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For many weeks we have been untiring in our double task of disposing of our enormous stock of merchandise before closing for repairs, and in keeping the stock up to date in every respect by the addition of the newest and best merchandise. Special bargains abound here---not only that, but in addition, every article in the store is reduced. Before very long we will close the stores for repairs. We desire to impress you with the importance of not delaying, as the time is comparatively short before all merchandise will go back to normal prices.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR BARGAINS

Corset Covers, bargains at - - 25c, 29c, 39c, 49c, 69c, 98c, \$1.35
Gowns, bargains at - 59c, 60c, 79c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.98, \$2.75
Skirts, bargains at - 79c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.39, \$1.65, \$2.35, \$2.75, \$3.75
Drawers, bargains at - 22c, 39c, 49c, 69c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.65, \$2.10
Chemises, bargains at - - - - - 49c, 59c, 79c, 98c
Combinations, bargains at - - - 98c, \$1.39, \$1.59, \$1.79, \$1.98

Sale of Towels

All linen hemstitched Huck Towels, 20x40 inches, exceptional value, 27c
Hemstitched Huck Towels, 19x39, 23c
Hemmed Huck Towels, 18x34, 12c
Extra large bleached Bath Towels, heavy quality, great value, at 25c

Sale of Bedspreads

Full sized heavy Marseilles Spreads, newest designs, at \$2.25
Full sized satin finished Spreads, fringed, entirely new, \$2.45
Satin finished Spreads, hemmed, \$2.00
Extra heavy, full sized crocheted Spreads, \$1.45
Full sized crocheted Spreads, fringed, \$1.35
Full sized crocheted Spreads, hemmed, \$1.10

Sale of Embroideries

8c and 10c cambric and nainsook Edging and Inserting at 5c
20c and 25c cambric and nainsook Edging and Inserting, 15c
40c and 50c cambric, nainsook and Swiss Edging and Inserting, 25c

Outing Fabrics

Duck Suiting, solid colors, per yard, 11c
Covert Suiting in all the leading mixtures, reduced to, 11c
Bourette Suiting in boucle effects, Red, Green, Black, Navy and Cadet, reduced to, 13c

Sale of Laces

Linen Torchon Lace, regular 5c and 6c qualities, at 3c
Machine-made Torchon Lace 5c quality at 3c
6c quality at 4c
10c quality at 7c
12c quality at 9c
All Laces of every description at reduced prices.

Wash Goods

Linen Shirtwaist Suiting
White, solid colors, also stripe and dash effects.
50c quality at 39c
60c quality at 45c
75c quality at 56c
1.00 quality at 76c

Pineapple Tissue

A fine sheer fabric with embroidered stripes and figures in blue, tan, green, pink, red; also black and white effects, regular 30c yard, at 21c

Satin Stripe Madras

36 inches wide, white grounds, satin stripes over which are printed in black and delicate colors neat figures and stripes, regular 25c, at 19c
All Wash Goods at reduced prices.

50c White Wash Silks 33c

A saving of 17c yard on a remarkably popular silk fabric.
Our last shipment of White and Cream Wash Silks--about 50 pieces has just been received--the last we will have this season. This offer deserves your immediate attention.
Best 85c quality Black Taffeta Silks at the extremely low price 59c of.
All Silks at reduced prices.

Bargains in Dress Fabrics For Outing Wear

In Cream, Navy, Royal and Gray 50-in. all-wool Nun's Serge, Regular 75c; \$1.00 and \$1.25 reduced to 58c, 75c and 94c
45-inch English Mohair, Regular \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, reduced to 75c, 94c, \$1.12
52-inch all-wool Cheviots, Regular 65c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, reduced to 49c, 58c, 75c, 94c, \$1.12
All Dress Goods at reduced prices.

Sale of Ribbons

Brilliant Taffeta Ribbons, 4 inches wide, all colors, reduced to 20c
Satin Taffeta Ribbons, 4 inches wide, all colors, regular 35c, at 20c

Hammocks

A complete new line of newest and most serviceable hammocks, up-to-date style, all at less than prevailing prices,
68c, 90c, \$1.13, 1.35, 1.80 to 7.50

Ladies' Hosiery

50c Fancy Black Hosiery at 23c
25c Fancy Red Hosiery at 9c
35c Black Lace Lisle Hosiery at 23c
25c Black Cotton Wearwell Hosiery 20c
35c Black Peerless Hosiery 29c
50c Black Lace Lisle Hosiery 39c

Children's Hosiery

Boys' and Girl's School Hosiery 9c
Children's Heavy Ribbed Hosiery 11c
25c Ironclad Hosiery 18c
25c Children's Wearwell Hosiery 20c
35c Children's Lace Lisle Hosiery 27c

Jewelry Dept.

Baby Rings, solid gold, all small sizes, reduced to 18c
Sterling Silver Thumbies, all sizes, reduced to 18c

Alarm Clocks

Beacon, 30-hour, warranted one year 68c
Seth Thomas, 30-hour, warranted one year \$1.20
Tattoo, 30-hour, warranted one year \$1.25
All 8-day Mantel Clocks at Special Prices.

New Importations just received in Hand Painted Plates
Empire Gold Glassware
Bohemian Glassware
Limoges Vases, Etc.

Art

Department Sale of Stamped Linens

Size 12x13, regular 25c, at 19c
Size 18x18, regular 35c, at 23c
Size 18x27, regular 35c, at 23c
Size 18x54, regular \$1.15, at 95c
Size 18x17, regular \$1.50, at \$1.35
Size 30x30, regular \$1.50, at \$1.25
The above Stamped Linens are all in the most up-to-date designs.

Stamped Shirtwaist Patterns, \$1.50

New designs, stamped on silk finished cotton waisting material.
Free lessons in Art Embroidery.

White Oxford Shirtwaists

Three hundred White Shirtwaists, made of white striped oxford, in this season's most popular styles, with large pouch sleeves, regular \$1.25, at 78c

Summer Skirts

Ladies' Linen Crash Skirts, in tailor-made styles in plain plaited and lace-trimmed effects,
Special values at \$2.00, 2.50, 2.75
Ladies' White Pique Skirts, in plain tailor-made and open work embroidered styles,
Special values at \$2.75, 3.00, 3.75

Blankets

Summer Blankets in White and Pink and Blue, with pretty borders, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50
Silver Gray Wool Blankets, Pink and Blue Borders, regular \$5.00, at \$3.50
Pretty Silkoline Comforts at \$1.50

Graduation Dress Materials

Persian Lawns reduced to 19c, 27c, 39c, 45c.
French Organdies reduced to 39c, 48c, 59c.
Wash Chiffons reduced to 59c and 76c.
Swiss Mull reduced to 10c, 12c, 16c, 19c, 28c, 39c.

Men's Hosiery

Imported and American Hosiery of all kinds is included in this sale. Every man in need of hosiery, either now or in the near future, should attend this sale.

900 pairs of plain black Cotton Socks, double soles, fast black, great value, per pair 10c

Men's Novelty Half Hose, lace effects, neat colored figures and stripes, also fine plain black socks, all sizes, reg. 25c, per pair 19c

Men's plain black Imported Socks, made of fine black cotton, high spliced heel, split toe, either solid black or black with white feet, reduced to, per pair 27c

Men's Imported Fancy Socks, novelties in drop stitch, side clocks, stripes and figures, reduced to, per pair 39c

EVIL OF MILITARISM

Rev. Dr. Wise Condemns the Modern Tendency.

ITS GROWTH IN UNITED STATES

Figures Which Show Increase of Naval Expenses--Funston and Spy System Discussed--Roosevelt's Work for Arbitration.

"Is Militarism a Blessing or a Curse," was the subject of the discourse delivered by the Rev. Stephen A. Wise at the Temple Beth Israel last Friday evening. It was a masterly deliverance on the tendency towards militarism in America, and was replete with examples drawn from the experience of the armed nations of Europe. Dr. Wise said, among other things:

"I honor and cherish the memory of those who gave their lives for the Nation in our National wars, and that I profoundly appreciate the heroism, the manliness and the worth of those who constitute our Army in these days of peace. If we were to engage in warfare today I would be the first to urge our youth to rally round the flag, and I would not fail to extol the heroism of those waging war in their country's behalf. Let me submit that I honor the Nation's heroes none the less because I deplore and therefore must needs deprecate, the tendency toward militarism, which is rife in the land today. This militarism, a strictly European importation, should be barred out at the gates of our land, for it is destined to be a curse to our land if ever it gains a foothold among us.

"It cannot be insisted upon too emphatically that war is not to be prepared for and regarded as if it were the regular and ordinary thing amid the events of life. Under any and all circumstances it is the extraordinary. I urge this because of the strenuous insistence of late upon the acceptance of the formula, 'If you wish for peace, prepare for war, than which no greater fallacy is thinkable. The question is hurled at those who are opposed to the spirit of militarism. 'Would you have your country undefended?' In answer, it will suffice to say that there are countless gradations between defenselessness and unlimited agencies of war. Defense is antipodal removed from offense-breeding militarism.

"Among the less harmful symptoms of the rise of the spirit of militarism is the growing practice of sending our youth to military schools. A graver symptom is the wanton extravagance into which we are rushing headlong for the upbuilding of the American Navy.

Growth of Naval Expenses.

"Let me cite a few figures at this time: The cost of the German army in 1902 was \$100,000,000, the pension list aggregating \$50,000,000. In the same year the cost of the War Department of the United States was \$121,000,000, and the pension list amounted to \$128,000,000. In Germany there are 300,000 recruits annually. The United States Navy 20 years ago cost \$15,000,000 per annum; ten years ago \$23,000,000; in 1895, \$25,000,000, and the current year's expense is calculated to be about \$60,000,000. A student of naval affairs estimates that within a very few years the annual expense of supporting our naval establishment will be \$150,000,000, or nearly \$500,000 daily. It has been further estimated that the battleships, the original cost of which is \$5,000,000 or more, require a daily expenditure of \$1000, the cost of target practice on a battleship totaling about \$100,000 yearly.

"The annual expense account of Tuskegee Institute, one of the greatest civilizing agencies of the Western Continent, is \$100,000, and the Hampton Institute, in Virginia, can barely secure the same amount of money for its magnificent work in educating the negro race.

"Be it remembered with reference to this question that if we plan to build five ships or cruisers in one year, Russia at once sets out to build six, and Germany possibly seven. France perhaps eight or nine and England ten or 12, whereupon our Government sets out to reconstruct the naval programme, in order not to be outdone by our sister nations. It is significant that an American Navy League has been founded similar to the Navy League which has been in existence for a dozen years in England and France. In Germany, since 1888, the league has grown to a membership of more than 600,000, and has so influenced public sentiment in the German Empire within that time as to make it possible for the Kaiser to put through his plans for a greater German Navy. We know that nothing could be easier than it is to arouse the enthusiasm of the unthinking masses of the people in favor of a larger Army and a greater Navy. Is it too much to say that it is the duty of those who direct our National affairs to curb and to check rather than to promote and reinforce such sentiments. For my part I cannot find it compatible with the dignity of the Secretary of the Navy of these United States to have appealed to the populace as he did, by promising to name a battleship after a neighboring state if Congress complied with his wish to have five new battleships begun next year. Surely this is not leadership, this is not statesmanship. If a guarantee against defeat by any combination of powers is to be secured, when, if ever, shall the naval building programme come to an end?

Effect of Chauvinism.

"In taking account of the influences which favor the rise of rampant militarism, the spirit of nationalism suggests itself at once. Under the term 'nationalism' I understand not so much patriotism as chauvinism, not so much love of one's own country as ill-will towards every other country. Nationalism does not promote 'up with my own Nation,' but its slogan is 'Down with every other nation.' And to down the other nation large armies and vast navies are needed. The nationalism that leads to militarism is nothing more than a wholesale, collective national neglect of the law, 'Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself,' or its parallel in the golden rule. The world has got to learn that the golden rule is as applicable to national affairs as to the relation of one man to another; that nations are under the same laws and obligations as individuals. Theft does not cease to be theft because it is styled territorial aggrandizement, and murder does not cease to be murder because its victims are multitudinous in number. Crime is not mitigated, but magnified when committed by a nation. What is reprehensible in the individual is a thousand-

fold more reprehensible in a nation. Humanity universal must be controlled by a universal conscience. In the furtherance of international unity and good will our great Republic should take the lead, as it has already begun to take the lead in the establishment of the parliament of the nations and the federating of the peoples of the world.

"One of the great forces that make for militarism is commercialism, the love of money, the lust for gold. This commercialism is not infrequently disguised; it styles itself 'manifest destiny' or 'benevolent assimilation.' Not that all destitute or assimilationists are commercially tainted, but let us not blink the fact that much of the expansion sentiment in our land today has been shrewdly fostered by men whose thought has been of the tremendous commercial possibilities in the Eastern World. Commercial greed is not the least of the causes operative today in effecting the ascendancy of the new militarism.

"The tendency toward militarism finds no little support in the overidealization of war, a characteristic specimen of which is to be found in Ruskin's 'Address on War,' published in the volume, 'The Crown of Wild Olive.'
"Perhaps the gravest consequence of militarism is the inevitable rebarbarization, to use the term which Herbert Spencer offers us in his latest and last book, entitled 'Facts and Comments.' It is a very grave and very present peril, the inescapable consequence of militarism gone mad. Rebarbarization may fairly be stated to be the subjection of man to man, of group to group. Gradual and subordination and subjection, the ineluctable results of chronic militancy, are irreconcilable with the spirit of our democracy. Militarism and subjection are antagonistic terms, and subjection and democracy are incompatible. The suppression of individuality, which is the natural concomitant of militarism, cannot long co-exist with a truly democratic ideal.

Rap at Funston.

"The system of espionage, such as came to light in the Dreyfus affair, is a revolting result of the armed truce of the European nation. Truly, it may be urged that if the spy system be a necessary consequence of war, then war itself stands condemned. You may praise and extol General Funston, if you will, but there is not something fundamentally wrong in an institution that justifies the treachery of the capture of Aguinaldo? And here we come upon the very heart of the question--militarism is the bane and scourge of Europe because it perverts ideals. What military honor signified in France came to light at the Rennes trial, when no junior officer, it appeared, felt under the obligation of speaking the truth respecting his superior. Militarism exposes us to the grave peril of exalting the military above the civil arm of our Government; the consequences of such a National policy it is needless to dilate upon. It seems that today already there is danger of looking upon our Army as a class apart; to criticize an Army officer is looked upon as unreasonable; to demand that the officers of the Army shall in any event obey the laws of war and the laws of humanity, is to be disloyal to our country's defenders. God forbid that the day should ever come when the American people should be denied the right of summing up every officer of the American Army before the tribunal of the National conscience.

"Militarism means this: In 1878, Alexander II wrote an autograph letter to Bismarck, saying that the Russian army was restless after 20 years of peace, and asking if Germany would hold aloof. If Russia attacked Austria, would you not submit a sufficient number of examples of the influence of militarism as it obtains, especially in European lands? I will not urge tonight that which is known to all those who have thought and felt that hand in hand with the noble moral heroisms of war go moral degradation and moral deterioration; but I must needs insist, in the name of truth, that peace is not weakening and demoralizing, that men are not necessarily soft and feeble in peace, selfish and inert; that war alone brings out the full personal power of the human creature."

Heroes of Peace.

"If it be said that great causes and crises are needed to try men's souls, then may we truly give our thanks to the strife no less renowned than war. Peace hath a myriad heroisms to test and ennoble us--the heroism of the engineer staying at his post and going down to death sooner than desert the place of duty; the heroism of the missionary caring for the leprosy in a far-off island, foredoomed to a loathsome disease and to death; the heroism of the Sheriff defending his black and white charges against mob bent upon lynching. He that holds that war alone offers great crises with which to try men's souls knows not the meaning of life. Countless are the epics of the inner life, the heroisms of daily living.

"To the idealizing tendency respecting war let there be opposed the spirit of inflexible truth-speaking, the force of an aroused public conscience, stimulated by the press, the political forum, and the pulpit. Selfish commercialism can be combated only by incultivating in the minds of the Nation's leaders the principle that war shall never be undertaken as a means of gain. Sullen nationalism must be overcome by the gospel of international peace and human good will. The influences, taken together, that make for rebarbarization can be conquered by the gospel of humanity sacred, of love divine.

"The noble part taken by our own Nation in the past year in the furtherance of the ideals of peace must not be overlooked in this hour. Great have been the gains for the cause of arbitration in the last twelve months, and our own Government has been largely instrumental in making these gains possible. One year ago the international court at The Hague was an untidied tribunal; in 12 months it has received three leading cases, and in two of these cases the United States has been one of the parties at issue. Our soldier President is deserving of the gratitude of lovers of peace the world over for having been instrumental in securing a reference of the Venezuelan controversy to The Hague court. Thus far our country has taken a leading part in the peace movement. Would that it might be given to our country to take highest rank in the role of national peacemakers in the world!

War if Right and Necessary.

"Touching those who help to spread the influence of militarism, the words of the prophet may be spoken, 'Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil.' It is to be taken to signify that we may never wage a war, that war may never be right, that war is never necessary? Let us have war, let us have war, if it be right and necessary to have war, but let us have peace if it be wrong and needless to go to war. As between a dishonorable war and a dishonorable peace, which is the more infamous and ruinous?

I dare do all that doth become a man; Who dares do more is none.
"Thus spake Shakespeare's warriors. To dare to war when it is necessary to war is to do all that doth become a man. To dare to do more, to dare to go to war when war is needless is to be and to do less than doth become a man. Blessed are the peacemakers, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven; thrice blessed are the furtherers of peace, for theirs is the making of the kingdom of heaven upon earth."