

# 1-2 Price 1-2 Price

Remnant Sale Beginning Saturday, September 8, and Continuing Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 10, 11 and 12

### Remnants and Short Lengths of Linoleums, Congoleums, Oil Cloths and Matting

Many of these Remnants are large enough for small kitchens, bath rooms, and centers for rooms. Remnants of Rug Borders suitable for Runners.

## Odd Lots of Wall Paper

The accumulations of the past two seasons must be disposed of before the new stock comes in. Many lots large enough for good-sized rooms. Good patterns and at one-half the old price.

Remember, this cut in price is made for the purpose of getting rid of this merchandise quickly. Another chance like this cannot be had for at least a year.

### B. W. Hooker & Co., Inc.

Leading Furniture Dealers

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Mrs. Edmund Gardens of St. Albans is visiting relatives in Barre, her former home.

Augustus Parish of Plainfield was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Vietrolas and Victor records are now on sale at Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.—adv.

Sadlier, Keith avenue, specializes in ladies', misses' and girls' coats. Fall and winter designs now on display.

Miss Teresa Carroll of Beacon street returned to the city yesterday, after passing the summer in Old Orchard, Me.

For Sale—New house on Elm street; just completed; six rooms; steam heat; electric lights. Easy terms. Enquire of the D. A. Perry Real Estate Agency.

A. R. Campbell of Claremont, N. H., will be in Barre Sept. 12. Repairs all makes of sewing machines; 35 years in the business. Orders left at the Homer Fitts store.

Miss Daisy Pirie and Miss Edith Riddell of Williamstown passed through the city yesterday while on their way home, after passing the summer in Old Orchard, Me.

H. J. Slayton has sold through the W. H. Farrar agency his "Evergreen Farm," including stock, tools and crops, in Calais, to Gustave Wolfram and Edward J. Gould. The price paid was \$8,650.

Several members of the Meadow Brook Golf club left late this morning for Hardwick, where they are to engage in friendly contests with the Hardwick club on the latter's new course this afternoon.

William T. Maiden of Church street, who has been passing the summer at Loon Lake, N. Y., has returned home. Mr. Maiden has been re-engaged as an instructor at Montpelier seminary for the school year of 1917-18.

Mrs. Isabel Bonnyman returned to her home in New York City last night, after visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Glass of Dix street. She was accompanied by her grandson, James Glass, who will visit there for a few days.

A truck owned by the Vermont Fruit Co., and a smaller delivery truck used by William Kelleher in the meat business came together on the Montpelier road Thursday evening, with resulting damage to both cars, although each of the drivers escaped injury.

J. Grover C. Kenefick of Prospect street, who has been employed for several years as an assistant in the store and hot house of Emalie & Co., completed his duties to-day. Mr. Kenefick is one of the 10 Washington county young men who are leaving Sunday afternoon for Ayer, Mass.

Alvah A. Newhall of Middlesex, who was arrested yesterday on a charge of operating an automobile with a number plate not assigned him, appeared before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court in the afternoon and acknowledged the violation. The respondent was fined \$10 and costs, which he paid.

W. G. Adams, a foreman employed by Marr & Gofman at North Barre, is confined to the house as the result of a bursting vein in his leg. His condition is not serious, although his powers of locomotion are affected and some days may elapse before he is able to be out. One night this week Mr. Adams was calling at the home of his mother on the Montpelier road, when the vein broke. He returned home and felt able to be at work the next day, but his condition grew more serious and when a physician was called he was advised to remain at home.

Dr. O. E. Barr of Cottage street returned yesterday afternoon from Plainfield, where he was called to attend a herd of cows on the A. Lappay farm, several cows having been affected by over-indulgence in wild apples. It appears that three of the cows were badly smitten by apple hunger, and when they were corralled at night the farmer observed that the rank juice of the wild fruit had affected their locomotion. Instead of improving, the condition of the milkers grew worse, and when the veterinarian was called, distention of the stomach had developed. Upon the doctor's advice the three tipping cows were killed. Other members of the herd were unaffected by the apples, if any were eaten by them.

One of several letters received by Supt. Alex. Hanton of the city cemetery in the aftermath of the superintendent's convention of last week reads in part as follows: "It seems that I cannot comprehend the fact that we have been to Barre and that it is all over. I feel that every member of this organization was greatly surprised at the elaborate preparations you people made for their entertainment and pleasure. I never had such a good time and never saw so much of interest; in fact, it was 'im-mense,' from start to finish, and every one present was of the same opinion. While we are all quite familiar with Barre granite, we have never become much more familiar with its workings, etc., in every sense. As one might say, we have become acquainted with it in its home town."

More profusely illustrated than any other issue since it was published in the September number of Barre Granite, the official publication of the Granite Manufacturers' association. The doings of the American Association of Cemetery Superintendents in session here last week are carefully reviewed, and most of the illustrations are half-tones which reproduce some of the more animated scenes of the big gathering. Two more men from the Barre Granite industry, Guy R. Varnum of Bontecou, Milne & Varnum, and Marshall J. England of the Boston office of Jones Bros. are in khaki, and their pictures appear in the current issue. William Barclay contributes an interesting analysis of "The Present Situation," and S. Hollister Jackson's paper on "Epitaphs," delivered at the superintendent's convention, is reprinted. Some of the lessons and observations of the national retailers' convention in Philadelphia also find a place in the September issue.

Concert at Benjamin Falls. The following is the program of the concert to be given by the Montpelier Military band at Benjamin falls Sunday afternoon, Sept. 9, at 3:30 o'clock:

"Star Spangled Banner" March—"Colossus of Columbia" Alexander Overture—"Zenatta".....Auber "The Old Church Organ".....Chambers Waltz—"Newport".....Tobani "Chilian Dance".....Misaud "Golden Nuggets".....Barnhouse March—"Rival Rovers".....Russell "America."

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# 25th Anniversary Sale

### Saturday this Week—One Quarter of a Century in the Dry Goods Business

This sale will close to-night. No goods laid aside or taken out on memorandum. In the face of much higher prices. In one way we cannot afford to hold this sale. In another way we cannot afford to drop this annual sale that has given such good advertising in the past 25 years.

If you are posted on the very big advance on all dry goods since the United States entered the war you will quickly see that the following goods are the greatest bargains that have ever gone out from our store.

## Anniversary Sale

For this two days' sale we will sell any piece of Crash or any pair of Towels in our stock at a discount. Also all of our Napkins, Table Cloths and Damask at a liberal discount for these two days.

The following are priced for this two days' sale at sale prices. These are less than present wholesale prices with the freight added.

One lot of 25x46-inch Turkish Towels with hemmed ends. This Towel to-day is worth 35c. For these two days at 24c each.

One lot of 18x35-inch Hemstitched Linen Huckabuck Towels. These are very heavy and 35c value. These two days at 24c each.

One lot of 18x37-inch Heavy Linen Huckabuck Towels with hemmed ends. A real bargain at this price. For two days at 24c each. All Towels and Toweling at a liberal discount in this sale.

## Anniversary Sale

Any piece of Dress Goods in our stock at a special price, and the following at sale prices.

Thirteen pieces of Imported French Serges, very fine weave. Worth to-day from \$1.50 to \$1.65 per yard. This lot of 13 pieces in colors of Brown, two shades of Navy, two shades of Dark Wine, Olive Green, Rose, Drab, Alice Blue, White and Black, 44 inches wide, for these two days at \$1.29 per yard.

Ten part pieces of Yard-Wide Silk Messaline in Green, Wine, Brown, Gray, Tan, Belgium Blue and Pink. This is a nice, soft Messaline that sells for \$1.35 per yard. These two days at only 98c per yard.

In this Silk Sale are all of our Silks at special prices, such as Silk Taffetas, Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Silk Poplins, Messalines, Silk Satins, Charmeuse and Fancy Colored Silks, all in this two days' sale.

One piece of Yard-Wide Black Taffeta, our \$1.87 Taffeta, at \$1.49.

## Anniversary Sale

One case of Ladies' Winter Fleece Vests and Pants. Vests come in sizes 34, 36 and 38, have mercerized lace trimming run with silk; have long sleeves and are full size. Pants same grade as Vests; have wide back lap with tape pull bands. All Knit Underwear of this quality sells to-day at 75c per garment. THIS ONE LOT THESE TWO DAYS AT 49c EACH. Compare this with any 75c Underwear.

To make this the largest Underwear Sale in our history, we are for these two days to make a special price on all Knit Underwear in our store. This includes Munsing Underwear that we have never in any sale allowed one penny rebate. It's your chance to buy your fall and winter Underwear at a saving.

## Special Petticoat Values

For these two days we will put into this Anniversary Sale one lot of Silk Petticoats in qualities that are worth if bought to-day at least \$4.25. Are Petticoats that are made in the best of style, have a deep flounce, with three narrow bias shirred bands around the bottom. These are in a good assortment of the popular shades in plain and changeable colors.

We will give you your choice of these values for these two days at only \$3.00 each. You will pay as much if not more for the Silk alone.

We are also putting into this two days' Anniversary Sale one lot of Silk Flounce Petticoats at only \$2.00 each. These are a regular \$2.50 Petticoat at only \$2.00.

# The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Marcella undergarments at Mrs. Shepard & Co., Inc.

Gage and Gage, chiropractors, will return from their vacation this evening and will be in their offices Monday.

The Washington county local exposition board is now located in the Montpelier postoffice building and their telephone number is 638.

Mrs. J. Carson and daughters, Misses Grace, Jeannie and Dorothy Carson, of Ayers street left for New Haven, Conn., to-day, where they are to reside with James Carson.

William A. McLeod, who is taking a vacation from his duties in the Quarry Savings bank, left this morning for a visit of a week in Old Orchard, Me., and Boston. He was accompanied by A. C. Walker and G. C. Walker of Grant avenue.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New fall suits and coats at Fitts'.

Corsets from \$1 to \$6.50. Mrs. Shepard & Co., Inc.

Mrs. A. Birnie of 3 Pleasant street is visiting the millinery markets in New York and Boston and will return with all the latest styles in fall and winter millinery.—adv.

The street department has extended the new cement highway on North Main street to a point nearly even with the Berlin street intersection and by the end of next week the work will have been completed in every detail. Detour signs were removed several days ago and as rapidly as the cement squares hardened traffic has been diverted to the north and south instead of to the west by way of Smith street.

### Hardware for Southern Europe.

The United States now has an opportunity to supplant Germany in the hardware market of Italy, Spain, and Portugal, according to a report issued by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce. The publication was prepared under the direction of C. W. A. Veditz, commercial attaché at Paris, who asserts that American hardware can more than compete with German products in these markets if American manufacturers will make slight alterations in their lines to meet local conditions, and will cater to the demands of the trade.

The report reviews the general conditions affecting the hardware trade in each of the countries where the investigation was carried on, and describes the system of business. It outlines the steps which the American producer should take in entering these markets, and tells of the competition that will be encountered both from domestic manufacturers

### and producers in other European countries.

An accurate description is given of conditions in each of the countries as to mechanics' tools, cutlery, agricultural implements, garden tools, builders' hardware, shelf hardware, vehicle hardware, harness and saddlery, pipefittings, cabinet hardware, frearms and ammunition, sporting goods, marine hardware, house furnishing goods, electrical supplies, lamps and lanterns, abrasives, paints and varnishes, brushes, and masons' and miners' tools.

A collection of 133 samples from Spain and Portugal is available for inspection at the New York district office of the bureau. Copies of the report may be purchased for 15 cents each at the district offices of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce or from the superintendent of documents, government printing office, Washington, D. C. Its title is "Markets for American Hardware in Italy, Spain and Portugal," miscellaneous series, No. 55.

Get your yarns for knitting at Fitts'.

## Real Values for Saturday!

Green Corn, per dozen, 20c; Potatoes, per peck 30c  
Oranges, per dozen, 25c, 30c, 35c; Lemons, dozen, 25c  
Cooking Apples, per peck, 25c; Eating Apples, pk. 35c

Beef Roasts Pork Roasts  
Legs of Lamb Fresh Veal  
Chickens and Fowls Beef and Pork Sausage  
Green Mountain Brand Smoked Ham and Bacon  
Celery Green Onions Shell Beans

Ward's Butter Bread, Fruit Bread and Fresh Cakes  
Fresh Roasted Coffee  
Finnan Haddie, Lobsters, Oysters, Swordfish, Mackerel

### BUY FLOUR NOW

JUST RECEIVED A CARLOAD OF FLOUR AND THE PRICES ARE RIGHT

#### BREAD FLOUR

Barrel	1/4 sack	1/2 sack
Voigt's Royal Patent	\$13.00	\$3.25 \$1.65
Pillsbury's Best		3.65 1.85

#### PASTRY FLOUR

Barrel	1/4 sack	1/2 sack
White Frost	\$12.50	\$3.15 \$1.60
White Rose	12.50	3.15 1.60

## The Smith & Cumings Co.

"GOOD THINGS TO EAT"

## Good Values for Saturday!

Rizon, the new Baking Powder, regular price 35c, our price ..... 30c  
A valuable Cook Book free with each pound.

Bulk Cocoa, per lb. .... 20c  
Bulk Shredded Coconut, per lb. .... 20c  
Three Pyramid Fly Catchers for ..... 5c

Best Lemons, per dozen ..... 30c  
Cooking Apples, per peck ..... 25c, 30c

War Bread, per loaf ..... 10c  
Cream Bread is full weight and has real value, per loaf ..... 10c, 15c  
Baked Beans and Brown Bread for Saturday.

Fresh Native Fowls, 3 to 5 lbs., per lb. .... 30c  
Fresh Native Chickens, 2 to 3 lbs., per lb. .... 35c  
Best Western Beef Roasts, per lb. .... 25c to 28c  
Bunch Beets, Carrots, Onions, Celery, Lettuce, Peppers, New Cabbage, Sweet Potatoes.  
Native Corn fresh every morning.

Full line of Fresh Fish Saturday.  
Oysters and Finnan Haddies.

New Wheat Flour is a dollar a barrel cheaper.  
We are selling old Wheat Flour on the new wheat price.

## The F. D. Ladd Company

### POTATOES GIVE CONCERN

Producer Is Urged to Use Every Precaution in Matter of Storage.

The committee on food production and conservation of the Vermont committee of public safety has carefully taken under consideration the problem of conserving the crops of the state. Several meetings have been held in consultation with those most intimately informed as to Vermont conditions. The last meeting, which was held in Montpelier Aug. 27 at the call of his excellency, the governor, and James Hartness, chairman of the public safety committee and federal food commissioner for Vermont, to which was also invited Commissioner Brigham, Director Bradlee and the county agents, resulted in the following conclusions, which the committee submits to the citizens of the state.

1. Most Vermont crops can be effectively stored and marketed through the usual channels.

2. By the very general and highly commendable activity on the part of the women of the state in canning and preserving, garden products are being well cared for.

3. The perishable crops, particularly potatoes, are giving the greatest concern. According to government estimates, Vermont will produce 4,000,000 bushels of potatoes this year, an amount considerably in excess of returns received by the committee. Several sections of the state report blight, one county reporting fewer potatoes than in 1916 as a result. With the needs of the people and the benefit of the producer in mind, this fact urges greater caution against wastage, especially where there may seem to be a surplus. The reports from Aroostook county, Maine, indicate a smaller crop than anticipated.

4. To guard against this loss, the producer is urged to use every precaution in the matter of storage. Available storage should be utilized to the fullest extent. Where this is not sufficient the old time potato pit should be constructed.

5. The farmers are advised not to create a glutted or panicky market by a hasty disposal of their potatoes. One dollar per bushel is a fair price for both producer and the consumer and it is the opinion of the committee that this price can be maintained by such precaution as is here advised.

6. Consumers are urged to lay in a sufficient supply of potatoes for the entire season. Every cellar should have bins prepared with care to avoid decay and attack of vermin. Potatoes will

keep in best condition in a storage with a temperature ranging from 35 to 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

7. Consumers are urged to make a larger use of potatoes than at any previous time. There are many ways in which potatoes may be served that are both palatable and nutritious. The committee will send out a pamphlet of recipes and suggestions at a later period. The American people have used about four bushels per capita. This ought to be increased in the future to six bushels. Wherever possible, each family should lay in a supply on that basis.

8. With respect to marketing potatoes for shipment out of the state, producers are advised that the county agents receive daily quotations concerning prices of potatoes and that the commissioner of agriculture will furnish daily quotations through the press of the state. The commissioner has also investigated transportation facilities and assures the farmers that there is now no prospect of difficulty in procuring cars for shipment provided promptness in loading is practiced.

9. The state department of agriculture, through its marketing agent, is in a position to recommend reputable wholesale dealers and commission merchants to whom and through whom potatoes may be sold. Farmers or associations of farmers who have potatoes to ship in carloads should write to the commissioner of agriculture, St. Albans Vt., for list of dealers.

10. The extension service under the direction of Mr. Bradlee and through the county agents will render every possible service in matters of storage and marketing. Avail yourself of this agency.

11. Don't let anything waste.

### When "U" Is "V."

Why do some modern architects assume that U is V and carve in stone that palpable and bold absurdity?

Now that we possess the U, with soft and graceful curve, or v-nexcelled docility and willingness to serve, why do they carve UNITED STATES and PUBLIC SCHOOL and even make the English language look as funny as the Dutch, with RESTAURANT and PULLMAN car and UNIVERSITY and other marks of educational perversity?

That V impresses some of us as cheap and gaudy blivf, which parvenues may pill in place of more substantial stuff, but people who are fashioned out of v-npretentious dist, view all evch affectation with an unassumed disgust. Such exhibitions always make us givm and blve. Now, honest Injvn, don't they have the same effect on you?—Printers' Ink.

## Good Trades for Saturday

Reduce your Butter bill by using Armour's Oleomargarine, per lb. .... 28c, 30c and 32c  
Fresh Potato Chips, per package ..... 10c  
Squab Soup, per can ..... 15c  
Libby's Asparagus, very fancy, per can ..... 28c  
Tryphosa, all kinds, per package ..... 10c  
Lucky Table Bran, per package ..... 15c  
Large package Quaker Oats (Saturday only), per pkg. .... 20c  
Prunes, 40-50 count, per lb. .... 15c  
Cornstarch, 3 pkgs. for ..... 25c  
Ginger Snaps ..... 2 lbs. for 25c  
Cantaloupes ..... 3 for 25c  
Oranges, Lemons, Peaches, Pears and Bananas, Dexter's and St. Johnsbury Bread.

### MEAT DEPARTMENT

Fresh-Killed Fowls, per lb. (fancy) ..... 30c  
Native Broilers, per lb. .... 35c, 37c  
Legs of Spring Lamb, per lb. 35c; Lamb Fores, per lb. 26c  
Western Beef Roasts, lb. 24-28c; Native Veal Roasts, 25-30c  
Pork Sausage, per lb. 25c; Beef Sausage, per lb. .... 20c  
Golden Bantam Corn, doz. 20c; Ripe Tomatoes, 3 lbs. 25c

Boiled Ham, Pressed Corned Beef, Dried Beef, Frankforts, Bologna Sausage, Minced and Pressed Ham, Sweet Potatoes, Shell Beans, Wax Beans, Cucumbers, Pickling Onions, Peppers, Carrots, Beets, Spanish Onions, Cabbages, etc.

### Houghton & Robins