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Ladies of Birmingham and vicinity will find it to their best interest to visit our store this week. A rare opportunity will be afforded them to secure genuine bargains in merchandise particularly adapted to their present wants.

<p>Dress Goods.</p> <p>Why we can afford to sell Dress Goods cheaper than our neighbors sell the same qualities is our business. It is your business to call and profit by our low prices.</p> <p>This Week We Sell:</p> <p>36-inch all wool Henriettes at.....25 cents a yard</p> <p>38-inch all wool Serges at.....27 cents a yard</p> <p>36-inch Novelty Suitings at.....23 cents a yard</p> <p>40-inch Camel Hair Suitings at.....49 cents a yard</p> <p>42-inch Mohair and wool Suitings at.....59 cents a yard</p> <p>54-inch all wool Cloths at.....44 cents a yard</p> <p>54-inch Scotch mixed Suitings at.....59 cents a yard</p> <p>54-inch Mattless Cloths at.....65 cents a yard</p> <p>48-inch Boucles at.....59 cents a yard</p> <p>Every article quoted above is worth fully 50 per cent more than we ask you for them.</p>	<p>House Furnishings.</p> <p>It requires no silver tongued orator to magnify the bargains in this department. Actions speak louder than words, and our prices talk for themselves.</p> <p>Good quality Turkey Red Damask.....21 Cents</p> <p>Good quality all linen Damask.....33 Cents</p> <p>64-inch all linen German Damask.....49 Cents</p> <p>68-inch all linen Barusley Damask.....59 Cents</p> <p>Fine quality 70-inch all linen Damask.....65 Cents</p> <p>18x36 all linen Huck Towels.....15 Cents</p> <p>Extra large, extra heavy Comforts.....72 Cents</p> <p>11-4 Counterpanes, worth \$1.75, at.....98 Cents</p> <p>Eiderdown quilts at low prices.</p>	<p>Hosiery! Hosiery!</p> <p>It is a well known fact to all that we are headquarters for Hosiery in this city.</p> <p>We give you for 10 Cents a pair children's fast black Hose, sizes from 5 to 9½, that you can't duplicate elsewhere for 15 cents a pair.</p> <p>Our 25 cent Ribbed Hose are the best in the city. Our price for this week on this quality is 20 Cents a pair.</p> <p>We have 100 dozen ladies' fast black Hose, regular 15 cent quality, which we will sell at 10 Cents a pair this week.</p> <p>Our Men's Half Hose are the delight of all who have tried them; regular made, fast colors, 10 Cents a pair; worth double that price.</p>	<p>Underwear.</p> <p>We handle only the very best brands of Underwear in the market, and we are selling these goods at a lower price than you pay elsewhere for an inferior article.</p> <p>Ladies Ribbed Garments, double fleeced, worth 60 cents, our price.....35 cents</p> <p>Ladies' winter weight Balbriggan garments, worth 75 cents, our price.....40 cents</p> <p>Ladies' Ribbed garments, Merino, worth 85 cents, our price.....50 cents</p> <p>Ladies' Ribbed wool garments, worth \$1.35, our price.....98 cents</p> <p>Men's Scotch wool garments, worth 75 cents, our price.....49 cents</p> <p>Men's genuine Camel Hair garments, worth \$1.50, our price.....98 cents</p> <p>Men's finest Egyptian wool garments, worth \$2.25, our price... \$1.49</p> <p>Our bargain counters are loaded down with half-priced Underwear for children and misses.</p>	<p>Cloaks, Capes, Etc.</p> <p>We have kept the telegraph wires hot and the express company hustling during the past few days to keep our Cloak Department up in sizes and numbers.</p> <p>We quote prices on some of our newest goods:</p> <p>100 double Capes, all wool, correct shapes, worth \$3.00, at.....\$1.49</p> <p>50 all wool fine quality double Beaver Capes, worth \$5.50, at.....3.50</p> <p>25 all wool Boucle double Capes, satin trimmed and stitched, worth \$19.00, at.....5.98</p> <p>25 all silk plush Capes, elegantly trimmed, worth \$12.50, at.....8.98</p> <p>Our children's department is complete in every detail; garments from 98 cents to \$10.00.</p>	<p>Snapping Bargains.</p> <p>For Monday Only.</p> <p>25 dozen Ladies' Black Woolen Hose, worth 40 cents, at 25 cents a pair.</p> <p>Gents' extra size Jap Silk Handkerchiefs, worth 75 cents, for 35 cents.</p> <p>Pepperel 10-4 Sheet-ing, 20 cents a yard.</p> <p>Thomson's glove fitting Corsets at New York cost.</p> <p>Gents' all wool half hose, worth 35c, for 19c a pair.</p>
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<p>GROSS SURPLUS DEC. 31, 1894.</p> <p>Equitable... \$37,481,069</p> <p>Mutual..... 22,729,570</p> <p>New York..... 21,576,751</p> <p>Northwestern..... 14,100,876</p> <p>Mutual Benefit..... 3,882,742</p> <p>Connecticut Mutual..... 7,763,270</p> <p>Etna..... 6,859,919</p> <p>Penn Mutual..... 2,334,600</p> <p>Prov. Life and Trust..... 3,805,334</p> <p>New England Mutual..... 2,949,607</p>	<p>RATIO OF ASSETS TO LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1894.</p> <p>Per cent.</p> <p>Equitable..... 125.40</p> <p>Mutual..... 112.56</p> <p>New York..... 115.30</p> <p>Northwestern..... 123.82</p> <p>Mutual Benefit..... 107.46</p> <p>Connecticut Mutual..... 114.25</p> <p>Etna..... 119.55</p> <p>Penn Mutual..... 110.34</p> <p>Prov. Life and Trust..... 113.93</p> <p>New England Mutual..... 109.23</p>	<p>RATIO OF SURPLUS TO LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1894.</p> <p>Per cent.</p> <p>Equitable..... 25.40</p> <p>Mutual..... 12.55</p> <p>New York..... 15.30</p> <p>Northwestern..... 23.83</p> <p>Mutual Benefit..... 7.46</p> <p>Connecticut Mutual..... 14.25</p> <p>Etna..... 19.55</p> <p>Penn Mutual..... 10.34</p> <p>Prov. Life and Trust..... 13.93</p> <p>New England Mutual..... 9.23</p>	<p>ASSURANCE IN FORCE DECEMBER 31, 1894.</p> <p>Equitable... \$913,556,733</p> <p>Mutual..... 854,710,761</p> <p>New York..... 813,294,160</p> <p>Northwestern..... 340,697,569</p> <p>Mutual Benefit..... 209,369,528</p> <p>Connecticut Mutual..... 155,686,871</p> <p>Etna..... 135,907,796</p> <p>Penn Mutual..... 128,537,075</p> <p>Prov. Life and Trust..... 103,671,924</p> <p>New England Mutual..... 92,868,357</p>	<p>INCOME SAVED FOR INVESTMENT IN 1894.</p> <p>Equitable... \$16,243,243</p> <p>Mutual..... 14,877,638</p> <p>New York..... 12,343,884</p> <p>Northwestern..... 8,785,132</p> <p>Mutual Benefit..... 2,192,565</p> <p>Connecticut Mutual..... 620,199</p> <p>Etna..... 1,689,380</p> <p>Penn Mutual..... 2,098,393</p> <p>Prov. Life and Trust..... 2,191,993</p> <p>New England Mutual..... 769,743</p>	<p>INCREASE IN ASSETS IN 10 YEARS, 1885-'94.</p> <p>Equitable... \$127,173,189</p> <p>Mutual..... 100,194,322</p> <p>New York..... 103,551,792</p> <p>Northwestern..... 50,750,484</p> <p>Mutual Benefit..... 17,043,069</p> <p>Connecticut Mutual..... 8,801,432</p> <p>Etna..... 12,219,441</p> <p>Penn Mutual..... 15,251,283</p> <p>Prov. Life and Trust..... 17,891,778</p> <p>New England Mutual..... 7,172,342</p>
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The Best of All In All Things at All Times.

There are many GOOD life insurance companies, but among them all there must be one BEST. THE BEST is THE EQUITABLE. If you wish to know why, send for: 1, the report of the Superintendent of Insurance for the State of New York on the examination of The Equitable; 2, for actual results of maturing policies; 3, for statement of death claims paid in 1894. Then you will know the three great reasons of The Equitable's supremacy: 1st, its financial stability; 2d, its great profits and advantages to living policy-holders; 3d, the promptness of its payments and liberality of its settlements.

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OFFICES—2021 First Avenue, Southern Club Building, Birmingham, Ala.

Assets, \$185,044,310.06. Surplus, \$37,479,802.85.

SURPLUS EARNED IN 1894.

Equitable... **\$8,181,068**

Mutual..... 8,010,801

New York..... 5,209,629

Northwestern..... 4,908,745

Mutual Benefit..... 1,832,648

Connecticut Mutual..... 1,816,234

Etna..... 1,165,678

Penn Mutual..... 1,908,150

Prov. Life and Trust..... 1,142,403

New England Mutual..... 863,662

CASH DIVIDENDS PAID IN 1894.

Equitable... **\$2,139,735**

Mutual..... 1,308,345

New York..... 1,681,755

Northwestern..... 1,261,325

Mutual Benefit..... 1,674,294

Connecticut Mutual..... 1,265,415

Etna..... 806,859

Penn Mutual..... 750,281

Prov. Life and Trust..... 644,682

New England Mutual..... 630,588

INCREASE IN SURPLUS IN 10 YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$27,017,995**

Mutual..... 16,652,461

New York..... 14,883,707

Northwestern..... 10,568,282

Mutual Benefit..... 722,365

Connecticut Mutual..... 3,553,853

Etna..... 1,890,053

Penn Mutual..... 1,062,549

Prov. Life and Trust..... 1,761,370

New England Mutual..... -63,790 (Decrease.)

INCREASE IN ASSURANCE IN FORCE IN 10 YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$604,147,562**

Mutual..... 502,921,476

New York..... 532,911,574

Northwestern..... 241,903,587

Mutual Benefit..... 73,525,985

Connecticut Mutual..... 4,456,186

Etna..... 51,244,206

Penn Mutual..... 82,557,215

Prov. Life and Trust..... 61,980,155

New England Mutual..... 31,239,591

INCREASE IN PREMIUM INCOME IN TEN YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$24,007,601**

Mutual..... 22,272,905

New York..... 18,452,023

Northwestern..... 9,381,890

Mutual Benefit..... 3,278,187

Connecticut Mutual..... -29,465 (Decrease.)

Etna..... 2,145,024

Penn Mutual..... 8,664,967

Prov. Life and Trust..... 2,509,757

New England Mutual..... 1,075,849

INCREASE IN INTEREST INCOME IN TEN YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$4,658,645**

Mutual..... 2,832,786

New York..... 4,176,240

Northwestern..... 2,315,320

Mutual Benefit..... 991,896

Connecticut Mutual..... 431,179

Etna..... 534,458

Penn Mutual..... 692,894

Prov. Life and Trust..... 851,761

New England Mutual..... 281,648

INCREASE IN TOTAL INCOME IN TEN YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$28,666,246**

Mutual..... 25,061,211

New York..... 22,650,562

Northwestern..... 11,610,159

Mutual Benefit..... 4,266,385

Connecticut Mutual..... 404,565

Etna..... 2,578,971

Penn Mutual..... 4,235,844

Prov. Life and Trust..... 3,390,758

New England Mutual..... 1,336,394

Increase in Payments to Policy-Holders in Ten Years, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$12,278,566**

Mutual..... 7,166,195

New York..... 8,330,043

Northwestern..... 2,665,198

Mutual Benefit..... 2,619,122

Connecticut Mutual..... 637,506

Etna..... 1,142,909

Penn Mutual..... 3,068,353

Prov. Life and Trust..... 1,726,518

New England Mutual..... 662,042

INCOME SAVED FOR INVESTMENT IN TEN YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$126,000,761**

Mutual..... 91,621,748

New York..... 97,643,828

Northwestern..... 48,421,138

Mutual Benefit..... 16,775,122

Connecticut Mutual..... 8,633,528

Etna..... 11,338,533

Penn Mutual..... 15,001,784

Prov. Life and Trust..... 17,515,426

New England Mutual..... 7,644,951

SURPLUS EARNED IN TEN YEARS, 1885-'94.

Equitable... **\$46,259,509**

Mutual..... 41,364,123

New York..... 33,984,408

Northwestern..... 21,096,350

Mutual Benefit..... 14,798,301

Connecticut Mutual..... 15,502,406

Etna..... 8,266,010

Penn Mutual..... 6,843,544

Prov. Life and Trust..... 5,537,223

New England Mutual..... 4,904,633