

Gately's Chain of Stores Always Save You Money "Tippy" Top Coats



There isn't a garment in the wardrobe of such general utility as the Top Coat. You've real need of its comfort more months in the year than any other coat. In late summer and early fall, in late winter and early spring—off and on, all the time—NOW.

That requires it to be a coat exceptionally well made—and a model all its own. Our Top Coats will please you.

SPRING SUITS

A bit different from others—distinctive styles that will reflect your own individuality. Acquire the habit of wearing our well-made Suits and you will unconsciously acquire the habit of being well dressed.

Men's Hats, Shoes and Furnishings | \$15 \$20 \$25

Women's Sport Clothes

Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Silk Jerseys.

Spring Suits

Wonderfully well made up garments, with style and service combined, embracing the newest models in the most favored fabrics. Serges, Poplin, Striped Espoges, Wool Crepe and Gabardines, suits that were bought to sell for one-third more and which you cannot duplicate at our prices—

\$19.50 \$22.50
\$24.50 \$27.50

Waist Specials

Tomorrow we offer some very attractive Waist values at—

\$1.25 \$4.75

Sport Skirts

White corduroy and golfing Skirts, very special at \$6.75. Others of various materials and colors, many beautiful styles to select from. Prices \$5 to \$12.75. Alterations Free.



Open a Charge Account

Buy your entire Spring outfit or a single garment if you choose, and pay later, either weekly or monthly, as best pleases you.

Open Saturdays
Until 10 p. m.
Main 6871

GATELYS

1120 1/2 Broadway, Upstairs, Gross Block.
WALK UPSTAIRS—SAVE \$10.00

TODAY'S MARKET PRICES

WHAT PRODUCERS GET

POULTRY

Hens, live 16@18
Ducks, live 10@12
1918 springs, live 20c
Squabs, live, dozen \$2.00

LIVESTOCK

Cows \$5.25@6.75
Heifers \$4.50@6.00
Dressed veal \$10.00
Steers \$8.50@9.00
Lamb \$1.00
Ewes \$1.00

WHAT RETAILERS PAY

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE

Fresh ranch eggs 23@24
Washington cheese 18c
Tillamook 18c
Wash. creamery butter 28@29c
Swiss dom. 24c
Eggs, dom. 18c

WHOLESALE MEATS

Heifers 27c
Mutton, wethers 17c
Hogs, sides 16c
Dressed hogs 13c
Steer beef 14c
Ewes 14c
Spring lamb 18c

FRUIT

Lemons \$3.50, 4@4.50
Bananas, lb. 5c
Oranges, navel \$2.50@3.25
Grape fruit, Florida, box \$4.50
Fresh figs, box \$3.00
Strawberries, Kennewick \$3.00
Cherries, Cal., box \$1.50@2.50
Gooseberries, Kenne. crt. \$1.25@1.50
Oranges, Valencia \$3.00@3.25
Strawberries, Cal. \$2.25
Loganberries, Cal. \$2.50

VEGETABLES

New potatoes, retail, lb. 3c@4c
Netted Gems 32@34
Yakima Burbanks 30@32
Cabbage, Winningstedt 3c@4c
Onions, new, crate \$1.75@2.25
Carrots 5c
Lettuce, head, crate 2c@3c
Rutabagas, local, doz, bunches 1c
Rutabagas, cwt. 1c
Leaf lettuce, crate \$1.75
Rhubarb, lb. 1c@2c

Florida green peppers 25c

Cucumbers, retail, lb. 6c
Florida tomatoes, crate \$4@4.50
Artichokes, doz. 75c
Beets, sack \$1.50
Asparagus, Walla Walla \$1.35@1.50
String beans, lb. 9@10c
Telephone peas, lb. 8c
Mexican tomatoes, lug 5c
Local hot house tomatoes, lb. 20c
Summer squash, retail, 2 lbs. 25c
Brussels sprouts, lb. 10c

FLOUR

Amocat \$5.30
Pyramid \$5.45
Whole wheat, BB, \$5.30
Dried Snow \$5.45
Olympic \$5.45
High Flight \$7.20
Occident \$7.20
Keystone full wheat \$5.45
Lyon's Best \$7.80

HAY AND GRAIN

Corn \$2.00@4.00
Bran \$2.25
Mixed Timothy \$2.50@2.60
Oats, ton \$1.50
Barley \$3.25
Middlings \$3.40@3.50
Shorts \$3.00
Timothy, sack \$2.25
Wheat, ton \$2.50@2.60
Alfalfa \$2.50@2.60
Rolled oats \$3.25
Hops, 1915 crop 10@11c
Hops, 1916 contracts 11@12c

FAIRBANKS' VAN GUARD ARRIVES

CHICAGO, May 2.—The vanguard of the Charles W. Fairbanks' presidential boom has arrived in Chicago and will probably open headquarters today. James P. Goodrich is in charge.

NEW PHONE POLES FOR TIDE FLATS

The Sunset Telephone & Telegraph Co. announce that construction work costing \$3,100 to cover new poles and wires along South 11th st., across the tide flats will begin soon.

ITALIAN KING SPURS TROOPS

ROME, May 2.—King Emmanuel has issued another personal appeal to the Italian armies urging them to greater sacrifices and efforts.

Handful of Men Really Pick Presidential Candidates; Big Gathering Merely a Setting

(The second of three stories by Gilson Gardner, our famous Washington correspondent, telling exactly how our presidents are named. Yesterday he described the running of a campaign; today's article tells the "inside" of national conventions. Tomorrow Gardner will show that the methods by which the president is actually chosen are contrary to the American constitution.—EDITOR.)

By Gilson Gardner

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26.—A thousand delegates—one delegate for every 100,000 people—go to make up a national political convention.

These delegates meet, deliberate, and by ballot choose some man to stand as the party's candidate for president and vice president.

SUCH IS THE THEORY.

In practice, about 990 delegates are present to furnish a setting, while the other ten do the deliberating and choosing.

Sometimes the whole thousand are made scenery, the choice having been made by public sentiment before the conventions meet.

An example of this was the convention in Philadelphia which nominated McKinley for his second term and chose Roosevelt as vice presidential candidate.

The only uncertainty in that convention was the choice of the vice president, and quite a good deal of dramatic interest was developed over the fight of Tom Platt to foist Roosevelt on the convention against the latter's wishes.

Another example of this kind of convention was the one which nominated Roosevelt for his second term.

This fight started months before the convention met when Roosevelt announced that those not for him were against him and by the time the convention assembled there were enough "delegated" delegates to make his nomination a certainty.

This is the kind of convention Woodrow Wilson will have at St. Louis June 14.

It has all been decided that he is to be nominated, and the only uncertainty is that which will surround the particular wording of the platform declarations, with a bare possibility that Tom Marshall will not be the unanimous choice for vice president, in which case Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma may contest for that honor.

Quite different from this kind of a convention is the one which will meet in Chicago under republican auspices.

The latter resembles in some ways several historic conventions, like those which nominated Blaine, Garfield and gave Cleveland his second nomination.

These were protracted and uncertain, and the nomination when finally made was news to all the country.

In this so-called "old-fashioned" convention the outcome is the result of back-room conferences between political leaders, the delegates being puppets.

Often these conferences are accompanied by secret agreements worked out later in the distribution of spoils, the foreign diplomatic appointments and big federal offices at the disposal of the chief executive.

This kind of a convention is dear to the heart of the professional politician.

It exaggerates and magnifies his power.

The growth of popular primaries of late years has made conventions of the uncertain type less common. IT WAS SUPPOSED FOUR YEARS AGO THAT THERE NEVER AGAIN WOULD BE A CONVENTION OF THAT SORT.

In the uncertain convention, oratory comes to play a larger part. The delegates are open to persuasion.

In this connection is recalled the famous speech of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll,

nominating James G. Blaine; and William J. Bryan's famous "crowns of thorns and cross of gold" speech, which resulted in his own nomination.

Under any system—primary or with delegates hand-picked—the favorite son candidate plays a part, but more so in the uncertain, boss-controlled convention.

Many of the favorite sons, so-called, are merely men who receive the complimentary vote of the state delegation with perhaps a few others thrown in.

They pay their ante and sit in on the game with a 46-to-1 shot chance to get the nomination.

The dark horse is some comparatively unknown person brought out by the leaders at the eleventh hour of a deadlock and presented to the delegates in some way which makes them think the choice will be popular with the country and will insure party victory.

James A. Garfield was such a dark horse candidate.

Asking Wage Increase

The International Longshoremen's association, Pacific coast district, has submitted demands for increased wages, effective at 6 p. m. June 1, to steamship and stevedoring companies here. The demand for general cargo is 55 cents an hour straight time and \$1 for overtime. The present rate is 50 cents an hour and 60 cents for overtime. For handling explosives, \$1 an hour is demanded.

The employers will hold a meeting in Seattle soon to consider a counter proposition to be submitted to the men, it is understood. Between 175 and 200 men from the warehousemen's division will join the longshoremen's union at a meeting tonight.

For U. S. Peacemaker

BERLIN, May 25.—While no definite statements have been made, there is no doubt today that Germany is willing to consider a tender of good offices from the United States to begin peace negotiations. A dispatch from the U. S. giving the substance of President Wilson's speech at Charlotte, N. C., in which he referred to the possibility of American mediation in the war, has been given the place of honor in the newspapers, and has resulted in widespread interest.

A change has come in the former attitude that America had disqualified herself as a peacemaker on account of shipments of munitions to the allies.

Unite to Aid Asquith

LONDON, May 26.—Leaders of all factions flocked to the standard of Premier Asquith today in an effort to reach a lasting settlement of the situation in Ireland. Although it was expected that a heated debate would follow Asquith's statement of the government's plans, the house of commons has rarely seen a demonstration of greater unity than was shown at the meeting yesterday. Instead of giving details, the premier made an earnest plea for agreement among the contending parties in Ireland, and announced that Lloyd George had undertaken the big job of bringing the factions together.

Chokes Girl to Death

AURORA, Ill., May 26.—"I killed her; I choked her to death," declared Paul Verhoie, a 19-year-old boy, held today on a charge of murdering 15-year-old Gwendoline Holden. The body of the girl was found Wednesday night.

"I had a date with her, but she wanted to break it to go with another fellow," said the boy. She laughed at me, and before I knew it my hands were around her throat. I wanted to choke that laugh off her face." Then he told how he had intended to commit suicide by taking poison, but "got cold feet."

DECORATION DAY SPECIALS

AS ADDITIONAL ATTRACTIONS IN OUR SENSATIONAL EXPANSION SALE!

PATTERN HATS

\$4.89

90 Fine Pattern Hats in the season's smartest novelties in large, small and the popular medium sizes and sailors in all styles, values up to \$15, reduced to only \$4.89

In the assortment are beautifully flower-trimmed Hats, others with wings and ribbon. All colors and white, black and leghorn included. Your choice SATURDAY and MONDAY at only \$4.89

EVERY TRIMMED HAT IN STOCK REDUCED TO EXPANSION SALE PRICES!

TRIMMED HATS \$1.89

Here's a wonderful "Special" in a splendid assortment of Trimmed Hats in all shapes, sizes and colors. While they last we sacrifice them at \$1.89

SPORT HATS \$2.50 CHILD'S HATS 59c

Popular Sport Hats, values to \$5.00 in these nifty hems, leghorns, combinations, and novelty sport styles in every color, at the cut price of \$2.50

Untrimmed shapes in soft hems in pink, blue, and white; values up to \$1.95 in this Decoration Day special at 59c

Take elevator—11th St. entrance to

Blackman's

new Big Upstairs Specialty Store

WARRBURN BLDG. 11th & BROADWAY - TACOMA.

Styleplus Clothes

Price and Economy, all wool materials, and all the style you can get at any price.

Styleplus \$17 Clothes \$17

Pay a medium price, Styleplus, the suit of sensational values—due to the maker's method of specializing on this suit of one price—for \$17.00 sale nowhere else in Tacoma—always \$17.00

Buyers Are Recommending Our Men's \$15.00 Suits

We want no better evidence of their success than this—customers come in and tell us who recommended them. They are indeed a good value and it pleases us that they are appreciated. Styles for young and conservative men, in materials and patterns of fancy colors, greys, browns, stripes and mixtures; good style and very durable. Priced \$15.00

COME ON BOYS! It's a Straw Hat Now

Stadium Day you should wear it and May 30th you must wear it. Come on; a Straw Hat, the Choice is up to you.

Men's new straw blocks \$1.00 and \$2.00
Men's new genuine Panama Hats \$4.00 and \$5.00

Men's Underwear

Now about your underwear for the warmer weather. It's safe now and we have some very special values for your approval.

Athletic Union Suits

"Shedaker make" Trousers and seat 95c

Here are the wonderful garments of fine check nainsook, Soisette and Satin Stripe; mercerized fabrics, so much in demand by particular dressers. Sizes 34 to 48; garments worth to \$1.50, and offered you Saturday at the very special price of 95c

Balbriggan Underwear

Shirts and Drawers, a garment 50c

Just the right weight for present wear. Elastic weave, ecrú color; shirts with athletic, long or short sleeves; drawers in knee or ankle length; sizes 30 to 50; drawers made with double seat; the garment 50c

SOMETHING NEW EVERY DAY

THE PEOPLES STORE

THE BUSY STORE ON PACIFIC AVENUE.

HERE AND ELSEWHERE

Victor Carlstrom, aviator, flies from New York to Washington, D. C., 225 miles, in three hours, seven minutes, carrying message to President Wilson.

Ladies, while shopping take lunch at Duenwald's, 1112 Broadway.

After addressing workers at North End and Puget Sound Lumber Co. mills, Dr. W. N. Lipscomb, field representative of American Red Cross, leaves for Portland to attend meeting of lumbermen.

COMMERCIAL BINDERY & PRINTING CO., Main 417, adv.

For program in Wright park Sunday afternoon, Y. M. C. A. engages Shriners' band of 40 pieces.

Cut flowers and floral work, floral, So. 7th and K. adv.

Cupid gets after L. W. Shultz, 69, of Orting and Mrs. Ellen Howard, 64, of Tacoma, and they get marriage license.

Graduation gifts, watches, jewelry, Pfaff, Jeweler, 1147 Broadway.

Special street cars are arranged to transport school children to Stadium Day exercises Monday.

McLean the contract mover, Main 1850, adv.

Pierce county will give \$3,000 for construction of children's ward at tuberculosis sanatorium, if similar amount is raised by popular subscription.

Oscar Lemons, Plumbing, M5761, adv.

Joseph Roth, president of Hermonison Ore., Light & Power Co., shoots and kills his general manager, then ends own life.

Seattle property to trade for Tacoma. See owner, 1144 Pacific (fish market). "Adv."

Judge Frater of Seattle accepts bid of \$1,200,000 for Seattle, Renton & Southern railway.

Viking Hair Tonic. Why stay bald? Box 10, Tacoma. "adv."

Strike of building trades at Lincoln, Neb., becomes serious.

Former Union soldier who was paid \$50 too much when discharged at close of Civil war, returns money to U. S. treasury with \$100 interest.

Louis Werstein, wealthy citizen of Battle Creek, kills wife and William H. Skinner, business man, then kills himself.

Billy Rossman, 4, is killed by his brother, age 11, in baseball game.

President Wilson pardons four men convicted in Oregon land fraud cases.

U. S. officials charge packing houses with defrauding consumers by charging regular meat prices for burlap, wrapping paper and twine.

Tornado in North Dakota does \$400,000 damage.

Mrs. Emma Inglis, 30, is drowned in well near Portland, She went to draw water and fell in.

Germany negotiating \$10,000,000 loan in America.

Summer school to graduate class of 20 tonight.

Births.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham, 7657 Park ave., May 17, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Claud A. King, 1415 South 23d st., May 10, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patrick Kane, 8001 Park avenue, May 16, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kennan, Imperial apartments, April 26, girl.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Our prices still remain the same, though meat prices are going up elsewhere, where.

Pot roast, lb. 10c
Veal roast, lb. 12 1/2c
Leg of pork roast, lb. 17c
Hamburger, lb. 13 1/2c
Clubhouse sausage 15c
2 for 25c
Our bacon prices are the cheapest in the city. Call on us before purchasing.
Boston bacon, lb. 12 1/2c
Sugar cured breakfast bacon lb. 20c, 22 1/2c, 25c
Sliced bacon 25c
Small sugar cured ham 18c

SIEGLE'S CASH MARKET

1104 Market st.

\$25 In Ground-Floor Stores
\$15 at Herbst Clothes Shop
TAKE ELEVATOR—SAVE \$10