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Men's Fine Percalé Shirts, 2 collars and pair cuffs, 50c., worth 75c. Our entire line of Anchor Brand and Monarch Shirts, the \$1 and \$1.25 kind, 75c.

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THIS WEEK WILL BE A REMARKABLE BARGAIN WEEK!

The month of August is virtually the dullest month in the year for merchants and ABSOLUTELY THE BEST FOR THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE GOODS TO BUY. The mid-season makes it desirable to close out all the Summer Goods irrespective of cost or value. Norfolk's Busy Store, with its vast and extensive business, accumulates more odds and ends than any house in town. The time for a quick clearance is here, and we do not hesitate at any loss to clean up stock.

Infants' Department. Ladies' and misses' plain colored Sunbonnets in red and navy, with white stitching, sold at 29c., now 19c. Solid colored Sunbonnets, white stitching, edged with lace, sold at 39c., for 29c. Straw crowned Hats trimmed with mull and ribbon, 75c. grade, 63c. 50c. grade, 39c. Children's 50c. Duck Napoleon Caps, 25c. Children's short Skirts, 25c. grade, 12 1/2c. White Aprons, 98c. grade, 49c.; 69c. grade, 39c. TRIMMING DEPARTMENT—White Mull Embroidery, trimmed and tucked fronts, that sold at \$1 and \$1.25, now 49c.

Tailor-Made Suits and Jackets \$5.49 for \$10 Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, Eton and Coat Suits. \$7.50 for \$13.50 and \$16.50 Ladies' Tailor-Made Eton Suits, one of a kind. \$9.98 for \$15 Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, jacket silk lined, skirt percale lined. \$12.50 for \$18.50 Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, jacket silk lined, skirt percale lined. \$15.48 for \$25 Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, jacket silk lined, skirt percale lined. SEPARATE JACKETS, \$6 grade, \$5; \$7.50 grade, 5.50; \$10 grade, \$7.50; \$12 grade, \$8. SEPARATE SKIRTS.—\$6 and \$7 Cheviot and Serge Skirts are now priced at \$5. New Plaid Skirts in circular and five gore, priced at \$7.50, \$8.75 and \$10.

Shirt Waists. 39c. for extra fine white Shirt Waist. 49c. for White P. K. that sold at 89c. 29c. for 50c. Percalé Shirt Waists. 59c. for \$1 Percalé Shirt Waists. 69c. for \$1.25 Percalé Shirt Waists. 79c. for \$1.25 White Lawn Waists, tucked front. 98c. for \$1.25 White Shirt Waists (four styles.) 75c. for \$1 Black Batiste Shirt Waist. 98c. for \$1.75 White P. K. Shirt Waist. \$1.69 for \$2 White Lawn Shirt Waists.

Wash Goods. 10 yds. of 8c. Percalé, yard wide, for 39c. 10 yds. of 5c. Lawns, 25 in. wide, for 39c. 12 1/2c. and 15c. Dimities, Organdies, Lawns and Dotted Swisses, as long as they last, 10 yards for 50c. 12 1/2c. for fine Organdies that sold at 25c. 17c. for fine French Organdies, 37 1/2c. grade. Fine French Ginghams, 17c. instead of 25c. 8c. for 12 1/2c. Percalé, yard wide. 5c. for pink stripe Galatea Cloth, 25c. grade. 5c. for 10c. grade of Cotton Duck. 5c. for one lot of Madras that sold at 12 1/2c. 10 yds. of best Prints for 39c.

\$1.98 Ladies' Bathing Suits, 99c

\$1.39 Ladies' Fine Wrappers, \$1.19

\$3.00 Ladies' Black and White Parasols, \$2.19

\$1.00 Fancy Silks for Waists, 39c

50 and 75c Polishing Cloths "Selvyt," 15c

75c and \$1 Soiled Applique Scarfs, 25c

\$3.00 Ladies' Bathing Suits, \$1.49

\$1.50, \$1.59 Ladies' Fine Wrappers, \$1.29

\$2.25 Ladies' Black and White Parasols, \$1.59

Dress Goods. \$5.98 for a 5 1/2 yard pattern of Black Crepon, former price \$1.50 yard. 98c. yard for a 7 1/2 yard length of a handsome Mourning Crepon, former price \$1.88 1/2 yard. \$3.98 for a 3 yard length of 45-in. Imported Caepion, former price \$2 yard. \$1.50 a yard for a handsome 45-in. English Crepon, former price \$2 yard. 39c. a yard for an all-wool French Serge, 40 in. wide, in colors tan, brown, gray, blues, cardinals, greens, regular price 50c. 25c. a yard for a lot of odds and ends, garnet, tan check, tan mixed, Dress Goods, former price 50c. \$3.19 for a 4 1/2 yard length of Black Crepon, former price \$1. 39c. yard for 50c. Stripe French Flannels, in pink and white; blue and white; garnet and white; blue, white and gray; black and red; black, red and gray. 33c. yard for a 42c. French Flannel, in stripes, navy and red; red, gray and black; red and black hairline; light blue, white and gray. 98c. a yard for some \$1.25 Fancy Silks for waists. HALF PRICE for a lot of Remnants of Dress Goods.

Pique and Linen Skirts. All our \$1.50 White Duck Skirts, 89c. All our \$3.50 and \$4 White Pique Skirts, \$1.89. All our \$5 and \$6 Fancy Pique Skirts, \$2.98. 59c. for Pique and Linen Jackets that belong to \$1 suits. 79c. for Pique Jackets that belong to \$6 suits. All our \$2.25 Fancy Linen Skirts now 98c. Black Duck Skirts, \$1.50 grade, 98c. Rainy Weather Skirts at \$3.50 and \$5. Crash Bicycle Skirts at \$1 and \$1.25. WRAPPERS.—\$1 Wrappers, 89c.; \$1.39 Wrappers, \$1.19; \$1.59, now \$1.29; \$1.89, now \$1.59; \$2, now \$1.69. DRESSING SACQUES.—79c. grade, 62 1/2c.; \$1 grade, 79c.; \$1.39 grade, \$1.39.

Bathing Suits Greatly Reduced Men's All-Wool Flannel Combination Suits reduced from \$1.25 to 50c. each \$3 two-piece Wool Suits, \$2.50 each. \$1.50 two-piece Suits, \$1.25. 98c. two-piece Suits, 79c. Boys' Tights, 10c. and 15c. apiece. Men's fancy blue mixed Shirts and Drawers, broken assortment of sizes, 3 pieces for 50c., worth 25c., 39c. and 50c. apiece. Men's Balbriggan Drawers, sizes 36, 38 and 40 only, reduced from 50c. to 25c. apiece. "SUSPENDERS," worth 20c. and 25c., now (3 pairs for 50c.) or 17c. apiece. Boys' Turkey Red Shirt Waists, 12 1/2c. each, reduced from 25c. each. Boys' and Men's light and dark Working Shirts, 25c. each, sold in many stores at 39c.

50c All Wool Fancy Challies, 25c

20c Polishing Cloths "Selvyt," 10c

25c Fancy Band Bows, 12 1/2c

Men's Prince Wales Ties, 50c

25c Split Sole Half Hose, Three for 50c

50c Nainsook Drawers, 39c

25c Boys' Waists, a Bargain, 12 1/2c

25c Gauze Vests, 42 and 44, 12 1/2c

\$1.19 Misses' Bathing Suits, 59c

High Grade Toilet Articles. Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder, 12 1/2c. Bailey's celebrated Borated Talcum Powder, 10c box, 3 boxes for 25c. Bailey's Borated Talcum Powder, 5c box, 6 boxes for 25c. Roger & Gallet's Violet, Heliotrope and Santalwood Soap, 23c cake, 62 1/2c box. La Parisienne Glycerine Soap, 10c cake, 3 for 25c. 4711 White Rose Glycerine Soap, 15c cake, 42c box. Pears' Scented Soap, 15c cake. Jergens' Verona Violet Toilet Soap, 15c cake, 40c box. Imported Castile Soap, pressed by Colgate & Co., 10c cake, 3 for 25c. Roger & Gallet's Envelope, Violet de Parme Sachet Powder, 39c. Roger & Gallet's Violet and Heliotrope Toilet Powder, 20c. Roger & Gallet's assorted odors Toilet Powder, 17c. Colgate's Toilet Powder, 17c. Pozzoni's pure Medicated Face Powder in white, brunette and pink, 38c. (Free sample at notion counter.) Mechanics' Tar Soap, 5c. cake. Garwood's Sachet Powder, 5c. Cuticura Soap, 17c. cake. Packer's Tar Soap, 15c. cake. Colgate's Guest Room Soap, 12 1/2c. cake, 35c. box. The Rover Carbolic Soap, 10c. cake, 25c. box. The San Remo and Mt. Olive Castile Soap, 5c. cake. Vioris Toilet Soap, 3c. cake. Pears' Unscented Soap, 12 1/2c. cake. Craddock's Medicated Soap, 10c. cake, 25c. box. Iris Blanc Toilet Soap, 10c. box. English Glycerine Soap, 10c. box. Old Fashion Butter Milk Soap, 10c. box. Dr. Woolridge's Medicated Soap, 15c. box. Jergens' White Rose, Peau Despagne, Violet and Jockey Club Soaps, 10c. cake, 25c. box. Turkish Bath Soap, 1c. cake. Transparent Glycerine Soap, 5c. cake. Majestic Toilet Soap, 3c. cake. Bailey's Face Powder, with chamomis in each box, 10c. Bailey's small Face Powder, 5c. Colgate's Envelope Sachet Powder, 10c. Lyon's Tooth Powder, 19c. Colgate's Tooth Powder, 17c. Rubifoam, 18c.

Ladies' Knit Underwear. Ladies' blue and white pure silk Vests, 25c each, reduced from 50c. Ladies' silk-a-lisle Vests, 29c each, reduced from 50c. Ladies' Union Suits, 19c each, reduced from 25c. Ladies' Union Suits, 25c each, reduced from 50c. Ladies' cotton Vests, 3c each, worth 7c. (Only two to a customer.) One lot of ladies' 12c Vests, to close at once, we have marked them 8c each. Misses' 19c Vests reduced to 12 1/2c. Boys' balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 25c each.

\$1.75, \$1.89 Ladies' Fine Wrappers, \$1.59

\$1.75 Ladies' Fancy Parasols, \$1.19

50c Fancy Wash Silks, 29c

\$5.00 Silk Waists, Choice Styles, \$2.49

50c Ladies' Silk Vests, 25c

19c Misses' Vests for 12 1/2c

5c Men's Handkerchiefs, 3c EACH

69c White Aprons for 39c

25c Ladies' Fancy Hose, 12 1/2c

Belts and Buckles. Some Steel and Enameled Belt Buckles, that sold at 25c, 39c and 50c each; now 5c. Our entire line of 25c, 39c, 50c and some 75c Belt Buckles, now 19c. Gold Plated and Black Beauty Pins, 6 for 5c. Gold Plated and Black Beauty Pins and Cyrano Beauty Pins, 2 for 5c. Sterling Silver Beauty Pins, 5c each. Gold Plated Baby Breast Pins and Dress Pins, with "Pet," "Darling" and "Baby" script on them, 10c each; 3 for 25c. The new Butterfly and Pansy Enameled Brooches, 10c each. Our Black Seal and Colored Leather Belts, that sold for 25c and 39c; now 15c each. All our 50c and 75c Seal Leather and Velvet Belts, now 25c. Excellent quality Side Combs, 10c pair. We have a few more \$1.39 Cut Steel Trimmed Leather Belts for 50c. The new Zaza Pins for the hair, assorted stone settings, 25c. We have a handsome line of Sterling Silver and Plated Gold Cuff Buttons, from 25c to \$1.39 pair. Shell Hair Pins, 10c and 20c dozen.

Sweeping Reductions in Men's and Boys' Negligee Shirts. \$1.25 and \$1 Monarch and Knickerbocker Madras Shirts, pair cuffs to match, sizes 16 to 17 only, 50c. apiece. \$1.50 Anchor Brand fine Madras Shirts, pair cuffs to match, 98c. each. Men's and Boys' 39c laundered Percalé Negligee Shirts, 25c each, sold in many stores at 50c each. Men's and Boys' Silk Front Shirts, 50c grade, now 39c; the 75c grade, now 55c; the \$1 and \$1.50 grade, 69c and 79c each. One "SPECIAL" lot of Men's Madras and Percalé Shirts, pair cuffs to match, worth 39c, 50c, 75c and \$1 apiece, your choice for three days only, 29c each. (Not over three shirts to a customer.)

Ready-Made Supplies. 45x36 Bleached Pillow Cases, 10c. grade, 6 1/2c. 45x36 Bleached Pillow Cases, 15c. grade, 12 1/2c. 45x36 Dwight Anchor Cases, 15c. grade, 14c. 45x36 Hemstitched Pillow Cases, 16c. grade, 14c. 50x36 extra size Pillow Cases, 15c. grade, 12 1/2c. 50x36 Hemstitched Pillow Cases, 16c. grade, 14c. 54x35 Hemstitched Pillow Cases, 16c. grade, 14c. 72x12 Bolster Case, bleached, 25c. grade, 22c. 72x42 Bolster Case, hemstitched, 35c. grade, 31c. 54x90 Unbleached Sheet, single bed, 35c. grade, 29c. 54x90 Bleached Sheet, single bed, 40c. grade, 35c. 81x90 Bleached Sheet, 42c. grade, 37 1/2c.; 90x90, 42c.

A WEEK IN SOCIETY

Depressing Effect of the Storm on the Gay World.

Charming Entertainment in Honor of a Young Lady - A Delightful Home Party - Progressive Enthusiasm - Going and Coming of People.

If it were the storm we were to write about perhaps we might fill columns, but as that is a subject which has already been discussed and reiterated at length we will refrain and proceed with a little of what society has been about for your edification this morning, although we give no voucher for the interestingness and lengthiness of the happenings in that so-called gay world, which, at present, seems to have said good-bye to life forever. Let us hope, however, that these dull days will soon come, the clouds will open, and a brighter and more rosy gleam than ever before may shine upon us. Have patience; they are all coming back again - these summer travelers - then dear old Norfolk will be itself once more.

Mrs. John P. Egerton entertained a few of her friends in a manner charming Wednesday afternoon. The affair partook of the nature of a luncheon, and was given in honor of a cousin of the hostess, Miss Lillian Fish, of Gloucester county, who is her guest. The table, delightfully set, was spread at Mrs. Egerton's cottage at Virginia Beach, and was surrounded by eight young ladies, who enjoyed the time to its fullest extent. White carnations and maiden-hair fern formed the centerpiece, and a delectable menu was served. Those who were present on this delightful occasion were Miss Fahn, Miss Elsie Ford, of St. Louis; Miss Mary Brandt, of Baltimore; Miss Lucy McDonald, of New York; Miss Fairfax Loving, of Richmond; Mrs. Henry T. Baker, Miss Ida Gordon and Mrs. Egerton, of Norfolk.

Mrs. Mears entertained a party of friends in an exceedingly delightful manner on Tuesday evening at her home in Park Place. Music was furnished by the noted quartette, composed of Messrs. Childress, Williams, Darley, and Plummer, giving many selections, which were highly enjoyed. Dancing was then indulged in and refreshments of a tempting nature partaken of. Altogether the evening passed most pleasantly, and the time came for leaving much too soon. Mrs. Mears' guests on this occasion were Miss Margaret McDermott, Miss Margaret Flynn, Miss Nannie Lynch, Miss Beatrice Rehman, Mr. Samuel Childress, Mr. Robert Williams, Mr. Louis Darley, Mr. Ranlett Plummer and Mr. Maynard.

Mrs. B. P. Holland entertained the Progressive Enthusiast Club Thursday afternoon at her handsome cottage at Virginia Beach. The affair was a delightful one and an enjoyable afternoon was passed by those who were present.

Mrs. Milton W. Mason and family have been visiting in Ohio for the past two weeks. Mrs. Mason, her son and daughter, are now making an extended Western tour, visiting in St. Louis and Kansas City.

Mrs. Warren G. Elliott and daughter have returned from Montreal, Ontario, accompanied by Mrs. Elliott's sister, Miss Hawthorne, of that place.

Miss Nellie Tucker has been visiting friends in the Beach for the past week or ten days.

Miss Mary Bull, who has been stopping at Virginia Beach, is at home again.

Mr. Charles Elliott, chief engineer of the Northwestern Railroad, of South Carolina, of Sumter, who spent last week with relatives, left Saturday for the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs.

Mr. W. Gordon McCabe, Jr., of Petersburg, spent several days in Norfolk last week en route to New York.

The Misses Smith, of Duke street, left Friday for Chicago to visit their niece, Mrs. Higginbotham.

Mrs. W. P. Ashburne, who has spent the past three months at Arlington Cottage, Virginia Beach, left last week accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Harry Hatten, of Kansas City, Mo., for Mountain Lake to spend the balance of the summer.

Misses Myra and Jessie Jones, of Richmond, came Friday to spend several weeks at Virginia Beach.

Two young society ladies are said to be very much in love at Virginia Beach, and they might be seen returning to town every morning at 11:20.

Mrs. W. B. Roper left last week for Wytheville to spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. W. E. Hazlewood left Saturday for Montvale, Va.

Mr. Charles Samson left last week for a visit to Petersburg.

Mr. Sandusky Dozier is spending a vacation at Trouville.

Miss Emma Jordan is visiting relatives in Suffolk.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hodges left Wednesday for Wytheville.

Mr. Henry B. Bourdon is visiting his family at the Old Sweet Springs, W. Va.

Mr. James Valentine, of Richmond, is at Virginia Beach.

Mr. Irwin Welsiger, of Richmond, superintendent Virginia Navigation Company, spent Friday in Norfolk.

Mrs. Emily Thomas left Thursday to spend a month at Goshen, Va.

Mr. Walter H. Taylor is visiting his wife and daughter at the Sweet Chalybeate.

Miss Dev, of Duke street, left last week for Millsboro, Va.

Mrs. Everett St. John is visiting Mrs. Higginbotham in Chicago.

Mrs. O. B. Bidwell is spending the months of August and September at Sweet Chalybeate Springs.

Nearly every one in Norfolk went to the Beach last week to witness the grand sight - the ocean in the storm - and well were they repaid, for the sea in its wrath was a sublime picture, with its angry waves breaking and dashing madly upon the hard, sandy beach.

Mrs. Maury, of Smithfield, spent Friday and Saturday with Miss Virginia Jordan, on Charlotte street.

Miss Isabelle Larmour left Saturday to visit friends in Boston.

The Virginian-Pilot is in receipt of an invitation to a "Favor German," to be given by the young men of Roanoke Red Sulphur Springs August 23d.

Mrs. Jonas Bennett and little daughter, of 27 Mariner street, have returned home after a six weeks' stay at Virginia Beach.

Mr. Harry L. Aydelotte left last week by way of Baltimore, Md., for New York, Atlantic City and Coney Island, to be gone about ten days.

Miss Eloise Evans, of Wood street, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Catharine Hickey, for the past week, has returned home.

BLOOD TELLS. Yes, it is the index to health. If you have had blood you are likely to learn that you have Rheumatism, one of the most horrible diseases to which mankind is heir. If this disease has just begun its work, or if you have been afflicted for years, you should at once take the wonderful new cure. RHEUMACIDE Thousands have been cured. The summer season is the best time to take a rheumatic remedy. Nature will then aid the medicine in effecting a permanent, constitutional cure. People with bad blood are subject to catarrh, indigestion, and many other diseases. To be healthy the blood must be pure. RHEUMACIDE is the Prince of blood purifiers. Sold in Norfolk by McClenahan & Powell in Portsmouth by W. H. Hodges & Co., and druggists generally. PRICE \$1.

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