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It has been many years since such a practical, serviceable, becoming overcoat came out. Besides, there are several models in trench coats—enough variety to please everyone—to assure men of an opportunity to express their individuality in their overcoat election. Just drop in tomorrow and try one of these coats on—see how well you'll like it—how much it feels like your coat.

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OTHER TRENCH COATS \$25, \$30, \$35 UP
OTHER OVERCOAT MODELS IN ABUNDANCE

We have big, warm, generous great-coats and ulsters that cold winds and storms can never penetrate. We have dress coats in more conservative styles—practically any combination of cloth and shade you prefer. We have MACKINAWs and REEFERS for the outdoor man—fur and fur lined coats for the man who uses his car all winter. This is THE OVERCOAT STORE and through all our offerings runs the predominating note of the best for your money—the most value and a reasonable price.

OVERCOATS \$15 TO \$50

JOHN F. KEANE & CO
MAIN & JOHN ST. BRIDGEPORT, CONN

Most men manufacturing munitions have asked for advance payment on orders because of financial conditions.

Lord Lansdowne praised President Wilson's war message and admired it, adding there were some improvements.

DOWN AND OUT MOTHER BRACES UP. SURPRISES WHOLE FAMILY

She had worked, loved and was happy in doing for her children, and when she started to break down they were frantic, were willing to do almost anything to make her last years happy and free from worry and illness. Nothing they did seemed to help; doctors, medicines or rest gave no results.

Finally, when all were about desperate with worry a neighbor induced them to try Phosphated Iron. It had worked such wonders with her old folks. Ready to grasp at any help they got a supply and the way their mother improved from the start was almost too good to believe. It sure was a happy and reunited family and you can bet they are all boosting Phosphated Iron to the limit.

Doctors the world over will tell you what Phosphated Iron will build up and store strength and energy against old age and nervous break down. One of our leading physicians says, "The results I have obtained with Phosphated Iron have been great in cases of old people, where it was necessary to build up strength, revive bodily functions, give them life, renewed youth and health."

There must be something to it. Doctors and druggists all tell the same story of success.

Special Notice—To insure physicians and their patients getting the genuine Phosphated Iron it is put up in capsules only. Do not allow dealers to give you pills or tablets, insist on capsules. Hindle's Drug Stores and leading druggists everywhere.—Adv.

McLEAN INTRODUCES BILL IN SENATE

Senator McLean introduced petitions from members of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty of New Haven and from citizens of Bridgeport, asking for legislation providing for draft of certain aliens into the military service, and from members of the Junior Order United American Mechanics of Bethel, Bridgeport, Danbury, Hartford, Middletown, New Britain, New Haven and Stamford favoring immigration restriction.

ILLUMINATING CO. FORCED TO INCREASE RATE

The United Illuminating company has announced an increase of one-half cent, from seven to 7 1/2 cents a kilowatt hour, in its rates. Accompanying the announcement was the following statement issued from the company's office:

In the early part of the year 1917, the company was securing ample supply of high grade soft coal at from \$3.85 to \$4 per ton, but in the spring costs of fuel, supplies and labor began to mount up and continued to go on, and still bear evidence of going higher. Hoping this condition was a temporary one, and that costs might be reduced, no change was made in rates, but the company maintained its service at a cost in many cases higher than it was getting for it. Coal is now difficult to get at any price, is very poor in quality as a whole, costs from \$3 to \$3.50 more per ton than formerly, and will, unless some change takes place, cost still more due to advances in water freights, tax on freights, etc. All supplies have advanced more than 50 per cent, and labor is costing far more than it did. The volume of current sold has grown, but the large increases in costs of fuel, supplies and labor have resulted in a greatly increased cost of generating current, and the company is forced, contrary to its usual policy, to increase the rates for current as shown in the schedules. It is hoped that conditions may change at an early rate and fuel and supplies cost less, and that the advance in rates may be a temporary expedient due to war conditions. It should be noted that the advance in rates does not cover the entire increased cost of fuel supplies and labor, but the company hopes that the volume of current to be sold will increase to such an extent that the results will furnish money enough to pay the additional costs of operation.

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The sale of Mirro aluminum at special prices is in full swing.

Until next Wednesday you will find the Mirro line at marked reductions in our stores.

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The Big Market Specials for Saturday

DEC. 8th, '17.

MEAT DEPARTMENT.

Lean Fresh Pork Loins 26c lb.
Lean Fresh Shoulders 25c lb.
Small Fresh Hams 30c lb.
Pork Tenderloins, Hocks, Heads, Tails, Ears, Bones, Spare Ribs, Sausage and Leaf Lard.

Legs of Genuine Spring Lamb 30c lb.
Legs of Young Mutton 26c lb.
Legs of Yearling Lamb, Forequarters of Lamb and Mutton.

Good Chuck Roasts of Beef 19c to 20c lb
Good Pot Roasts of Beef 16c to 18c lb.
Prime Cuts of Beef 22c, 24c, 26c and 28c lb.
Boston Rolls, Rumps, Clods, Calves Liver

QUALITY POULTRY.

Stewing Fowl 25c lb.
Choice Fowl 28c to 30c lb.
Roasting Chickens 30c to 32c lb.
Long Island Ducks 32c lb.
Turkeys, Geese, Native Squab, Guinea Hens, Squab Guinea.

SMOKED AND SALT MEATS.

Sugar Cured Bacon 38c lb.
Swift's Smoked Shoulders 25c lb.
Corned Spare Ribs 18c lb.
Sugar Cured Hams 30c lb.
Sticking Pieces of Corned Beef 20c lb.
Bean Salt Pork 28c lb.
Corned Pig's Feet 10c lb.
Smoked Beef Tongues 28c lb.

FRUIT.

13 Porto Rico Oranges 25c
Malaga Grapes 20c
Florida Grape Fruit, extra large .. 2 for 25c
Medium 5 for 25c
Fancy Florida Oranges 40c dozen
Large Pineapples 20c each
Fancy Table Apples 35c doz

FRESH VEGETABLES.

Fancy Boston Head Lettuce, Green and Wax Beans, Celery, Romane, Cauliflower, Green Peppers, Red Peppers, Spinach and Kale, Red Cabbage, Horse Radish Root, Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Cranberries, Apples, Marrow and Hubbard Squash.

GROCERY BULLETIN.

Flat Bean Santos Coffee 20c lb; 5 lbs for 95c
Fancy Head Rice 1 lb 12c
Seedless Raisins .. 15c pkg
Ketchup, gallon cans 1.05
Macaribo Coffee 21c lb; 5 lbs for \$1.00
Seeded Raisins, full weight, pkg 15c
Mustard, gallon jugs .. 50c

FISH.

Escallops, Live Lobsters, Smoked Finnan Haddies, Kippers, Steamers, Little Necks, Opened Oysters and Clams.

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Make your gift this year something useful. Something that will be worn and appreciated long after other useless gifts are forgotten.

GIVE SLIPPERS

Men's Slippers, Women's Slippers, Children's Slippers, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$3.00.
Leather Slippers, Felt Slippers, Daniel Green's "Comfy" Slippers.

SLIPPERS FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY.

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Periodicals, Stationery, Blank Books

Tourist Tablets, Receipt Books, Diaries, Gentleman's Leather Goods, Arcade Filing Case, Remembrance Cards for all occasions; in fact, everything to use throughout the year.

POST OFFICE NEWS STORE. 11 ARCADE ONLY A SHORT DISTANCE FROM MAIN STREET.

SAVE LINEN FOR RED CROSS WORK

Washington, Dec. 7—Worn and discarded line tracing cloth is adaptable to the making of certain Red Cross surgical supplies and the Red Cross today appealed to users to save the material for war work. Laundries in many cities have agreed to collect, launder and sterilize this linen and deliver it to Red Cross chapters and it is hoped to enlist in this work all the power laundries in the country.

Nothnagle's

35th Anniversary Sale IS NOW IN FULL SWING

A great profit-sharing Sale for the benefit of all our customers. No Music, Flowers, Souvenirs or other extra expenses are involved in conducting this sale. We are Hooverizing and helping you to do the same. Every Dollar saved is an asset for the future. This is your opportunity to make a substantial saving on Home-furnishings of every description and also on your Christmas purchases. It will do you good to read every word of this advertisement carefully. Then you will fully realize what this remarkable sale is saving for you.

15% Off For Cash With Order

On Our Entire Magnificent New Line of Furniture of Every Description; Our Great New Line of Rugs (excepting Whittall's), Carpets, Linoleum, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Drapery Fabrics, Couch Covers, Pictures, Refrigerators, Mattresses, Springs, Pillows, Baby Carriages, Sulkies, Strollers, etc.

10% Off For Cash With Order

On Glenwood Coal and Gas Ranges, Parlor Heating Stoves, Oil Heaters and Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets.

EXCEPTIONS! Whittall Rugs, Office Furniture, Climax Couches, Window Shades and Bissell Carpet Sweepers are not reduced.

VERY SPECIAL \$4.75 for Nothnagle's Faultless Combination Vacuum Cleaner. \$1 for Nothnagle's Special Carpet Sweeper.

EXTRAORDINARY! Our Charge Customers will also benefit in this remarkable Sale. They will receive a rebate of just half the discounts quoted above to cash customers on purchases made during this sale only, provided settlement of account is made in full before January 15, 1918.

That means 7 1/2% rebate on articles offered at 15% off and 5% rebate on articles offered at 10% off to cash customers, purchased Dec. 1st to Dec. 15th only. You are really saving more than we say during this sale because our regular prices are lower than they will be, as all materials used in Home Furnishings are constantly becoming scarcer and more expensive. Don't miss this splendid opportunity to purchase Nothnagle quality. Homefurnishings at a much lower figure than inferior goods are sold for elsewhere.

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