



MARCH FURNITURE SALE

Wm. Gadsby & Sons

We place on sale over three hundred choice sample pieces of Furniture, consisting of Dining Suits, Parlor Suits, Bedroom-Suits, Odd Dressers, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables, Easy Chairs, Rockers, Settees, Sideboards and Extension Tables. Now is your opportunity to buy good furniture for less money than at any other time of the year and on easy terms. Sale commences Monday morning and continues until these sample pieces are sold.

\$35.00 RANGE FOR ONLY
\$27.50



Leader Range, with high closet and duplex grate, spring-balanced oven doors. This is a heavy, substantial and durable range, made of the best quality cold-rolled steel. Is adapted for coal or wood. Oven thoroughly braced and bolted, asbestos-lined throughout, nickel-trimmed, section plate top; Gadsbys' price \$27.50

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CUSTOMERS



\$6.75

Our complete line of collapsible Go-Carts marks the evolution of this class of vehicles to a state of unprecedented perfection.

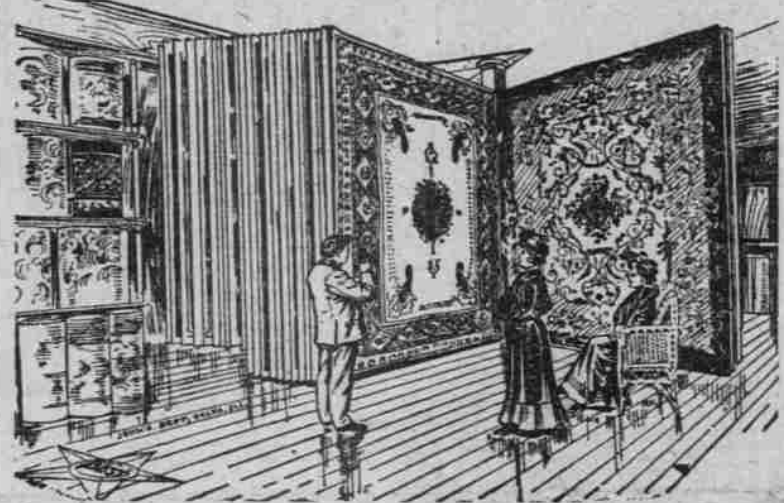
They are slightly, and mechanically correct.

Strictly one motion. Can be opened and closed with one hand.

Wheels in perfect alignment. Roomy and comfortable. Light in weight.

We Can Show You 375 Different
Patterns of Room-Size Rugs

Without Any Trouble With Our Rug Display Racks



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| Brussels Rugs, Dunlap, 9x12 | \$ 9.50 |
| Brussels, Burlington, 9x12 | \$18.00 |
| Royal Brussels Rugs, 9x12 | \$25.00 |
| Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12, guaranteed 20 years | \$27.50 |
| Bagdad Wiltons, 9x12 | \$39.75 |
| Axminster Rugs, imported, 9x12 | \$25.25 |
| Burmah Pro-Brussels, 9x12 | \$10.80 |
| Extra Quality Ingrain, 9x12 | \$ 9.75 |
- Larger and Smaller Sizes in Proportion.

\$25 SIDEBOARDS AT \$15



This handsome Sideboard, well worth \$25; Gadsbys' price, \$15

THIS DINING TABLE \$10



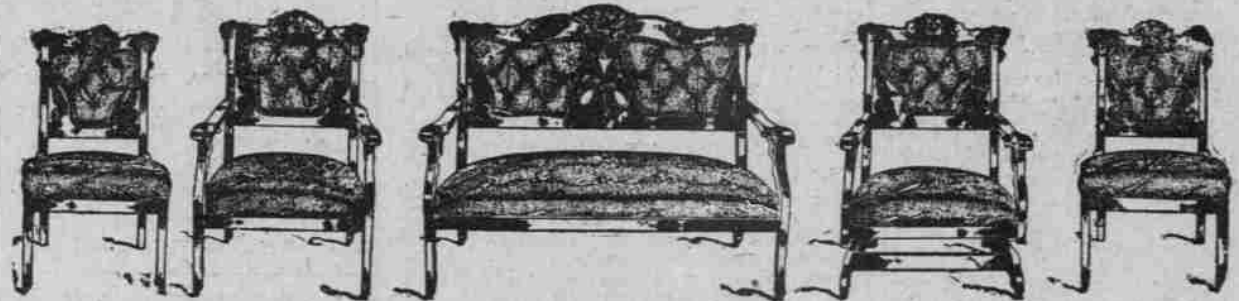
You will be asked a third more at other stores. It is made of selected wood, golden or weathered finish; 6-foot size marked at... \$10.00

THIS DRESSER FOR \$9.50



This Dresser, finished in a rich golden oak color, with French beveled-plate mirror; Gadsbys' price is... \$9.50

5-Piece Parlor Suit for \$27

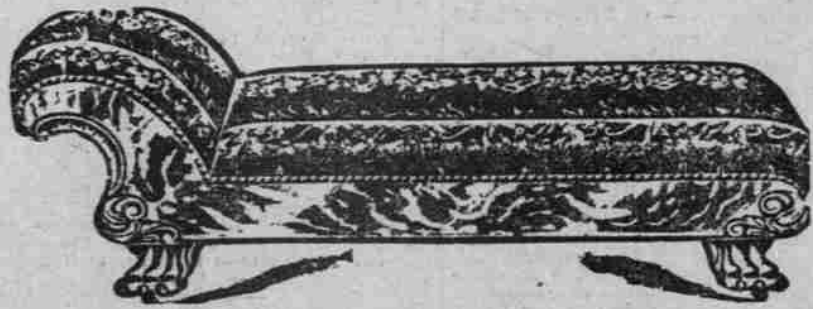


Parlor Suite, 5 pieces, beautifully finished in rich, dark mahogany, upholstered in verona, regular price \$50.00. Sale price **\$27.00**

FULL ROLL-EDGE COUCH
BARGAIN AT

\$7.50

Couch, full roll edge, upholstered in verona; reg. \$15 - Half Price \$7.50

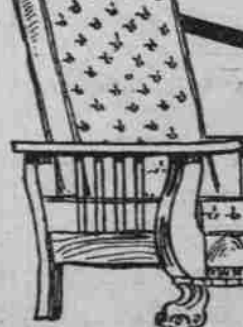


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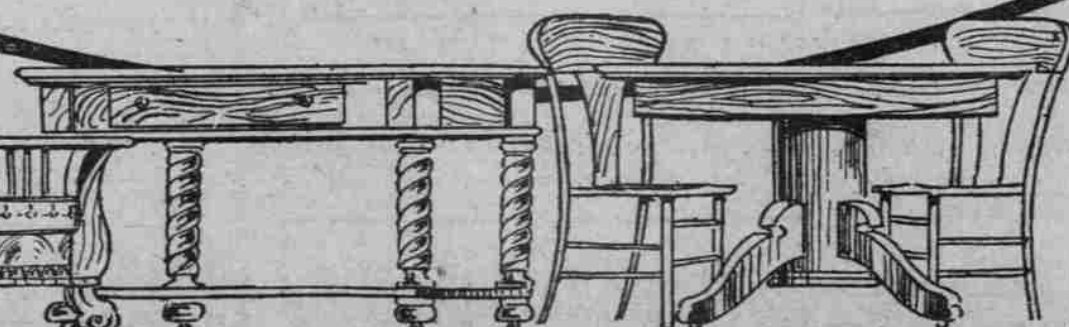
Cor. Washington and First Streets



OAK, \$12.50



\$12.50

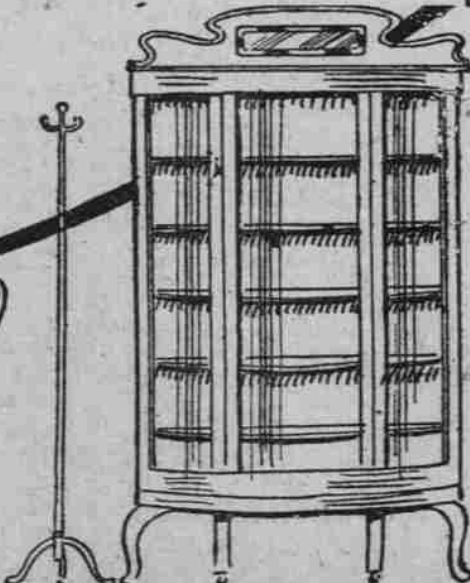


\$16.00

\$1.00

\$10.00

\$1.00



\$17.50

PINCHOT ASTOUNDS BOARD OF INQUIRY

Admission of High-Handed Policies Is Revelation to Joint Committee.

PRESS BUREAU IS COSTLY

Witness Tells of Spending Thousands of Dollars of Federal Money to Create Sentiment for Enlarging Own Service.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 12.—The testimony of Gifford Pinchot before the Congressional investigating committee was astounding in many particulars, and was a revelation to the Senators and members comprising that committee. It gave them their first insight into the bold methods pursued by the Forest Service while Pinchot was its head, and displayed to them, for the first time, the utter disregard which that bureau showed for the restraints of the law.

Pinchot was first interrogated about his press bureau. He admitted that he maintained a press bureau, which he said cost from \$6000 to \$10,000 a year. This bureau, he explained, was maintained "for instruction work through the newspapers." Asked further to explain this scheme, he said:

Public Sentiment Created.
"The Forest Service had as its principal duty or one of its principal duties, the education of this country to the necessity for forest reservations. One of our big jobs was to create a public sentiment which would support the forest work and lead to its increased spread, and the saving of the forests generally. And we got from this newspaper work—which cost something below \$10,000 a year—we got in one year our material carried in about 200,000,000 copies of newspapers. It was one of the most useful and best, and most worth-while parts of our work."

Think of it! A press bureau costing \$10,000, or thereabouts, to advertise the forest service and create sentiment, so that the bureau could be enlarged. The success of this press bureau is told in the increasing appropriations that have been made for the past six or seven years.

Mr. Pinchot also testified that he sent officials of the Forest Service about the country to lecture and to further shape public sentiment, and these trips were all paid for out of the appropriations for the protection and administration of the forest reserves. These lectures were before Y. M. C. A.'s, before women's clubs, before the Yale Law school and Yale Forestry school, and before all manner of institutions. The cost of such trips ranged all the way from \$50 to \$300 and \$400 and over.

Controller Not Consulted.
After some discussion of this publicity, or advertising business, Mr. Pinchot was asked if he had at any time consulted with the Controller of the Treasury to ascertain whether or not the money so spent was legally spent and used within the intent of the law. The Controller is supposed to pass upon all

such matters, and to him all other branches of the Government turn before expending money from general appropriations when the law does not specifically stipulate the manner in which the funds shall be used. Mr. Pinchot admitted that he had not laid these questions before the Controller.

"Of course," said he, "it would be utterly impossible for a department to do business if it had to submit every item of its work to the Controller continually for a decision. The Controller could not keep up with the game."

And yet that is what the Controller is for, and all other departments consult him freely and frequently. It was only another instance where Pinchot decided that whatever he wanted was right, and it mattered not what the law might provide.

In further defense of his expenditure of a part of the forestry appropriation for advertising and exploitation, Mr. Pinchot stated that the Secretary of Agriculture sends out officials of the good roads division to make speeches on road-building, and sends other experts to make addresses on subjects on which they are specialists, such as fruit experts, grain experts, etc., all of whom address farmers' meetings and give them the advantage of the Department's work along lines in which they are interested. Mr. Pinchot maintained that the work of his publicity men was on a par with that of the other officials of the Department of Agriculture.

But he failed utterly to draw the distinction, which is very apparent, for the experts of other bureaus were sent out to aid the farmers and to demonstrate to them the results of Government studies, all of which would help them in their business. The exploiters of the Forest Service, on the other hand, as Pinchot himself admitted, were working to "create sentiment favorable to the Forest Service, and not to help the public or the farmers. In other words, in the one instance the speeches, addresses and bulletins were intended to help those to whom they were made or sent; in the other instance, they were intended to help the bureau sending them.

Pinchot was fast building up a bureaucracy such as this Government has never known. Had he been allowed to continue unarrested, he would have accomplished his end in the near future. In view of his unwilling admissions before the investigating committee, Congress is very likely to put a stop to those practices which are so manifestly at variance with the intent of the law.

NOB HILL LOT SELLS HIGH

Corner Twenty-sixth and Marshall Brings \$18,000.

The property at the northwest corner of Marshall and Twenty-sixth street, 175x100 feet, was purchased yesterday by Wakefield-Fries & Company from the Columbia Land Company for \$18,000. This is in the heart of the exclusive Nob Hill residence district, and was bought purely as an investment. The three lots are unimproved.

Property on Union avenue, even on the far extreme of the thoroughfare, was shown to command high prices through a sale negotiated yesterday when 150x100 feet at the corner of Union avenue and Manhattan street was transferred for \$7000. Mrs. Lizzie Gill purchased this property from Mrs. Hattie Brundell, the sale being negotiated through the agency of E. Swan. The three lots are vacant and were bought by Mrs. Gill as an investment.

Northwestern People in New York.

NEW YORK, March 12.—(Special)—People from the Pacific Northwest registered at New York hotels today as follows:
Portland—Grand Union, P. Terhune; Salem, Or.—Brentlin, H. Clement; Tacoma—Grand Union, A. R. Ayre; Bremlin, J. Snyder.
Spokane—New Amsterdam, L. H. Wells.



HOME OF
JEFFRIES,
LOS ANGELES.

JEFFRIES GAINED WEALTH BY HIS TOUR OF COUNTRY

Big Pugilist Is Now Resting at His Modest Home in Los Angeles—Will Take Outing in Woods.

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—(Special)—Jim Jeffries grinned broadly as he stepped from the train at Los Angeles last week, a suitcase full of money in his hand, and greeted his wife. He has returned to his little Los Angeles cottage a rich man. After a short rest from the road it is understood he will go into the woods to get himself into condition for the big fight.



J. J. JEFFRIES,
LOS ANGELES.