TO TRAIN THE HAND

Manual Training for the Public Schools.

SUBJECT TO LEGAL OPINION

Petition of Taxpayers Granted and System to Be Introduced Gradually --Contract Let for Heating and Ventilating Buildings.

Manual training will become a part of the programme of the Portland public schools next September if no legal obstacles present themselves. At the meeting of the Board of Education last evening a petition signed by a number of the largest taxpayers of the city was presented asking for manual training in the schools. After some discussion the petition was granted.

J. V. Beach, as a lawyer, wished to make sure that a school levy could be made which would include expenditure for this purpose. The petition was therefore granted with this proviso. The Attorney-General of Oregon will be asked for his opinion on this point, and it is hoped by the directors that an answer will be quickly submitted.

The petition of the taxpayers was not allowed until Chairman Herman Wittenberg had resigned the chair to Richard Williams and put the motion himself. J. N. Teal was present to urge the directors to grant the petition, of which he was a signer, and his arguments carried much weight.

It is believed that little additional expenditure will be necessary. The plan, as now in the mind of City Superintendent Rigler, is to begin in the lower grades and gradually work up along the higher grades until practically the entire public school system is included.

The Seattle High School now has an excellent system as a portion of its regular work, and something of like character was earnestly recommended to the annual taxpayers' meeting last December by Mr. Wittenberg.

Aside from the discussion of manual training the directors devoted considerable time and attention to a discussion of the merits of different heating systems. This was brought up by the awarding of the contracts for the heating of six schools, including the High School, to the W. G. McPherson Company, which controls the fan and hot-air heating and ventilating system for the city. Three bids were submitted for each school, but the McPherson Company, by reason of its system, was able to underbid the other two competitors in every instance. This system is now in use in the Sunnyside School.

An entirely new system in the High School will cost $9600, in the Park $6180, in the Brooklyn $3700, in the Albina Central, now heated by stoves, $2200. The new buildings on East Twenty-eighth street, near East Couch, and at Twenty-first and Raleigh, will be heated by the fan system for $1800 and $1500 each.

Richard Williams doubted the feasibility of heating the smaller rooms by the fan system, but when W. G. McPherson, who was present, explained his system, Mr. Williams found himself in a very small minority and capitulated. With Mr. Williams still technically in the chair, Mr. Wittenberg ran through the motions for the fan systems one by one. In the case of the Park School the system of heating and ventilating had to be decided upon within a week, owing to the progress of the remodeled building.

"Can't the steamfitters of the city bid upon this work?" asked Mr. Williams. He was assured by Architect Jones that any bids from local steamfitters would probably be close to double the bids submitted by the successful bidder.

Mr. Williams also thought that the old heating plants in the school buildings could be disposed of to advantage. Mr. McPherson told him that $1700 had been allowed as salvage in the case of the Park School, but that he would give nothing for the antiquated plant in the High School.

"I will never vote to retain one part of the old High School plant," said R. K. Warren. "I have been in the High School for a long time, and I know that the old system is no good whatever."

Applications for positions from teachers now in the schools must be in by May 13.

DEAL ON FAMOUS MINE.

Oregon King Reported to Be Sold for $400,000 to Sumpter Men.

The Oregon King mine near Antelope is said to have been sold to the Geiser-Hendryx Investment Company of Sumpter for $400,000 by Charles M. Cartwright, of Portland, W. H. Edwards, of Hay Creek, and W. L. Quealy, of Wyoming, but the statement could not be confirmed last night. Mr. Hendryx is the only one of the persons concerned who is in the city, and he could not be found. A telegram to Antelope brought the answer that nothing was known of the deal there. Mrs. Cartwright said she knew that an offer for the mine had been made by Mr. Hendryx and Mr. Geiser, but did not know that it was sold.

The Oregon King is one of the famous mines of Oregon. It was discovered by a shepherd, but he failed to do the assessment work, and it was relocated by Mr. Cartwright, who secured title last June after litigation with the discoverer which lasted four years. The ore carries gold on the surface, but the values gradually change to silver and copper. A shaft has been sunk to a depth of 300 feet, at which the ore carries 1000 to 1500 ounces of silver besides gold and copper.

QUESTION OF ETHICS.

Whether Officer With Sprained Ankle Can Attend Cupid's Calls.

Can a handsome young policeman visit a young lady during the time he is relieved from duty on account of a sprained ankle? The police committee of the Executive Board will try to answer this question at 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the investigation asked by Officer T. W. Taylor will take place.

Taylor has engaged Dan J. Malarkey as attorney, and will soon get an answer one way or another. Taylor was let off from duty Friday and Saturday nights. Sunday Chief Hunt wished to learn his whereabouts, so an officer vainly searched Taylor's room and his parents' home. But the missing policeman was finally found in the home of a young lady upon whom he was calling. Then Chief Hunt, who refuses to pose as aid-de-camp of Cupid, declared that the officer was fit for station duty at least. Therefore Taylor was suspended.

Sweden's Fair Building Opened.

ST. LOUIS, May 8.—The Swedish pavilion at the St. Louis Fair was formally opened today. The building was erected after the style of a Swedish country house, by an organization of residents of Sweden and America. The pavilion was tendered by Frederick Boborg, architect and representative of the Swedish section. President Francis made an address of welcome in behalf of the exposition, and a number of other speeches followed.

A life-size bust of King Oscar II stands on a pedestal at the entrance. The interior is elaborately decorated in white and gold, and with specimens of Swedish pottery and chinaware. The headquarters of the Swedish royal commission will be located in the pavilion.

Queen Liliuokalani, the deposed ruler of Hawaii, accompanied by her adopted son, ex-Prince Cupid, and his wife and a number of friends, arrived today from Washington and took apartments in the inside inn, inside the grounds. The party expects to remain in St. Louis about two weeks and numerous entertainments have been planned in honor of the visitors.

SEMBRICH IN HER PRIME.

This Famous Singer Will Appear at the Marquam, May 13.

All the great New York critics agree that Sembrich is now in the height of her power as a singer. At the song recital she gave in Carnegie Hall in November she had one of the largest and most brilliant audiences that New York has ever known. Only Paderewski and Sembrich, indeed, can draw such audiences for a simple recital. The next morning, November 18, every New York paper of importance printed columns concerning the great event, eulogizing the singer in most unusual terms of rapturous admiration.

"The public plainly realized that this would be the only opportunity to hear the greatest art of the greatest lyric singer now rejoicing the world, before she began her Winter's arduous task at the opera," says the New York Sun. "She has never sung better to this public than yesterday afternoon. In song recital, Sembrich being a singer of infinite refinement, of most dainty vocal touch, is at her best."

This great prima donna will be heard for the first time in Portland on Friday, May 13, at the Marquam, under the direction of Lois Steers. The sale of seats will open tomorrow.

BROWNS GUILTY ALSO.

Assistant District Attorney Scores Them for Causing Sater's Arrest.

When Peter Sater stole a baseball belonging to the Portland Browns Sunday, he did nothing for which the authorities are inclined to blame him greatly. Sater picked up the ball, which had been batted to the bleachers and tucked it away, only to be discovered by a special policeman named Hemsworth, who arrested him. The charge was larceny.

It was when the case got to the attention of Deputy District Attorney Adams that the Browns got a lively scorching. Mr. Adams noted the fact that Manager Ely, of the Browns, was not on hand to sign a complaint against the defendant, and Mr. Adams would not do so. He was in sympathy with the prisoner. It was his declaration to Judge Hogue that the Portland Browns themselves were guilty of obtaining money under false pretenses all of the present baseball season, inasmuch as they have been receiving 50-cent pieces for admission to the ball games. He said he could hardly blame anyone for wanting to get even with the Portland Browns.

Upon the motion of Mr. Adams, the case against Sater was dismissed.

NATIONAL GRANGE FUND GROWS

Additional Subscriptions Raise the Total to $1226.

The following additions are reported to the fund for the entertainment of the National Grange Convention:

Previously acknowledged	$1,096.50
Perkins Hotel	25.00
Imperial Hotel	25.00
Portland General Electric Company	25.00
James Stott	40.00
Watson's Restaurant	10.00
J. H. Ackerman	5.00
Total	$1,226.50

FREE! FREE!! FREE!!

This Week, Just as This Reads.

Beginning today Ladies' Suits complete, ready to wear, free with an order for a man's suit. Free! Free! Free!

Ladies' Skirts, made to order, we furnish everything, made of elegant cloth, free with an order for a man's suit. Free! Free! Free!

Gentlemen's $12 and $14 Trousers, warranted unbagable, free with an order for a man's suit.

So well knewn is our reputation for fair dealing, that it hardly seems necessary to state that all woolens used are guaranteed all wool, and that "it shall not cost you one cent if you are not satisfied." This latter is our "earmark" of genuine reliability. We have been here 12 years. We mean just what we say in this ad.

Get your order on our books. You can get the lady's suit now and have the gentleman's made up a little later if you like. The price of all cloth and material is marked in plain figures; you can tell the price as well as we can.

Unbagable pants means unbagable pants and not a catch, understand. We practice no deception. Such a great special sale as this has to be done on the square or it will redound to our discredit. We fully know this. Don't misunderstand our statements—ladies' suits completed ready for you to put on will be given free with an order for a man's suit. The J. M. Acheson Co., Merchant Tailors, makers of ladies' garments, Fifth and Alder streets.

GOETHE'S "FAUST."

The beautiful and significant "Faust" drama exerts a charm that is perennial and exhaustless. It has become a world-classic, treasured by all nations and peoples. The love-story of the first part has put the second part somewhat in eclipse, also the idea, once prevalent, that this portion of "Faust" is heavy and abstruse. Not so; it is by many now preferred to the first part, since time and thought have disclosed that a few large motifs are presented by a series of fascinating pictures, matchless in variety of interest and in many-sided suggestiveness. It contains some of the noblest poetry in the world and the whole displays a superb art. Mrs. Altman will present the first and second parts of "Faust" this evening at 8:15 at Parsons' Hall, endeavoring to graphically present the plot and story, as well as to point out its beauty and significance. Programmes, illustrative of the action and scenes, are to be a feature of the presentation of this masterpiece, which strikes its roots so deep into our modern life and thought.

SPECIAL RATES.

The Canadian Pacific will sell on May 11, 12, 13, June 16, 17, 18, July 1, 2, 3, August 8, 9, 10, September 5, 6, 7, October 3, 4, 5, round-trip tickets—

To St. Louis, $67.50.

To Chicago $72.50.

Tickets limited to 90 days and good returning via any direct line.

For full particulars call on or address F. R. Johnson, F. & P. A., 142 Third street, Portland, Or.

DON'T BUY DIRT.

Why buy dirty, impure salt, when you can get Worcester salt, pure and strong, at the same price? Ask your grocer.

WORCESTER SALT.

Worcester table salt is the whitest, purest, strongest, best and cheapest for all purposes. At your grocer's.

WINTER GARDEN CLOSED

SHERIFF ATTACHES BEER AND VAUDEVILLE RESORT.

Creditors' Claims Amount to $1500--B. F. Shambrook and J. W. Mathena Are Missing.

Closed and bolted doors met those who essayed to visit the Oberon or Winter Garden yesterday, for a sip of beer. There was no alluring music from the four-piece orchestra, nor did the vaudeville company go through any of its hourly gyrations. Not even did the clink of glasses or the monotonous "draw one" of the waiters break in upon the silence.

The explanation of this phenomenon was inscribed on a small but formidable bit of paper conspicuously posted on the door. "Closed by the Sheriff" was the expressive legend the bit of paper held. Every now and then an employe would wander up to the door, look astonished, then startled. Then would follow a curse or a sob, according to the sex of the employe.

The place was closed down shortly before 9 o'clock by Constable Jackson on attachments issued from Justice Reid's Court and from the Circuit Court. From that hour up to noon the news spread rapidly until the night force and a multitude of creditors of the establishment were on the scene. The meeting naturally resolved itself into an indignation meeting, and the principal subject of investigation was the whereabouts of Proprietors B. F. Shambrook and J. W. Mathena.

Persistent search and inquiry failed to reveal either of those two individuals, or any trace of their whereabouts. Someone is said to have seen Mathena depart from the city Saturday evening, while Shambrook was said to have gone a week ago.

Only one theory was presented as to the reason of the sudden leave-taking of the firm's personnel. This was that they had retreated far beyond the Willamette before an overwhelming force of obligations which they could not meet with their supposedly small force of coins of the realm. The debts of the establishment will amount up to a goodly figure. In fact, more than $1500 in claims already adorn the front doors, and attachments are constantly bobbing up. No less than four were issued from Justice Reid's court during the morning. And the really sad part of the story is the small amount of assets left to meet the liabilities. Everything is covered by mortgage to the Gambrinus Brewing Company except the stock in trade, consisting of whisky, wine and beer. On a careful estimate there are about two drinks apiece for all the firm's creditors.

The firm which claims the largest amount due is Rothschild & Bro., who got out an attachment for $900 for liquors. J. R. Smith wants $160.25; Gambrinus Brewing Company, $290; L. Trummer & Co., $185, and employes about $300. A wrangle is now in the courts with the Ellers Piano House as to the possession of a piano. The authorities believe other claims and troubles are yet to be heard from.

The establishment has been running under the present management for some months. It came into existence when Shambrook, then a bartender and a recent arrival from Seattle, inherited some money. Mathena was more or less of a silent partner. The enterprise in beer and vaudeville appeared to thrive for a while, but when vaudeville houses commenced springing up like mushrooms in the night its business waned and the shadow of debt began hanging over the establishment heavily. Between salaries and running expenses, licenses and police raids, the debts grew on until the end just chronicled appeared.

The date has not been fixed for an adjustment of the trouble in court.

VICTIMS OF A BUNCO MAN.

Anacortes Youths Paid $5 Each to Get Good Positions.

A. E. Colburn and F. G. Lewis, two youths from Anacortes, Wash., were easy victims for a bunco man yesterday evening, and each of the boys was relieved of $5, believing that he was to get a position with a salary of $30 per week.

"We met the fellow, who said his name was P. H. Gerrity, on First street," said Colburn, "and he offered to put us to work when we told him we were looking for positions. He took us to room 8, in the Gilman House, where he explained that he was engaging traveling agents for the Columbia Publishing Company, of Chicago. He said he needed only a few more agents and would remain in Portland for another week before leaving for Chicago, and when he explained the work to us it looked so fine that we were both anxious to go to work for the company. At his request we deposited $5 apiece, to show our good faith in the matter, and were promised salaries of $30 a week and commission. He told us to call tomorrow morning and he would be ready to start us out on the road.

"When we had walked up the street a short distance the thought struck me that we had no receipts for our money and we hurried back to Mr. Gerrity's room, only to find that he had taken his baggage and left the hotel. Gerrity told us that he had been at the hotel for three weeks but the clerk said he had been there only one day. I guess we have been worked all right, so we are going back to Anacortes tomorrow."

EXCUSES OF NO AVAIL.

Tenants of Jacob Kamm's Shacks Ordered to Leave Forthwith.

As promised at the last meeting of the Executive Board, City Attorney McNary yesterday notified the tenants of the old Kamm shacks at First and Washington streets of the decision of enforcing a forthwith removal. Seven shops and offices occupy the pile of crumbling boards called buildings by courtesy. Excuses why they should not and could not remove at once were forthcoming immediately, but the City Attorney, who waited upon them in person, would accept no excuses. One tenant declared he held a lease on the premises which would not expire for several years, but the lease was not produced as evidence. What Jacob Kamm, the owner, will do is the question the officials are asking one another.

WORLD'S FAIR EXCURSIONS.

For the world's greatest Fair to be held at St. Louis from May to October, the Northern Pacific Railway Company will place on sale special round trip excursion tickets. The dates of sale will be May 11, 12 and 13, June 16, 17 and 18, July 1, 2 and 3, August 8, 9 and 10, September 5, 6 and 7, October 3, 4 and 5. Standard and tourist sleepers will be operated through to St. Louis. For rates and other information in connection with routes, etc., call on, or address A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent, 255 Morrison street, corner Third, Portland, Or.

LOW-RATE TICKETS EAST.

O. R. & N. Names Selling Dates for May, June, July, August, September, October.

May 11, 12, 13, June 16, 17, 18, July 1, 2, 3, August 8, 9, 10, September 5, 6, 7, and October 3, 4, 5 the O. R. & N. will sell 90-day return trip tickets to St. Louis for $67.50; to Chicago, $72.50. Stopovers allowed going and returning. Going time ten days from date of sale. Full particulars of C. W. Stinger, city ticket agent, Third and Washington streets.

There's no substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla—its merit is peculiar to itself.

June Delineator on Sale at Butterick Pattern Department, Price 15c Copy

Sole Agents for La Grecque Corsets

The Meier & Frank Store

Trunks and Traveling Bags 3d Floor

Twenty Per Cent Reduction on All Picture Framing Orders Taken This Week; Largest Line of Moldings to Select From

Custom Shadework a Specialty; Drapery Work to Your Order; Best Materials and Workmanship—3d Floor

Brass and Iron Beds, Mattresses, Springs, Pillows, Blankets and Comforters at Low Prices—Third Floor

Women's $3.00 Oxfords to Continue on Sale Today and Tomorrow at $1.95

Owing to our inability to serve every one who wanted to buy women's $3 Oxfords at $1.98 a pair yesterday, we will continue the sale today and tomorrow—Portland women were quick to take advantage of this, the best shoe offering of the season—Rear of Main Floor

A great sale of Women's Low Shoes—all the newest and best styles, patent colt, Blucher Oxfords, heavy or light sole, vici kid Oxfords and Bluchers, heavy and light soles; patent kid Oxfords, heavy or light soles; every pair this season's manufacture; all sizes and widths; the best $3 values money can buy, will be sold here at the low price of.....$1.95

Linens Reduced

Hemstitched and Hand Embroidered Including Doilies, Tray Cloths, Tea-cloths, and Lunch Cloths, Table Sets, all new designs, the largest and finest collection ever shown in Portland and at unusually low prices now

Round hand embroidered Doilies, scalloped edges, beautiful pieces at exceptionally low prices

6 inch at, each...18c | 9 inch at, each...22c
12 inch at, each...44c | 18 inch at, each...67c
24 inch at, each..$1.20 | Rare bargains.

Hand embroidered Linen Tea Cloths, 36x36 in

All $2.25 grades..$1.87 | All $3.00 grades..$2.55
All $4.00 grades..$3.35 | All grades reduced.

Hemstitched satin damask Tray Cloths.

25c kind .....18c | 75c kind 58c
60c kind 46c

Hemstitched satin damask Tea and Lunch Cloths, handsomest styles, all sizes greatly reduced in price.

$1.00 grades, now, each.....84c | $1.25 grades, now, each.....94c
$1.50 grades, now, each.....$1.22 | $3.00 grades, now, each.....$2.40

Hemstitched satin damask Table Sets, beautiful designs, magnificent sets at low prices.

$ 6.00 sets reduced to .....$4.90 | $ 7.00 sets for $5.00
$10.00 sets reduced to.....$8.20 | $12.50 sets for.....$10.20

Leading Specialty Cloak and Suit House

1000 Ladies' Fine Suits

1000 Ladies' Dress and Walking Suits at wonderfully interesting prices this week, all this season's leading fashions and materials, variety larger than all other local displays combined for you to choose from

Five Hundred Handsome Dress Suits

In broadcloth, alpacas, etamines, cheviots, novelty mixtures, poplins and voiles, blouses and etons, with or without silk dropskirts, fancy braid, fancy button or gimp trimmed—blues, tans, grays, blacks, browns, champagnes, black and white checks, all this season's high-class suits, beautifully made and a perfect fit guaranteed. Grandest values ever offered at the following low prices:

$48 Dress Suits for....$36.00 | $50 Dress Suits for....$38.00
$52 Dress Suits for....$39.00 | $55 Dress Suits for....$40.00
$58 Dress Suits for $42.00 | $60 Dress Suits for....$42.50
$65 Dress Suits for....$48.00 | $70 Dress Suits for....$49.50

500 Walking and Dress Suits

500 Ladies' Walking and Dress Suits in cassimeres, fancy tweeds, cheviots, etamines, Panama cloths and broadcloths, light and dark mixtures, jackets, etons and blouse styles, in browns, blacks, blues and grays; all are this season's leading styles, handsomely made and trimmed; both walking and dress suits in all grades.

$16-$18 Suits for.....$ 9.95 | $20-$22 Suits for.....$14.85
$26-$28 Suits for.....$19.65 | $42-$44 Suits for.....$31.55
$32-$34 Suits for.....$24.45 | Best Bargains of the Season.

100 Japanese Silk Waists, trimmed in lace, wide or narrow tucks, black or white, all new, attractive waists, in all sizes, exceptional value for this sale at.....$5.25

Best quality Japanese Silk Waists, trimmed in lace and silk medallions, wide and pin tucking, round or pointed yoke, $8 and $8.50 values, only.....$6.45

1000 Dressing Sacques and Kimonas, in white and colors, pretty styles, of good material, best patterns all sizes; great value at, each.....72c

Tooth Powder Sale

Sozodont (small)	16c
Sozodont (large)	57c
Listerated Tooth Powder, large 25c bottle for	17c
Dr. Sheffield's cream Dentifrice, in jars	29c
In tubes	14c
Pasteurine, bottle	15c
Rubifoam, bottle	15c
Cherry Tooth Paste, large jars for	29c
Oriental Tooth Paste	39c
Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder	8c
Colgate's Dental Powder	19c
Satin Tooth Powder	25c
Lambert's Listerine, bottle	17c
Lyons' Tooth Powder	14c

Face Creams and Powders

Hind's Almond Cream	29c
Malvina Lotion	29c
Roberline	29c
Cameline	29c
Violet Cold Cream	11c
Mennen's Talcum Powder	12c
Dr. Graves' Talcum Powder	7c
75c Military Brushes	29c
Imported Rubber Sponges, 90c size, 60c; 50c size	39c

Notion Sale

Stockinet Shields 2, 3, 4 sizes at, pair	9c
Scented Shields, all sizes, pair	25c
Alpha fluted ventilating Shields, all sizes, 25c value, pair	15c
35c adjustable Shields, pair	25c
Brush Braid, colors only, yard	3c
Nottahook Garment Fasteners, on tape, double yard	39c
Linen Thread, 100 yds. spool	3c
Kerns Lustre Thread, 300-yd. spools, black and white	9c
Binding Ribbon, colors only, piece	3c
Invisible Hair Pins, box	3c
Assorted Wire Hair Pins in boxes, box	6c
Belt Pins on card, card	3c
Dressmakers' Pins, ½ lb	20c
Pleaters, each 19c and	63c
Large Cube Pins, assorted colors	8c
Kern Hose Supporters, 2 to 12-year sizes, white only, pair	21c
Pin-On Hose Supporters, all colors at pair	21c
Safety Hook and Eye, card	3c
Snapper fasteners, dozen	8c
Rubber Sleeve Protectors, pair	21c
6 Bone Hair Pins	10c

Wash Goods Specials

25c figured Dimities, all colors and very best styles—the entire line for your choosing this week only at the low price of, yard.....19c

35c tan Linens for waists and suiting, mercerized stripe effects, very desirable for Summer costumes; this sale only at, the extraordinary low price of..18c

45c, 50c, 60c colored Linen Etamines and Crashes, best styles and colorings for shirtwaist suits; the most popular materials for hot weather suits; "May Sale" price is.....37c

3000 yards of 25c and 35c Ginghams, Oxfords, Zephyrs, etc.; newest patterns and colorings, extraordinary value for this sale only at, yard.....18c

25c and 30c White Waistings, best styles, yard 21c

Great special lot of Veilings, plain and fancy meshes, also dotted, black and colors; regular 25c-35c values for, yard 14c

$1.25 Silk Suitings

Great special purchase of new, up-to-date Shirtwaist Silks in checks, dots and figure—neat, rich effects in a great assortment of color combinations; all new, attractive goods, regular $1.25 values for this week only at the low price of 85c

Petticoat Factory Now in Operation

See the miniature petticoat factory on the Second Floor—Petticoats made, sewed and finished complete in six minutes—Demonstration continues all the week and is of interest to every woman—All lines of Petticoats are being offered at manufacturing cost

3000 Petticoats 98c Each

3000 of Greenwald Bros.' black sateen Petticoats, three ruffles with fagoting stitching or strapped, all splendidly made, good material and perfect fitting, petticoats worth $1.50 each; during this great demonstration..98¢

Skirts While You Wait

At 98¢ each. Choice of any of the handsome Petticoats made by the expert operators, for 98¢. The values are extraordinary; everybody is invited to view this demonstration of modern methods and machinery.

Great "May Sale" of Petticoats---Unusual Bargains

To make the occasion profitable as well as interesting to you, we have organized a great "May Sale" of Skirts—the greatest Petticoat sale we have ever held—six lots of new, up-to-date petticoats at decided reductions from the regular selling prices. You can supply your Petticoats needs here this week at a big saving.—Second Floor.

Petticoats at $1.18

100 dozen black sateen petticoats, deep flounce, tucked and stitched bands, well made. Great special value this week at $1.18 each.

Petticoats at $1.32

50 dozen black sateen Petticoats, deep accordion pleated flounce or three ruffles or Van Dyke points. Wonderful value for this week at $1.32.

Petticoats at $1.98

Fine quality black sateen Petticoats, deep flounce pleating, stitched bands or tucked styles. Wonderful values for this week only at $1.98.

Petticoats at $2.78

Black moreen Petticoats, corded alpaca flounce, grays, black and tan. Handsome skirts. Great special value at $2.78 each.

Basement "May Sale"

14-qt. galvanized Slop-pail	38c	$6.50 Ice Chests, each	$4.98
Asbestos Irons, set	$1.49	$7.00 Ice Chests, each	$5.63
6-foot Step-Ladders	98c	$12.00 Gurney Refrigerators, ice capacity 67 lbs. Hardwood, golden oak finish, dimensions 19x13x16	$9.87
12-in. Turkey Dusters	16c	4-hook Coat and Hat racks	5c
40c Washboards	28c	5-hook Coat and Hat racks	6c
Scrub Brushes, each	16c	6-hook Coat and Hat racks	7c
Jap Pot Brushes, each	1c	Willow Clothes Basket	83c
Clothes pins, dozen	1c	2-burner Oil Stove	78c
Asbestos Stove Mats, each	4c	75 feet wire Clothes Line	16c
18x28 Window Screens	19c	Dover Egg Beaters	5c
24x33½ Window Screens	22c	Wire Meat Safes	$1.19
34x37½ Window Screens	24c	2-qt. nickel Coffee Pot	53c
30x37½ Window Screens	30c	Flour Sifters, each	11c
36x42½ Window Screens	38c		

Lawn Mowers and Garden Hose at the lowest prices.

ENAMEL WARE REDUCED — BASEMENT

50c Sauce Pans for	34c	$1.00 Tea Kettles, for	69c
60c Sauce Pans for	43c	$1.25 Tea Kettles, for	77c
75c Sauce Pans for	52c	50c Coffee Pots, for	33c
90c Sauce Pans for	58c	60c Coffee Pots, for	43c
$1.00 Sauce Pans for	70c	65c Coffee Pots, for	47c
40c Kettles, reduced to	28c	Sterling top Salt and Peppers, for each	14c
50c Kettles, reduced to	33c	6 silver plated Teaspoons	19c
60c Kettles, reduced to	38c	6 silver plated Tablespoons	39c
65c Kettles, reduced to	44c	Cut glass at very low prices. Basement.	
75c Kettles, reduced to	53c		
85c Kettles, reduced to	58c		
$1.00 Kettles, reduced to	66c		

Stationery Bargains

Best Stationery at the very lowest prices here.

Hurlbut's Roxboro, ruled and unruled, white, blue and lavender. Regular 25c value. Box	16c
Hurlbut's Kara Linen, white and blue, 30c value. Box	19c
Hurlbut's Highland Linen, Linen Bond and Velour finish. 35c value. Box	23c
Hurlbut's Kelso Bond, blue and white, 50 sheets paper, 50 envelopes. 40c value. Box	27c
Hurlbut's 50c box papers	34c
Hurlbut's 75c box papers	59c

Bathroom Needs

All nickel bathroom supplies at special reduced prices this week.

Summer Corsets 38c Pair

Ladies' straight front white Batiste Summer Corsets, Princess hip, all sizes, great special value for this week at, pair.....38c

Ladies' Outing Flannel Nightgowns, plain or with fancy yokes; best styles and colorings; all sizes; regular $1.25 values for, each.....97c

Ladies' striped and checked Gingham Aprons, with or without bib—great value, each.....19c

Children's Initial Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, plain white or colored border, great special value, 3 in a box 19c

Folding Go-Carts

Folding and reclining Go-Carts; new models just received. Best styles. Very lowest prices. Third floor.