

# Specimen Economies from Rhodes JANUARY WHITE SALE



ITEMS CHOSEN AT RANDOM, here and there, safe indexes of the great excellences of this most remarkable sale, as well as of the remarkable economies it presents.

Yet it is not the prices alone, low though there are, but the fact that every garment in the sale is fully of Rhodes' high standards that is most impressive.

- They are well made.
- They are attractive in appearance.
- They are daintily trimmed.
- They are of fine—EXCEPTIONAL—materials.
- They are well proportioned, including extra sizes.
- They have unusual refinement in design and style.

These are some of the things you may expect to find, and find surprisingly good, when you come here tomorrow:

Night Dresses, 55c, 65c, 85c, 95c, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.85, \$2.25, \$2.45, \$2.75, \$2.95, \$3.25, \$3.75 and \$3.95.

Combination Garments, 55c, 85c, 95c, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.85, \$2.25, \$2.45, \$2.75, \$2.95, \$3.25 and \$3.75.

Corset Covers, 15c, 25c, 35c, 55c, 65c, 85c, 95c and \$1.35.

Drawers, 15c, 25c, 35c, 55c, 65c, 85c, 95c, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.85 and \$2.25.

Petticoats, 55c, 95c, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.85, \$2.25, \$2.45, \$2.75 and \$2.95.

Chemises, 55c, 85c, 95c and \$1.35.

Extra size Nightgowns, 85c, 95c, \$1.35, \$1.65 and up to \$3.95.

All Gowns, Combination Garments and Petticoats marked \$5.00 and over. Your choice at 1/4 LESS.

—On Sale in the Mutila Underwear Salons—Third Floor.

## Tomorrow on Broadway Sales Booth C HOUSE DRESSES and APRONS

**Aprons Special 49c**  
WOMEN'S BUNGALOW APRON in the best of ginghams and chambrays—your choice of a good variety of either light or dark colors, trimmed with contrasting colored materials. Aprons button all the way down the side, are made with a half belt and have a large convenient pocket. All sizes of course. On sale tomorrow at **49c**



**Utility Dresses Spec. 89c**  
A Wonderful line of double service or Utility Dresses made of the very best materials in gingham and chambray, trimmed effectively with braid and pipings. Dresses are made either high or low neck and with long or short sleeves. All sizes are to be had. On sale tomorrow at **89c**

—On Sale Broadway Sales Booth C.

### Notion Bargains

- Novelty Pin Cushions at, each **1c**
  - Small Wire Coat Hangers at, each **1c**
  - White Bias Lawn Tape, assorted widths, 6-yd. pieces, per piece **5c**
  - Good quality Pearl Buttons, doz. **3c**
  - Standard quality Hooks and Eyes, card **3c**
  - Broken Lines of R. J. Roberts' Needles, special, pkg. **3c**
  - German Silver Thimbles, each **4c**
  - Broken Line of Silk Hair Nets, assorted styles and shades, each **5c**
  - Sonor Snap Fasteners, white and black, **10c**
  - THREE CARDS for **10c**
  - Best quality Darning Cotton, all shades, THREE FOR **5c**
  - FOR **5c**
  - Best quality Mother of Pearl Buttons, fancy cut, doz. **10c**
  - Large Wire Hair Pin Cabinets, assorted, each **8c**
- On Sale Broadway Sales Booth D

## White Sale

### Children's Underwear and Dresses—Infant's Dresses

- Children's Gowns of white batiste, lace and embroidery trimmed, mostly high-neck models, broken sizes from 6 to 14 years; Thursday, your choice, exactly **1-2 Price**
  - Broken assortment of Children's Drawers, Petticoats and Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 2 to 14 years; Thursday take your choice at **1-2 Price**
  - Infants' Long Petticoats, both machine and hand embroidered garments; Thursday take your choice at exactly **1-2 Price**
  - Little Tot's Tailored Dresses in madras and linen, sizes 3, 4 and 5 only; Thursday take your choice at **1-2 Price**
  - Broken assortments of Girls' White Wash Dresses in dotted swiss, voile and batiste, both low and high-neck models, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years; Thursday, choice **1-2 Price**
  - Infants' Dresses in both machine and hand-embroidery, lace trimmed, come in 6 months, 1 and 2-year sizes; Thursday, your choice at **1-2 Price**
- On Sale in the Children's Wear Sections—Third Floor.

## Thursday Grocery Bargains

- CORN FLAKES—Large packages, Thursday special at FOUR **25c**
- CAMPBELL'S PORK AND BEANS—Large cans, Thursday special, **25c**
- THREE CANS for **25c**
- NUTS—Fancy No. 1 Walnuts, Filberts, Brazils or Almonds, Thursday special, **90c**
- FIVE POUNDS for **90c**
- PEANUT BUTTER—A splendid quality that comes in bulk only—none sold or delivered at this low price unless a pail or jar is furnished for a container; Thursday special, **40c**
- FOUR POUNDS for **40c**
- SAUR KRAUT—Finest quality, large cans, Thursday special, cans 11c, **\$1.25**
- DOZEN CANS **\$1.25**
- SOAP—Sweet Heart Toilet Soap, Thursday special, SIX CAKES for **25c**

### Coffee 19c Pound--5 Pounds for 90c

The experience of millions of people has taught them that a cup of GOOD Coffee begins a day right. Hundreds of Tacoma people have found by experience that a cup of our Repeater Blend Coffee begins a day the best of all. A tried and approved blend of the best Guatamala and Mexican Coffee that conveys a richness of flavor, a glow of satisfaction, a vim and vigor that put each day on the calendar of real living. Every Thursday special

### A Pound 19c--5 Pounds for 90c

—On Sale in the Grocery Store—Fifth Floor.

ALL WOMEN'S SUITS HALF PRICE

**Rhodes Brothers**  
In Every Detail Tacoma's Leading Retail Establishment

ALL WOMEN'S COATS HALF PRICE

## OSCAR VITT AND BRIDE CHOOSE LONELY HOME FOR HONEYMOON

BY TOM LAIRD.

NAPA, Cal., Jan. 5.—Shut your eyes and imagine a cabin, hidden away in a barely accessible spot, surrounded by gloomy mountains and reached after a two hours' drive from Napa over a ten-mile road that sprays upward dangerously near deep chasms—picture this sort of a place and you'll have a fair idea of the vicinity where Oscar Vitt, Detroit third baseman, and his bride are spending the winter.

Vitt is not so far from civilization in actual distance, but he might just as well be in "Darkest Africa," so secluded is his home spot. He didn't even know the day of the week when I broke in to his mountain retreat for a chat to send out to the fans of the "Hot Stove League."

I made the ten mile drive in a blinding rain to make a call on Oscar. Half a dozen times I was afraid the buggy and the faithful old nag pulling it would hit a soft spot and drop over the side of the cliff. Oscar was standing in the door with a rifle in his hands when finally I came in view of his cabin. He didn't know but what I might be a mountain lion and he's rather laying for a lion.

I found Mrs. Vitt quite contented with the novel way of spending their vacation time. She and Oscar have forgotten about the outside world, up there in the mountains. They have nothing to remind them of civilization. Their near neighbors are trees, birds, wild animals and rocky mountains. Over across the hills, maybe two, maybe 50 miles, lives a rancher. Once in a while Oscar makes a call on him.

"Every day is Sunday up here for Mrs. Vitt and me," said Oscar. "We are enjoying life wonderfully. It's something you cannot duplicate in the cities. We believe we can look back on this vacation with a lot of pleasure when we are old."

"But, Oscar, we are never going to be old," said the bride positively.

(To be continued.)

### GOES TO CITY WHERE BROTHER WON FAME

Stanley Covalenski, who pitched for Portland last season, goes to the Phils, where his brother, Harry, now with Detroit, became famous.

It was while with the Phils that Harry beat the Giants three times and kept them from winning the pennant. Harry is left-handed and his younger brother right-handed.



OSCAR ENJOYS WINTER FISHING.

## PORTLAND CROWDS HISS DRAW DECISION

Word from Portland today indicates that the bout between Joe Bonds and Jack Root before the Rose City Athletic club last night was a decided farce. Although Bonds outpointed Root throughout the fight, Referee Bennett called it a draw.

The 800 spectators hissed his decision and showed general dissatisfaction over the fight. Bennett afterwards explained the boxers had agreed to a draw decision if both were on their feet of the six rounds.

Root is the same boxer who was imported from Salem last year to box Bonds before the Moose lodge of this city. He was touted at that time as a heavy-weight champion possibility, but made such a pitiable battle with the Tacoma boy that his seconds

### 30 BEST MEN GET CHANCE

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Joe Tinker will take 30 players with him to the spring training camp, representing the best players of the Chicago Nationals, and the former Chicago Federal club. He refused today to intimate who the "best" players were.

## \$525,000 PAID FOR BALL CLUB

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—The St. Louis Americans were formally turned over to Phil Ball and other stockholders of the St. Louis Federal league club here last night, consummating one of the biggest deals in connection with the ending of the baseball war.

The Browns were sold for \$525,000. This sum was paid by Phil Ball, James W. Garneau and Otto Stifel, who bought 300 shares of stock in the club and purchased the ball grounds out-turned over to Phil Ball and other stockholders of the Browns, former president of the Browns, received \$242,000 for his 484 shares of stock.

## TACOMA TO HAVE AT LEAST FOUR AMATEUR LEAGUES NEXT YEAR

Next year's amateur baseball season in Tacoma will see two as many "kid" leagues as ever before. Amateurs are already beginning to prepare the dope for 1916, and it is said that at least four regularly organized circuits will be in operation all season.

It is anticipated that there will be two leagues of the caliber of last season's City league. There were several teams last year that sought admittance to the City league but could not get in, including the Hopkins A. C. team, and several others of similar strength.

With two such leagues in the field baseball fans may expect an interesting semi-pro battle. The city championship fight should be especially interesting.

One of the smaller amateur leagues is already getting its team and schedule arranged for the coming season. The teams will be composed of players ranging from 20 years down to 15, and the league will be made up of the following teams, according to present indications: Outlaws, McKinley Hill Stars, Bismarck Bears, Little Americans, Shamrock Midgets and Logan Midgets. The Little Americans were last season's Merchants' club.

It is reported that at least one other amateur league is now in the process of formation, and that more may be expected before the opening of the season.

**PETER'S PIFFLE**

We're wondering whether Romoo Hagan is so bad off after all. Detective Huckaba, who arrested him New Year's eve, is in bed nursing a badly battered head, while Romeo is cheerfully acting as assistant cook at the city jail, and sweeping snow off the city hall walks when there is nothing else to do.

Even boxing promoters have their troubles. Jim Coffroth, former king of the San Francisco promoters, was pinched yesterday for stabbing H. J. Moore, another promoter, in the neck with a paper cutter. Coffroth apparently does not use the manly art to settle his personal difficulties.

Huggins and eight American league managers.

Christy Mathewson has subdeltoid-bursitis of the arm, doctors say. Now is there any wonder he isn't as good as he used to be!

Maybe Eddie McGoorty is convinced now that Les Daroy can knock him out. Les has turned this trick twice. That OUGHT to be enough.



Baseball peace finds the Baltimore Terrapins in the soup.

Joe Tinker, after an operation, is on the mend. Certainly. All tinkers mend.

Willie Ritchie says he is the lightweight champion of the world. The fact that he is a welterweight seems to make little difference to Will.

## CAN M'GINNITY FINANCE TEAM NEXT SEASON?

With the Northwestern league season of 1916 only four months away, Tacoma fans are wondering whether Joe McGinnity will be able to finance the Tacoma Tigers.

The team bumped gratingly over the financial rocks last year, barely managing to keep afloat until the end of the season, and then only because of benefit games played in the Stadium.

McGinnity has kept decidedly mum over his 1916 plans. He has given no intimation as to whether or not he will attempt to raise funds by subscription or otherwise, to get the team started. Although he has said that he would sell the Tigers if no one has come around with the price.

The entire Northwestern league is quietly awaiting word from Montana regarding the possibility of Butte and Anaconda, or some other Montana city, joining the circuit. It is practically certain that Butte will come in.

## DARCY IS GETTING MATCHES

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 5.—That Les Darcy, the sensational Australian middleweight champion, is going after the best in America is indicated by a cablegram from "Snowy" Baker to Tom Andrews, local promoter. In his message the boxing promoter of Sydney, N. S. W., asks Andrews to arrange matches, if possible, of 20 rounds with Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul, and Young Ahera, of New York.

Andrews has already opened negotiations with the American middleweights, and expects to land the matches. Darcy is expected to arrive in San Francisco this month, and after a vaudeville engagement will come east for his bouts.

## PHILLIES AND MACK DISAGREE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—All practice games scheduled between the Philadelphia Americans and Philadelphia Nationals during spring training were cancelled last night. The Phillies asked for cancellation of a few games and Connie Mack decided he wouldn't play at all.

## O'CONNOR GETS JUDGEMENT

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—Jack O'Connor's judgment of \$5,000 against the St. Louis Americans for damages because of his discharge as manager, while he was under contract for another year, was affirmed late yesterday by the circuit court of appeals.

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306 Bonanza Bldg.

## Turns Fighter to Aid Sick Wife; Makes Hit



FRANKIE WHITNEY, THE CARPENTER-FIGHTER.

A sick wife has given the ring a fighter who is good enough to be in the running for the lightweight championship and if he never lands the title it will be because he fought for a grand cause.

Several years ago Frankie Whitney was plying his trade as carpenter at Cedar Rapids, Ia., his home. His wife contracted tuberculosis. Whitney decided he would have to earn more money so his wife could secure

proper treatment. He had boxed some at a club and shown pretty well, so he decided to try the mitt game. He succeeded rapidly and just recently gave Ad Wolgast, former champion, such a lacing in five rounds at Atlanta, Ga., Wolgast's seconds threw up the sponge.

Whitney handled all the details of the match himself. He acted as his own manager in coming to terms with Wolgast, rented the theater where the bout was held, then, using his ability as a

carpenter, erected the ring. The carpenter-fighter attracted so much attention by the manner in which he conducted the whole affair, fans packed the theater and he made a nice piece of money for use in aiding his wife to better health.

The Weather a Year Ago Today Rain. Temperature, High, 45 degrees, Low 16 degrees. Remember, Laxative Bromo Quinine cures a cold in one day. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." Look for signature A. W. GROVE. 11c