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## FRIDAY and SATURDAY

# Special Sale Days!

## Wallpapers

We have just received another large shipment of these, and for the last few days of the house-cleaning season the thrifty housewife cannot do better than visit our Wall Paper and House Furnishing Departments where all classes of goods are selling considerably below present day values.

JOB WALL PAPERS . . . . . 18c. to 30c. per piece  
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## Sash Curtains

Lately received from New York.

**\$1.20 to \$5.00 per pair**

## Lace Curtains

White and Cream

**\$3.00 to \$7.00 per pair**

## Curtain Scrims

**25c. to 50c. per yard**

## Curtain Nets

**45c. to 90c. per yard**

## SIDETALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

### WASTED PLAYTIME.



It was Saturday morning. I dropped in to do an errand and my neighbor called from the foot of the stairs for me to come up. She was making Barbara's bed, she explained, and picking up her room. "I suppose," she said, "I ought to make Barbara do it, but she is always crazy to get out on Saturday morning, and the poor child is cooped up in school the rest of the week, so I haven't the heart to make her. And, of course, she doesn't have time to do it week-day mornings. I do wish," she sighed, as she pulled out one shoe from under the dresser, and looked about for the mate, which she ultimately found on the window seat, "I do wish she were a little more orderly."

Why should she be (unless she had a strong natural instinct that way for a child), when she has a lady's maid to wait on her?

Why should she waste her precious playtime, when she can come back and find her room pleasant and orderly, and the only cost to her is perhaps a wistful "I do wish you would

be more orderly" from her mother? The mother means to be very kind, of course, but isn't she being cruel in her ultra-kindness?

**Barbara's Future Playtime.**

She is giving her child more time for play right now by picking up her things for her.

But isn't she encroaching on Barbara's future playtime by failing to enforce the habits of order which will mean so much to Barbara in later years?

Anyone who has painfully acquired good habits in adult years knows how hard it is then. And anyone who has ever given the subject any thought knows how much time a habit of disorderliness wastes.

Barbara is glad now that her mother isn't like that cross strict Mrs. James across the street, who insists that her daughter Lucy, Barbara's chum, shall make her bed neatly and put her room in order before she goes out, and makes her darn her own stockings, and is teaching her to knit. But will Barbara always be glad?

"Cooped Up in School."

There is such a thing as making childhood life so easy for children that you make their after life, with all its inevitable adjustments to a scheme of living in which other people do not

act at all like indulgent parents, much harder than it need be.

"I have often heard that phrase 'cooped up in school all the week.' What does it mean? That the child has 25 hours out of the 168 in a week when it is not free. And that only for 40 weeks a year.

Compared to the child of 50 years ago, the child of to-day has a ridiculously good time.

**She Made Chair Seats.**

"When I was ten," a woman of 50 said to me, "my mother had me darn my own stockings. I did it so well that she said I should do the whole family's, and after that I had to have them all done before I went out to play Saturday morning."

Another woman of about the same age lived in a country town where there was a chair factory. Her family made part of their living by making the cane seats for these chairs, and she says that each child in the family had to make one chair seat before he went to school in the morning.

She survived it very nicely, thank you, and looks more healthy than her own children, whom she is inclined to coddle.

Naturally, I am not advising that we teach our children to make chair seats before they go to school in the mornings. But I am suggesting that there is another extreme, and that we would do well to avoid it.

### Cloisters Under Stable in London.

Once Magnificent Norman Church Covered by Debris for Centuries.

After being lost for four centuries, part of the cloisters attached to St. Bartholomew the Great, the finest Norman Church in London, have been discovered hidden under buildings used for stabling purposes.

The 800th anniversary of the founding of this wonderful Smithfield church has just been celebrated. Tradition has given a romantic history to its founder, Bahere. He is supposed to have been a young minstrel and favorite at the court of King Henry I. who made him his jester. Then Bahere founded this priory, and for twenty years was abbot prior of St. Bartholomew the Great. He died and was buried within its walls, the tomb to-day being on the north side of the altar.

Then the world began to change outside the priory walls. Smithfield itself changing from a village to a great meat market. During the reformation the priory crumbled, but the church survived. It was unharmed by the great fire, and bombs that fell in the neighborhood from a Zeppelin in 1915 did a great deal of damage all about it, but the church was untouched.

It has taken 38 years of steady work to restore the church. One after another, beautiful parts have been reclaimed, and it now can be seen outside in a way that has not been possible for hundreds of years.

### Where Umbrellas Are Barred.

A jealously guarded spot is the London Stock Exchange, familiarly known as the "House." The stranger who attempts to elude the vigilance of the lynx-eyed janitors is soon spotted and ejected.

An outsider who does not wish to risk this had better not betray his identity by carrying a stick or umbrella, for such articles are strictly forbidden inside the building.

Occasionally the "House" entertains celebrities. King Edward, when Prince of Wales, invited himself to dinner on his return from his Australian tour. When he paid his promised visit, the whole house, was

in course of spring cleaning, was the Prince's desire that he have a ride to the ceiling in the huge buckets used for the workmen.

Great was the relief when he eventually dissuaded from his pose.

Correct this sentence: "I has a quart put away some medicinal use, but I've never for it."

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May 10, 1923

### Rugby Game.

CITY DEFEATED R.F.C.

A large attendance of fans and spectators wended their way to Calver's Field yesterday afternoon to witness the rugby match between Bishop Field College and the City aggregation. The game proved very interesting and resulted in a win for the City by 10 points to 8. A feature of the game was the splendid run of 50 yards, made by White, of R.F.C., who eluded several of his opponents and secured a touchdown. Anderson converted it with a difficult shot against the wind a moment later. In the second half Arthur Monroe for the City, made a good run, but he failed to get over the line. In the play Paterson managed to secure the ball and went over the line for a touchdown. The exhibition was very good and all the players are to be complimented on their exceptionally fine play. Mr. R. R. Wood refereed the game. The next game will be played between the City aggregation and a team from the Methodist Guards.

### Wedding Bells.

BRADLEY-NICHOLSON.

On April 6th, 1923, the first Presbyterian Church, San Francisco, California, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when the marriage of Eys, youngest daughter of Mr. Chas. Bradley (formerly of St. John's, Nfld.) to Mr. Thomas C. Nicholson, youngest son of Mrs. S. E. Nicholson, of Victoria, B.C., was solemnized in the presence of friends of bride and groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. R. Guthrie. The bride was attended by Miss Jo Lana, of Calgary, Alta., while the groom was supported by Mr. Ralph Sedger of Victoria, B.C. The groom's present to the bride was a cheque, to the bride a string of pearls, and to the best man a gold stick pin. After the reception, which was held at the Plaza Hotel, the couple motored to Santa Cruz, California, where the honeymoon was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson will make their home in San Francisco. The Telegram extends congratulations.

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WE ARE COMPELLED TO CONTINUE OUR BARGAIN SALE WEEK FOR

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owing to many of our customers in town and out of town could not obtain the opportunity to share this great savings with hundreds of their friends in purchasing their many requirements.

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AND WERE DISAPPOINTED

To give them the same chance over, particularly our many customers out of town, we are issuing this message of Money Saving to every pocket and trust the ones that are disappointed will secure their goods and avail of the mighty saving at an early date.

## And Save Dollars

Our advertisement was published in the Morning News, Evening Telegram and Evening Advocate on May 26th and 28th.

OUR STORE OPEN EVERY NIGHT EXCEPT HOLIDAYS.

Our out of town customers can obtain our Bargain Prices on application. Cash and extra amount to cover postage must accompany all out of town orders. You will save Dollars by sending your orders to

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## Spring Pictures

"In the Spring lightly turns to he means to putting on his Baby," of the camera love

THE KODAK for beginner of Cameras, Plates, in one store at

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## rd Price for Baltimore

\$125,000 Made to man for Shortstop Bole. Jack Dunn offered \$125,000 for Boley. The Orioles to divulge which made put in this bid, but had been made short Ebbetts of the player had sought the player for \$100,000.

Starting \$125,000 for the money involved which brought Babe Ruth from the Boston which has stood as the mark for baseball trade Ruth left the Hub to cost the New York between \$120,000 and the mighty Babe figure has been given as the actual amount in hands.

announced that he players until the next season.

## Transf

Neopotamia has been under British influence by an advertisement of the Bagdad of which the following translation:

Yes! O yes! O yes! something new! Something best thing for your health! If you want health and increase more than it is a more time of fun for the New Europe has just appeared to millions of Occidentals, and that is, Sliding Cinema, ("skating")

Cinema, which is the Sliding Club for Sliding open on Friday, 9 o'clock will begin at 4 p.m. the band will give the play."

## ORANGE

FRESH TOMATO CALIFORNIA

Huntley & Small Special Tin Moon Tea, Sweet Rich Mixed, Read Thin Arrowroot, Cream Crackers, etc.

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