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Our Great Sale
Every Article Reduced

Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Window Shades
Made to Order From the Best
Hand-Made Opaque

Stirring Price Reductions for the Last Week of the Clearance Sale

Now is the opportunity to lay in a good supply of all needed Merchandise and know that every article you buy is worth a great deal more than you need pay for it

More Dress-Goods Bargains

50c Suitings, odds and ends at.....**39c**
60c all wool, cream Suitings at.....**47c**
\$1.25 Imported Scotch Plaid Panamas **98c**
\$1.25 Fancy Mohair Sicilians, colors **89c**
\$2.25 Crepe de Paris, all colors.....**\$1.25**
\$1.25 Crepe de Paris and Eolienne, all colors.....**79c**
65c Wool Suitings, gray, mixtures, etc. **47c**
65c best wool French Challies.....**49c**
\$1.25 and \$1.50 dark Novelty Suitings, 54-inch wide.....**65c**

BLACK DRESS GOODS BARGAINS

50c English Mohair Brilliantine.....**39c**
65c English Mohair Brilliantine.....**53c**
90c English Mohair Brilliantine.....**69c**
\$1.50 French Voile, wire finish, **\$1.19**
\$1.00 English Mohair Sicilian, 48-in. **83c**
\$1.00 50-inch Panamas, bright worsted finish.....**79c**
\$1.25 54-in. English Devonshire Serges **98c**
\$1.75 pure Mohair Turkish Crepe **\$1.29**
\$2.50 Silk and Mohair Novelty Suitings.....**\$1.48**

75c to 50c Laces at 17c Yard

Gallon Medallion Trimming, 2 to 3 1/2 inches wide, ecru and white.

50c Silk Chiffon at 29c

Our regular 50c quality Silk Chiffon, 44 inches wide, all colors.

\$2.00 to \$1.50 Allover Net at 98c

Black Chantilly Allover Net, 44 inches wide; all black Tosea Net, 44 inches wide, for Waists and Suits.

25c to 20c Laces at 3c

Ecru galoon and insertion, 1 to 1 1/2 inches wide.

15c to 10c Laces at 6c

Platte Val. Wash Laces and Insertion; very pretty designs; 3 to 5 inches wide.



NEW ERA OPENED IN GREAT BRITAIN

Rise of Labor Party Marks Advance Towards Democracy.

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND

Campbell-Bannerman Sure of Seven Years of Office, With Largest Majority Ever Known—Plans of Chamberlain.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Except that returns from nine constituencies have not been received, the general elections in the United Kingdom are ended. The government coalition will have approximately 500 votes in the next Parliament, this estimate including on the side of Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman the Nationalist and Labor votes, with a concrete Unionist minority of 100 on the opposition side.

The issues in the campaign brought forth by the Liberals included an expensive war for which the people are still paying, a threatened raising of food prices, an unpopular educational system, an unprecedented number of unemployed and many other matters. General dissatisfaction with the Unionists' ten years of power was manifested.

Greatest Majority in History.
Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman will enter the new Parliament on February 12 with the greatest majority ever given to a British Premier. As a result of the elections, the political map of England shows a tremendous change, and it may safely be said that the incoming of a new party to power marks a complete upsetting of the old order of things, for even the most partisan of the Conservatives admit that the Liberal government is in power for at least its full term under the septennial act, and that within the next six years new names will be made and new statesmen will appear, while the Premier, whether he stays in the House of Commons or goes to the House of Lords, has won a name which will be handed down to posterity.

With such evidence as the country has given of opposition to the Unionists, who also were pledged to carry out the foreign policy inaugurated by Lord Salisbury and Lord Lansdowne, the Liberal government feels confident that it will receive whole-hearted support for some time to come, or until the minority is able to draw off sufficient support to become an opposition strong enough to be dangerous.

Composition of Parliament.
The composition of the new Parliament, as near as it is now possible to tell, follows: Liberals, 258; Unionists, 100; Nationalists, 84; Laborites, 50.

Thus it will be seen that the Liberals have a majority over all of 82 votes, but such a thing as a combination of the entire force of Laborites and Nationalists against the government is hardly conceivable.

It should also be pointed out that the election probably marks the end of the old two-party system, there now being four groups, of which the Laborites are the most interesting.

Labor Party to the Front.
The Labor party's development in national politics marks a surprising change in sentiment in the country. Laborites are supporting Laborites and Laborites are supporting Laborites in most instances. In some quarters it is predicted that the Labor party will become the great Democratic party of England. The fact that labor felt its strength in this election is bound to give impetus to the movement in the future, especially as John Burns, the Labor party leader, has been prominently seated in the Cabinet. Mr. Burns is generally conceded, is certain to reflect credit upon his position and supporters, notwithstanding the violent attacks made upon him by the adherents of the aristocratic regime and the jealousy of a certain element among the Laborites.

Some 27 members of the Labor party belong to what is known as "Labor representatives." They are pledged to disregard the party whips of either side and to vote in accordance with the wishes of their constituents. So long as they follow instructions, they are paid \$1000 each year by the Labor representative committee. The other Labor members, who are unemployed, will probably stand by the Liberal side through thick and thin, and on labor questions will have the support of some 20 or 30 of the more radical Laborites.

Balfour Will Aid Chamberlain.
Mr. Chamberlain, in a speech this week, nailed the colors of protection to the mast, and this, with the fact that Mr. Balfour has accepted a seat for the City of London, an essentially tariff reform seat, makes it almost certain that Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain in the future will work hand and glove for tariff reform. It is pointed out that the tariff reform movement in this election has not been without its victories. The Chamberlainites are drawing much consolation from the fact that in several places Unionist Laborites were elected by members of the Chamberlain group. Mr. Chamberlain claims 100 Unionists, 40 Laborites and 84 Nationalists on the question of protection.

One thing is certain, the Laborites will take a leading part at the coming session of Parliament.

sions of Parliament, though it is impossible that active opposition tactics will develop during the first session.

The Nationalists, who expected to hold the balance of power, are somewhat disappointed, but political prophets do not hesitate to say that home rule for Ireland in a modified form is actually in sight, asserting that it is logical to conclude, after Campbell-Bannerman's pledge relative to the management of Irish domestic affairs for Ireland, that the experiment of an Irish Parliament subsidiary to the Imperial Parliament will be tried within the next two years.

GOOD GOVERNMENT FOR COREA

Morgan Says Japan Will Protect Foreign Investors.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—Edwin Morgan, former United States Minister to Korea, who arrived here from the Orient en route to Cuba, as Minister to the republic, in an interview on Korean affairs, said:

"When I left Tokio Marquis Ito, the newly appointed Governor-General, was preparing to start for Seoul. He is in no sense a military governor.

"The people have feared that Korea was to be placed under harsh military government. The contrary is the case. Korea will have a better government than it has ever had, and I think the future of the country is very bright.

"In going over the foreign relations of Korea, Japan gave assurance to all of the treaty powers that existing foreign treaties would not be disturbed. This means that American interests in Korea will not be affected, and that American enterprise will continue to find a profitable field of activity in the country.

"American goods find a big market there, and mining enterprises conducted by Americans are being successfully worked."

TENNESSEE TAKES ACTION

CALLS IN INSURANCE COMPANIES TO GET BACK FUNDS.

Commissioner Folk Announces Campaign Contributions and Will Enforce Constitution by Officers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Insurance Commissioner R. E. Folk, of Tennessee, who has been in New York for the past week conferring with the New York legislative insurance investigating committee, issued a statement today relative to a new dispatch from Nashville, Tenn., in which a number of insurance companies were erroneously mentioned in connection with contributions to campaign funds and the influencing of legislation. The companies named in error, said Mr. Folk, were the Germania Life, the Massachusetts Mutual Life, the United States Life and the Union Central Life. Mr. Folk said:

The companies which have admitted contributing to campaign funds are as follows: The Mutual Life of New York, an aggregate of \$60,000 to the Republican National campaign committee of the organizations of 1896, 1900 and 1904, and \$200 in 1904 to the Republican Congressional committee; the Prudential, \$25,000 to the Republican committee for the last three National campaigns; the Penn Mutual, \$10,000, in 1896; the Metropolitan, \$500; the Aetna, \$1000 in the three campaigns; and the Provident Savings, \$500 in 1900, all to the Republican National campaign. The Home Life admitted a contribution of \$1000 in 1896 for the distribution of literature in defense of the gold standard. At least two other companies, the Equitable Life Assurance Society and the New York Life Insurance Company have contributed to campaign funds.

Tennessee is making an investigation into the affairs of the New York Life Insurance Company, in connection with the States of Wisconsin, Kentucky and Nebraska.

With reference to campaign contributions, it is the opinion of the Insurance Commission of Tennessee that prompt steps be taken to secure restitution of these funds already diverted from the treasuries of these companies by the officers responsible for this diversion of funds. To this effect I wrote on January 17 to the several companies notifying them that it is essential for them that they comply with this ruling and put themselves within the law.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Miners and Operators Disagree on Wage Scale.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 27.—Two joint conferences between bituminous coal operators and miners opened today. The joint conference of the central competitive field with 200 miners and operators met at 10 o'clock in the Tomlinson Hall, and at the same hour in Masonic Hall the operators and miners of the Southwestern district met, with 25 present.

On a roll call on the adoption of the demands made by the miners at their convention just concluded, the motion was lost by strict party vote between the operators and miners.

The miners of the Southwestern competitive field, made up of Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas, met in joint conference at Masonic Hall. The greater part of the opening session was devoted to perfecting an organization.

On motion of President F. L. Robbins, of the operators, the entire subject of a wage scale and the other demands of the miners was referred to the joint scale committee. The conference adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman, which will probably be Wednesday.

The conference between the miners and operators of the Southwestern district adjourned until Monday morning after selecting a scale committee.

PRINTERS' UNION ENJOINED

Forbidden to Speak or Write to Non-union Men.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Eleven of the largest printing firms of the city, members of the Typographical union, secured a sweeping restraining order from Judge Sears enjoining all members of the Typographical Union from interfering in any way with the business of their employers. The printers are forbidden to try to induce the non-union men to quit their jobs, either by conversing or writing to them, and are also enjoined from trying to divert business from the Typographical firm to other houses. The matter will come up for hearing February 7.

Employers say that the order is due to the fact that several nonunion men have recently been assaulted. The union disclaims all responsibility for these assaults.



\$20 to \$15 Tan Kersey Coats \$7.75

Ladies' tan Coats, half and three-quarter lengths, kersey and covert cloth. All this season's best styles in a variety of effects. Satin lined, representing this season's best sellers. Regular \$20.00 to \$15.00 at **\$7.75**.

\$3.50 Ladies' Sweaters \$2.82
Ladies' Sweaters in red and white, blouse style, full sleeve. Regular \$2.25; reduced to **\$2.82**.

\$18.50 Silk Petticoats \$10.75
Ladies' Silk Petticoats, extra quality taffeta, newest up-to-date styles in black and colors. Regular \$12.50; reduced to **\$10.75**.

\$10.00 Circular Capes \$4.95
Ladies' black Circular Capes, made of cheviot and kersey, medium weight, suitable for present and Spring wear. All this season's staple styles.

\$4.25 Walking Skirts \$2.69

25 Walking Skirts of fine Melton cloth in navy and gray; tailor-made; strapped and trimmed with buttons.

\$15 Tailor-Made Suits \$6.75
Cheviot tailor-made Suits, navy and black, regulation jacket, collarless; velvet, button and braid trimmed, 9-gore skirt, falling in plait below knee.

New Spring Waists

\$2.75 Lingerie Waists \$1.98
White Lingerie Waists tucked yoke, rich embroidered front, newest effect lace collar, full sleeves.

\$1.50 Lingerie Waists \$1.19
White Lingerie Tailored Lawn Waists, wide tucks, button back, new sleeves.

EXTRA!

\$25 and \$30

Newest Tailor-Made Suits

at \$15.00 Each

Newest up-to-date styles. Newest fabrics and trimmings.

50 new suits to choose from. The most pronounced suit bargain of the season, as the styles, cut and fabrics are the newest and most up-to-date. Sale commences at 8 o'clock sharp Monday morning.

\$4.50 and \$3.75 Corsets at \$2.75

Assortment of lines and sizes La Vida Corsets in black and fancy, \$5.50 to \$8 Corsets **\$3.75**
W. B., C. B., Nemo La Vida, Smart Set
The great group of finest Corsets made by the most up-to-date manufacturers in the world. We can fit every figure. Every Corset reduced in price during this clearance sale.



Infants' 65c and 50c Shoes 35c

Infants' soft-soled Shoes, canvas, canvas with patent kid, button, ribbon trimmed.

Children's Flannelette Dresses, pink and blue check, French yoke, sizes 1 to 4 years; regular 65c and 50c, reduced to.....**29c**

An assortment of slightly soiled infants' Long and Short Slips and Skirts at Half Price.

\$1.75 to 65c Infants' Caps 25c

An assortment of Infants' Colored and cream Silk Caps and Bonnets.

Millinery Bargains

\$5.00 Fall Trimmed Hats . . . \$1.50

\$2.50 Ready-to-Wear Hats . . . 49c

Ready-to-Wear Hats Reduced to 29c

Children's Dress Hats Reduced to 22c

Children's School Hats Reduced to 15c

Velvet Shapes Reduced to \$1.49

Silk and Braid Hats Reduced to 98c

\$4.50 Fancy Braid and Chiffon

Shapes \$2.29

Men's Hosiery and Underwear Bargains

Men's natural Merino Shirts and Drawers, medium weight; these goods are fully 75 per cent of wool and are well made, reduced to.....**73c**

Men's heavy natural Merino Shirts and Drawers, spec. value; reduced to ea. **63c**

Men's Derby ribbed Merino Shirts and Drawers in natural, blue or flesh colors; special, to close, each.....**63c**

Men's Merino Socks in tan or natural wool, heavy Winter weight, pair **21c**

Men's Golf Shirts in a great variety of colorings, these goods are made specially for us and are perfect in fit and workmanship; reduced to, each.....**73c**

Men's stiff bosom Shirts in neat stripes and figures and a large variety to select from; reduced to.....**89c**

\$1.75-\$2.50 Upholstery Materials 98c

Upholstery and Drapery Materials in a variety of designs and colorings; real values \$1.75 to \$2.50, at.....**98c**

Great Lace Curtain Bargains

Nottingham, Cable Net, Brussels Net, Corded Arabian and Scotch Lace Renaissance, Irish Point Lace Curtains:

\$1.50 Lace Curtains at.....**\$1.13**
\$2.00 Lace Curtains at.....**\$1.48**
\$2.50 Lace Curtains at.....**\$1.89**
\$3.00 Lace Curtains at.....**\$2.33**
\$3.50 Lace Curtains at.....**\$2.68**
\$4.00 Lace Curtains at.....**\$3.15**
\$4.50 Lace Curtains at.....**\$3.59**
\$5.00 Lace Curtains at.....**\$3.99**
\$6.00 Lace Curtains at.....**\$4.79**
\$7.50 Lace Curtains at.....**\$5.79**
\$10.00 Lace Curtains at.....**\$7.59**

Couch-Cover Bargains

Heavy, reversible Oriental Couch Covers in a large variety of patterns, in any color combination desired; full 60 inches wide, 3 yards long.

\$2.00 Couch Covers at.....**\$1.59**
\$2.50 Couch Covers at.....**\$1.98**
\$3.00 Couch Covers at.....**\$2.68**
\$4.00 Couch Covers at.....**\$3.15**
\$5.00 Couch Covers at.....**\$3.59**
\$6.00 Couch Covers at.....**\$4.39**
\$7.50 Couch Covers at.....**\$5.79**
\$10.00 Couch Covers at.....**\$7.59**

25c Damask Towels 17c

18x36 Hemstitched Damask Towels, guaranteed all linen.

56-inch unbleached Table Linen, all new patterns; regular 60c at.....**42c**

5 1/2 all-linen Table Napkins, heavy quality, assorted patterns; reg. \$1.50 at **98c**

Best Grade Oil Cloth 17c

Five quarter Oilcloth for table covers—wood colors and plain white.

15-inch shelf Oilcloth reduced to.....**9c**

20c School Stockings 12 1/2c

Boys' heavy-weight ribbed cotton school Stockings, double heels and toes; 20c quality.....**12 1/2c**

Misses' fine-grade ribbed cotton Stockings, double heels, toes and knees; 30c quality reduced to.....**19c**

Ladies' fine-grade ribbed black wool Hose, double heels and toes and regular make; 30c quality.....**18c**

Ladies' fine-grade black cashmere Stockings, merino heels and toes; 50c quality, reduced to.....**\$4.50**

Coming, New Department--Complete Drug Store

Just as fast as we can install it, in charge of a Registered Druggist, Mr. L. Millhollen. It is the result of hundreds of requests from city trade—tired of inferior drugs—tired of being urged to take substitutes—tired of home-made remedies. Within a very short time we will place on sale **The Most Complete Stock of Patent Medicines** carried in Portland—together with a most complete Drug Stock. It is our aim to give you **Just What You Ask For—"The Best Drugs at the Cheapest Prices."** We offer for tomorrow:

Epsom Salts; special, package.....**3c**
Rochelle Salts; special, package.....**8c**
Bicarboante of Soda; spec. pkg.....**4c**
Flaxseed; special, package.....**3c**
Boric Acid; special, package.....**10c**
Salts of Tartar; special, package.....**4c**
Essence of Peppermint, special.....**18c**
Camphorated Oil, special.....**12c**
Dickinson's Witch Hazel, special.....**17c**
Rose Water, special.....**6c**
Glycerine, special.....**6c**
Rose Water and Glycerine.....**12c**
Tincture of Arnica, special.....**8c**
Colloidal, special.....**12c**
100 Compound and Cathartic Pills.....**19c**
100 Gelatin-coated Bland's Pills.....**19c**
2-grain Quinine Pills, special.....**28c**
Bottle 3-grain Lithia Tablets, spec. **12c**

500 Pairs of Rubber Gloves, Best Quality, Guaranteed, Special at 39c Pair

Bulb Syringe, in box; regular price 38c, special sale price.....**19c**
Marvel Whirling Spray Syringe; regular price \$3.50, special price.....**\$2.38**

SALE OF FINE BUFFERS

An assortment of very fine quality Buffers in Fox and Olive Wood.
Style 1—Fox and olive wood Buffers, 15c; special price.....**9c**
Style 2—Fox and olive wood Buffers, 20c; special price.....**14c**
Style 3—Fox and olive wood Buffers; regular 25c, special price.....**17c**
Style 4—Fox and olive wood Buffers; 45c quality, special.....**32c**

SALE OF FINE HAIR BRUSHES

200 fine fox and oak Hair Brushes; regular 60c, 65c and 75c, special.....**48c**
300 fine fox and oak Hair Brushes; regular 35c, 40c and 50c, special.....**25c**
500 serviceable Cloth Brushes; regular 18c, special price.....**10c**
Finest quality Bay Rum; regular 50c size, special price.....**35c**
One-pound cans Thespien Professional Cold Cream, never turns rancid. Special, per pound.....**25c**
One-pound package best Sea Salt; special, per package.....**5c**

Leather Suit Cases Reduced to \$4.50 Each

A SALE OF MEN'S SUIT CASES.

24 and 26-inch Leather Suit Cases, linen lining, shirt fold, heavy brass hooks and locks; reduced to.....**\$4.50**
24 and 26-inch Leather Suit Cases, linen lined, inside double straps, heavy leather buckle straps all around, strong brass hooks and lock, strong corners, large rivets; reduced to.....**\$4.98**

FIRST SHOWING OF NEW SPRING BELTS.

Ladies' Tinsel Belts, Elastic Belts, new Leather Belts, Linen and Lingerie Belts; prices ranging from 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to.....**\$5.00**

JEWELRY STORE

A SALE OF FINE GERMAN STEINS.

Buff-colored Steins, Blue Steins, Decorated Steins, Glass Steins, Mellock Steins, Kaiser Zinn Steins.

All 75c Steins.....**39c**
All 1.39 Steins.....**69c**
All 1.69 Steins.....**84c**
All 1.75 Steins.....**88c**
All 1.95 Steins.....**98c**
All 2.25 Steins.....**\$1.13**

All other prices to \$10.00 at **HALF PRICE.**

Music Store

The latest and biggest hit in New York, at the Hippodrome. Moon Dear—it's immense. Here are some big hits from the New York shows:

Water, College Life, Just a Little Rocking Chair and You, Lazy, When You Gathered Sweet Magnolias, Jenny, Dear.