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At this price we are offering about 25 dresses for women and misses, in Canton Crepe and Taffeta Silk. Practically all sizes are represented, and come in colors of navy, brown and black.

Some of these dresses have never been shown before, arriving only yesterday, while others are taken from our spring stock, being priced as high as \$32.50 and are offered at this price of \$19.75 to clean up.

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DRY NAVY IS VINDICATED NOW

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 2.—Michigan's "Prohibition Navy," said to have been scoffed at by government officials in Washington, has been vindicated, according to James R. Davis, federal prohibition officer for Michigan and father of the "navy" idea.

The "Navy" consists of a fleet of high powered launches that patrol the Detroit river to retard the flow of illicit liquor into Michigan from Ontario. Since it began operation July 1, the fleet has seized and confiscated 21 boats used by alleged rum runners. These boats have an aggregate value of \$22,000 to the government, as they are held in bond. Expenses of the "navy" during the time have been less than \$9,000, including the original investment for the fleet.



FRIDAY STAR

Mr. Davis estimates that at public expense about nine years ago and if action the seized boats will bring at least \$15,000, giving the government a clear profit to date of \$6,000. And the "navy" still is in operation, Mr. Davis points out.

The officer says he argued in favor of the fleet for months before the Washington officials, who opposed the undertaking on the grounds it would be expensive, yielded to his wishes.

SAME OLD STORY BUT A GOOD ONE.

Mrs. Mahala Burns, Savannah, Mo., relates an experience, the like of which has happened in almost every neighborhood in this country, and has been told and related by thousands of others, as follows: "I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea

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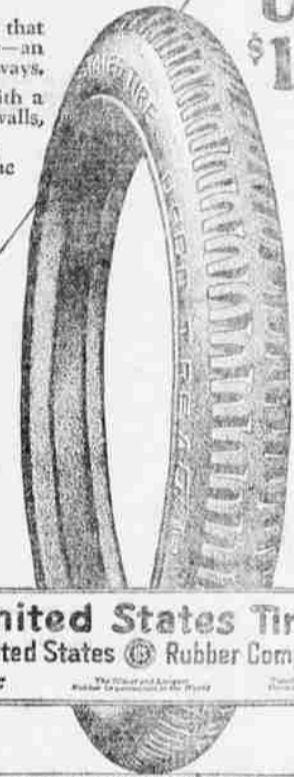
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NICKEL CIGAR IS BACK AGAIN

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—Banned from its moribund lethargy by the demand of the palates of thousands of smokers, the five-cent cigar is back with its multi-colored banners streaming.

In shop windows and on cigar counters everywhere the nickel smoke product, which disappeared back in war days, is being displayed in a profusion of shapes and varieties, while gigantic bill board advertisements are sending forth their message of this return to normalcy in the tobacco world.

"What the country needs most is a good five cent cigar," is a remark attributed to Mark Twain. And those smokers, who saw the one time five cent brands mount to six, seven, eight and sometimes ten cents, during the period of soaring prices, now have plenty to select from.

Tobacco merchants, cigar wholesalers and tobacconists all admit that the five cent cigar is the fastest moving article in the trade but they disagree as to its merits. Retail dealers are inclined to the belief it is as good as any of the old brands which climaxed during the war. Tobacco merchants say it can't be as good as the old stand-by because the cost of materials and labor is still above the old level and manufacturers say it isn't as good as the nickel favorites of pre-war days.

"We can't get enough five-cent cigars" said a salesman in a loop tobacco shop. "We have pretty good cigars at that price now, however, and my customers buy so many I keep the boxes on the counter. If I put them in the case I would be busy hauling them out and returning them. The two for a quarter is done for in my opinion. The public wants five centers for every day and ten cents for Sunday."

PIGS TO GO TO EXHIBITION

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—Forty-two porcine aristocrats, veritable super-pigs with the perkiness of little screw tails and double chins in endless undulations, will be shipped from New York August 8 to the Centennial Exposition at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

This prize herd which is valued at \$45,000 was selected from among twenty-six of the most carefully bred Poland-China herds in Illinois. At the exposition they will come in competition with prize swine from all over the world, including the Brazilian descendants of prize-winning Berkshires imported by the Brazilian government years ago.

Brazil is destined to rank second to the United States in swine production, in the opinion of Guy H. Hall, director of the National Institute of Progressive Farming.

"It is important to the world's food supply that Brazil's agrarian expansion should be along progressive lines," said Mr. Hall. "That pure-bred cattle, hogs and sheep produce more and more profit to the grower no longer requires argument. Brazil is alive to the fact and her live stock exhibit will be one of the greatest over held. The Brazilian farmers are more progressive than generally understood in this country. They are large buyers of American farm implements, and in their vast fields make much use of American tractors."

"Pigs is pigs," added Mr. Hall, "but these Illinois Poland Chinas are of ambassadorial significance. They bring the breeders of the two countries into acquaintance, and this is the slow, sure course of trade expansion."

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