Extraordinary Silk Offerings

Fancy Suit and Waisting Silks, our regular $1.25, $1.35, $1.50 and $2.00 Lines, for this sale at..... **95c**

MONDAY—TWO DAYS ONLY AT THIS PRICE—TUESDAY

This is easily the most important silk sale that has been advertised this season. Indeed, we think so well of the offerings, that should there be any left Tuesday night they will be taken off the bargain tables and put into regular stock. Values are exactly as above; all are imported silks of a high order, the styles are positively the best shown this season. Fancy Swiss Messalines, Printed Warp Louisines and Taffetas, heavy Punjab Fancies, with satin stripes and overplaids, fancy Chevron Striped Messalines, double Warp Persian Fancies, heavy Satin Striped Taffetas, beautiful Persian Fancies, Pompadour Silks, in both light and dark colors, Novelty Jacquards and Taffetas in elaborate and exclusive designs. Don't miss this rare opportunity to buy the best $1.25, $1.35, $1.50 and $2.00 silks at **95¢** a yard. Tuesday will be the last day.

85c PLAIN COLORED TAFFETAS AT 62¢.

19-inch Swiss Taffetas, shown in every wanted plain shade, made of the purest of silk fiber; a beautiful, high-finished, lustrous silk that is warranted to wear; silks that have always sold at 85c yard. Special Clearance Sale Price.....**62¢**

Great Shoe Bargains

OUR REGULAR LINES AT REDUCED PRICES.

Our Great Clearance Sale of Shoes offers many excellent opportunities to procure a full season's supply at a big saving. The following prices hint of the saving only. To really appreciate the bargains you must see the shoes themselves. It's a wonderful sale:

Men's Shoes, all kinds, in good styles, all sizes and widths, $2.50 and $3 values, at **$1.50**

Men's Shoes, in all leathers and styles, best $3.50 values, on sale at...**$2.67**

Men's high-cut Shoes of tan calfskin, with viscolized soles, $6 kind...**$4.00**

Boys' Shoes, made solid all through, sizes 9 to 13½, $1.50 values, at .....**99¢**

Boys' Shoes in box calf and vici kid, sizes 1 to 5½, regular $2.50 values, at **$1.69**

Women's Shoes in all leathers and sizes, reg. $2.50 val.**$1.50**

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GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

The Greatest Event of Its Kind Ever Organized by This Store

THE LAST OF OUR WINTER STOCKS—Surplus lots, odds and ends, remnants and broken assortments—must go. We've gathered them, grouped them and marked them for a quick clearance. It only remains for you to come and get your share of these remarkable bargains, bargains such as you have never seen equaled before. Everything is now in readiness for the fourth week of this great event. The various lots are conveniently assembled, making it an easy matter for you to thoroughly inspect them, even though the store will be crowded with bargain-seekers. Don't delay; be here as often as possible this week and benefit by the great price reductions.

Our January Sale of Fine Undermuslins

The great buying public of this city realizes the strength of this remarkable annual event in undermuslins. This year we surpass all previous efforts in the attainment of extraordinary value-giving. The unusual range in varieties suggests the advisability of providing for the future as well as immediate use.

TWO-PIECE COMBINATION GARMENTS AT $1.15.

An excellent showing of women's Combination Drawers and Corset Cover or Skirt and Corset Cover. These garments are made of extra quality nainsook and trimmed with French Val. lace insertions and embroidery medallions; all are well made and finished. Values to $2.00, Clearance Sale Price.....**$1.15**

WOMEN'S SKIRTS AT $1.58.

An extra fine showing of women's Skirts, made of excellent quality cambric, with deep flounce of fine embroidery, with insertion to match; other styles with rows of fine French Val. lace insertion and ruffle. These skirts are made full width and finished with cambric underpiece and dust ruffle. Regular values to $2.50, Clearance Price..**$1.58**

WOMEN'S MUSLIN GOWNS AT 89¢.

A line of women's Gowns, made of extra fine quality cambric, nainsook or muslin; they come in the high, square or V-shaped neck, also a line in the low-neck, slip-over style. These gowns are neatly trimmed with dainty embroidery, laces and ribbons, and are full length and generous width. Regular $1.25 and $1.50 values, Clearance Sale Price.....**89¢**

SHORT CHEMISE AT 68¢.

A nice line of women's short Chemise, made of fine quality cambric or nainsook, trimmed with embroidery, lace insertions and beadings; all are extra well finished and trimmed. Regular $1.00 values, Clearance Sale Price.....**68¢**

R. & G. CORSETS AT 89¢.

A showing of the very latest models of R. & G. Corsets, made of fine quality coutil or batiste, trimmed with lace; they come in the short or deep hip, with high, low or medium bust; these corsets are boned with rustproof steels, and are well guaranteed; all sizes from 18 to 30. Regular $1.25 values, Special Clearance Sale Price .....**89¢**

SOME CONVINCING ILLUSTRATIONS OF THE SUPERIORITY OF

Our Cloaks and Suits

These are indeed striking and convincing illustrations of the superiority of our Cloaks and Suits—a superiority that manifests itself from every viewpoint. The prices may not indicate as radical reductions as some others you see on paper, but actual comparison will find them superior in every respect. No inflated values here—merely the regular selling prices at legitimate Annual Clearance Sale reductions. This principle of doing business has won for us the confidence of the public, which we appreciate and are everlastingly striving to retain.

WOMEN'S SUITS $19.50.

Suits of broadcloth, fancy worsteds, chiffon panamas and other materials; all plain colors and fancy stripes; coats are medium and long, semi and tight-fitting; skirts pleated or gored, with and without fold. We will not speak of their fine points, but will leave that to your own good judgment. Regular $25.00 Suits, Clearance Sale Price...**$19.50**

MISSES' SUITS $15.00.

These are not extreme styles, but snappy, up-to-date Suits in styles of a happy medium character, plain, fancy worsted and chevrons are used in their manufacture, chiefly plainly tailored effects. $19.50 values, Clearance Sale Price **$15.00**

EMPIRE COATS OF KERSEY $9.50.

The newest styles in long Coats, the empire effect, in fine kersey cloth; colors are black, brown, navy, dark green and red. A Winter garment that will afford warmth. Plain effects or finished with velvet and braid trimmings. $13.50 values, Clearance Sale Price.....**$9.50**

VOILE WALKING SKIRTS.

Voile Skirts in attractive styles, pleated and gored effects, with or without fold and trimmings of satin and taffeta. $5.50 and $6.50 values, Clearance Sale Price.....**$3.98**

WAISTS OF MOHAIR $1.00.

Waists of this most durable material, in black, red, green and brown, warranted to hold their shape and wash beautifully; pleated and tucked effects. $1.50 and $2.50 values, Clearance Sale Price **$1.00**

Mid-Winter Sale Beautiful New Embroideries

EMBROIDERIES WORTH 30c, 35c AND 40c A YARD, **18¢**

18-inch Corset Cover and Flouncing Embroidery in a large variety of patterns in this lot; embroidered on best grade nainsook and cambric; fresh, new goods. Extra values.

EMBROIDERIES WORTH 20c, 25c AND 30c A YARD **12½¢**

1½ to 8-inch Baby Set and Flouncing Embroideries, with insertion to match; embroidered on best grade nainsook, swiss and cambric. Bargain at.....

EMBROIDERIES WORTH 60c, 75c AND $1 A YARD, **33¢**

8 to 18-inch St. Gall, Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries in this lot; also insertions to match; they come direct from the mill, at factory prices; dainty and elaborate patterns. Easily the best ever shown at.....

EMBROIDERIES WORTH $1.25, $1.50 AND $2 A YARD, **65¢**

Beautiful Embroideries in this lot, at less than one-half the regular price. 27 inches wide, and shown in the newest and prettiest styles.

EMBROIDERIES WORTH 40c, 45c AND 50c A YARD, **27¢**

18-inch Corset Cover and Flouncing Embroideries in a great variety of patterns, to be sold at greatly reduced prices. Your choice at.....

EMBROIDERIES WORTH $1.25, $1.50 AND $2 YARD, **69¢**

Fine Swiss Allovers and Waistings, shown in the very newest effects and designs, full 24 inches wide, all at.....

EMBROIDERIES WORTH $2, $2.50 AND $3.50 YARD, **95¢**

24 to 30-inch shirtwaist, panel front or allover Embroideries, in all the new St. Gall patterns, worked on best grade swiss and chiffon cloth. Extraordinary bargain at.

Great Clearance Sale of House Furnishings

$1.75 TABLECLOTHS $1.35.

Fine bordered Tablecloths of silver bleached linen, full 60 in. wide and 81 inches long; shown in neat, new designs. Regular $1.75 values, on sale at.....**$1.35**

35c BATH TOWELS 25¢.

Heavy bleached Bath Towels of extra quality, 24x48 inches, very absorbent and neatly fringed. Our best 35c line, Clearance Sale Price .....**25¢**

50c SHEETS AT 36¢.

A sale of about 150 dozen full bleached Sheets, made of excellent quality muslin, good size, 72x90 inches. Regular 50c values, Clearance Sale Price .....**36¢**

Bleached Sheets, made of extra heavy round-thread muslin, of full width, no seams in center; they are 81x90 inches. Real 80c values, Clearance Sale Price .....**67¢**

$1.25 BEDSPREADS 98¢.

A special sale of white Bedspreads, made full size for double beds, shown in neat and desirable patterns. Our regular $1.25 line, Clearance Sale Price .....**98¢**

10c HUCK TOWELS 7¢.

White Huck Towels of good quality, 16x22 inches, hemmed, and finished with selvedge edge and fast-colored borders. Our regular 10c line, on sale at **75¢** dozen, or, each.....**7¢**

$1.50 BEDSPREADS $1.25.

Extra heavy white Bedspreads, full double size, shown in pretty Marseilles designs; excellent wearing spreads, neatly hemmed. Our regular $1.50 line, Clearance Sale Price.....**$1.25**

Full bleached Bath Towels of extra quality, 20x40 inches; they come in two kinds, fringed and hemmed. Extra good values at 20c, priced for this sale at **$1.00** dozen, or, each...**17¢**

HARGIS ON SPREE

Accused Parricide Badly Shot in Foot.

WOUND IS SELF-INFLICTED

While Drunk Prisoner Visits His Relatives and Amuses Himself by Shooting the Dishes From Shelves.

JACKSON, Ky., Jan. 23.—Beach Hargis, who is out of jail on bonds of $25,000, pending trial for the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis, is in bed at the Hargis home near here with a dangerous self-inflicted wound in his foot.

Hargis yesterday began drinking heavily and located his relatives at Clear Fork on Frozen Creek. There he entered the home of Harlan Smith, and after driving the family from the house, amused himself for sometime by shooting the dishes off the dining table. Neighbors who attempted to quiet Hargis were driven upstairs in the Smith home, but managed to get word to countrymen going by to send help from Jackson.

Officers were sent, and late last night returned with Hargis, who was found with some of his friends, who said he had shot himself through the foot. The attending physicians say the wound is dangerous.

DECLARE UNION FOREIGN

Laborers Held on Contract Charge Allowed to Enter.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—By virtue of an important decision affecting the diamond-cutting and polishing industry of this country rendered by the Department of Commerce and Labor yesterday, eight Belgian diamond-cutters whom the Diamond Workers' Protective Union of America succeeded in having detained at Ellis Island, on the charge that they had been brought to this country in violation of the contract labor law are allowed to enter the United States. The decision holds that the Diamond Workers' Union of this country is "un-American in character," in that it is composed almost exclusively of foreigners, and their stringent rules practically prohibit Americans from becoming members by limiting the number of apprentices that can be taken into the trade to 10 per cent of their total membership.

DESPERADOES IN LONDON

Italian Robbers Slain After Killing Three, Wounding 20 Persons.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Five persons are dead and more than 20 others are in hospitals at Walthamstow, a suburb, as the result of a sensational attempt made today by two Italians at highway robbery. The Italians were run down and surrounded by a posse, and finally committed suicide. Three other victims, including a policeman and a young boy, lie dead. Two policemen and three boys are among the wounded.

The Italians had been employed in a rubber factory, but, having been discharged, they planned to revenge themselves on their employers. They lay in wait near the factory, and seized a bag of money containing the week's pay of all the hands. They then started on a mad dash down the street.

The police were summoned and started in pursuit in a motor car. As they approached the Italians, the robbers opened fire with automatic pistols on their pursuers.

A number of men and boys on the street were shot down.

The Italians kept ahead of the automobile until they came up with a trolley car. This they boarded and forced the driver to throw on full speed. The car went thundering down the track, with the police automobile in pursuit.

Near Tottenham Marsh, the Italians made the motorman slow down and jumped from the car. They sought a position in the marshes for their last stand.

By this time the police had been joined by several hundred laboring men. Together the pursuers advanced upon the robbers, the police in the van. The Italians were hard pressed. They saw their position was hopeless, and after the exchange of a few shots, they turned their weapons upon themselves and committed suicide.

EXPRESS TRAINS CRASH

Fog Causes Fatal Wreck on Pennsylvania Road.

ALTOONA, Pa., Jan. 23.—In an impenetrable fog the second section of the St. Louis Express, westbound, which left Philadelphia at 4:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon, crashed into the first section at Summerhill, 25 miles west of this city, at 12:30 this morning, killing three persons and injuring 12, one probably fatally.

The list of killed and injured follows:

S. L. TAYLOR, Brooklyn, employed by Charles E. Ring, broker, of New York.

M. J. KELLY, a Pullman car conductor, Jersey City.

CHARLES COLEMAN, colored, a Pullman porter, Philadelphia.

Injured:

W. J. Johnson, Second and McKinnon streets, Cincinnati.

Mrs. Adam Rankin, 214 Green street, Anderson, Ky.

W. D. Kissell, fireman, Pittsburg.

Four mail clerks, not seriously.

Those killed, as well as Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Rankin, were all on the sleeper, which was at the end of the first section.

As soon as news of the wreck reached the city a special train was hurried to the scene, carrying railroad officials and all the available physicians who could be hurriedly summoned to the railroad station here. A request was also sent to Johnstown, Pa., for physicians, and a special train was rushed to the scene of the wreck. The first reports of the accident stated that many were killed, and many injured. These exaggerated reports were in circulation till the relief train returned. The first section of the train had been stopped by a freight that was proceeding slowly, and the fog was so dense that the second section crashed into the first. When the wreck occurred nearly all the passengers were in their berths asleep or dozing in their seats. The greatest excitement prevailed. The impact put out all the lights, and the passengers rushed wildly from the wrecked coaches crying for assistance. The point at which the accident occurred is some distance from a telegraph station, and it was several minutes before the railroad people here or in Johnstown knew of the accident.

Fireman Kissel is the only one of those injured who is thought to be in a serious condition. Wrecking crews were hurried to the scene of the accident, and the tracks will be cleared for traffic, officials here state, by daybreak.

Six full pages, new pictures of the earthquake in Sicily, in Collier's, January 23. All news-stands. **

TAFT STARTS TRIP

President-elect at Charleston on Way to Panama.

BIG CRUISER AWAITS HIM

While Waiting Departure to Isthmus, Next Executive Is Entertained by Golf and at Dinner.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 23.—Without possum on the bill of fare, without official pomp or ceremony, Charleston is entertaining the President-elect with Southern hospitality. Charleston is doubly pleased, for not only is Mr. Taft her guest for two days, but the big cruiser North Carolina has demonstrated that there is at least "thirty feet of water over the bar," and is lying at anchor within a stone's throw of the docks, ready for sailing Monday, when the President-elect and his party embark for Panama.

He will be met tomorrow by Mrs. Taft, who will go with him to Panama. Senator Knox and Frank Hitchcock will also meet him there for a conference on Cabinet and other matters pertaining to the new administration.

The Montana, a sister ship, will arrive tomorrow, and is ordered also to enter the harbor.

While Mr. Taft is provided with entertainment without interim, the chief feature of his visit was a banquet tonight, when his hosts were 175 of "his friends in Charleston." The programme called for no speech by Mr. Taft.

The President-elect reached Charleston shortly after noon, stopping at Magnolia for luncheon and a golf game at the Country Club. It was dark when he reached his quarters in the Charleston Hotel. At 7 o'clock he was receiving his dinner here.

TROOPS TO STOP BETTING

Louisiana Governor Ready to Adopt Extremes Against Sport.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 23.—Race horse men who were confident of an early favorable settlement of their case in the Jefferson Paris. Courts, were surprised today to find that Governor Sanders and Adjutant-General Stafford had come to New Orleans from Baton Rouge during the night.

The Governor declined to make any statement. Those close to him, however, say that, if the races and the betting, which were temporarily suspended yesterday, start again, the Governor will order the Adjutant-General to send state troops to stop the sport.

FIGHT TO CENTER IN SENATE

Betting Men to Contest Anti-Race-track Bill.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 23.—The Walker-Otis anti-race track bill, which has passed the lower house, has gone to the Senate, which has adjourned until Monday, and no action will be taken by that body until later in the week. No organized fight was made by the opponents of the bill in the Assembly, where its passage was virtually conceded. A determined effort to defeat the measure will be made in the Senate, however, and from present indications the contest will be bitterly fought by both sides. Should the bill pass the Senate and go to the Governor, it is understood that he will sign it.

WANTS HEARST'S PAPERS

Haskell Asks Inventory for Use in Libel Suit.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Jan. 23.—Attorneys for Governor Haskell today applied to the Supreme Court for a peremptory writ of certiorari requiring Sheriff Mahoney, of Logan County, to render an inventory of the papers seized from Scott McReynolds, special agent of William R. Hearst in the matter of the $600,000 Haskell libel suit. The court refused to pass on the application until the County Court had determined the legality of the seizure.

In connection with the statement of Mr. Haskell quoting the affidavit of Editor Russell, of the Shawnee Herald, that M. L. Mott, of Muskogee, had said he was unable to find evidence to connect Mr. Haskell with the Creek townlot frauds, Mr. McReynolds tonight issued a statement to the Associated Press, in which he denied that Mr. Mott had ever made any such statement to him.

MINERS WANT MORE PAY

Not Satisfied With Present Compromise Wage Scale.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 23.—The United Mineworkers today appointed a special committee to confer with the anthracite operators regarding a wage scale. The present scale was made by a commission that grew out of a recommendation made by President Roosevelt some years ago and expires April 1.

The appointment of the special committee places the 300,000 organized miners of the anthracite and bituminous fields behind the demands that will be made of the operators.

GLORIFIES ROUGH RIDER

Lawyer Waves Flag Over "Hero" Accused of Murder.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 23.—A dramatic scene was enacted in the Criminal Court here this afternoon when an attorney defending Captain Richard Madison, a former "Rough Rider," on trial charged with murder, pulled a flag from his pocket, and, waving it above the prisoner's head, told of Madison's war record and of his bravery in climbing San Juan Hill.

Sues Manila Paper.

MANILA, Jan. 23.—Dean Worcester, of the Philippine Commission, has brought suit against El Remacimiente, the leading organ of the Filipino Nationalist party, for $50,000, charging the paper with libel. Some time ago Worcester caused the arrest of the managing editor and three other members of the staff on warrants charging them with criminal libel. The commissioner affirmed at that time in his complaint that he had been assailed politically and personally and professionally by articles appearing in the paper, and that his personal character has also been the object of libelous utterances. The criminal cases are still pending.

Jeanette Knocks Out Taylor.

PARIS, Jan. 23.—Joe Jeanette, of Amerfot, tonight knocked out Ben Taylor, of England, in the third round.

KAISER BECOMES MODEST

W. HOHENZOLLERN DROPS HIS PRESS AGENT.

Daily News of Court Hereafter to Be Given Out but Twice a Week.

BERLIN, Jan. 23.—Emperor William, who ordered considerable curtailment of the daily court circular after popular excitement had been caused following the appearance of the now famous interview with him published in the London Daily Telegraph, has now decided to signalize his 50th birthday by abolishing the daily court reporter altogether. This paper has hitherto been given to a semi-official press bureau for distribution to the newspapers hereafter, however, instead of the circular there will appear a brief summary of the Emperor's official activity. This will be published bi-weekly in the Reichsanzeiger.

His Majesty's decision, it is said, is the result of recent press criticisms of his reading a magazine article to the commanding generals on January 2. His Majesty expresses the hope that editors will respect his wishes in the matter and confines themselves to reporting on the Reichsanzeiger summary.

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Calcium Sulphide is not a poison. It is harmless, though greatly powerful.

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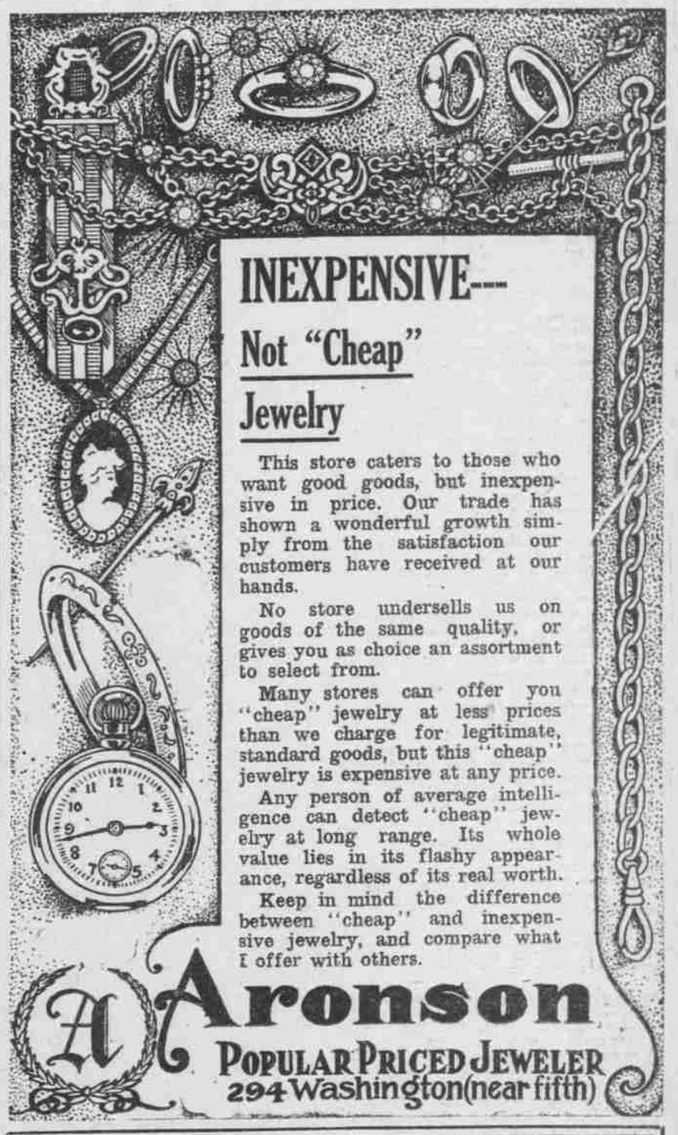
No matter what degree of eruptive skin trouble you may have, Stuart's Calcium Wafers will purify and enrich the blood. These little wafers go into the stomach just like the skin impurities get in. They tone up this organ, enter the intestines, are absorbed by the lacteals and lymphatics, are drawn into the blood, course quickly to every organ and atom of the body, and remove secretions and decay. The lungs are assisted, the liver is aided, the stomach reinforced, and skin diseases are assailed from their source. All retreat, for disease is cut off from the rear, and very quickly nature routs the effects of such maladies which appear in the form of pimples, eruptions, blackheads and scaly formations.

You have science backed up by years of actual proof when you take a Stuart Calcium Wafer. Not a mere feeble effort at relief, but a remedy of nature that has relieved human subjects greater in number by far than the entire army of America and Canada. For chronic or temporary blood disorders and skin diseases these wafers are without an equal.

If you will go to your druggist and ask him the virtue of Calcium Sulphide his answer will confirm these statements.

Stuart's Calcium Wafers, he will also say, are the most popular and scientific method of using this wonderful ingredient. They sell for 50c per package, or send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 175 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.



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