FORMER WAR MINISTER ASSASSINATED

General Sakharoff Shot by Woman of Revolutionary Faction at Saratoff--The News Has Created a Profound Impression at St. Petersburg and Spectre of Military Dictatorship Looms Large on National Horizon.

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The Tageblatt's St. Petersburg correspondent in a despatch dated December 6 says: "The situation is visibly growing worse. The critical moment for Count Witte is coming when the liberal elements will demand his resignation.' A resolution by the agriculturalists of Moscow demanding the immediate dismissal of the present cabinet denotes the beginning of the movement away from Count Witte, and signs indicate that this movement will gain in intensity soon."

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a despatch dated December 5, sent by way of Eydkuhnen, East Prussia, says:

"Lieut.-Gen. Sakharoff, formerly minister of war, was assassinated today. The government had deputed Gen. Sakharoff to visit the province of Saratoff for the purpose of quelling the agrarian riots there.

A woman belonging t othe so-called "flying columns" of the revolutionary movement called at the house of the governor-general of Saratoff at noon today and asked to see Gen. Sakharoff.

"She fired three revolver shots at the general, killing him instantly.

"The tidings reached St. Petersburg tonight. Count Witte charged Lieut.-Gen. Rudiger, minister of war, with the task of breaking the news to Madame Sakharoff.

"The event has created a profound impression in St. Petersburg, owing to fears that the revolutionists here will follow the example thus set.

"The spectre of a military dictatorship which has been looming on the horizon, is slowly gaining consistency and sharpness of outline.

"I am personally convinced that Count Witte's faith in the good sense and political tact of the Russian thinking classes, which was recently as firm as a rock, is gradually weakening, and with it his hopes for the carrying out of the liberties promised in the Emperor's manifesto.

"There are no signs of a collapse of the post and telegraph strike. Two-thirds of the telegraph operators are daily offering to resume work, but they are prevented from so doing because the wires have been cut or the stations fail to answer calls.

"Father Gapon has gone to Paris under a very mysterious condition which I am not at liberty to unfold."

The correspondent of the Tomes at St. Petersburg says: "I am informed on excellent authority that a revolt of the St. Petersburg garrison is certain to occur. The newspapers print harrowing details of the whipping by order of Gen. Sakharoff of the peasants whom he was sent to pacify."

St. Petersburg, Dec. 5.—(Via Edykuhnen, Dec. 6.)—Private advices from Kieff say that mutinous troops there were shot down in a narrow lane by Cossacks, the troops being caught between two fires.

It is reported here today that symptoms of mutiny have appeared in the Seventh Finnish regiment at Viborg.

London, Dec. 6.—A despatch to an agency from St. Petersburg dated December 5 says that 22 were killed and 40 wounded at Kieff after a regular battle.

A despatch of the same date from St. Petersburg to another news agency says that three battallons of infantry at Moscow have mutinied.

The same despatch says that a general strike has been declared at Kharkoff.

Paris, Dec. 7.—The correspondent of the Journal at St. Petersburg sends the following: "The government has recommenced the acceptance of telegrams and is forwarding them by railroad to the frontier.

"Private banks threaten to suspend operations unless the postal service is immediately restored.

"The postal employees have issued a manifesto condemning those who assist the telegraph service, saying that such action is against the interest of the people.

"It is calculated that the government is losing $200,000 daily owing to the strike."

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Matin says that letters received from Manchuria describe a terrible situation among the soldiers there. The men practically are starving and refuse to listen to their officers. Harbin has been pillaged, and the position of Gen. Linevitch is an extremely difficult one, according to these letters.

FURTHER REPORT ON GREAT CAVES

W. S. Ayres, M. E., Gives Results of Explorations in Excavations at Ross Peak.

Following is a portion of the report of the latest explanations by W. S. Ayres, M. E., on the mammoth caves of Ross Peak: On the 26th, 27th and 28th we explored "Gopher Bridge" and the main cave, entering the latter through "The Canyon" and "Entrance No. 2." This exploration consisted of a complete survey of all passages, not heretofore reported by me as surveyed, and of flashlight photographs of some of the attractive features of the interior. On the 29th we broke camp and returned to the Glacier house on foot.

The Trail

A very easy trail for riding or walking can be made from the Glacier house to the cave by way of The Loop and Ross Peak water tank. The length of this trail would be about five and one half miles. It would have not only an easy grade but a location that brings to view in a new light some of the grandest scenery of this famous part of the Selkirks. This feature of itself would make it a very popular trail even though there were no caves at the other end of it. The trail should be constructed on the sloping ground above the river. It would then connect with an old trail, used during the construction of the Canadian Pacific railway, which passes through a very heavily timbered forest lying in the ravine to the right of Cougar mountain. At a point about one quarter of a mile before reaching Couger creek this old trail should be left and a new trail made up the ravine of Couger creek to the cave on well selected ground consistent with easy grades.

On arriving at the cave the magnificent assemblage of balsam firs with their spire-like forms, shown in photograph No. 21, welcome the visitor as stately hostesses. In the winter they deck themselves with the most dainty snowy drapery.

When the visitor turns homeward from the cave the view shown in photograph No. 22 greets him. Ross Peak is in clear view at the right and the Great Glacier at the left, with Cougar Creek ravine in the center, down which the trail leads him with an ever changing panorama of the most beautiful of the Selkirks continually before him. When passing The Loop again, at the very spot where on his way to the cave the view shown in photograph no. 19 met his eyes, the view in No. 23 greets him, with Sir Donald at the right.

The Exploration

The "Gopher Bridge" was first explored. An entrance was effected by Mr. Deutschman during the summer, first, by crawling through a very narrow passage in the old bed of Cougar creek, marked on the map herewith submitted as "Old Channel," and second by blasting away some fallen rock at a point noted on the map as "Gopher Bridge Entrance." We entered by the latter opening. This is a very unique cave by itself. The characteristic water-carved walls of white and grey marble, such as are found in "Entrance No. 1," and described in my report of June 8, 1905, are everywhere to be seen. An additional feature, however, is here to be found. In many places the change of the limestone into marble is not complete. The parts of the rocks not fully changed stand out as nodules, while the marble between them has been dissolved and eroded to an unusual degree, thus giving the walls a strange picturesque appearance.

From a geological standpoint the formation under "Gopher Bridge" shows, in a manner rarely to be found in surface exposures, the various stages of transition of the original limestone into the present marble by the heat process called metamorphosis. There are evidences also of cavities, comparatively small it is true, that existed in the original beds of limestone and which were subsequently filled with pure carbonate of lime. During the metamorphosis of the limestone this filling also was changed to white crystalline marble. Some chips and nuggets of quartz are to be seen imbedded in the filling evidencing that they were carried into the cavity by water during the process of the lime accumulation. Shrinkage cracks are everywhere to be found in the grey and white marble, which were formed during its early solidification into limestone and afterward filled with pure carbonate of lime. They now show as seams of white marble inserted in the rocks at various angles to their bedding faces.

Cougar creek now enters under "Gopher Bridge" at the point marked "Present Channel" on the map. In my former report, June 8, 1905, no reference was made to the "Present Channel" because it was entirely obscured from view by a very deep snow-slide. The "Old Channel" however, was partly open to view, and, because of its logical position, was mistaken for the channel actually conveying the water under he bridge. The creek has a tortuous course under the bridge as is shown on the map. The first portion of it was inaccessible because of the low roof, the last portion because of the deep water in the creek.

Photographs Nos. 24 and 25 were taken here by flash-light. They show something of the fantastic carving of the water channel in the marble strata, but do not convey a true idea of the real beauty of the thing itself.

The openings that were explored are now easily accessible, and it apears to be quite possible to form a continuous passage under the bridge by bringing the deep and swift portion of Cougar creek that is now impassable and which is shown in photograph No. 25. If this is done the visitor would begin his tour of the caves by entering first at the upper or west end of "Gopher Bridge." Emerging at the east end he would again enter by "Entrance No. 1." At the south-east corner of the "Auditorium" a passage can be made into "The Canyon" by removing the debris for about 20 feet. Then the visitor can make a continuous trip from the west end of "Gopher Bridge" to the large cave without retracing any steps.

A correction in my former map is made, on the accompanying map, as to where the waters from "Whistler Falls" join Cougar creek. In June last this junction was partly obscured by a heavy snow slide, in fact the waters from the falls were then running as shown on my former map. After the snow disappeared it was discovered that they join Cougar creek under "Gopher Bridge" and disappear from the surface in a deep, nearly vertical shaft, called "The Gopher Hole."

The exploration of the main cave through "Entrance No. 2" was a most laborious task. The descent into "The Canyon" was by means of a rope down an incline that was nearly perpendicular, about 75 per cent, and over snow and ice, for a distance 85 feet. The cave was then entered by "Entrance No. 2."

Cougar creek at this time was very much less in volume as compared with its flush condition at the time of my former report, June 8, 1905, and fair progress in the exploration has been made. A complete survey of all its accessible openings was made and the accompanying map shows them in their relative positions. Nine photographs were taken by flash-light illustrating some of the most attractive features.

This Main Cave

comprises the largest of all the underground openings thus far discovered. It naturally should because of the additional waters entering it. The average height of the main channelway, measured on the dip of the strata, is about 100 feet, while the width, measured perpendicular to the bedding faces, ranges form 8 to 20 feet. This channelway is not, as might be supposed, of uniform width, but varies with the conditions of flow of the water at the time of its formation. With all the water flowing through it on a steep grade it would be narrow, and with only a portion of it, the other portion running around some other way, it would also be narrow. It would be widest where all the water passed through it and on a moderate grade.

During its earlier history it undoubtedly appeared much like the passageway in "Entrance No. 1," described in my report of June 8, 1905. But as the channelway grew deeper and wider, through centuries of erosion, many large masses of rock from the hanging wall were loosened and fell into the channel way, thus causing an obstruction, around which the water cut its way, and at the same time cut away some or all of the obstruction itself. As a result many enlarged places are to be seen here and there. Still others are to be seen that have been formed as pot holes, like rounded shafts, down which the water poured keeping the boulders at their bottoms ceaselessly grinding them deeper and deeper.

From these results itwas only a matter of time when, particularly at the confluence of streams, great masses of overhanging rock would be undoubted ly dropped into the great channel and potholes. This is shown to a marvelous degree where the waters of "Bear Falls" formerly joined Cougar creek. Portions of the old channel-way and of the very large pot-holes are here visible, the other portions being covered with fallen rocks from the roof. One of these, an enormous rock, rests in a nearly horizontal position and its upper surface contains about 1200 square feet of floor space. This we named

"The Ball Room."

About 150 feet south from "The Ball Room" is "The Pit." This is the "Deep Cavern," at "Entrance No. 3," mentioned in my report of June 8, 1905, that was estimated to be 250 feet deep. This estimate was made from the number of seconds required for a stone to reach the bottom. It took four seconds, but several deflections were made by the stone in its decent. The nearly vertical portion, "The Pit," measures 120 feet, and the steep channel-way leading from its bottom and down which the stone undoubtedly went, measures 125 feet more, making 245 feet by actual measurement. The rocks in "The Pit" are of a very dark blue-grey color and have lands of white marble inserted in them which have been crumpled by pressure, giving the bends a ziz-zag appearance.

The fallen masses of rock wherever found throughout the cave, particularly those about "The Ball Room" and "The Pit," were carefully examined to determine their present stability. The roof was also examined carefully to the same end. The singular firmness of every fallen piece, even the very small ones, led the writer to the discovery that the water had undoubtedly shifted all the fallen pieces, great or small, into positions that are firm and reliable. No evidence whatever was discovered of any present movement in the roof, neither were any points discovered where the present water erosion has made a fall of rock imminent.

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THE WEEKLY WEATHER.

Nov. 29 to Dec. 5, 1905.

During the first few days of the week the weather throughout the province was abnormally cold and several inches of snow fell on the Mainland near the sea, while further up the Fraser river valley the snowfall was greater. In the vicinity of Bear river and Rock bay two feet of snow was reported, and in many districts game was plentiful near the sea owing to the abnormal cold in the mountains. Upon Saturday, 2nd, a low barometer area and mild wave appeared in the Atlin district, and from this date to the close of the week the temperatures have been steadily rising throughout the North Pacific coast, as the above area spread southeastward. Light rain or sleet has occurred in this vicinity upon several days, and upon the last day of the week half an inch of rain fell. There has been little bright sunshine both on Vancouver Island and the lower Mainland; while over the northern portion of the province the weather was much more settled.

The temperatures in the prairie provinces were below zero from the beginning of the week until Saturday, the 2nd, when the mild weather on the coast also spread across the Rockies.

Victoria—Amount of bright sunshine recorded was 8 hours and 30 minutes; rainfall .41 inch; highest temperature 50 on the 5th; lowest, 33.2 on the 1st.

Vancouver—Snow and rain, 1.67 inches; highest temperature, 50 on the 5th; lowest, 28 on the 1st.

New Westminster—Rain 1.00 inch; snow, 3.4 inches; highest temperature, 48 on the 5th; lowest, 28 on the 29th and 1st.

Kamloops—No snow; highest temperature, 42 on the 5th; lowest, 6 below on the 1st.

Barkerville—Snow, 4.00 inches; highest temperature, 36 on the 5th; lowest, 8 below on the 1st.

FRENCH DISCUSS ROOSEVELT.

Prominence of Monroe Doctrine in Message Irritates Journalists.

Paris, Dec. 6.—The Temps in a leading article this evening discussing President Roosevelt's message to congress says: "The Monroe doctrine is given extraordinary proportions. It is no longer confined to forbidding Europe to conquer or annex South American territory, but also extended against the simple seizure of custom house, which is the sole means of effective reprisal against delinquent southern republics.

Notice is hereby given that sixty (60) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated on the right bank of Bulkley River about a mile above the Morrice River, in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "H. W. T. S. E.," and thence astronomically north 17.40 chains to the southeast post of Lot 346, Range V., Coast District, thence astronomically west 40 chains, thence astronomically south 1.51 chains to the right bank of the Bulkeley River, thence along said bank southeasterly to the northwest post of lot 623, Range V., Coast District, and thence astronomically east to the point of commencement.

H. W. TREFUSIS.

Dated October 13, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that sixty (60) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land known as Lot Two Hundred and Ninety-one (291), Range Five (5), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "D. W. K. S. W.," placed at the southwest corner of said lot, and thence astronomically north forty (40) chains, thence astronomically east forty (40) chains, thence astronomically south forty (40) chains, and thence astronomically west to point of commencement.

D. W. KELLS.
By His Agent, J. H. Gray.

Dated October 14, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that sixty (60) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situated at the north end of Pleasant Valley on the right bank of the Bulkley River in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post placed at the southeast corner of Lot Three Hundred and Forty-five (345), Range Five (V.), Coast District, marked "M. R. S. W.," and thence astronomically north eighty (80) chains, and thence astronomically east forty (40) chains, thence astronomically south eighty (80) chains, and thence astronomically west to point of commencement.

MORTON RAMSDELL.

Dated October 14, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that sixty (60) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situated near Kitsegueldla Pass on the left bank of the Bulkley River in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British oClumbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "J. B. G. S. E.," and thence astronomically north forty (40) chains, thence astronomically west twenty (20) chains to the northeast corner of Lot Three Hundred and Fifty-five (355), Range Five (V.), Coast District, thence astronomically south forty (40) chains, and thence astronomically east to point of commencement.

J. B. GREEN.

Dated, October 30, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that sixty (60) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situated near Kitsegueldla Pass on the left bank of the Bulkley River, in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "V. B. S. W.", placed on the north boundary of Lot Three Hundred and Fifty-six (356), Range Five (V.), Coast District, and thence astronomically north forty (40) chains, thence astronomically east forty (40) chains to west boundary of Lot Three Hundred and Fifty-five (355), Range Five (5) Coast District, thence astronomically south forty (40) chains, and thence astronomically west to point of commencement.

V. BANISTER.

Dated October 30, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that thirty (30) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for grazing purposes, the following described lands situated in Pleasant Valley, Bulkley River, Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "T. A. H. S. W.", and thence astronomically east one hundred and twenty (120) chains, thence astronomically north forty (40) chains, thence astronomically west one hundred and twenty (120) chains, and thence astronomically south to point of commencement

JAS. A. HICKEY.

Dated October 6, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that thirty (30) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for grazing purposes, the following described lands situated in Pleasant Valley, Bulkley River, in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "W. D. F. N. E.," and thence astronomically north eighty (80) chains, thence astronomically south forty (40) chains, thence astronomically east eighty (80) chains, and thence astronomically north to point of commencement.

W. D. FRASER.

Dated October 6, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that thirty (30) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for grazing purposes, the following described lands situated in Pleasant Valley, Bulkley River, in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post marked "L. V. C. N. W.", and thence astronomically south sixty (60) chains, thence astronomically east one hundred and twenty (120) chains, thence astronomically north forty (40) chains, thence astronomically west one hundred chains (100), thence astronomically north twenty (20) chains, and thence astronomically west to point of commencement.

L. V. CUPPAGE.

October 7th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that thirty (30) days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for grazing purposes, the following described lands situated near the Kitsegueldla Pass on the right bank of the Bulkley River, in Range Five (V.), Coast District, British Columbia, viz: Starting from a post placed at the southeast corner of Lot Three Hundred and Fifty-three (353,) Range Five (V.), Coast District, and marked "A. W. H. N. E.", and thence astronomically west one hundred and forty (140) chains, thence astronomically south forty (40) chains, thence astronomically east one hundred and forty (140) chains, and thence astronomically north to point of commencement.

A. HARVEY.

Dated October 30, 1905.

David Spencer Ltd.
WESTERN CANADA'S BIG STORE

STORE NEWS FOR

Friday & Saturday

Remember, after this week, only ten more shopping days, then Christmas. Thousands of dollars' worth of Goods to be sold before Christmas. We have not one moment to lose to accomplish our object, which is to sell all Fancy Goods, and to clear out all surplus high-class stocks in the various departments, before the end of the year. Read this news carefully if you wish to share in the

Friday & a turday Offerings

See Daily "Colonist" for a more complete list

LADIES' BLOUSES

Forty dozen Ladies' Blouses, Flannels, Woven Zella Cloths, Nipper Cloths, Printed Cloths; sizes 32 to 42. Values $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00.
Friday, each .....90c.

INFANTS' JACKETS

$1.75 to $4.50 Jackets for $1.25.

One Hundred Infants' Jackets, Velvet Cloths, Panama Lined, Basket Cloths in white, nile, gobelin, cardinal, cream, brown, dark green and pastel shades; collars trimmed fur, stitched and tucked silk, combination of velvet and fur and silk. Values $1.75 to $4. Our Complete Stock up to $4.00 go in this Sale $1.25

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF SAMPLES

To be offered for sale in the Whitewear Department—White Muslin Aprons, White Cotton Underwear, Flanelette Underwear, Sample Muslin Waists, and Sample Pure Linen Waists with Embroidered Fronts, etc.; the advance styles for spring, all to be offered at One-Third Less than Regular Values.

Gowns from ..... 50c. to $2.50
Corset Covers from ....15c. to 75c.
Drawers from .....25c. to $1.00
White Underskirts, embroidery trimmed .....75c. to $2.50
Ladies' Aprons, embroidery trimmed .....25c. to $2.50
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Sheer Linen Blouses ..$1.50 to $4.50
Muslin Blouses .....75c. to $2.50

Another Important Clothing Sale

Third Important Sale in Six Weeks.

This sale will likely interest more people than either of the two previous ones, as we have more lines to sell, the range is larger and many numbers to interest the Boys and Young Men.

You are more interested in quality and price than how we are able to continue to offer values that seem on the face of it impossible, and values that are not duplicated in any other store in Canada.

293 3-piece Suits, regular $3.50, $4.50 and $6.50 Tweeds and Worsteds, will go on sale Friday and Saturday at .....$2.50, $3.50 and $4.50

Sale of Men's Raincoats

On Friday and Saturday we will place on sale nearly all our Raincoats at each .....$5.00 and $10.00

We have been so busy with Suits for the past week that the special purchase of Raincoats has been overlooked.

$3.50 to $6.50 Boys' Raincoats $2.50

In this lot are Brown Beaver Coats, Blue Beaver Coats, and Fawn and Dark Grey in Rainproof Cloth.

$3.75 for Boys' Overcoats

Value $5.00 to $7.50

Coats of Grey Coating, velvet collar. Coats of Blue Cloth, pearl buttons. Coats of Grey Tweed, yoke effect. Brown Curl Coats.
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$10.00

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Youths' Tweed Worsted Suits; regular price $10.00. Friday.....$6.75
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Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, half-inch hem, with neat colored border. For Friday, per dozen..... $1.00
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A Book for every man, woman and child in Victoria.

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Black Peau de Soie, 21-inch. Special $1.00
Black French Taffeta, 20-inch. Special ..... 50c.
Black French Taffeta, 21-inch. Special ..... 65c.
Black French Taffeta, 22-inch. Special ..... 75c.
Black French Faillette, a soft, lustrous finish—
20-inch at ..... 90c.
21-inch at $1.25
Black Surah—
21-inch at ..... 35c.
22-inch, extra heavy quality. $1.00
Black Bengaline, 21-inch, extra special $1.00
Black Satin Merv, 20-inch ..... 90c.
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Children's Tweed Coats, full length, ages 3 to 12 years.
Prices..$1.75, $2.25, $2.50, $3.50, $3.75, $4.50.
Our Full Stock of Children's Winter Coats are Offered in this Friday Sale.

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The "Spencer" Guaranteed $1.00 Gloves.
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Hand Bags—Our stock was never so complete.
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Sale of Christmas Furniture

To make Christmas Shopping very interesting on the Third Floor, the following pieces of Furniture have been specially priced for

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A few of the pieces may be seen in the Broad Street window.

Five only. Upholstered Rocking Chairs, in velour, cushion back. Regular $5.75. Friday $3.90

One Upholstered Chair redwood frame, silk upholstered. Regular $14.75. Friday $8.75

One Quarter Cut Oak Rocking Chair, upholstered tapestry, Regular $14.50. Friday $9.75

One Gilt Chair, upholstered in blue figured silk. Regular $17.50. Friday $13.75

One Reception Chair, solid mahogany frame, upholstered green silk. Friday $17.50

One Reception Chair, redwood frame, upholstered in silk. Regular $14.50. Friday $8.75

One Three-Piece Set, upholstered. Regular $36.00. Friday ..$19.75

One High Back Easy Chair of solid mahogany, Oriental silk cover. Regular $27.50. Friday ...$18.75

One Settee. Regular $26.50. Friday $19.50

One Reception Chair, solid mahogany frame, silk striped silk covering. Friday $22.50

One Handsome Three-Piece Set, upholstered in velour, of plain color with raised pattern. Friday $26.00

One very massive looking Three-Piece Set—Settee, Arm Chair and Reception Chair. Regular $35.00, for $32.50

Upholstered in good quality of Silk Covering in White and Green Mixture.

One Settee covered in silk, pink and brown mixture. Regular $26.50. Friday $19.50

One Upholstered Chair, white silk covering. Regular $14.50. Friday $8.75

One Upholstered Chair, solid mahogany frame. Regular $25.00, for $14.50

One Quarter Oak Shaving Stand, British bevel mirror, well finished. Regular $16.75. Friday.$13.75

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Solid Mahogany Work Tables, half price—$17.50 for $8.75; $14.50 for $7.25.