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# The Greatest Sale Features in Men's and Boys' Clothing Will Be Offered to You on Friday and Saturday

## Men's Heavy, All-Wool Shirts and Drawers
## Reg. $1.50, for 50c

**Men's Heavyweight All Wool Shirts and Drawers,** in blue shade. Shirts are spliced elbows, drawers are spliced knees and seats. Size 34 shirts, 32 drawers only. These are a great bargain for small men. Regular value $1.50 per garment. January Sale, Friday's Price, per garment .....**50¢**

**1 Dozen Garments only of Men's Extra Heavy Ribbed Wool Under Shirts.** Large sizes. Regular value $1.50. Friday, per garment .....**50¢**

**Men's Natural Shade Heavy Mixture Shirts and Drawers,** with fancy stripes. All sizes. Regular value 85c. January Sale, per garment .....**65¢**

**Men's Striped Union Flannel Shirts,** with turn down collars, light shades. Regular value $1.00. Jan. Sale Price ....**50¢**

**Men's Working Shirts,** with collars attached, moleskin, galatea and print, light and dark shades Jan. Sale Price .....**50¢**

**Men's Unlaundered White Shirts,** four fold, cuffs and fronts, special imported quality, all sizes, 14 to 14 1-2. Regular value 75c. Jan. Sale Price .....**50¢**

**Men's Black Ribbed Worsted Sox,** Jan. Sale Price, pair **15¢**

**Men's Heavy Dark Army Grey Union Flannel Shirts.** Jan. Sale Price .....**$1.00**

**Men's Heavy Striped Wool Shirts and Drawers,** winter weight, double breasted. Jan. Sale Price, per garment ...**65¢**

Various odd lines of Men's Heavy All Wool Shirts and Drawers, values $1.50 and $1.25. Jan. Sale Price .....**$1.00**

**Men's Heavy Striped Union Flannel Shirts,** with reversible collars. Regular value $1.00. Jan. Sale Price .....**85¢**

**Boys' Blue and White Stripe and Check Gingham Shirts,** with turn down collars. Regular values 35c and 40c. Jan. Sale Price .....**25¢**

**Boys' Colored Print Shirts,** for wear with white collars, white grounds with stripes and fancy patterns, sizes 13 1-2 and 14. Regular values 50c and 65c. Jan. Sale Price .....**25¢**

**Boys' Blue Ribbed Wool Sweaters,** heavy weight. Jan. Sale Price .....**45¢**

## Winter Shoes for Men and Boys to the Front

**A chance for you to save money on heavy Winter Shoes**

For us the season is over. For you it has only just begun. Winter Shoes will be worn from now until April. We don't carry over goods from one season to another, and this is the right time for us to clear up our Fall and Winter stocks.

They're all fine shoes. You can't buy better ones. All the good leathers and late styles.

**Men's $5 and $6 Heavy Shoes** for .....**$3.50**
**Men's $3 Heavy Shoes**....**$1.95**
**Boys' $2 School Shoes**....**$1.50**
**Misses' $2 School Shoes**...**$1.25**
**Children's $1.25 Slippers**...**85¢**
**Infant's $1.00 Boots and Slippers** .....**65¢**

**Every One of These Suits Commend Themselves to All Men Who Take PRIDE IN THEIR APPEARANCE.**

**The Regular Selling Prices Were from $18.00 up to $22.50. Your Choice, Friday and Saturday,**

## $10.00

This assortment comprises about 75 suits of the very latest and most up-to-the-minute styles and fabrics which can be had. Amongst them will be found a large number of the famous Fit-Rite brand—a firm of manufacturers whose name on their cloths is the best guarantee for skill in designing and fine workmanship. The sizes range from 33 to 42, also Young Men's Suits in sizes from 33 to 35. Even if you are not in immediate need of a suit, it will pay you to purchase one for future needs. The quality of materials is of the very highest standard. The one remaining feature of this clothing and one, which is of importance, is that they hold their shape indefinitely, while the price which they are to be had at is less than half. Your choice:

## $10.00

## Every Boy's Suit Must Clear Out

That we mean to try and make a clean-up in the Boys' Suit Department can be readily seen by the unusually low prices which we have marked them at. These include Boys' Norfolk Suits and Three-Piece effects, made of fine Canadian tweed and worsted mixtures. Any mother coming here and fitting one of these suits on the boy will leave the store happy, on Friday and Saturday. Sale prices:

**Norfolk Suits, $1.75, $2.75**
**Three-Piece Suits, - $2.75**

## Further Reductions in Ladies' Coats and Costumes

This being the last **Friday Bargain Day** of the January Sale, and the last chance we have to get clear of our remaining suits and costumes, we are taking this opportunity and are marking them at a price that will warrant their speady disappearance Friday morning.

### $25 Costumes for $9.75

All our remaining **Ladies' Costumes,** in serges, venetians, diagonal, tweeds and black and white checks in blacks, browns, blues, etc. Regular $25.00. Friday .....**$9.75**

### $15 Jumpers, Costumes and Coats, $5

All our remaining **Ladies' Jumpers, Ladies' Costumes and Ladies' Coats,** in panamas, serges, broadcloth, venetian stripes, checks, etc., in a good range of colors. Regular up to $15.00. Friday .....**$5.00**

### $22.50 Ladies' Coats, $9.75

All our remaining **Coats,** in diagonal and coating serges, tweeds, broadcloth, etc., in taupe, brown, navys, blues, green, wisteria and black. Regular. value $22.50. Friday's price .....**$9.75**

### $45 Ladies' Coats, $12.90

All our remaining **Coats,** in chiffon finished broadcloths, in blues, blacks, old rose and wisteria, also black and white checks and greys. Regular up to $45.00. Friday....**$12.90**

### $17.50 Silk Dress Skirts, $5

All our remaining **Black Silk Dress Skirts,** in pleated, plain circular, others with folds, also a few odd blues. Regular $17.50. Friday .....**$5.00**

### $1 Dressing Jackets, 75c

**Flannelette Dressing Jackets,** in a large assortment of colorings, all sizes. Regular $1.00. Friday .....**75¢**

## A Clean-Up Sale of Children's Hosiery Today

**Children's Black Cashmere Gloves,** sizes 1, 2 and 3. Today, per pair .....**5¢**

**Children's Knitted Woollen Gloves,** small sizes only. Today, per pair .....**5¢**

**Ladies' and Children's Lace and Fancy Mitts,** all colors, slightly soiled. Today, per pair....**5¢**

**Children's Cashmere Hose,** black grey toe and heel, sizes 4 and 4 1-2. Today, per pair ....**5¢**

**Children's Ribbed Worsted Hose,** sizes 4, 4 1-2 and 5. Today, per pair .....**5¢**

## Ladies' Collars
### for Today

**Children's Colored Border Handkerchiefs,** red and blue striped edge, each .....**5¢**

**Misses' and Ladies' Linen Collars,** some have fancy and hemstitched borders, 1 inch deep, sizes 12, 12 1-2 and 13. Today, each .....**5¢**

**Ladies' Fancy Lawn Collars,** slightly soiled. Reg. 25c and 35c. Today, each .....**10¢**

**Ladies' Lace and Lawn Collars,** with ruche of Val. lace. Today, each .....**15¢**

## Another Lot of New Waists

**Reg. $7.50 to $8.50 for $3.75**

Yesterday proved beyond a doubt that our bargains which were offered were of exceptional interest. We have just received a new lot of beautiful and fascinating Silk Waists in stripe effects, plaids, and fine nets. These regularly sell at $7.50 to $8.50, for Today .....**$3.75**

**Hair Dressing Parlors: 3rd Floor Annex. Madame Russell, Specialist in Transformation, Manicuring, Etc.**

## Jacquard Rugs
## Reg. $3.50 for $1.90

**Jacquard Rugs,** in pink, blue and grey. Size 60 x 80. They are very useful as a couch or bed cover, made of very heavy fleeced cider flannelette, in fancy floral designs, with wide border. The regular price is $3.50. On Sale Friday, each .....**$1.90**

## Friday's Specials in All-Over Nets and Silks

**Odds and Ends of Colored Silk,** comprising tamaline, taffetas, fancy stripes and checks, massaline and Jap. To clean up .....**35¢**

**800 Yards Plain and Fancy Silk,** suitable for linings, in brown, rose, terra, navy, taupe, helio and black. To clean up..**15¢**

**97 Yards Color All-over Net,** 44 inch, in rose, brown, electric blue. To clean up .....**15¢**

**250 Yards Velveteens,** pink, blue, red, grey and black. To clean up .....**15¢**

**Special Announcment of Our**

## After Supper Sale
### on Saturday

## A Chance for Ladies With Small Feet

As our Shoe Sale progresses we find an unusual number of Ladies' Boots and Oxfords in small sizes, that is, 2½, 3, 3½ and 4, being left behind in their desire to go walking.

Here is a splendid chance for many pretty feet to be daintily shod at small cost. The shoes are just the pick of our stock, many of them being travellers' samples, which means, as you are aware, that they combine all that expert designing and fine shoemaking can produce. We would urge our lady friends to get busy, for these shoes cannot last long, and our January Sale will soon be over—

**Ladies' Boots,** "E. C. Burt" and "Queen Quality" .....**$3.45**

**Ladies' Oxfords,** all "Queen Quality" .....**$2.50**

## The Girl From 12 to 16 Years
### Her Underclothing

Simplicity and neatness are of course the two requisites. Elaboration displayed on any of her clothes is poor taste. The following special garments from our White Sale are practical underclothes at practical prices

**DRAWERS**

**At 40c.**—Cambric with an embroidery edge.

**At 50c.**—Muslin with full ruffle trimmed with imitation torchon and edge.

**NIGHTGOWNS**

**At 75c.**—Cambric, trimmed daintily at the neck with embroidery.

**SKIRTS**

**At $1.00**—Good substantial kind with pleated embroidery ruffle.

**At $2.00**—Flounce trimmed with lace and having three rows of insertion above the flounce. Good full underlay.

## Special for Friday in Pillow Shams
## Reg. $1.50 for 75c

**Pillow Shams and Runners or Dresser Covers to Match.** In the very fancy French cut work and embroidered muslin, very dainty and attractive designs. Shams are 30 in. x 30 in., the runners 18 in. x 54 in. The Regular price is $1.50. On sale Friday, at, each .....**75¢**

## Ladies' Gloves, Reg. 35c and 50c, Friday, 25c

**Ladies' Cashmere Gloves.** Colors are navy blue, black and greys. All sizes. Regular 35c and 50c. Friday .....**25¢**

**Ladies' Fine Suede Finish Cashmere Gloves,** wrist lined, navy blue only. All sizes. Regular 35c and 40c. Friday.....**25¢**

**Ladies' Cashmere Gloves,** with Astrakan backs. Colors, greys, fawns and black. Regular 35c. Friday .....**25¢**

**Ladies' Knit Woollen Gloves.** Black only. All sizes. Regular 35c and 50c. Friday .....**25¢**

## Ladies' Night Dresses and Skirts

"Isn't the quality wonderful"—we've grown used to that exclamation from people who visit the White Sale. We calculated how to make people say this by ordering makers to put our materials (selected from our own store) into his styles.

Therefore: We have these good nainsook nightgowns at 90c. All have that soft feel of higher-priced garments. Each has low or square neck and kimono sleeves. One has tiny embroidery edge at neck and sleeves—simple but fine. A more elaborate one has solid lace yoke; another owns square neck and kimono sleeves outlined by deep embroidery insertion; still another with a round yoke of dotted Swiss. And many other styles.

Also at 90c those high or V neck and long sleeve muslin undergowns which the old-fashioned woman prefers. Generally these have alternate embroidery and plaits in the yoke, but there is a variety of styles.

**Skirts at 75c**—plenty fine enough to wear under the little morning frock in summer—present a choice of flounces that have embroidery and plaits, lace and plaits and wide hemstitched plaits alone. All have good full underlay.

**Drawers**—Made of good heavy and sensible cotton; made with frill of self and hemstitched tucks.

**Skirts at $1.25**—Made of fine cotton, flounces of lawn, with four rows of beautiful lace and edged with fine lace.

**Skirts at $1.50**—A most exquisite line of underskirts are on sale at this price. They are made of fine quality cambric, made with wide flounce of embroidery in a number of very dainty and fascinating styles.

**Night Dresses at 50c.**—A fine line of night dresses in slipover style; made of fine cotton, trimmed with torchon lace. Extra full size. A splendid bargain, indeed.

**Night Dresses at 75c.**—Nothing better could be wished for than one of these. They are made with yoke, turndown collar trimmed with embroidery. These are something which you need all the year round.

## A Great Success

That is what everyone says who has had massage treatment with **VANISHING MASSAGE COLD CREAM.** Every day this week **FREE MASSAGE** is being given by an expert to all who wish it, in connection with the demonstration of this wonderful cream.

It, therefore, costs you nothing to try it and if you are satisfied that it is all we claim it to be which we are sure you will be, you can obtain it either from the demonstrator or at our Patent Medicine department for 25c and 50c per bottle.


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# PARTIES ARE NOW EQUA

First Duty of New British Parliament Will Be to Deal With the Budget—Then the "Veto" Power

CONJECTURED CHANGES IN LLOYD GEORGE'S MEASURE

Concessions to the Irish in Reduction of Spirit Duties and to the Imperialists in Large Navy Vote

**STANDING OF PARTIES**

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| Unionists | 264 |
| Liberals | 264 |
| Laborites | 40 |
| Nationalists | 77 |
| Elections pending | 25 |

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The week closes with the Liberals in better heart, as a result of their gradually swelling total. They emphasize the fact that with the Laborites, the government's purely British majority will be forty. The fact that Premier Asquith and Chancellor Lloyd-George are taking a brief holiday, after a short conference today, is reassuring to the ministerialists who see in this an evidence of harmony in the cabinet.

It is notable also that the moderate opinion which a few days ago echoed the Conservative suggestions of a conference on the subject of the House of Lords, has now come into line, the extremists declaring that it is the government's first duty to pass the budget and then [illegible] the matter of the Lords.

It is intended that the second budget which is due to be presented immediately after the first is passed, will contain concessions to the Irish in the reduction of spirt taxes and to the Imperialists by an increase in the navy for which probably $25,000,000 will be voted.

**Unionists Confident.**

The Unionists are confident that the government will be plunged into difficulty from the outset by the Laborites, who are certain to re-introduce their "right to work" bill, which was rejected by the government in the last parliament. Moreover, the debate on the address is likely to be very animated.

A host of amendments is already foreshadowed including the Home Rule and fiscal questions. The latter, however, is likely to be in the background so far as parliament is concerned, although an actve propaganda will be continued in the constituencies.

The warmest fight in the new parliament will be on the veto of the House of Lords, which are all agreed will precipate a new election within a few months.

There is considerable doubt whether Asquith will retain the premiership when the new government is formed. He will decide this momentous question during his trip to the Mediterranean. He declared most decidedly that he would not continue in office unless the country gave him full authority to carry out his policy in dealing with the House of Lords. It can hardly be said that the results of the election contain any such mandate. It is now practically certain that the Liberals will not have a clear majority and a coalition with the Nationalists and Laborites will not have sufficient authority to inaugurate any such radical changes. It is an open secret that Asquith has found the practical dictatorship of the socialistic members of his cabinet, notably Lloyd George and Winston Churchill, most galling. It is rumored that Lloyd George will become premier if Asquith decides to retire.

**Two Men Walk**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 29.—Geo. Goulding, of Toronto, won a two mile walk from Liebgold, of Buffalo.

**Tar Baby Stopped**

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 29.—James Flynn, of Boston, knocked out Ralph Calloway, colored, of California, in the seventh round of a scheduled ten round bout at the American A. C. tonight.

**Seven Year Tourney**

NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 29.—The longest chess tournament on record was ended here today when Gaston G. Netter won the last game of a thousand game match, begun in April, 1902, from Emile Stehli. Netter is a Frenchman and Stehli a Swiss. They played on the same table in a down town hotel nearly every afternoon for the past ten years.

**Investigate Beef Trust.**

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—That the government's investigation into the affairs of the so-called beef trust is to be national was shown yesterday following the questioning before the federal grand jury of Chas. G. Snow, secretary and treasurer of the National Packing company. It was learned that the books and other documents of fifteen concerns have been laid before the jury. It was also learned that subpoenas had been issued for employees and officials of Armour & Co., Swift & Co., and Morris & Co., the Hammond Co., and the United Dressed Beef Co., of New York.