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Another Grand Bargain Demonstration

Is scheduled for next Saturday. Another money saving event of great buying opportunities and paramount importance. Seasonable goods, high qualities, and low prices have made this Saturday bargain idea a wonderful success. The prices quoted in this list are actually half their value. The news of the BARGAINS is quickly told, to be quickly read, and the prices have been made so low that the goods will be quickly sold "Be on time." Enough said.

EXTRA SPECIAL

\$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 Nightgowns for 67c

When a leading Whitewear manufacturer offered us his samples at less than the material cost him, we bought, and considered it a good investment for us and you. Some of them may be a little rumpled and soiled from handling, but the garments are perfect and they are made of good material and very handsomely trimmed with embroidery and insertion, tucked, etc. It is not often that an opportunity of this kind presents itself. We will not sell more than two Gowns to each person, as there are only one hundred and twenty-five in the lot. The sale starts at 10 o'clock. See the goods in our west window.

EXTRA SPECIAL

32 inch 10c and 12c Prints for 5c Saturday.

On Saturday morning at 10 o'clock we will sell one thousand yards of Print. These goods are usually sold at 10c and 12c yard, and the majority of them are full 32 inches wide. This seems a ridiculous price for goods of this quality. This will no doubt be the biggest Print sale of the season. They consist of mostly dark colorings of blue and white, red and white, spots, stripes and floral designs. It is needless to tell you to be here at 10 o'clock. The goods cannot last long at these prices. Come with the crowd to the Busy Store on Saturday. See our east window.

More Bargains for Saturday

Embroideries at Half Price and Less

Last Saturday was a record breaker in Embroidery selling at this store. We have decided to give you another chance at them and will put on two lots next Saturday.

LOT NO. 1—About 800 yards of Embroidery, two to four inches wide, regular value 8c, 10c and 12c, Saturday..... 5c

LOT NO. 2—About 500 yards Embroidery, six to eight inches deep, with work two to three inches deep. These are worth from 15c to 25c yd., Saturday..... 10c

Another lot of Stockings at 12 1/2c

On Saturday next we will sell another lot of Black Stockings in four sizes, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, genuine Hermsdorf dye, full fashioned, high spliced heel, double sole, forty gauge, extra elastic top. Compare this stocking with those you are in the habit of paying 25c for. Saturday TWO PAIRS FOR 25c

5 doz more of those black lisle finished Hosiery, with cream soles. This is a very popular line for summer wear, regular 25c value, Saturday..... 19c

Linen Specials

10 doz Pure Linen Towels, size 20 x 40, with fancy, red borders, fringed ends worth 15c to 18c, Saturday, 12 1/2c or per doz.....\$1.40

5 doz hemstitched, bleached Huck Towels, extra large size, warranted pure linen, regular 25c, Saturday 19c or per doz.....\$2.00

All of Our Trimmed Hats at Exactly Half Price.

12 1/2c White Cotton.....10 yards for \$1.00 Saturday
7c Grey Cotton.....20 yards for \$1.00 Saturday
20c Braces (Men's).....for 10c Saturday
10c Linen Collars (Ladies').....for 5c Saturday

We cannot begin to enumerate the many bargains in so small a space. We have been frequently asked if these prices are for Saturday only. We might say that all goods advertised for Saturday will be on sale the following week and until they are sold out, but would advise coming Saturday, as lines are often sold out in a few hours. Come with the crowd on Saturday.

3 FARTHING'S.

The Busy Store

The Bargain Store.

Mammoth Clearing Sale

Fall goods will be arriving shortly and we MUST HAVE shelf-room. The quickest way to do this is by making SPECIAL INDUCEMENT PRICES on our goods. We have a GREAT MANY lines of Shoes and Oxfords (all new goods) with only a FEW PAIRS left in each, and ON THESE we shall make our SPECIAL CUT, and AT PRICES YOU CAN'T RESIST. We have too little space to quote prices, but inspection will convince you. We are making an extra

CUT ON TAN GOODS

(We give coupons for enlarged Crayon Portraits, for a FEW WEEKS.)

Christie & Caron

The Mammoth Shoe Store

The Slater Shoe for Men
The Empress Shoe for Women

Little Wonder Clothing and Furnishing Store

GOT THE DROP ON HIM

A CONVICT WHO COULDN'T RESIST THE FORCE OF HABIT.

The Gratification of His Wild Desire Caused a Sentry on Alcatraz Island to Spend a Decidedly Uncomfortable Ten Minutes.

"In reading a few days ago of the escape of four long time prisoners from Alcatraz Island, the military prison in the harbor of San Francisco," said an ex-soldier of the regular army who now lives in Washington, "I was pretty forcibly reminded of an experience I once had on Alcatraz with a prisoner of the only time in my life, in fact, when I ever dropped under the gun, on which occasion I found out that being under the gun is neither exhilarating nor entertaining."

"I was soldiering as a buck private with one of the two artillery batteries stationed on Alcatraz Island, which is a seven acre rock right in the middle of Frisco harbor, and of a most forbidding aspect. Some of the guard posts were comparative snags, and the soldier who appeared on guard in the best shape as to his equipments and general appearance was given the privilege of picking out these snags instead of being compelled to wait post two hours on and four off during his 24 hour period of guard duty. One of the best of these snag tricks was that of the man picked out to be present at the Alcatraz dock, with a pistol strapped around his waist, when the government tug stopped at the island, as it did several times a day. The only other bit of work that the man on this duty had to do was to get up at 4 o'clock in the morning, awaken the convict cook who prepared the prisoners' meals, accompany him to the prison kitchen, a gloomy room below the prison, against which the waters of the Pacific storm the year round, and stay with him until the prisoners' breakfast was prepared. This wasn't such a bad job, for the convict cook always prepared the guard an unusually good breakfast, if he liked him. I used to capture that guard trick every time I mounted guard, and after a few months I got to know the convict cook pretty well."

"This fellow was an Arizona desperado with a record named Caldwell. He had enlisted in a cavalry outfit in Arizona, stabbed a trooper against whom he formed a grudge, jumped the layout, been captured and given a 12 year bit on Alcatraz to do. He had done four years of the stretch when I first woke him up and conducted him to the kitchen. Caldwell was a genuinely bad lot and no mistake. But he was a crack-jack cook, having done that work for innumerable camping outfits before enlisting, and they permitted him to do that work with the ball and chain to hamper him. When I first took the snag trick that required me to accompany Caldwell to the prison kitchen, the sergeant of the guard warned me that I'd better keep a weather eye on the man, that he was a real hard one and that it would be the part of wisdom to keep the flap of my pistol holster unbuttoned all the time I was with him and also to keep out of the range of the iron ball attached to the cook's leg."

"One clummy, foggy morning I roused Caldwell out of his cell with unusual anticipation, for I had lost my supper at the battery mess the evening before by being late for it, so that I was hungry. In great shape for some of Caldwell's food and drink, I went to the kitchen, and set to work getting the meal for me before he started to prepare the convicts' breakfast, and when he set it before me I sat down at the wooden table ravenously, hunger making me forget all about my job of keeping an eye on a prisoner known to be desperate. I was eating away, while Caldwell clomped around the kitchen, dragging the heavy ball after him, when suddenly I felt a sharp tug at the holster strapped on my right side. When I hopped up in alarm, I was too late. Caldwell, with a queer expression in his eyes, had my gun on a dead line with the middle of my forehead."

"Me? Oh, I sat right down again and looked at Caldwell. What else was there to do?" "Well, son," said he to me, never taking that gun off my head for an instant, "how do you feel?" "Like one who formerly was," said I, gulping. "What's the gag, Caldwell?" "I'm going to do you," said Caldwell, with an evil look, and his eyes were the merest slits. "That so?" said I. "What have I been doing now?" "Well, you're one of 'em, that's all," said Caldwell, doggedly, "and you're all alike to me."

"Now, I didn't feel a bit gay, as you may imagine, but I laughed a whole lot, nervously, right then. "Say, if you put my light out," I said to him, "and the officer of the day finds out that you've done it with my own gun I'll be court martialed and probably hanged."

"The idea of a dead man being court martialed seemed to tickle Caldwell, for he grinned sardonically. "Don't you get gay or chipper with me, Ombrey," he said, however, in a tone that wasn't a laughing matter at all. "The point with me is that I don't intend to finish this bit out on this rock, and here's my chance to pass the whole thing up, but before I go I might just as well take one of you jumpers along with me. I'll give you ten minutes to square yourself with what's on the other side of the big divide," replied Caldwell, "and then we're going to pass over that way together."

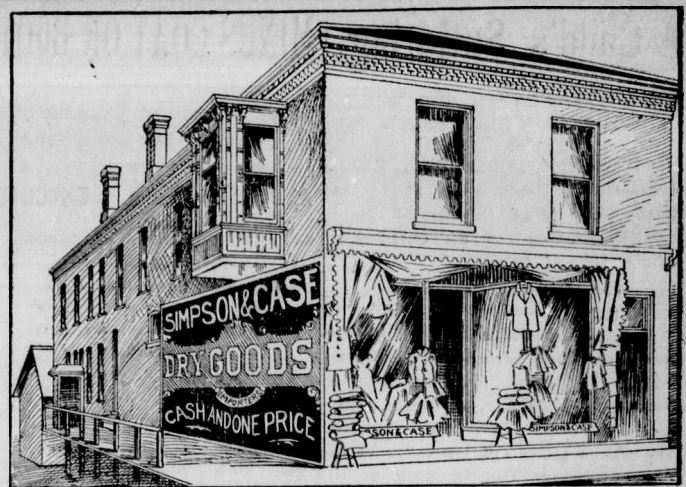
"Oh, well, those weren't a happy ten minutes. I could feel my hair creeping beneath my forage cap, but from the looks of Caldwell I didn't reckon there was much use asking him to give me a show for my white alley, and so I spent the ten minutes in thinking it over and wondering why I hadn't been real good when I had the chance, so that I'd never have found myself in a buck's uniform in the American army, when suddenly Caldwell, after the long pause, dropped the gun with a grin and handed it back to me, handle foremost."

"It's been so long since I had the drop on a man," he said to me, in a cheerful tone, "that I couldn't resist the temptation to stampee you up some."

"Then he went on about his work just as if he hadn't had me attuning my ears to the anticipated sound of celestial music for the worst ten minutes I had ever passed in my life."

"I never let Caldwell get nearer than 15 feet from me after that."

The sting of a wasp is only one-thirty-second of an inch long. The rest of the mile and a half is imagination.—Chicago News.



Big Shirt Waist Sale

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