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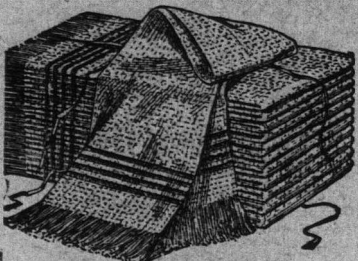
FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY.



AT THE
ROYAL STORES
Compelling Prices on

The Store of Satisfaction.

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BEST VALUES



**Towels, Quilts,
Blankets, &c.**

BARBER'S TOWELS.
Good quality, hemmed ready for use. Special, each 6c

COTTON BLANKETS.

Soft Fleece White Cotton Blankets, size 60 x 76, best California manufacturer. Pink and Pale Blue Borders. Reg. \$1.50 pair. Friday and Saturday 1.35

WADDED QUILTS.

These quilts or Comforts are filled with Sterilized Cotton Batting and covered with high grade Sateen in art shades and designs; large full sizes. Reg. \$3.50 ea. Friday & Saturday 3.20

ART CRETONNES.

For Curtains, Draperies or Furniture Covering, 36 inches wide. Grey, Green, Fawn and Red grounds; fancy designs. Reg. 20c. yard. Friday and Saturday 17c

HUCKABUCK TOWELS.

All White Linen Towels, fresh from the loom; not a cotton thread in them; fringed ends. Regular 25c. each. Friday and Saturday 20c

PILLOW CASES.

Some recently arrived Cotton Pillow Cases, regulation size, 18 x 28; embroidered corners and hemstitched frills. Reg. 30c. each. Friday and Saturday 25c

LINEN D'OYLES.

Damasked Linen and Lace. Crocheted Lace edging. Values to 25c. each. Friday and Saturday 16c

HANDKERCHIEFS.



GENTS' HANDKERCHIEFS.
14 doz. Soft White Mercerized Cotton with assorted colored borders; hemstitched. Reg. 20c. each. Friday & Saturday 16c

GENTS' COTTON HANDKERCHIEFS.
All White Cotton, medium sizes; best Irish finish. Special, each 10c

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS.
Dainty Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, neat embroidered corners, nicely hemstitched. Special Friday & Saturday 13c

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS.
Colored Cotton and White with colored borders, alphabets and pictures. Special, 2 for 6c

From the Men's Department.



MEN'S LINED GLOVES.
Tan, Kid, best English make; lined with warm fleece cotton; all sizes. Special, per pair 95c

SILK NECKWEAR.
Neat Bows, the latest fashions; fancy assorted colors, steel and wire fasteners. Reg. 20c. ea. Friday & Saturday 16c

JOB HALF HOSE.
Fine Cashmere Hose in a variety of popular colors; well spliced heels and toes. Special, per pair 17c

TUNIC SHIRTS.

A fine collection of English made Tunic Shirts, large roomy bodies, cut for comfort and wear, neat striped effects, medium cuffs; all sizes. Reg. \$1.25. Friday & Saturday 1.00

FELT HATS.

New arrivals—the newest in Felt Hats, splendid shapes; colors of Grey, Brown and Green; all sizes. Reg. \$1.35 each. Friday and Saturday 1.05

MEN'S CAPS.

Well finished Golf Tweed Caps in light and dark colors, smart styles; will give good service; in all sizes. Reg. 40c. each. Friday and Saturday 34c

MEN'S BOOTS.

A good assortment of high grade Boots, Patent Leather and Viol Kid, Blucher shapes only, medium heavy sole; all sizes. Reg. \$4.20 each. Friday & Saturday 3.88

RUBBER HEELS.

Men's "Sure Step," all sizes. Reg. 40c. pair for 35c. Ladies' "Solid Comfort," all sizes. Reg. 35c. pair for 30c.

SHOWROOM SELECTIONS.

Just the things you want at prices you like to pay.

LADIES' SWEATER COATS.

We offer a big lot of Wool Knit Sweaters up to date in style, some with belted backs; colors of Navy, Emerald, Navy, Brown, Saxe, Purple, day and Saturday, ea. 1.05

LADIES' OVERALLS.

Useful White Lawn Overall in assorted styles, all new this season, embroidery and lace trimmed. Regular 65 cents each. Friday and Saturday 55c

JOB RIBBONS and VELVETS.

A big stock of 6 inch Taffeta Ribbon in Shot and Two Tone effects and Dresden Band Velvets; values up to 40c. yard. Friday and Saturday 21c

LADIES' STYLISH CORSETS.

4 new Fall Models. Corsets that have achieved instant favor with women of fashion. Low and Medium Busts, 4 and 6 garters; sizes from 20 to 36. Reg. \$1.45 pair. Friday and Saturday 1.28

Flannelette Blouses & Shirts.

Values that will stir every economical buyer; perfect fit, perfect comfort, perfect wear and perfect styles. These smart Blouses and Waists could not be made for the price we ask for them. See them for yourself. Special for Friday and Saturday 62c

What you can Buy for 25c

LACE COLLARS—A large collection of pretty Lace Collars in White, Paris and Navy, also a few White Embroidered Sets. Values to 40c. each. Friday and Saturday 25c

LADIES' BELTS—Bulgarian patterns, fancy Gilt Buckles; good elastic webbing. Regular 30c. each. Friday and Saturday 25c

HAT BANDINGS—Fashionable Ribbon Bandings for Fall Hats; assorted colorings, very pretty. Reg. 30c. yd. Friday and Saturday 25c



Sale of Satin Underskirts

Elegant garments in good quality Satin. Well cut in the very latest styles. They come in the following shades: Pink, Champagne, Cerise, Shot, Tan, Grey, VRose, Purple and Tango; finished with fine accordion pleated flouncings. Reg. \$1.35 ea. Friday & Saturday \$1.50

Ladies' KID JULIETS

Black Kid Flexible Soles. Rubber Heels; all sizes. Friday & Saturday 1.37

HARDWARE SALE

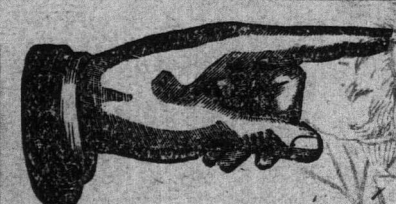
1 dozen Lead Pencils At 10c
Cloth Brushes At 10c
Nickel Waiters At 10c
Spring Balances At 10c
Corkscrews At 10c
Picture Wire (25 ft. coils) At 10c
French Glycerine Shoe Dressing At 10c
Brunswick Black At 10c
Machine Oil At 10c
Imp Soot Destroyers At 10c

Bronzed Paper Weights At 15c
Superior Nail Brushes At 15c
Celluloid Back Hand Mirrors At 15c
Tooth Brushes At 15c
Table Bells At 15c
Apple Corers At 15c
Enamel Bowls At 15c

Infants' Hair Brushes At 20c
Spring Padlocks At 20c
Can Openers At 20c
Chilly Potato Cutters At 20c
Enamel Candlesticks At 20c
Ironing Sleeve Boards At 20c
Clothes Dryers, 8 arm At 20c
Grate Winets At 20c
Knife Boards At 20c

DOLLS.

Sleeping and speaking Wax Dolls; Blondes and Brunettes Undressed and semi-Dressed. Special for Friday and Saturday 20c



WAX PAPER—For Baking and Preserving; 30 sheets in a roll. Special per roll 5c

PETROLEUM JELLY—In glass Jars; a valuable family remedy. Special 2 for 7c

TOILET SOAP—Lullaby Soap in assorted odors; 2 large cakes for 9c

You can Save Money here On Smallwares, Notions, &c.

BOOT LACES—Black Molair, 2 boxes for 5c

BACK COMBS—Good Shell, assorted designs. Special each 8c

BLOTTING PAPER—The Alaska Pad; handy sizes for desks. Special ea. 10c

NOTE TABLETS—The Everyday tablet; 200 pages, ruled. "Always Handy." Special each 6c

HAIR PINS—Black Wire, very smooth points; Special 2 boxes for 6c

BAR-PINS—Fancy Gold filled Jabot and Lace Pins. Reg. 15c. each for 12c

HAT PINS—Spring Steel stems; Black heads; 3 pins on card. Special 2 cards for 4c

HAIR BARTRES—The "Le Chic" Shell Hair novelties. Special each 6c

LADIES' Boots & Shoes

Notable values in Fall Footwear. Over 200 pairs of Boots and Shoes including 3 strap shoes in Black Dongola Kid with medium heels, plain toes and ribbon bows; Black Kid Boots in Blucher style, low heels and patent tips. In all sizes. Special per pair for Friday and Saturday \$2.15

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

News of pretty wear at Cut Prices.

INFANTS' CAPS & TAMS.
Dainty shapes in Cream, Plush and Bearskin, nicely trimmed with soft cream Lap Ribbon. Regular 95 cents each. Friday and Saturday 76c

CHILDREN'S FELT HATS.
A clearing line of pretty Hats in assorted shades, all Silk Ribbon trimmed. These were bought to sell at \$1.00 each. Our Clearing Price is 50c

INFANTS' BIBS.
White Quilted cotton, lace trimmed. Special, 2 for 10c



Good Values in FALL HOSIERY.

LADIES' HOSE.

You want heavier stockings very soon. Here is a good line of Heavy Black Cashmere Hose, assorted ribs; also a few pairs in plain Cashmere, all sizes; Well applied feet. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday and Saturday 34c

CHILDREN'S HOSE.
3/4 Cashmere Hose in the following colors: Tan, Black, Blue, Pink and Cream. Sizes from 9 to 4. Special price per pair for Friday and Saturday 21c

CROCKERY.
GLASS TABLE SETS—Four pieces: sugar, butter and spoon dishes, cream jug. Special per set 32c

HOLY WATER FONTS—Fancy China. Reg. 20c. each for 16c

STONE CHINA BOWLS—Willow pattern. Special each 6c

TEAPOTS—Oxford Marble. Reg. 45c. each for 40c

CUPS & SAUCERS—Litho and Gilt. Special 12c

PUDDING BOWLS—Hygienic. Reg. 35c. each for 31c

Handbags.
Black Leather Hand Bags; real bargains, strap handles; gun metal and gilt frames. Special for Friday and Saturday 32c

"God and Man Will Judge."

THE CRIMES OF OUR ENEMIES—AN OFFICER'S TERRIBLE STORIES AND A CASE FOR JUDICIAL INQUIRY.

A London vicar has sent to the Times this letter from his son, an officer now serving with the Expeditionary Force. The tales he tells are so horrible that the Times procurer in confidence before publication the name and the regiment of the officer.

Girls in the Trenches.
Here is his unvarnished tale as told to his father:

"Here I am in the thick of it. This may interest you, as I am writing it in the firing line. We arrived in this place about 8 p.m. last night, having marched 56 miles. All last night we entrenched, and at 5 a.m. this morning we got our first glimpse of the Germans. They advanced in solid masses. Their shells at first fell rather short, but they soon got the range, and at 6.30 a.m. their shells started to pitch in the trenches. The first one killed three of my poor fellows, including my sergeant."

"I never realized what an awful thing war is. You cannot imagine at home the horror of it. I am in a small village on the extreme left, and can see the horrible cruelty of the Germans to the inhabitants. We have got three girls in the trenches with us, who came to us for protection. One had no clothes on, having been outraged by the Germans. I have given her my shirt and divided my rations among them. In consequence I feel rather hungry, having had nothing for 32 hours, except some milk chocolate."

Caught in the Act.
"We have been hard at the Germans all day (now 8 p.m.), and have successfully driven them back. Our men's shooting is wonderful and accurate. The Germans collapse like nine-pins under it. The slaughter is awful. I started this morning with 50 men in my trench, and now have 23 and no N.C. officers. They are wonderfully cheery. I have been hit twice; one took the heel of my boot off, and one through my shoulder, which is rather sore, so I must have it dressed."

"Another poor girl has just come in, having had both her breasts cut off. Luckily, I caught the Ulan officer in the act, and with a rifle at 300 yards killed him. And now she is with us, but, poor girl, I am afraid she will die. She is very pretty, and only about 19, and only has her skirt on."

Then God and Man Will Judge.
Lord Selborne, in a letter to the Times, applies the proper statement to those horrors.

"Permit me to say," he writes, "that such statements as these cannot possibly be allowed to rest on anonymous authority. The civilized world has the right to demand that names and full particulars shall be given."

"Either these statements are untrue or they are true. If they are untrue, I am sure that you, sir, would most deeply regret having given publicity to them in any form, and would feel that our righteous cause was gravely injured by such a libel on the German Army."

"But if they are true, then God and man will judge."

"Would it not be possible for trained lawyers or judges belonging to a neutral nation like the Netherlands or the United States to conduct a sworn inquiry into such cases as are already open to investigation? There must be many such among the Belgian refugees in England and in the parts of Belgium not occupied by the German troops."

Germans Know It's a Long Way to Tipperary.

Dublin, October 10.—Four hundred Germans know "It's a Long Way to Tipperary." They know because they have made the trip.

The Barry, belonging to the Bristol Channel ports, arrived at the North Wall with something over 400 German military prisoners of war, who were captured by the allies in various engagements. With the rank and file were a number of German officers.

When the Germans were brought ashore they presented a very crestfallen appearance and looked worn and travel-stained. Some of the officers had the heels hanging off their boots, and were unshaven for a long time. Utter dejection seemed to have seized upon them. They were treated with every courtesy by the English military officers having charge of the arrangements at the North Wall, and were accommodated in a first-class railway carriage reserved to themselves for the journey from Dublin to Templemore, County Tipperary, where they are to be detained.

Congress O.K. On Big Cotton Loan Sought

Washington, Oct. 9.—Every effort will be made in the House to-day by the Southern members to pass the new bill to relieve the cotton industry.

The bill provides that the Secretary of the Treasury shall deposit in national and State banks, in States producing cotton or tobacco, the sum of \$250,000,000 or as much as is necessary to accomplish the desired result. This public money, deposited on proper security, is to be loaned by the banks in which the government deposits the money to producers of cotton or tobacco, or the owners of land on which cotton or tobacco is produced, at a rate not to exceed four per cent. per annum.

Interest at 3 Per Cent.

The money will be furnished to the local banks by the government on terms to be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury at two or three per cent. interest, and apportioned among the States according to the number of bales of cotton and pounds of tobacco produced. The Secretary by fixing the amount of interest to be paid by the farmers thereby also fixes the commission of the banks for handling the money.

To obtain the money the Secretary is authorized, if necessary, to issue \$250,000,000 in United States notes which shall have all the legal qualifications of notes outstanding, or he may sell Panama Canal bonds at a rate of interest not exceeding 3 1/2 per cent. per annum. The act will expire by limitation on December 31, 1915.

There is no danger of a "cotton corner" in the President's opinion, through efforts of bankers to raise a pool of \$150,000,000 to be loaned to cotton planters. Subscriptions to the pool are sure to be so widely distributed, he said, as to eliminate that possibility. The President approves the plan for the pool and may see Festus J. Wade, the St. Louis banker, who launched the idea, and the other men who met the Federal Reserve Board to-day to explain the details.

The President believes it is impossible to remedy the cotton situation entirely because the war in Europe is responsible for it and the market for cotton will be restricted until the war is ended.

Joint Action Urged.

Deep interest was shown in the suggestion from London of Sir Charles Wright Macara, President of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers of a joint valorization scheme for the British and American governments to take over the surplus raw cotton in the United States and regulate raw cotton prices.

By creating a cotton reserve, Sir Charles declared, the two governments vitally concerned could protect millions of people engaged in the growing, handling and manufacturing of cotton from appalling disaster and with the possibility of no ultimate loss.

Tulle bands with bows behind are worn for evening and are very becoming to the neck.

THINK HARD

It Pays to Think About Food.

The unthinking life some people lead often causes trouble and sickness, illustrated in the experience of this lady.

"About four years ago I suffered dreadfully from indigestion, always having eaten whatever I liked, not thinking of the digestible qualities. This indigestion caused palpitation of the heart so badly I could scarcely walk up a flight of stairs without stopping to regain breath and strength."

"I became alarmed and tried dieting, wore my clothes very loose, and used other remedies, but found no relief."

"Hearing of the virtues of Grape-Nuts and Postum, I commenced using them in place of my usual breakfast of coffee, cakes or hot biscuit, and in one week's time I was relieved of sour stomach and other ills attending indigestion. In a month's time my heart was performing its functions naturally and I could climb stairs and hills and walk long distances."

"I gained ten pounds in this short time, and my skin became clear and I completely regained my health and strength. I continue to use Grape-Nuts and Postum for I feel that I owe my good health entirely to their use."

"I like the delicious flavour of Grape-Nuts and by making Postum according to directions, it tastes similar to mild high grade coffee." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

The most perfect food in the world. Trial of Grape-Nuts and cream, 10 days proves. "There's a Reason."

Look in pages for the little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.