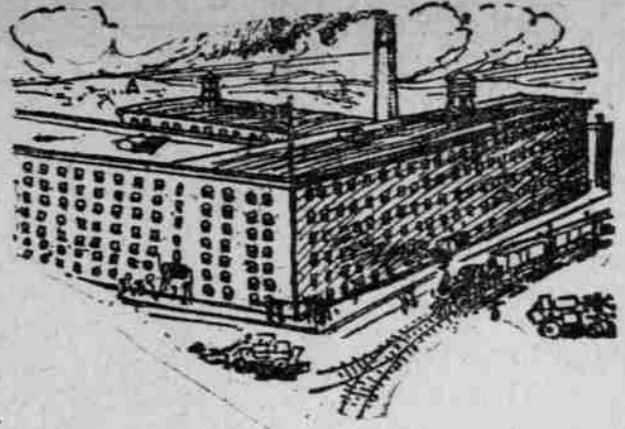




PRE-INVENTORY SALE RAINCOATS



The Goodyear Raincoat Company, at 225 Morrison street, are giving a remarkable demonstration of values, showing that only a concern of such immense resources and unlimited capital could afford to unload their stocks at such colossal and sweeping reductions that compel competitors and the public in general fairly to marvel at such reckless disregard of price values.

READ

Sale Begins This Morning at 8:30 o'Clock. Look for Red Price Tags Showing Sweeping Reductions

Intending buyers who desire to make a careful selection are advised to call during the opening hours.



Ladies' \$15 rubberized Slip-On Coats in neat gray checks and plaids, including a number of worsted Cravenettes. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$6.07**

\$18 to \$20 silk rubberized mohairs, bengalines, Roxbury cloth Coats and Cravenettes, grouped in one lot. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$8.87**

Ladies' \$20 to \$25 beautiful Silk Rubberized Coats, lined with pure Para rubber. Seams cemented and vulcanized in a profusion of color harmonies and style effects, at **\$12.12**

Ladies' \$25 to \$35 beautiful silk moires, English Cecilians and fine tailored, all-wool Cravenettes, in an endless variety of fabrics and models for season 1909-10. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$14.87** and.....

Ladies' English Slip-Ons in imported and domestic fabrics, including a number of Roseberry cloth fabrics; values range to \$20 and \$25—Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$14.62** and.....

\$20.00 to \$40.00 Ladies' Full-Length Tailored Coats, in domestic and imported fabrics, showing a wide range of new materials in English and Scotch tweeds, chevilles, henriettes, etc. These garments represent the highest type of waterproof fabrics, adapted for all weather. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$18.87** and.....

Look for red price tags showing sweeping reductions.

THE FOLLOWING LETTER IS EXPLANATORY:

Letter No. 1102
Office of Pres. New York City, Nov. 20th, 1909.

Goodyear Raincoat Co., 225 Morrison St. Portland, Or.
Mr. Charles Brown, Mngr.

Dear Sir:—As per your report dated November 15th, we note your statement of stock on hand amounts to \$ 8,000. It is imperative that you take immediate steps to reduce same as quickly as possible.

In view of the fact that it is only a few weeks before stock taking January 1st, you are hereby authorized to place a price on every garment, as invoiced to you from our factory. This no doubt may seem out of the ordinary to you, but you will proceed to carry out the instructions to the effect, as herein stated, in order to reduce your stock to a minimum.

Submit total amount of reductions at once and report.
Very truly yours, Franklin H. Murphy, Sec.

Beginning This Morning at 8:30 and Continuing for 10 Days, a Sale of Wonderful Raincoat Bargains Never Equaled

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An extra force of sales people have been employed so there will be no delay or inconvenience in waiting on customers

\$12.50 men's heavy rainproof Overcoats in neat gray worsted fabrics. Quantity limited. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$6.12**

\$15.00 men's and youths' rainproof Overcoats in neat gray worsted and cheviot fabrics. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$7.18**

\$18 and \$20 rainproof Overcoats in a variety of new fabrics, with or without military collars. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$11.37** and.....



Men's \$25 to \$30 cravenette Overcoats in genuine Priestley and Kenyon fabrics. These are standard makes, well known to good dressers. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$13.87**

Here they are! \$25 to \$35 men's cravenette Overcoats, with or without military collars; also the new convertible collars; all new Scotch fabrics and fine black dress coats. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$16.37** and..... **\$14.37**

Men's English Slip-Ons in domestic and imported fabrics; the kind that retail everywhere at \$20 to \$30; quantity positively limited. At **\$14.37** and..... **\$12.87**

Mail orders must be accompanied by check or P. O. money order. State bust and length measure.



WHILE THEY LAST — These Special Extraordinary Bargains

Girls' rubber Storm Cape Coats with storm hoods, Scotch plaid lining, \$5.00 value, at..... **\$2.37**

\$5 and \$6 girls' Coats in neat gray cheviot. Pre-Inventory Sale at **\$2.52**

About 250 Ladies' Cravenettes, in light and medium weights; in green, brown, grays, etc. These are all-weather coats, and grouped in one lot. Pre-Inventory Sale at..... **\$5.37**

GOODYEAR RAINCOAT COMPANY

225 Morrison St., Bet. First and Second

OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT TILL 10 O'CLOCK

MRS. CHRISTY EAGER

Says All She Wants Is Her Artist-Husband's Return.

SHE BLAMES MRS. STETSON

Declares That After His Healing in Christian Science Deposed Leader Dominated Him—He Denies This Is Real Cause.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Special).—Mrs. Howard Chandler Christy, who has said if her husband would only take her in his arms again she would be willing to forgive his desertion of her, blames Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson and her teachings for separating her from her husband. Mrs. Stetson has recently been excommunicated by the Christian Science Church because of her wrong teachings. "It was my fault in a way," said Mrs. Christy. "Howard had been ill for a long time, and the doctors had not cured him, so I persuaded him to go to a Christian Science practitioner. Unfortunately we went to one of Mrs. Stetson's followers in the First Church, and while Howard was quickly cured, Mrs. Stetson's teachings absorbed him so that he grew indifferent to me and finally left me. "After his healing, Howard went in for the study of Mrs. Stetson's teachings very deeply. That was all right until he became imbued with the idea promulgated by Mrs. Stetson that marriage was wrong. He used to sit and look at me with a vacant expression, and I know he was thinking, 'if you had only reached the high plane I have reached,' and he used to reproach me because I did not give more time to the study that interested him so much. All I wanted was to be given a chance to love him. "When he left me with our little girl, Natalie, I was frantic. Of course I want my little girl back, but I want Howard more. Oh, if he only would come back to me," and the deserted wife's eyes filled with tears. According to dispatches from Ohio, where Mr. Christy now is with his little daughter, he denied that Mrs. Stetson's teachings broke up his family. "Neither Mrs. Stetson nor any other Christian Science practitioner had anything to do with our trouble," he said. "Perhaps Mrs. Christy is talking for effect. My Christian Science friends always treated her well. I don't see why she should involve them. "His wife charged that Christy allowed the little girl to do just as she pleased, and that she was even insufficiently clad. He laughed whimsically. "I suspect she thinks the child isn't well dressed."

ARTIST WHO TAKES HIS CHILD AWAY AND WIFE WHO IS EAGER FOR HIM TO RETURN TO HER.



MR. AND MRS. HOWARD CHANDLER CHRISTY AND LITTLE GIRL, NATALIE.

SECRET TELLING BARRED

President Taft Wants Less Talk From Bureau Chiefs.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—A gag order affecting the furnishing of information to any committee of the House or Senate or any member of Congress, except as authorized by the head of the department in which such official serves, has been issued by the President. The order is directed chiefly at bureau officers or division chiefs.

RUEF BAIL WAITS

Judge Will Have "Boss" Examined by Court Physician.

JAIL AIR IS BAD FOR HIM

San Francisco Amused by Declaration of Former Rounder That He Cannot Bear Companionship of Evil Associates.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—(Special).—The petition of Abe Ruef, the convicted boss, for release from the County Jail, was presented to Police Judge Cabanis today, but though the petition was fortified by certificates of 16 doctors who had examined Ruef and found him ailing, the Judge refused to grant the plea and intimated he would have Ruef examined by some physician of his own selection.

Ruef's application for bail is voluminous and evidently written by his own hand. It is unconsciously humorous, for Ruef refers to the "degrading and noisome" atmosphere of the jail, which he fears will have a bad moral effect on him. He declares he was always used to quiet home surroundings, and that enforced intimacy with degenerates and criminals has been painful to him.

As Ruef was a typical man-about-town before his exposure and arrest, this plea is regarded here as amusing. Ruef was a bachelor who spent his evenings at French restaurants or at his office, and he had absolutely no family life.

San Francisco sees humor in Ruef's contention that he cannot bear association with evil companions.

GALLAGHER AMONG MISSING

Langdon Starts Search for Informer Against Calhoun. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—District Attorney William H. Langdon has instructed the police to find James Gallagher, leader of the Board of Supervisors during the Schmitz-Ruef administration in this city, and star witness for the prosecution in the majority of the bribery-graft investigation cases. Langdon stated that Gallagher, who was granted immunity because he had consented to tell of the transaction of the Board, left his home in Oakland some time last week, and that he was believed to be hurrying to New York, either by the way of Ogden or over the Canadian Pacific, to sail for Europe. The missing witness is under subpoena to appear in the second trial of Patrick Calhoun for the alleged bribery of one of the Gallagher board, which is on the calendar in

SUPERIOR JUDGE LAWLOR'S COURT FOR DECEMBER 6.

It is stated here that the statute of limitations in effecting against all offenses that have been charged against the various members of the former Board of Supervisors, and that Gallagher, as he had left on Saturday, but it was reported that he actually took his departure Wednesday, which gives him six days' lead.

COMPANY TAX \$15,000,000

Receipts for 1909 Excise Will Be Added to Those of 1910.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—It is expected from the special corporation excise tax by July 1, 1910, \$15,000,000 and that an additional \$10,000,000, collectible for the calendar year from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1910, will be collected subsequently to July 1, 1910, making the estimate of the total amount of the collection for the fiscal year 1910, \$25,000,000.

In this way Commissioner of Internal Revenue Cabell in his annual report, made public today, discusses the corporation tax law. Total internal revenue receipts for the year were \$246,212,719. "It is estimated," says the Commissioner, "that receipts from corporations in 1910 will amount to \$15,000,000 and from all other sources to \$25,000,000, making a total of \$40,000,000. It also is estimated that the receipts from incorporations in 1911 will amount to \$25,000,000 and from all other sources to \$25,000,000, making a total of \$50,000,000."

CONSULS TO "SPECIALIZE"

Division of New Eastern Affairs Organized by Secretary Knox.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—To extend his general plan of specialization in the commercial and political affairs of the world, Secretary Knox has created a division of "near Eastern affairs," with Evan E. Young, now American Consul at Salonica, as chief.

GERMAN POLITICS BOILING

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The first business session of the Reichstag held today gave striking evidence of the tension between the political parties as a result of a quarrel over finance reform. After the house had re-elected Count Udo von Stolberg-Wernigerode president,

Dr. Spahn, Clerical, as first vice-president, displacing Dr. Hermann S. Paasche, National Liberal. It elected Paasche second vice-president. The latter, however, declined to serve, declaring that the National Liberal party had decided unconditionally not to accept office in the re-organization. The Imperial party, or Free Conservatives, also declined to take part in the organization, while the Radicals went so far as to decide that they would cast blank votes. These three parties are determined to place the full responsibility for the coming legislation upon the German Conservatives and Clericals. Advertisements first appeared in newspapers in 1902.

Greatest Nerve and Blood Tonic No. 2. M. I. S. T. No. 2.



I have given personal inspection to the working of M. I. S. T. on the human system, and must say that it entirely meets with my professional sanction. D. H. LOOMIS, Late Demonstrator of Anatomy, Philadelphia Medical College. We guarantee M. I. S. T. No. 2 will cure or We Will Refund Your Money. RHEUMATISM, no matter how long standing. Any case of Inflammation of the Bladder or Enlarged Prostate Gland, no matter if the patient has been for years forced to use a catheter. BLOOD POISON IN ANY STAGE. ANY CASE OF DIABETES. In addition to the above M. I. S. T. No. 2 has cured many cases of Paralysis, Locomotor Ataxia, Spinal Trouble and apparently incurable diseases of the nerves and has removed from the system cancer and cancerous growths. It is prescribed by leading physicians all over the country. It is pleasant to take and abominably safe. It never increases or diminishes the action of the heart. If you are suffering from any chronic disease you are urged to write to us, no matter how many doctors or kinds of medicines you have tried without relief. WE GUARANTEE TO CURE YOU or refund your money. That you may judge of the value of this Great Remedy for yourself, we will send you one week's treatment by mail FREE, only asking that when cured yourself you will recommend it to others. Write confidentially to our medical department, giving symptoms. \$1 per box, or six boxes for \$5. ADDRESS—EBEN PERRY, Mgr., 332 Sherlock Bldg., Third and Oak Streets, Portland, Oregon. Save This for Future Reference. Hours, 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. Phone Main 7924. Open Sundays 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.