

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

The progressive spirit of this store is again made manifest in the adoption of The Ladies' Home Journal Patterns. These patterns are as superior to all others as electric light is to candle light.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED.

Send Your Pleating

For the convenience of our customers we have installed a pleating machine in connection with our dress goods section. We will pleat any material for anyone. Charges for this service are very low. It will pay you to use it.



Ladies' High Grade Tailored Suits, \$25.00

Consist of cloths, linings and workmanship that in every way compare most favorably with the product of the best custom tailors. We would like to call your attention to the beautiful lines and easy drape of these garments; the popular semi-fitted coats, well finished; the correct new Fall skirts in flare and gored effects, blue, black, grey, brown, tan, old rose and greens. Mon., \$25



Monday's Business Will Be Brisk in Our Dress and Silk Departments

42in. Wool Panama, in good range colors, navy, brown, reseda, grey, myrtle, tan, slate and black. Monday **35¢**
 32in. Heavy Serge, suitable for boys knickers and ladies' skirts. Fast color. Monday **50¢**

50¢ COUNTER

Here's your chance for good reliable goods at a low figure, consisting of Heavy Chevots, Diagonals, Panamas, Serges and Henriettes in every wanting color, 44 to 52in. wide. Monday **50¢**
 44in. Diagonal Suiting, in brown, myrtle, navy, moss, cardinal, garnet, electric, king's blue and black. Monday at **85¢**

44in. French Twill Suiting, good medium weight, cardinal, electric, navy, myrtle, brown, grey and black. Monday **\$1.00**
 42in. Harris Tweed, in good combination of fancy heather mixture. Makes up good serviceable suits. Monday **75¢**

46in. Basket Cloth, a clean, even weave, in good range of colors, reseda, tan, wisteria, grey, brown, navy, Persian blue, myrtle, moss and black. Monday **\$1.25**
 44in. Wool Poplin. This is particularly fine cloth, will give every satisfaction. In wisteria, brown, electric, navy, tan, reseda, myrtle, taupe, garnet, cardinal and black. Monday at **\$1.25**

44in. Airdale Cheviot. This cloth we are doing great business with. Comes in tan, navy, myrtle, taupe, wisteria, Persian blue, brown and black. Monday, per yard **\$1.50**
 44in. Ara Cheviot, in good heavy twill, loose finish. Makes good long coat and suits, in rose, brown, navy, taupe, myrtle, Parisian blue, grey. Monday **\$1.75**

54in. French Twill Suitings. Makes up swell tailored suits, in reseda, rose, wisteria, taupe, grey, brown, navy, garnet and black. Monday at **\$1.50**
 54in. Chanticleer Suiting. This new cloth comes in good range of colors, king's blue, reseda, wisteria, rose, myrtle, navy, brown, tan, peacock. At **\$2.25**

COLORED SILK VELVETS

Cream, heron, maize, ocean, tabac, brown, turquoise, corn flower, chateaux, moss, prunelle, ponceau, mouton, cardinal, scarlet, garnet, navy, myrtle, tan, royal, chateaux, petunia, emerald, prune, and black. Per yard, \$1.50 and **\$1.00**

THE CHANTICLEER VELVET

Paisley effect, in 10 different designs. At **\$1.75**

EXCLUSIVE DRESS PATTERNS NO TWO ALIKE

These are in 8-yard lengths, in rich mixed tweed effect, also in fancy cloth, with invisible stripes. Prices \$25.00 to **\$10.00**
 Blue Serges. Every yard of our noted are guaranteed fast dye, will not shrink or spot. Prices, \$1.50 to **50¢**
 54in. Chiffon Panama Suiting. A clean, even weave, wears good. Navy and black only. Monday **\$1.00**
 54in. New Hopsack Suiting. This cloth is quite a favorite, comes in grey, taupe, wisteria, tan, brown, rose, myrtle, moss, electric, navy, garnet, and black. Monday **\$1.75**
 54in. French Broadcloth. This is a fine satin finish cloth, comes in large range of colors, also in light pastel shades for opera cloaks. Pink, pale blue, gold, helio, Nile, cream and white. Monday, per yard **\$1.75**

Men's and Boys' Clothing Department

MONDAY, \$18.00
 Men's blue and black Suits, in fine imported worsteds and serges. Cut in three button single breasted and three button double breasted styles, with long lapel effect. Perfectly tailored. Special **\$18.00**

CRAVENETTE OVERCOATS
 These are made of finest English Cravenette and are thoroughly waterproof. Plain and military collars and cuffs. Special **\$15.00**

MEN'S PANTS
 In strong tweeds and worsteds, of neat stripes and broken checks. Greys, browns and green mixtures. Special **\$2.50**

VESTS, \$1.25 TO \$1.50
 We have just received a number of Odd Vests from sample ends of suitings, in tweeds and worsteds. Special, \$1.25 and **\$1.50**

New Madras Low-Priced

These come in the most effective colorings and designs, also plain. Madras, in plain ecru, newest designs, 36 inches wide. Special, yard **20¢**
 Madras, plain ecru, 40 inches wide. Special **25¢**

FOR MONDAY
 Boys' three-piece double and single breasted Suits, in tweeds and worsteds of dark shades, green, brown and grey mixtures. Special price **\$4.75**
 Boys' two-piece double breasted Suits in dark, heavy tweeds, with plain knickers or knickerbockers. Price **\$3.75**
 Boys' plain Knickers, in tweeds of various shades and patterns, also in blue and black serges. Price **75¢**
 Boys' Knickerbockers, bloomer style, in dark brown and green tweeds, lined throughout. Some with elastic bottoms, others with buckles. Price **85¢**

WASH BOARDS
 Strong and Well Made
 Zinc fronts **25¢**
 Glass fronts **45¢**
 Fronts **10¢**

WASH TUBS
 Wooden Tubs, \$1.50, \$1.00 and **75¢**
 Galvanized Tubs, \$1.15, 85¢, and **75¢**
 Fibre Tubs, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25 and **\$1.00**
 Galvanized Buckets, 65c, 50c, 40c and **30¢**
 Wooden Buckets, 50c and **40¢**
 Fibre Buckets **65¢**
 Tin Buckets, 25c and **20¢**
 Clothes Dryers, 3 fold, \$1.00 and **65¢**
 Boilers, with copper bottoms, \$1.75 and **\$1.50**
 Boilers, all copper, \$4.00 and **\$3.75**

Monday, Business

Will Be Brisk in Our Dress Goods, Silks and Staple Sections

Wash Day Supplies

Our stock of the above was never more complete and so low priced. See Our Display in Broad Street Windows
 The New Century B Automatic Washing Machine is the latest and most improved self-acting washing machine on the market. Not the slightest detail is omitted to make this machine perfect. It is better constructed and easier to operate than the general run of washers. Practically all the work is done by the tempered coil steel spring underneath the tub. This machine will give you entire satisfaction. Price **\$10.00**
 The Canadian Washer is a two-motion washer with a lever action. It is one of the best of its kind. There are no complicated parts to get out of order, and is easy on the clothes. The tub has a wringer attachment. The Canadian is a machine we can highly recommend at **\$6.75**

CLOTHES WRINGERS

Our Wringer is a best quality well made wringer. It has enclosed cogs, solid rubber rollers, ball bearings and well finished frame. Guaranteed for five years. Each **\$6.50**
 The "Eye" Wringer is guaranteed for two years. It has high-grade rubber rollers, encased gearings and solid maple frame. Each **\$5.00**
 The New Eureka Wringer will give perfect satisfaction. Has a metal frame and 10 inch rubber rollers. Special **\$3.50**
 See our Eureka Wringer at **\$2.75**

WASH BOARDS

WASH TUBS

Monday's Business Will Be Brisk in Our Dress and Silk Departments

NEW SILKS AND VELVETS
 The New Oriental Satins, uncrushable, comes in Persian blue, reseda, emerald, mauve, rose, Nile, brown, electric, tabac, myrtle, navy, cream and black **\$2.00**
 Plain Ninon Cloth. This popular silk is a great favorite. Comes in all shades, 42in. **\$1.50**
 44in. Silk Crepe de Chine, in cream, sky, pink, mauve, Nile, white, orange, maize, champagne, rose and black. Per yard **\$1.50**
 44in. Shot Gause Chiffon, for evening gowns, in good combination of colors **\$2.00**

MOIRE SILK VELVETS
 Cream, terra cotta, tabac, emerald, petunia, rose, mulberry, moss, grey, cardinal, garnet, royal, navy, king's blue and black **\$1.50**

COLORED VELVETEENS
 In all shades and black. Fast dye. Per yard \$1.00 to **50¢**
 Corduroy Velveteens, in all shades. At **65¢**

NEW ROBE LAINE
 For Morning Blouses and Children's Dresses in the Paisley effect. Per yard **25¢**

ALL WOOL DELAINES
 In new patterns and designs, stripe, spray, dots, etc. Light and dark ground. Per yard **50¢**

CHIFFON TAFETA
 This is a nice, soft finish, will not cut. Comes in peacock blue, brown, electric, navy, tan, taupe, pale blue, rose, cardinal, pink, purple, Persian blue, cream, white and black **75¢**

Staple Dept.

Twelve Specials for Monday's Selling
 Lower Prices on Things in Everyday use.
 Regular and casual customers alike are offered an opportunity to make generous saving on several articles in everyday use on Monday.
 50 pairs white unshrinkable Wool Blankets, free from all impurities, pink or blue borders, size 66 x 84. Monday **\$3.00**
 20 pairs only, white fleece wool, soft-finish Blankets, size 72 x 82. Monday **\$4.25**
 25 pairs white Wool Blankets, pink and white borders, size 66 x 84. Monday **\$2.75**
 15 Bed Comforters, Maish wool filling, very warm and light weight, full double bed size, in 6 different colors. Monday **\$4.00**
 50 doz. ready made Pillow Slips, size 42 x 33, in good, heavy cotton. Monday, per doz. **\$2.40**
 85 doz. Damask Napkins, in assorted patterns. Monday, per doz. **\$1.50**
 Turkish and Huckaback Towels. Monday, each **25¢**
 36 inch English Flannelette, in good patterns. Monday, yard **12¢**
 70 inch Bleached Table Damasks, in assorted patterns. Monday, per yard **50¢**
 Eiderdown, for Dress Jackets and Kimonos, in good patterns, floral and spray, also plain. Monday **35¢**
 Ready made Sheets, full double bed size. Monday **\$2.00**
 Honeycomb Bed Spreads, for single bed, size 2 1/2 x 2. Monday **\$1.00**

Special, Monday

Monday Special
 Japanese Screens, four fold, panels of strong, blue cloth, hand painted in artistic floral designs. Now the colder days are with us, a screen is much needed in every room in the home. This price will sell them out very quickly. Special, Monday **\$1.00**

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 Golden Oak Rockers, strong frame, high panelled head rest, spindle back and sides, has roll seat, roomy and gives every comfort when in use. These rockers have no equal in Victoria, and at this price are a big bargain. See Broad Street Windows
Special, Monday, at \$2.90



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MUCH PERIL ON DIRIGIBLE

Story of Rescue of Wellman and His Companions by Steamer Trent Told in Detail

MESSAGES EXCHANGED BETWEEN VESSELS

Aeronauts Say They Are Ready to Try Again When Recognized Defects in 'America' Have Been Overcome

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Walter Wellman and his five companions landed here this afternoon by the steamship Trent, which picked them up after they had abandoned their dirigible balloon America and failed in the first attempt ever made to cross the Atlantic through the air. Wellman expressed his surprise for the loss of the America, and stated that it had served its purpose and was ready to be sent to the bottom as Wellman and his engine crew had not been able to bring it back to the shore. He brought their first trip to the Atlantic and last Tuesday morning they started from Sandy Hook, N. J., on the deck of the Trent. Wellman made this statement: "I thought we could not get along without the dirigible. Now we find we could not get along without the dirigible for the future are indefinite until something that will do what the dirigible would do. The 'equilibrium' which Wellman attributes the failure of his voyage, the series of tanks containing gas, which he floated in the water, was attached to the dirigible. Its purpose, in addition to keeping the dirigible afloat and serving as a 'ground' was to keep the dirigible steady, compensating for the expansion and contraction of gas due to changes in temperature, which was the cause of the dirigible's instability. The America's expert, who had been in the dirigible, stated that this floating tail, which was a delicately poised airship, made it possible to steer or make head the desired direction and save the dirigible's structure. To find the means of compensating for the considerable change in the volume of gas is the problem to which Wellman and his engineer, Melvin Vaniman, have devoted their attention. "The direct cause of abandonment of the America was exhaustion of the supply of gasoline, which had been used to save the ship, for the crew abandoned the balloon, although was left to last about two or three hours. "Wellman tried to grasp a rope thrown from the Trent and the dirigible twisted about his hand. Before he could get his hand on the rope, it broke, and he fell into the water. When the wireless was called, the dirigible was seen to be between Louis M. Ginsberg, operator on the Trent, and Jack K. Irwin, operator on the steamer. Under the gas chamber of the America there passed a series of messages. Irwin will stand in history as the first to communicate with a dirigible in the air. Here are the messages, copied from Ginsberg's record on the Trent: "Trent—'Do you want our assistance?' "America—'Yes, come at once.' "Ginsberg—'We are drifting; not under control.' "Trent—'What do you want us to do?' "America—'Come ahead, full speed, but keep astern as we have a head tail.' "Trent—'O. K. am standing by.' "America—'You will pick us up daylight. You will be better able to see us then.' "Ginsberg—'Come in close and show us your ship under us. We will drop a line. Who are you, and where are you bound for?' "Trent—'Steamship Trent, for New York.' "America—'Have one of your boats launch, as we will probably capsize when we launch our boat.' "Trent—'O. K. Boat manned. We are getting on you.' "America—'Yes. We are getting ready to launch.' "Ginsberg—'Should we stop for you?' "America—'Don't stop. We will drop an anchor and try check our ship.' "Ginsberg—'We have motor boat above us. Can't hear your signal now. Will say when I can. We are pumping air into airship ready to bring her down to us.' "Trent—'We are going full speed waiting for your orders.' "Ginsberg—'We are going to launch our boat. Stand by to pick us up.' "Thrilling Rescue Work. "At this time," said Captain Doane of the Trent, "we were in speaking distance of the America. She was on a wavy sea, about twelve knots an hour."