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= Estate Administration = Sale

A woman's confidence is hard to get. You can't fool a woman more than once. You can't pull cotton over her eyes and call it wool. You can't make her believe an article is cheap if it isn't. The thousands of women who have thronged our store for the past week and who come back day by day are evidences of the wonderful money saving opportunities of the

= GREAT SALE =

About Dress Goods

Every one of these offerings spell the word BARGAIN—where you may obtain dollar goods for 25 cents, and \$1.25 goods for 50c, and \$2 goods for 50c—well it's surely a bargain harvest time isn't it?

Plushes

Suitable for fancy work, cushions, etc.,
Regular \$1 quality for..... 25c
Regular 50c quality for..... 12 1/2c

Silks

The silks must go—this edict means as much as a saving of half in some instances:

50c Silks at..... 39c
75c Silks at..... 69c
\$1.00 Silks at..... 89c
\$1.50 Silks at..... \$1.23

It would pay you to anticipate your needs

Men's Wear

We happen to have the best lines of Men's Underwear in the city. Did you know it? This sale affords you an opportunity of fitting out yourself at less price than ever before:

Men's 35c Underwear at..... 27c
Men's 50c Underwear at..... 43c
Men's 75c Underwear at..... 69c
Men's \$1 Underwear at..... 89c
Men's \$1.50 Underwear at..... \$1.33
Men's \$2 Underwear at..... \$1.67

Men's Sox

It is an old saying "save the dimes and dollars will look after themselves." Save your dimes by buying Sox here:

Men's 25c Sox at..... 22c
Men's 50c Sox at..... 43c

Mens Ties

Regular 25c Silk Bow Ties at..... 12 1/2c

THE PRUNING KNIFE HAS BEEN USED

a second time in the Jacket Stock, and to day you can buy Jackets just when you need them at lower prices than you would be asked for them in February or March after the season is over.

Ladies' \$5.00 Jackets at..... \$3.86
Ladies' \$7.00 Jackets at..... \$4.76
Ladies' \$10.00 Jackets at..... \$7.90
Ladies' \$15.00 Jackets at..... \$11.00

Towel Sale

Are you a thrifty woman? Then these Towel offerings will appeal to you. But be quick for Towels at such prices don't linger long:

Regular 25c Towels at..... 15c
Regular 50c Towels at..... 44c

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A grand showing of the best Scotch and Canadian Tweeds at less than cost:

25c Tweeds for..... 23c
50c Tweeds for..... 33c
\$1.00 Tweeds for..... 60c
\$1.25 Tweeds for..... 90c

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A CONTINUOUS ROUND

of bargains from one end of the store to the other—everything from cellar to garret at reduced prices. IT IS A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME, and one that everybody should avail themselves of. It matters not whether you want to purchase five cents worth or five dollars worth—remember that A PENNY SAVED IS A PENNY EARNED.

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YESTERDAY WE PLACE ON SALE

1700 Yds. Plain and Fancy Dress Goods

At about ONE-HALF REGULAR PRICE, divided in to Five Lots as follows:—

Lot 1
19c.

This lot comprises a large assortment of 42 in. Plain Cloth Suitings, Fancy Suitings, Checks, Plaids, Plain and Figured Mohairs, Black Satinets and Serges, these goods are in all the desirable shades for Fall wear and worth 25c to 40c yd.—See Window Display

Lot 2
25c.

Includes a choice variety of plain and fancy materials in all the leading weaves, Silk Mixtures, Fancy Tweeds, French Serges, Fancy Checks, Plain and Figured Mohairs, etc., worth 40c to 75c per yd.—See Window Display

Lot 3
38c.

In this lot you have your choice of All Wool French Tweeds and Serges, 54 in. Suiting Tweeds, 41 in. Wool Cheviots, All Wool Ottoman Cord, Fancy All Wool Plaids, Handsome Silk and Wool Mixtures, All Wool Crepons, etc., that have been selling at 60c to 85c.—See Window Display

Lot 4
47c

A choice collection of 44 in. Pure Wool Venetian Cloths, in new Fall shades, French Vigoreux Suitings, French Poplins, Satin Cloths, Silk and Wool Fancys, Handsome Skirting Plaids, Cheviots, Serges, etc., worth regular 75c to \$1.00.—See Window Display.

Lot 5
58c

This lot includes many High Class Novelties in Fancy Jacquards, Silk and Wool Reppe, Silk and Wool Fancy, Rich Boucle Plaids, Black Blister Cre, Armures, Fine Venetian Broad Cloths, etc., worth regular up to \$1.25 per yard.

SAMPLE LOT

TAILOR MADE SUITS, in Fine Coverts, Venetians, Whip Cords, Serges, Frieze, etc., handsomely made Silk and Electro Satin Linings in Costa, tailor stitched and braided trimming, full skirt, A 1 linings, velvet facings, perfect fitting, clearing as follows:
Costumes worth \$8.50 for..... \$4.98
Costumes worth \$10.00 for..... \$6.89
Costumes worth \$12.50 for..... \$9.50

Every woman desiring to economize should be on hand and take advantage of this GREAT MONEY SAVING OPPORTUNITY. You know what it means to have first choice—Shop Early. The Busy Cash and One Price Store.

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SCANDAL ARISES

Out of Admiral Dewey's Transfer of His House.

Gossips Say It is to Escape a Breach of Promise Suit—The Hero of Manila Weeps.

Washington, Nov. 22. — John R. McLean is here and doing what he can to quiet the terrific storm of gossip created by Dewey in transferring his "honour house" to his wife. Although McLean has telephoned some of the principal newspaper offices and has otherwise done his best, he has not yet turned the tide of the severe and even brutal popular criticism.

The statement given out that the house has been transferred to Dewey's son, and that such was the intention from the first, is being picked to pieces with ferocious zest. The son is a business man and subject to business vicissitudes, they say, and therefore the precious house is liable any day to young Dewey falls to the lot to satisfy a judgment. To hold the title secure, it is alleged, nothing could be safer than to leave it in the hands of a retired naval officer with a salary and allowances amounting to \$17,000 a year.

Talk along this line can be heard wherever two or three people are gathered together, and everywhere the belief is expressed that the transfer to Mrs. Dewey must have been made for some purpose not yet revealed, and that this later transfer to young Dewey is made because the admiral was "smoked out" by the ferocity of the critics.

The statement is freely made that Dewey was securing the property against a breach of promise suit. The name of Mrs. Dora Kent, a pretty widow in the Government service, is freely mentioned in this connection. She says she doesn't even know Dewey. It is also freely hinted that friends of the McKinley administration have originated the scandal so as to kill Dewey as a possible presidential candidate.

DEWEY SHEDS TEARS. Admiral Dewey has made a statement in which he says: "When I made over my house to my wife, I thought I was doing the most gracious act an American gentleman could do. I thought people had given me the house to dispose of as I chose. It seems I was mistaken. I would never have sold, nor disposed of it in any manner had I believed I had a right to give it to my wife or son. Mrs. Dewey understood better than I did the feelings of the people and at first declined to permit the house to be transferred to her. She consented only after an arrangement had been effected whereby not only the house, which was a gift to me from the American people, but her entire personal fortune, which is considerable, was ultimately to go to my son George."

"I would never have believed it possible," the admiral continued, with tears in his eyes, "that the American people, who made such a hero of me two months ago, could have in the brief period so turned me as to fill columns of the papers with the worst sort of abuse."

The admiral added that he felt like throwing up everything, going on the retired list and living abroad. He also regretted that he had fought the battle of Manila.

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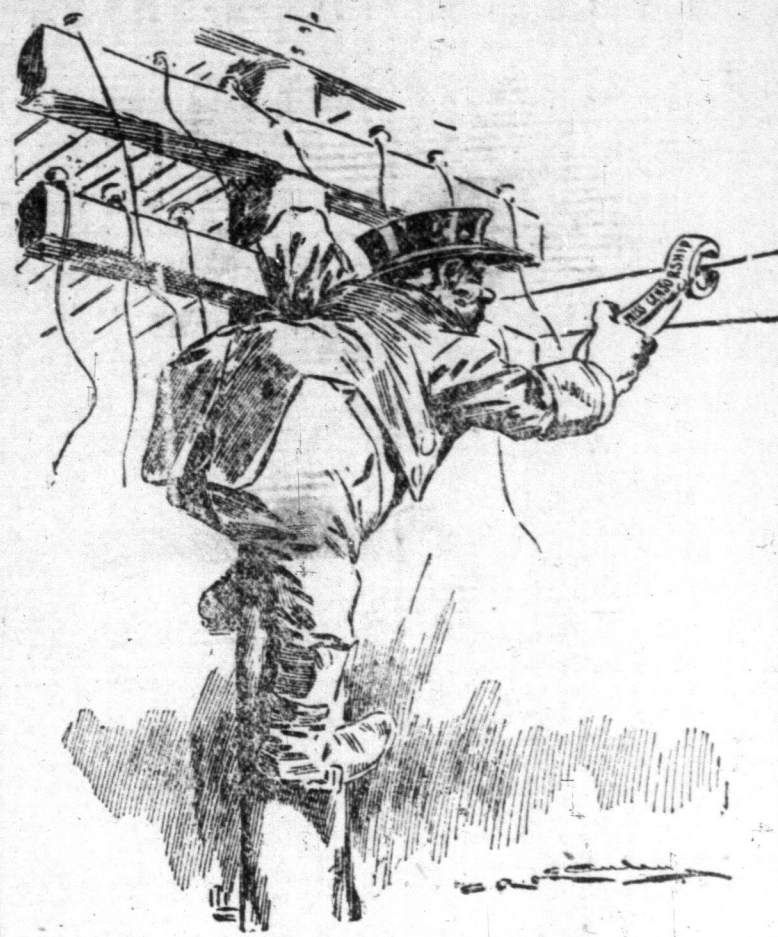
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WHY WAR NEWS IS SCARCE.

NATAL'S CAPITAL. THE CAMP AT MOOI

It is now Threatened by the Enemy in Force. Is Now Surrounded by Large Boer Forces.

Only 1000 Men to Defend Pietermaritzburg and the Boers but 30 or 40 Miles Away.

London, Thursday, Nov. 23, 5. m.—Although it is evident that the situation in Natal is again becoming sufficiently alarming, nothing can be officially ascertained to ally public anxiety or the curiosity felt regarding the disposition of the reinforcements recently landed at Durban. The war office despatches are confined to a mere recital of a few casualties at Mooi River, which confirm the reports of skirmishes there, but give no details as to how the engagements happened. The special correspondents are only permitted to describe Major-General Barton's camp at Mooi River vaguely as "large" or "ample."

One correspondent says that 7,000 Boers are within 25 miles of Howick Falls, near Pietermaritzburg, and that the inhabitants are fleeing to the capital. Evidently a considerable force of the enemy is within thirty or forty miles of Pietermaritzburg, but it is officially announced from there that no anxiety prevails. The garrison number a thousand men, with six guns.

General Joubert's plan, apparently, is a daring attempt to defeat the British relieving column from Durban, in detail, while still attempting the reduction of Ladysmith. A serious attack on Mooi River Camp is hourly expected with the destroying of the bridge at Weston. Should this be accomplished, the Boers would be free to turn their attention to Estcourt, while, if it failed, the enemy would tie again on Weenen and join the investing forces around Ladysmith.

Little is known regarding the food supplies of the garrisons thus isolated. It is believed that Estcourt is well provided, but there is less confidence in the case of Mooi River.

A SIXTH DIVISION. The Daily Mail says this morning: "We are able to confirm the report that orders have been issued to mobilize a sixth division at Aldershot for service in South Africa or wherever it may be wanted."

There is no further news from the western frontier, except the list of casualties, showing that one trooper was killed and nine were wounded at Kimberley on Nov. 16, and confirming the accounts of the sortie previously reported from Boer sources.

The New Zealand contingent has arrived at Cape Town.

and it is thought they intend to attack the town.

MUSICAL AT DRESDEN.

A most enjoyable musical was held at Dresden last evening under the auspices of the piano students of Miss Elise Lawrence. The attendance was exceedingly large and a delightful program was rendered. The renditions by the students were of a pleasing and varied nature and paid high tribute to their own efficiency and the skill of their popular teacher. The students were assisted in the presentation of their program by Wm. H. Brackin, violin soloist and basso, of Chatham; Miss Aylesworth, contralto, of Tilbury; and Miss Murch, elocutionist, all of who ably contributed to the pleasurable program. Miss Murch in a capital recitation from David Harum, Miss Aylesworth in a delightful rendition from the Opera Wang, and Mr. Brackin in the rendering of the two splendid solos, "There's a Land" and "The Skipper." The students all acquitted themselves admirably and won hearty and liberal praise. Every number was delightfully presented, but, perhaps, special mention should be made of the rendition of Miss Eva McVean, whose op. 33 from Durand.

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