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Friday Bargains

The bill-of-fare for tomorrow includes things to eat and things to wear, things for use and things to live with—brand new goods at exceptional prices. The merest suggestion must answer where so many different stocks are represented, and early shopping is necessary to avoid the crowd. We're giving such values EVERY DAY in order to take the pressure off Friday's trade, but the chances are we'll have all we can manage at these prices:

GROUND FLOOR—YONGE-ST.

GLOVES.
Gents' Lined Kid Gloves, 2-clasp, 60c a pair; regular \$1 to \$1.25.
Ladies' Wool-Lined Kid Gloves, fur top, 50c; regular 75c and \$1.
Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, fancy, 15c a pair; regular 25c.
Children's Wool Mitts, 10c; regular 15c and 20c.
HOSIERY.
Men's Fine Cashmere Socks, 12½c a pair; regular 20c.
Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Wool Hosiery, 15c a pair; regular 25c and 30c.
HANDKERCHIEFS.
Gents' Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, large size, 12½c a dozen; regular 20c.
Gents' Colored Border Silk Handkerchiefs, 30c each; regular 50c to 75c.
Ladies' Irish Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c; regular 15c each.
Gents' White Mufflers, 35c each; regular 75c.
UMBRELLAS AND FURIES.
Ladies' Umbrellas, silk and wool mixture, 75c each; regular \$1.25 and \$1.75.
Ladies' Bag Purse, long, all-leather, 25c; regular 50c.
RIBBONS.
1-inch Fancy Satin Ribbon, 1c yard; regular 4c.
1½-inch Colored All-Silk Ribbon, 8c yard; regular 12½c.
KAISER.
8 to 14-inch Cream and White Irish Flax and American Pillow Cases, 2c yard; regular 5c to 8c.
14-inch Real Linen Hand-made Torchon Lace, 5c; regular 10c.

GROUND FLOOR—QUEEN-STREET.

CLOTHING.
Men's Suits, heavy winter weight, light and dark colors, sizes 36 to 44 in., \$4.99; regular \$7.50 and \$9.
Youths' English and Scotch Tweed Suits, knee pants, single and double breasted, dark shades, heavy weight, sizes 28 to 32, \$3.99; regular \$5 to \$6.
Men's Navy Blue Beaver and Fawn Mottled Overcoats, single and double breasted, stitched and raw edge, long box back, very special \$15.
HATS AND WEARS.
Men's Fur Felt Hats, extra fine, satin lined, black only, 60c; regular \$2.

GROUND FLOOR—JAMES-STREET.

DRESS GOODS.
42-inch German Tweed Effects, dark shades, 1½ yd; regular \$2.50.
62-inch Ladies' Suits, dark shades, 25c a yard; regular 40c.
40-inch Tartan Plaid, all-wool, 40c a yard; regular 50c.
48-inch American Cloth and French Twill, 50c a yard; regular 75c.
SILKS.
20 to 24-inch Colored Satins, Serge Surah, Fancy Silk, 60c a yard; regular \$1.
Spot-Pompey Silk, 50c a yard; regular 75c to 90c.
Colored Silk Surah, shot effects, 50c a yard; regular 60c.
Colored Silk, dark shades, 50c a yard; regular \$1.25.
MELTONS AND LININGS.
Fancy Melton, mottled effects, 50c a yard; regular 80c.
White Lawn, soft finish, 10c a yard; regular 15c.

FIRST FLOOR.

MILLINERY.
Knitted Wool Hoods, assorted colors, 25c; regular 75c.
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New York Felt Top Hats, Satin Finish, in navy, brown, ecru, 60c; regular \$1.25.
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Ladies' Choice Kid Slippers, beaded vamp, two-strap, made and laid with felt lining, 90c; regular \$1.50 a pair; regular \$2.50 and \$3.50.
Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Boots, patent tip, extension sole, good wear, special, \$2.
Men's Buff Laced Boots, hand riveted sole and machine sewed, 90c; regular \$2.
Gents' Patent Calf Button Boots, turn sole, for evening or dress wear, \$1.50; regular \$3.

SECOND FLOOR.

CARPETS.
Brussels Carpets, Southwell's best weave, 6 ft. border to match, new patterns, made and laid, with felt lining, 97c a yard; regular \$1.50.
Tapestry Carpets, 14 inches wide, all good patterns, in light and dark colors, 69c a yard; regular \$1.
Fur Oilcloth, heavy, English and Scotch made, Linoleum finish, 30, 40, 54 and 72 inches wide, 30c a yard; regular 40c.
FURNITURE.
Battan Reception Chairs and Rockers, 100c; regular \$1.50.
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Mantel Folding Bed, 3 ft. 6 in. wide, fitted with heavy woven-wire springs, antique finish, \$25 each; regular \$30.
American 5-fold Oak Stairs, 66 in. high, highly polished, each fold 19 in. wide, very fancy ornate, 40c; regular \$7.50.
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