

## THOUSANDS HERE SEEK PROTECTION OF NEW RENT LAWS

Demand for Copies From Secretary of State Hints Clogged Courts Next Week.

ALBANY, April 21.—Rent actions threaten to clog the New York City Courts next week. Thousands of tenants whose rents have been raised have started actions and through their attorneys are seeking to be recognized in the courts before May 1, when rent laws generally begin to end.

Their lawyers are appealing to Secretary of State Lyons for copies of the eight new housing laws, under the protection of which they seek to bring their clients. One attorney said he has a case involving 700 tenants on the calendar for Monday.

## VALUE OF CROPS IN U. S. FOR 1921 OFF 33 PER CENT.

Government Reports Show 1921 Value Cut in Half.  
WASHINGTON, April 21.—The Department of Agriculture estimated today that the gross wealth produced by farmers in 1921 was \$12,346,000,000, or two-thirds of the aggregate value of the farm products of 1920, and little more than one-half the aggregate for 1919. During the same period, 1919-21, production of ten crops which represent about 95 per cent. of the total crop acreage fell 3 per cent.

The total value of crops, the Department said, declined from \$15,421,000,000 in 1919 to \$10,909,000,000 in 1920, and to \$7,928,000,000 in 1921. The decline of the total value of animal products on the farm was from \$3,361,000,000 in 1919 to \$2,354,000,000 in 1920, and to \$3,339,000,000 in 1921.



Says the Scissor Bird:

"I never cut into finer woollens than go into Rogers Peet clothes."

"One look will show you as attractive and out-of-the-common fabrics as you can find at the fanciest priced tailors."

"Skilled hands guide me along the lines of the smartest models in men's garments."

"Experts with the needle tend to the tailoring."

"Price! Now, there you've struck the spot where there's no comparison—about half a good tailor's!"

"A size for every size of man or boy!"

Fine, rain or shine—  
\*Scotch Mists.

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## FUR STORAGE Vaults on the premises Absolute protection

# A Wonderful Service, in Fashions and Prices, for Saturday

## Just One Stroke of that Great Bald Eagle

started by our presence and flying off skyward, seems to carry her on without any visible movement of her wings.

So it was, too, with that flock of broad-winged frigate birds that were here on the lake this morning.

What a wonderful thing for a man to get an impulse from a book, a lecture, speech, musical performance, a well spent day, a visit to his college, his old, parents living distast.

How fine for one man to impart power to another man, that he may rise into a higher life.

John Wanamaker

April 21, 1922.



## Hats for the smart Young Miss, \$1.65 to \$12

Roll brim leghorns with grain bindings; lisse mushrooms trimmed with flowers or fruit; velvet or ribbon—leather—milk hemp in most attractive models.

The flower and fruit trimmed hats start at \$7—the others \$1.65.

Second Floor, Old Building.

## Steel Glass Bead Girdles—95c

Special purchase of 500. Two widths—ten and sixteen rows—each finished with long full tassels. Have been selling in our regular stock at \$1.50 and \$2.25.

Trimming Shop, First Floor, Old Building.

## Many delightful Hats at \$8

Milk hemp and leather. Smart models.



Mushroom and tricorne, roll brims and picture hats are included in this specially priced group for Saturday.

Ribbon-trimmed—for ribbons have a great vogue for tailored and semi-formal hats. Ostrich pompons and glycerine ostrich. Picturesquely effective flowers and fruits in gay colors, in wreaths or posed alone.

Colors—to contrast or harmonize with the new spring costumes. Second Floor, Old Building.

## Women's Fabric Gloves, \$1

French fabric gloves. Unusual at the price. Gray or beige. Three-clasp style with Paris point backs.

Silk gloves, 55c—two clasp style, white, pounce, brown, black. Street Floor, Old Building.

## Spring-like Frill Blouses—\$8.95

Net blouses that trim their ruffling frills with wide bands of Irish lace, in the charming rose patterns, one of the newest spring trimmings. Charming blouses for the more formal type of suit.

Voile blouses with hand-made file lace delightfully used.

## Hand-made Voile Blouses, \$4.95

Without frills. Trimmed with hand-made file lace, hand-drawn work in many attractive arrangements. Sizes 34 to 46.

Third Floor, Old Building.

## Black Charmeuse, \$1.65 yd.

Our \$2.50 grade

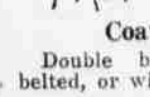
The soft lustrous satin-finish weave which has returned to fashion, especially in black—for nothing drapes more beautifully. Unusually soft, closely woven. 40 in. wide.

Silk Rotunda—Street Floor, Old Building.

## Children's lovely Topcoats

Designed for us. Some adapted from French models. Exquisitely tailored and finished. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

The materials are the fine tweeds, wool checks and the fleecy fabrics that are extremely fashionable this Spring. In French blue, tan, or mixtures—delightful colorings for little children.



Coats at \$8.50  
Double breasted box coats, belted, or with chic flare.

Coats at \$11.75  
Trimmed with leather points after the manner of a Paris model we imported.

Capes at \$9.75  
With fringed scarfs or fringed hems. Tweed and overplaid.

Tailored Hats  
\$3.50 to \$4.95.  
Third Floor, Old Building.

## Girls' Silk Frocks, \$19.75, \$22.50

Canton crepes. Crepes de chine. Distinctive styles. Charm of detail. Youthful colors—maize, beige, coral, cornflower, henna, Copenhagen blue, mustard and navy blue. Sizes 6 to 16.

## Sample coats, \$15

Made to sell for \$22 to \$29. Dressy coats. Sports coats. Double and single breasted. Soft, basket weave and herringbone tweeds—plain colors and checks—and homespun. Sizes 6 to 14.

\$1.75 to \$6.75 Wash  
frocks, \$3.75

The Girls' Own Shop, Second Floor, Old Building.



## Women's Capes, \$32.50 to \$48

An exceptional collection, made to our order

Materials, details of workmanship, fashions—all are remarkable at the prices at which we are presenting them.

Serge capes at \$32.50. Bindings of grosgrain ribbon.

Capes of twill or Canton crepe at \$38. Tucks used in the new way. Small pleats. One model with gracefully rolling collar is entirely without decoration.

Capes of twill—silk crepe, or the deep pile fabrics at \$48. Simple straightline silhouette.

Colors—in twill—navy blue or black. In crepe—black. In pile fabric—black, navy blue, the soft shade of brown. Exquisite silk linings.

Second Floor, Old Building.

## Women's Suits, \$27, \$39.50

Stunning suits of tweeds and homespun. For travel, sports and country week-ends, trotteur wear in town.

Short straight jackets. Longer, slightly fitted jackets with single link buttons. Smart belted jackets, with three or four pockets.

Gray or beige mixtures, rose, French blue, violet and tan.

Second Floor, Old Building.

## Women's Silk Frocks, \$39.50

Only one or two of a kind.

Frocks which have been among our most successful ones, this season, so successful in fact that there are only one or two of each model left.

Crepe de chine and Georgette crepe in rose, rust, Aztec brown, sand, orchid, gray, black and navy blue.

Delightfully trimmed with pin tucks, tinsel embroidery, beading, lattice work and cross-stitching.

Second Floor, Old Building



## Silk Stockings, \$1.55 pair

1,700 pairs perfect—\$1.75 to \$2.55 grades

1,100 pairs seconds—\$2.25 to \$3 grades

2,800 pairs, silk stockings, full fashioned. Broken sizes; color range.

Black silk, mercerized cotton tops and soles, perfect, \$1.75 grade. Black ingrain all-thread silk, sizes 8½, 9½ and 10, perfect, \$2.55 grade.

Pure silk chiffon weight, popular colors, broken sizes, slightly irregular, \$3 grade.

Pure silk, mercerized cotton tops and soles, spring shades, slightly irregular, \$2.25 grade.

Street Floor, Old Building.

## Young Women's Shoes, \$6.50

Three favorite styles of young girls for sports or trotteur wear

One-strap pumps—with corrugated rubber soles and heels, smoked horse with tan leather saddle; gray horse with black patent leather saddle.

Oxfords—leather soles and heels, with or without wing tips; smoked horse with tan leather—gray horse with black leather—tan horse with dark tan leather; rubber soled.

First Floor, Old Building.

## Beaded Envelope Bags \$3.95 grade at \$2.95

Slim. Square-shaped.

Flower designs in effective medallions. Conventional figures in bright colors. Decorative designs on dark background—delightful. Conventional motifs in light colors. Stripes or figures in steel beads.

Street Floor, Old Building.

## 14,000 one-oz. balls of Shetland Floss, 17c ball

Very light weight wool. Popular sports colors—tomato, Harding blue, turquoise blue, French rose, henna, light blue, brown, mauve, navy blue, black and white.

Smart new models on display. Experienced knitting teacher will be glad to help you.

First Floor, Old Building.

## Silk Petticoats Specially priced \$4.25

Radium silk. One quality, prettily scalloped and embroidered. And heavy silk jersey, finished with four accordion pleated frills of varying widths.

Henna, beige, French blue, rose, green, navy blue, purple or black.

Third Floor, Old Building.

BROADWAY  
at Ninth Street  
Store Hours: 9 to 5.30



## These Misses' Suits, \$39.50?

Yes—but, as you will see, they are of the same grade and character of style as suits which we have had at \$49.50—and those were mighty good.

Fine twill cords in navy blue or black—four models with straight line coats which may be worn with narrow belt to define the low waistline—platinum gray crepe de chine linings.

Lovely Crepe de Chine Frocks, \$49.50

Also—frocks with capes at \$49.50

Bodices in modish contrasting colors.

The collection of frocks includes cross-stitch embroidered model illustrated—frocks with effective cut-outs with contrasting color underneath—frocks with polka dots of crystal beads—frocks with a clever use of pleated Georgette crepe. Navy blue, black and ravishing new colors.

Some of these frocks came to us in a special purchase to sell at \$55—but they are our \$60 to \$69.50 grades.

Every type of Wrap, \$58

Capes and wraps of crepe de chine and faille crepe in navy blue or black.

Trotteur coats of fine twill cords—All-around coats of soft pile fabrics—Sports coats of homespun, tweed, camel's hair cloth (plain or crossbarred) and the new plaid-back tweed. All told, about 20 models at one price—\$58.

Second Floor, Old Building, Tenth Street Side.

## Paris Face Powder in bulk, 2 oz., 50c

Claire delightful face powder. At much less than we can sell it by the box—of course. But the same powder. Made exclusively for us. Core, mauve, mandarine and rachel force—as well as the favorite naturelle, rachel and blanche.

Parfume Shop, Street Floor, Old Building.

## Boys' \$15 and \$18 Suits, \$12.50

Two pairs of trousers make each suit the real serviceable kind. Made of smart tweeds and cassimeres and serges, in Norfolk models, some the desirable golf and sports pleated backs.

Sizes for 7 to 18 years.

Students' Suits, \$29.50

New. Smart cut.

Mannish designs, made to fit the growing youth. Cheviots, tweeds, worsteds. TWO PAIRS OF TROUSERS WITH EACH SUIT. Sports models. Inverted pleats. Norfolk style. Sizes 15 to 20 years.

Boys' Sports Blouses, \$1 to \$3.75

Made of attractive percales, madras, oxfords and shantung silks. Sizes 7 to 16 years.

Street Floor, New Building.



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## Luscious Florida Oranges

In This Great List of Fountain  
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For Friday and Saturday April 21st & 22d

ORANGE CUSTARD ICE CREAM FIZZ..... 15c  
As Ice Cold Drink.....  
FRESH CUT ORANGE CUSTARD SUNDAE..... 15c  
With Whipped Cream.....  
FRESH CUT ORANGE CUSTARD ICE CREAM CAKE..... 20c  
FRENCH PASTRY CRUSHED ORANGE DELIGHT..... 25c

CHOCOLATE COVERED PEANUT CLUSTERS POUND BOX, Elsewhere 59c  
ASSORTED HARD GOODIES POUND BOX, Elsewhere 70c  
MILK CHOCOLATE PARLAYS HALF POUND BOX, Regularly ..... 45c  
CHOCOLATE COVERED COCONUT ROYALS HALF POUND BOX, Elsewhere ..... 35c

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