A Marvelous Petticoat Sale



Hundreds Are Saving Why Aren't You?

Our entire stock of black and colored heatherbloom, sateen, Italian cloth and Moreen Petticoats reduced in price. These are all made in the seven-gored style, with deep flounces in many styles. Bear in mind this includes all black and colored petticoats, even the extra sizes and the famous "Novent" underskirts. Priced as

	\$1.25 to \$1.50 values, now selling for	. 88c
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\$3.25 to \$3.50 grades, \$2.	19 \$2.75 to \$3.00 grades, now selling for	\$1.89
\$4.50 to \$5.00 values, \$2.	97 \$3.75 to \$4.25 grades, now selling for	\$2.49
\$1.75 to \$2.00 values, \$1	23 \$5.50 to \$6.50 values, now selling for	\$3.88

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Made of fine quality heavy linen, with two-inch hemstitched border; stamped in the new cross-stitch designs; excellent values, 24-53c inch size, regularly worth \$1.00; special today, each...... 28x30-inch regular price 98c | 18x54-inch, regular \$1.50 97c \$1.35; special, each....

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You have a better selection of merchandise now. clerks have more time to wait upon vou, and you avoid the tremendons crowds of Christmas week. Be an early bird.



Try Fancy Hose Supporters

We call special attention to the assortment of fancy Hose Supporters and Round

50c to \$2.50=

WOMEN'S ROUND GARTERS, and men's Sleeveholders; we show some new and exclusive designs, with sterling

Garters, with plated buckles, the pair... 25¢ to \$1.50 With sterling silver buckles...... \$1.50 to \$2.50

IMPORTED UNDERWEAR-We are making a special on women's "Vegasilk" (mercerized silk) Union Suits,

in white, pink or blue. Fine Swiss-ribbed garments, in Winter weight. Exceptional values, per \$3.00

silver or gold cameo buckles. The sterling silver buckles we engrave free of charge. Note the prices:

suit.....

Supporters are fitted with the famous "Velvet Grip," priced at

Garters, which make very attractive and practical gifts. We have them covered

with shirred ribbon and in many pretty and decidedly new designs. All our Hose

Gifts Stored

Make your purchases now, and we'll make deliveries when you wish.

We'll promise to see that your presents are at their destination

Slippers for Cozy Comfort Shop This Morning and Save

Make slippers your choice as a present and you'll be remembered with pleasure many a quiet evening, when the recipient of your gift is taking solid comfort.

STYLE 677, Men's Slippers, genuine alligator, opera style, handturned soles, neatly made and excellent value; regular price \$3.00; special this morning, the pair \$2.50

STYLE S67, Men's Slippers, opera style, dark brown seal, with collar; regular price \$2.50; special this morning, the \$2.00

STYLE 622, Men's Slippers, opera style, made of fine black kid, with patent collar, kid lining throughout; regular price \$2.00; special this morning, the STYLE 660, Men's Slippers, Ever-

ett style, colors black or tan; made of seal or kid leathers, with patent leather tongue; handturned soles; regularly worth \$1.75; special, pair, \$1.35 this morning...... STYLE 670, Men's Everett Slippers, or opera style, come in black or tan; hand-turned soles; good values; regular price \$1.50; special this morning, the pair...... \$1.19

Women's Juliets, made of fine quality Brazilian felt; colors black and brown, with golden brown fur trimming, hand-turned soles; excellent value; regular price \$1.69;

with buckle ornaments; colors; Black, brown and red; black fur trimming, hand-turned soles'; regular price \$1.50; special this pair for......\$1.19 morning at, the

Children's Felt Slippers, in black or red, with leather tips; all sizes

Ostrich Plumes Will Please

No matter how many hats a woman has, she cannot have too many plumes, therefore this special will appeal both to the giftseekers and to those who are bent on improving their own wardrobes. A Wednesday sale of wondrously rich plumes at prices that will appeal irresistibly to well-dressed folk who know and appreciate first-class goods.

READ THESE PRICE DETAILS CAREFULLY

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Plumes worth \$2.00 for	1.19	Those worth \$7.00 now	\$4.70	0
Plumes worth \$3.00 for	.69	Those worth \$8.00 now	\$5.35	
Plumes worth \$4.00 for	2.19	\$9.00 values for	\$6.00	
\$10.00 values \$6.70	\$16.00 for	values \$10.70	\$22.50 values now	\$15.00
\$12.00 values \$8.00	\$18.00 now.	values \$12.00	\$24.00 values now	\$16.00
\$14.00 values \$9.35	\$20.00 now.	values \$13.35	\$27.50 values now	\$18.35

Basswood Pipe Racks for 25c

Stamped ready to burn; a large size and in an attractive design. Regularly worth 35c each. Pyrography workers should buy one of these and present it to a friend who smokes; it will be much appreciated and a fine 25c present, for only.....

Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, of || Whisk Broom Holder, of celluloid, basswood, ready to burn. Many de- hand-painted. Broom has a white signs; worth 25e each; spe- 15c Whisk Broom Holders, of basswood; finished with leather strap; 25c worth 35e each; special.... Shaving Sets, which contain a cup, brush and swing stand mirror; reg-

\$1.75 and \$2.00 boxes, \$1.29 No One Has TOO MANY PAIRS OF Gloves

The sort of gloves sold here are ones that please women of discriminating taste. When in doubt, give gloves, and if you do not know the size, let us sell you a glove certificate, good for any pair of gloves at the price named. Vassar Kid Gloves, with two clasps; | Empress Gloves, 16-button length, in

black, white and colors... Magnet Kid Gloves, two \$1.00 clasps..... Two-clasp Monarch

Wednesday for.....

1000 boxes on sale; each

worth 35e; special at

Holiday Stationery, in fancy boxes;

Collar and Cuff Boxes, of Austrian

hardwood, with stained linings;

Sparkling Cut Glass Sale



sale that shows pronounced savings. Please some friend and show your own good taste. Besides, get a betterthan-usual present for the money,

special, each \$2.95 WINE BOTTLES-Regular \$4.50 values, Regularly worth \$6.00; special, each......\$3.90 HANDLED DECANTERS, regular price . \$6.15 \$9.50; special, each..... BOWLS-8-inch size, regular price \$7.25; Regular \$10.50 values, special today, each....\$6.75 BOWLS-9-inch size, regular price \$8,50; \$5.65 special, each......
Whisky Jugs, regular price \$11; each \$7.75 special, the dozen. Bedroom Bottle and Glass, regu-Jelly Dishes, regularly worth lar price \$5.25; spe-Olives, regular \$2.50 \$1.85 Water Bottles, regular price values, each..... Bon Bons, regular \$5.50; special, price \$3.60; each. Water Tumblers, regular price Relish Dishes, regular price \$4.50. \$6.50 \$9.00; special, the special. \$3.05 CHOICE LINES IN BRONZE, MARBLE AND STATUARY

kerchiefs, be sure of that; for with the largest and best selected stock hereabouts we offer values and assortments that none can equal.

Embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs-With hemstitched and embroidered Plain hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with 1/4-inch hem......121/2¢

Plain hemstitched Handkerchiefs, or 1/4-inch hems......20c-25c Women's Initial Handkerchiefs, six Fancy Embroidered Kerchiefs, six assorted designs in a box; \$7.00

Embroidered Handkerchiefs in boxes, 6 assorted patterns. The kerchiefs are unusually pretty affairs, and the box is well made and embellished

Handkerchiefs for All Solid Gold Jewelry AT ABOUT HALF Jewelry Store PRICES

A special sale in the Jewelry Department, main floor, Sixth street. New and handsome designs in first-class qualities, at prices astonishingly low. But neither the pictures nor anything that we can say will give you more than a faint idea of the tremendous values.

Anticipate your Christmas needs and buy without delay. Secure at this sale articles that will make welcome gifts for the most fastidious and pay but half or little more than half the regular jewelry store prices.

BEAUTY PINS, in plain bar designs or set with pearls, | SIGNET RINGS-Solid gold, Roman or turquoise, chip diamonds; the set, 50c, 85c, \$1.00 and..... CUFF LINKS-Solid gold, Roman or bright finish, in plain or faney designs; the set, \$1.75, \$2.75 BAR PINS-Solid gold, plain; price, HAIR BARETTES, solid gold, in Roman BAR PINS-Solid gold, with pearl set-HEARTS, solid gold, price, 85c and\$1.15

BROOCH PINS-Horseshoe design, solid gold, assorted sizes, \$1.25, \$1.65.............\$2.00 Gold-Plated Jewelry at Greatly Reduced Prices During This Sale

Kimonos and Bathrobes on

For housewear there is nothing more desirable and surely nothing so pretty to be had for so small a sum as this. We expect to see a throng of shrewd buyers here early this morning to snap up these garments at these small prices. They are made of good weight outing flannel in French flannel patterns. The bathrobes are made with deep collar and finished with cords. The kimonos have ribbon band edges. They are a good length, full size and in decidedly attractive patterns. The colors are gray, pink and pastel shades. They

No Phone Orders filled. None sent C.



EDITOR LIBELS THEN KILLS

MINING PROMOTER SHOT BY A NEVADA NEWSPAPERMAN.

Says in Paper Man With Bad Record

Should Be Run Out of Town and Backs Assertion With a Gun. GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 10 .- Francis L. Burton was shot and killed today at Mina by J. Holtman Buck, editor and

proprietor of the Western Nevada Miner. Buck printed in his paper an article asserting that Burton had been run out of the town of Rawhide by a committee, and counselling the same treatment by the citizens of Mina. Burten took Buck to task, and in the quarrel ensuing the former was killed. It is alleged that several years ago Bur-

ton was arrested in Massachusetts for fraud in connection with some mining promotion. He was tried and convicted and sent to prison. He persuaded the Warden of the pentientiary into investing \$7000 in one of his schemes, while still a prisoner, and succeeded through the

Warden in getting a parole. He went back to Colorado, presumably to put through his scheme, but in the meantime broke his parole. The Massa-chusetts authorities attempted to extra-dite him, but before they could get action Burton was gone. Later he came to Nevada, where he has had a meteoric career as a promoter of questionable

DRIVEN OFF BY STORMS

Watchers Leave Monongah Mines. Bodies Rapidly Recovered.

MONONGAH. W. Va., Dec. 10.—The crowd of idlers which has surged about the pit entrances of mines No. 5 and 8, of the Fairmont Coal Company, from the moment of the awful explosion of last Friday morning has been dwindling ever since the rain started last night, until tonight there remained only the forces employed in rescue work, the newspaper workers and the inconsolable near rela-tives of the victims, who remained faith-fol in their vigil during the downpour all

night and all day, and are still shiver-ing and enduring physical discomforts in the wet snow that has succeeded the When darkness fell 141 bodies had ac

tually been brought to the surface, while many more were located, with every pros-pect of the rapid work of recovery of the past 24 hours continuing through the

night.
Lieutenant-Governor McDermott, of
West Virginia, who came here as the
personal representative of Governor Dawson, completed his investigation last
night. He said he had found nothing to justify telegraphing a report.

Bishop P. J. Donahue, of the Wheeling diocese of the Roman Catholic Church, has been here assisting local clergymen in caring for their parishioners and as-sisting in a number of the funerals. He and found so many children made or-phans by the disaster that he immediately took up the work of providing homes for them. He will arrange to have as many as can be accommodated sent to

the orphanages maintained by the church at Huntington and Wheeling.

The relief work is well under way and will soon be systematized. There is now plenty of food, but there is urgent need of clothing in many families. Cash funds are being raised in many places and installments have already been forwarded

from some points.

The coal companies of this district have contributed \$20,000 cash and the money has been placed in a bank at the dispo-sal of the committee as soon as it is au-

Many of the rescuers have been stricken with illness, and it was found necessary to bring a number of recruits here from to bring a number of recruits here from the Georges Creek district. Chief State Mine Inspector J. W. Paul is quoted as saying he believes the ex-plesion was started by an electric spark from runaway cars in the main entry. A string of these cars was piled up in the entry at the bottom of a slope.

France's Demands Accepted.

RABAT, Morocco, Dec. 10 .- The French and the Spanish missions to the Moroccan government have concluded their negotiations with the Foreign Board, which has agreed to accept the demands of France and Spain in the matter of contraband of war, the inauguration of international police and

SCENIC PHOTOS FOR CHRISTMAS, Kiser's make fine presents, 248 Alder,

PERCENTAGE IN SAN FRANCISCO LESS THAN AT FIRST.

War of Extermination on Rats Results in Decrease of Number Seen on the Waterfront.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.-The next report of the public health and marine hosoltal service will contain the statement by Passed Assistant Surgeon-General Hobby that bubonic plague infection "is still generally distributed in San Francisco but the percentage is very much lower than was at first reported."

"investigation along the waterfront," he adds, "shows that there is a considerable diminution of rats present and a still more marked decrease in sick or dead rats seen. Of the dead rats found many were proved to have died from the results of the rat crusade now being waged. Late observations indicate that the number of rats found on board vessels in the harbor of San Francisco is being steadily re-

Passed Assistant Surgeon Rupert Blue, in charge of the plague extermination campaign in San Francisco, will report that up to December 7 the number of cases reached 112; total deaths, 67; death rate, 59.8 per cent. During the week ending last Saturday 4988 premises were in-spected for plague, 58 houses were disin-fected, 29 houses were destroyed by fire or other means, 561 rats were found dead in the city, 1911 rats were frapped and killed, 249,757 poisons were placed for rat extermination. Of 811 rats bacteriologically examined, only one was found to be infected with the plague bacillus."

The statistics show that in India from April last to October there were 553,557

PASSENGERS TO MAJESTIC

ses of plague and 474,914 deaths there-

Disabled Kroonland Reaches Southampton-Transfers Human Freight

SOUTHAMPTON, Dec. 10.-The Red Star line steamer Kroonland, from Ant-werp December 4 for New York, which broke her shaft off Scilly Islands on Sun-

evening. The accident to the Kroonland occurred during a gale, just as the passengers were turning in for the night.

The Kroonland was immediately put about and headed for Southampton under her own steam, until picked up by tugs off this port. All the first and secondcabin passengers and many of the steer-age passengers have been transferred to the steamship Majestic, which will leave here tomorrow for New York.

AHEARN APPEALS TO COURT Gets Injunction Against Removal.

Will Be Re-elected. NEW YORK, Dec. 10.-The refusal of

John F. Ahearn to submit passively to removal from the office of Borough President of Manhattan by Governor Hughes has brought about an interesting situation.

Today counsel for Ahearn secured temporary injunctions restraining the County Clerk from filing the Governor's order of removal and the Mayor from presiding at a meeting of the aldermen for the election of his successor. The order is returnable Friday, when an ef-fort to make it permanent will be opposed by the corporation counsel, thus in a sense arraying the forces friendly to Mayor McClellan, and in this instance to the Governor, against Ahearn, who has the open and powerful support of Tammany Hall.

Should Ahearn's court action fall and he be removed finally, the board of alder-men, it is confidently declared in Tammany circles today, will immediately re-

Heads Off High Finance Scheme.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 10 .- Owen N. Wilcox was today appointed receiver of the Cleveland & Sharon Electric Rallroad Company by Judge Strimple in Common Pleas Court. The appointment is alleged to have headed off a plan of the financiers behind the road to enrich themselves at the expense of the smaller stockholders.

New Manager of Lake Shore Road. CLEVELAND, Dec. 10 .- D. C. Moon has been appointed general manager of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Rail-way, to succeed the late E. A. Handy.

Metzger & Co., jewelers and opti-ticians, 342 Washington street.

tings; price, each......\$1.50

BROOCH PINS, solid gold, in assorted de-

each.....

RENAULT AND MONETA DIVIDE THAT FOR PEACE.

Kipling Wins Honors for Literature, Nichelson, of Chicago for Physics, Lavera for Medicine.

CHRISTIANIA, Dec. 19.-The Nobel peace prize is this year to be equally divided between Ernesto Teodore Moneta, of Italy, and Louis Renault, of France. This announcement was made today by Judge Lovefand, the Norweglan Premier, at the meeting of the Nobel Institute. M. Renault is the permanent delegate of France to The Hague tribunal, and

represented his country at the second Peace Conference last Summer. M. Moneta was prominent as a worker for peace in Italy. He was elected president of the Fifteenth Universal Peace Conference at Milan in September, 1906,

STOCKHOLM, Deca 10 .- The ceremonies attending the distribution of the Nobel prizes, apart from the Peace prize, which was awarded at Christiania, took place at 4 o'clock this evening in the building of the Academy of Sciences.

The prize for literature was awarded to Rudyard Kipling; that of physics to Professor Albert A. Nichelson, of the

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of the University of Berlin.



istry prize to Professor Eduard Buchner, promaine poisoning, from which he has The prizes this year amount to \$18,000. been suffering for the past ten days.



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