for the mistake and that she had best forget the whole affair.

In Order to Become a Nurse
Dear Miss Grey: I write in behalf of a dear girl friend of mine. She has been raised in the country and this is her last term of high school. She is 18 years old and wants to become a nurse. Will you please tell me if she must complete high school in order to become a nurse?
NELLIE.
A—A high school education is not necessary; but I would advise your friend to complete her high school education first if she can possibly do so.

COFFEE MOUSSE.
Three-fourths of a cup of strong coffee, 1 cup of sugar and 1 pint of cream, yolks of 2 eggs. Beat the eggs and sugar together, and the coffee. Cook in a double boiler 4 minutes, stirring constantly. Cool, stirring frequently. Whip the cream, mix the custard with it and freeze without stirring.

Bowels Get Weak As Age Advances

The First Necessity is to Keep the Bowels Gently Open With a Mild Laxative Tonic
Healthy old age is so absolutely dependent upon the condition of the bowels that great care should be taken to see that they act regularly. The fact is that as age advances the stomach muscles become weak and inactive and the liver does not store up the juices that are necessary to prompt digestion.

Some help can be obtained by eating easily digested foods and by plenty of exercise, but this latter is irksome to most elderly people. One thing is certain, that a state of constipation should always be avoided as it is dangerous to life and health. The best plan is to take a mild laxative as often as is deemed necessary. But with equal certainty it is suggested that cathartics, purgatives, physics, salts and pills be avoided, as they do but temporary good and are so harsh as to be a shock to a delicate system. A much better plan, and one that thousands of elderly people are following, is to take a gentle laxative- tonic like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which acts as a nearly-like nature as is possible. In fact, the tendency of this remedy is to strengthen the stomach and bowel muscles and so train them to act naturally again, when medicines of all kinds can usually be dispensed with. This is the opinion of many people of different ages, among them Mr. O. P. Miller, Baroda, Mich., who writes: "I am 80 years old and have been constipated for many years. Since receiving your sample bottle I have procured two 50c bottles and find that it is the best remedy I ever used and does just

Cynthia's Answers to Many Questions

To remove lice, or white bugs from house plants, spray with tobacco dust.

As to the meanings of the different positions of stamps, consult the reference room of the public library.

Rhode Island formerly had two capitals, Providence and Newport; but now Providence is considered the capital.

"Snuff" is a powder manufactured from tobacco and used for chewing and for inhaling through the nose.

Very often the cause for jelly remaining in a syrup substance is because cane sugar is used in the making. Always insist on the grocer giving you beet sugar.

A person serving time in the penitentiary and out on parol is entitled to take up a homestead providing he has not used this right before.

The United States ranks as third in the naval powers of the world; Great Britain taking the lead and Germany following.

To remove mud stain from a tan serge dress, make a paste of cornstarch and water; spread over the stain, and when dry, brush well.

The Panama Pacific International exposition will cover a period of nine months and thirteen days. It will open February 20 and close December 4, 1915.

James D. Sherman of Utica, N. Y., was vice president under Taft. T. R. Marshall of North Manchester, Ind., will hold the position under President Wilson.

The first blast furnace erected in this country was at Lynn, Mass., in 1642. It turned out a small round bottomed kettle with a cover, probably the first stove of any description made in this country.

In tropical countries the banana is made into flour, it taking the place of wheat and corn. It is said that one-third of the world's population depend on it for food. String, soap and clothing are also made from different portions of it.

ABOUT WOMEN

The grass widow defines marriage as ceremony, parsimony, acrimony and alimony.

A woman who has a sense of humor is as great a disappointment to her own sex as a woman in perfect health.

Life never looks altogether unattractive to the woman who has just spent the afternoon at the beauty parlor.

Women think men have no right to have the blues. They regard that privilege as exclusively feminine.

How often we put to the gossip: "What else do you know instead of 'HOW do you know'?"

COFFEE JELLY.

A jelly is always a pretty and a delicate addition to any menu. Often it can be made beforehand so that it will be ready to serve without trouble. To make coffee jelly, take 1-2 box of gelatine, soaked 1-2 hour in 1 cup of cold water. Then add 3 cups of boiling coffee. Cool in a mold. Serve with whipped cream and sugar.

Exquisite Draperies for the Changed Feminine Figure



By Maybelle Mortimer

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Strictly plain skirts will be seen very little in spring modes.

Even the "tailor-mades" will have a suspicion of drapery somewhere about them.

This "tucker" which looks like a waist or chemise drawn up about the low neck with a string has leaped into popularity since it was first used by Doucet early in the fall.

Notice the pleats at the high waist-line. This is a feature of many of the new gowns. In most cases, however, they are stitched on flat.

This dress was worn at a recent opening at the Vaudeville theater, Paris, by one of the most popular French actresses.

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