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## Those Who Study Economy on Wednesday

When we commenced our Closing Out Sale, we set a price pace that has never been equalled by any Calgary Store, to the entire satisfaction of hundreds of Calgary's thrifty shoppers. The time grows short now when we must vacate, and prices have again been cut to a point never before attempted. The economies announced for Wednesday represent goods that are wanted in every household, and the prices should crowd this store to its fullest capacity with a host of enthusiastic shoppers.

Remember, Wednesday Morning, and Be Here Sharp on Time!

## The Ready-to-Wear Section Offers Some Wonderful Buying Attractions

### Women's Wash Suits

Just 3 to sell, made of linen ducks, in white, navy, and tan. Regular \$5.50 and \$6.00. Wednesday ..... \$2.65

### Women's High Grade Wash Costumes

\$5.95. Reg. Value \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00

Just 22 to sell and every single garment to be closed out Wednesday. Choose from wigs, blouses and ducks, colors white, sky, pink, mauve, and tan, some very handsome garments in the collection, short or long coat models, newest pleated skirts, worth up to \$15.00. Wednesday Morning ..... \$5.95

### Women's Cloth Coats Made from Finest quality Coverts

\$4.90

Coats that are worth \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.00. Mark you, not a coat in the lot marked at less than \$7.50, the majority being \$15.00 and \$18.00 coats. Every garment goes out Wednesday. We've made the price so ridiculously low that there will be no hesitancy on your part. All pure wool coverts, some of them silk lined. Wednesday Morning ..... \$4.90

### For Wednesday Shoppers

Closing out Three Lots of Women's Costumes

Wednesday at the lowest prices ever quoted.

Three Prices, \$5.00, \$8.75 and \$14.50

Many of these are brand new goods that have never before been shown. You'll need to be here on time, as there's bound to be a spirited demand.

### The \$5.00 Line

Just 11 suits to sell, made of pretty tweeds in light shades; also misses' suits to fit ages 12 to 14. Values as high as \$20.00. Wednesday Morning ..... \$5.00

### The \$8.75 Line

Includes pretty tweeds, venetian cloths and panamas, just 3 to sell, in reds, brown, navy, worth up to \$25.00. Wednesday Morning ..... \$8.75

### At \$14.50 a Wonderful Collection

Regular values right up to \$45.00. 47 only costumes, including some well known styles that have never before been shown. Colors greys, wisteria, navy, green, brown, cardinal, etc. Some are satin and silk lined, scarcely two alike in the entire lot. Reg. \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00 and \$45.00. Wednesday Morning ..... \$14.50

### Women's Handsome Long Coats \$9.50

Value \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00.

Just 18 to sell, made from all wool coverlets, some lined throughout; 3-4 and 7-8 lengths, a sprinkling of shorter garments in the lot, rich lawn colors in plain or stripe weaves, all sizes, values to \$20.00. Wednesday ..... \$9.50

### Beautiful Colour Serge Coats \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00

\$25.00 Values

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## Women's Cloth Skirts, Grand Choosing at \$4.85

Skirts That Are Worth as Much as \$10.00.

Scores to choose from, made of all-wool Panamas, fine wool Amazons, Venetians, Broadcloths, etc. colors brown, navy, grey, green and black, cut in newest pleated and gored styles. Regular values to \$10.00. Wednesday ..... \$4.85

### The Swellest of Imported Silk Underskirts

\$12.50

6 only Underskirts, made of finest Tafteta Silks, trimmed with rich insertions, Laces, Medallions, etc. Cut in full large sizes with 24 in. flounce at foot and silk dust frill. Colors, Pink, Sky, Old Rose, Reseda, Mauve and Nile. Regular value \$30.00 and \$35.00. Wednesday morning ..... \$12.50



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Spool Cotton, 5 for ..... 25c  
Spool Silk ..... 25c  
Silko, 6 spools ..... 25c  
Mending Wool, 3 coils ..... 5c  
Hose Supporters, pair ..... 15c

### BEAUTIFUL LACES

25c Laces for 15c  
20c Laces for 15c  
15c Laces for 10c  
10c Laces for 5c

### RIBBONS

75c Ribbon ..... 60c  
50c Ribbon ..... 35c  
40c Ribbon ..... 25c  
25c Ribbon ..... 15c  
20c Ribbon ..... 12c

## Every Pair of Lace Curtains in Stock Cut to the Point Where Profits Vanish--Two Lots Chosen for Wednesday Selling

LOT 1--At \$1.95, Actual Value \$3.00.

120 pairs, fine Nottingham lace curtains, several dainty patterns. Collet finish all round, 3 1/2 yards long, 45 inches wide, pure white. Reg. \$3.00. Wednesday ..... \$1.95

LOT 2--\$4.85 Pairs, worth up to \$15.00.

170 pairs finest Swiss Curtains, beautiful high class curtains, with plain centres, or with small floral design, heavy rich borders, 3 1/2 yards long, 50 inches wide. Reg. \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00. Wednesday ..... \$4.85

## \$3.00 Sunshades to Pass Out Wednesday at \$1.45 Each

\$4.50 and \$5.00 TAFFETA WAISTS

\$2.95

88 Waists, made of fine soft, even quality, colors sky, tan, white, grey, green, red, etc., all sizes, open or closed front. Reg. \$4.50 and \$5.00. Wednesday \$2.95

### SEE WINDOW DISPLAY TODAY

128 only Sunshades, choose from plain taffetas, as well as fancy bordered effects, stripes, etc., a rich dainty collection, colors red, sky, brown, navy, grey and black and white. Reg. \$2.50. Wednesday ..... \$1.45

### PRETTY NET WAISTS \$3.35

Reg. \$5.00 and \$6.00. 25 Waists, made of pretty nets and all-overs, as well as taffetas and messaline silks, colors white, white, grey, wisteria, brown, navy, black. Reg. \$5.00 and \$6.00. Wednesday 3.35

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## NOW WHAT IS THE REAL MEANING OF THE KISS?

Definitions Witherto Offered Have Not Hit the Nail on the Head. Attempts That Have Failed

Whether kissing is a science or an art is a problem which never troubles its votaries unless they be of an inquiring mind, and even then they are hard put to it to give a clear definition of what a kiss is. They have attempted to do so, but their efforts cannot truly be said to be as clear as the noonday. For instance, an American medical man described a kiss as "the anatomical juxtaposition of two orifices, usually in the state of contraindication," while the late Prof. Huxley concurred in the dictum. A more popular definition is "nothing divided between two," which is used as "the seal of love." Although, in fact, it seems to be an impossibility to set down in words what a kiss is, an impossibility which Josh Billings recognized when he remarked that "the more a man tries to analyze a kiss the more he can't; the best way to define a kiss is to take one." And many--may the majority of people--get over the difficulty by adopting the suggestion of the American humorist.

No doubt, Dominie Brown, who during his seven years' courtship of Jane had not given her a single kiss, had often endeavored to define the act of osculation, and, finding himself nonplussed in the effort at length, determined to solve the enigma by taking one. So it came about that one evening, as they sat together, Mr. Brown screwed up his courage and said: "Jane, have been acquainted now for seven years, and I've never gotten a kiss yet. D'ye think I might tak' wan?"

"Sure, Jane," said a blessing. "For what we are about to receive, Lord make us truly thankful." After the kiss was taken the giving joyfully exclaimed: "Oh, Jane, it is good. We'll return thanks." Six months later the wedding bells were ringing. But other lovers are not so negligent as the Dominie.

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Not only did it extend to intimate friends, but it became the duty of male guests to kiss all the ladies of the household--a custom which is said to have been in vogue even as late as the Georgian period.

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## ATHLETICS FOR SCHOOLGIRLS

New York City Officially Recognizes the Necessity for Such Training

Athletics for schoolgirls have been officially recognized in New York City. Last November, Miss Elizabeth Burchenal was appointed inspector of athletics by the department of education. The girls' branch of the Public School Athletic League employs five assistants for Miss Burchenal and supports in all eleven school classes in girl dancing and athletics for girls.

The popularity of these classes is indicated by the attendance--1,951, reported from 24 schools. These teachers in return for the instruction they receive coach the girls' athletic clubs organized in their own schools. Inter-school athletic competitions are held, but no inter-school competition is countenanced by the girls' branch. This spring about two hundred athletic meets will be conducted. New York City has three hundred and twenty-five thousand schoolgirls, to whom the girls' branch endeavors to bring wholesome and joyous recreation.

The girls' branch work has come to form an integral part of school life, making it more real and human. It welds about the community, the home and the school a solid bond of beauty. Folk dancing and athletics for girls have taken a strong grip upon the consciousness of the community. A little girl not more than 7 years of age, in an East Side school, took part in a friendly competition of folk dancing and athletics between her class and others of the school. She was the smallest of the group, and clad in her plain skirt-the plaid of her Highland clan--she danced the "Highland Reel" with an abandon and enthusiasm that could not be equaled. Her whole family came to see her and to exult in the part that she had taken in the competition. The Highland girl and the Highland dance were brought out by M. Merland-Ponty in the triumphal class each bore

## home as trophies small copies of the Winged Victory, which have been provided through the generosity of Mrs. Henry Siegel.

Two days afterwards this little girl was seen on the street in company with her 3-year-old sister, teaching the little one the steps of her national dance.

## STAGE ROMANCE HAS A HAPPY ENDING

Governor of French West Africa Weds Actress Whom He Met but Once

Paris, May 23--Paris is enjoying the culmination of a typical French romance in the marriage of Mlle. Juliette Thady, a pretty young actress to M. Merland-Ponty, governor of French West Africa.

Engagement, courtship, and marriage were rapid and dramatic. It all began last September, when a company of Parisian stars, homeward bound from South Africa, put into Dakar to fulfill a promise made by cable from Rio de Janeiro that they would give a performance at the local theatre.

The boat was delayed by terrible weather, and instead of six in the evening, did not arrive till past midnight. As the manager of the company had promised they should perform, he determined to give a theatrical representation at all hazards. He rallied his sleepy company and they were raised, ashore by the native boatmen in the dead of night and hurried to the theatre. At 1 o'clock the performance was ready to begin.

Then for the first time the manager thought of his audience. There was not a single spectator. The local party had long since given up their expectations in despair and gone to bed.

When told of this predicament the energetic manager merely replied: "Then wake them up!" The governor, despite his viceregal powers, was not exempted. Resounding knocks at his door brought out M. Merland-Ponty in his pajamas to be informed, like an-

## other Hamlet, "The players have arrived, my lord."

By 2 in the morning the audience began to assemble in the theatre. M. Merland-Ponty rubbed his eyes, went forward, with many apologies, to express his personal regret to the company. His rank carried him behind the scenes, and there he came face to face with Mlle. Thady, quite one of the minor actresses. It was love at first sight, at any rate on the governor's part. He never took his eyes off her during the performance, and at the subsequent supper, or breakfast--it was given at his house toward 6 in the morning--paid the pretty lady marked attention. At 8 the entire company went aboard, and the governor saw the object of his sudden passion sail at sunrise on a storm-swept ocean.

## BUSTLES ARE COMING BACK

The Signs are Being Read in the Newer Fashions.

New York, May 22--There are signs in the fuller back breadths being introduced into skirts that the bustle is again thought of.

Every woman dreads the sound, not to say the sight, of the extender that has played so hideous a part in styles of the past and it will take more than the hint of one or two dressmakers, however large an influence they may have on fashionable wardrobes, to again install the bustle as a part of the toilet.

It will be interesting to watch the tendency during the next months, when racing Europe introduces the fashions of the past and it will take more than one that this country sees the following fall and winter. But as yet the skirts hang straight from belt to hem all round.

The summer girl of this year is the slimmest creation yet since tailor made

came in. She is as straight as a post, except the line is to be curved toward the feet by the dipping of the skirt at the ankles. And the suit walking skirts are to the slender effect.

Colors are more suitable than in usual when so much brilliancy of color is the rule. The different colors are into very subtle shades and tones. In the yellows one finds in them the clear, delicate tints of orchard fruits and garden flowers.

Any number of plays on Oriental colorings are possible with the Persian patterned gauzes, which are plentiful this spring. In black and white toilet there is always a touch of color and usually of a vivid tone. The satin belt, usually velvety with gauze, but elevated through vividly is often of some such strong tone as turquoise blue, cerise, bright purple or emerald green.

Girls' white frocks are brightened with pretty flower-colored sashes, silk and even with silk flowers, used as fringes to ribbon garments. Very lovely corsage ornaments are made of ribbons with dainty silk flowers falling from the ends.

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