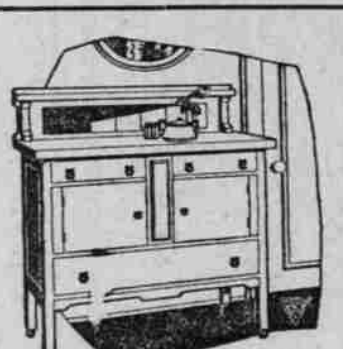




EVERY DOLLAR DOES FULL DUTY IN OUR AUGUST SALE



It starts tomorrow! Our great midsummer furniture clearance with reductions of from 20% to 50% on every article of furniture in our vast stock! This is the big outstanding event of the year—the opportunity that hundreds and hundreds of people look forward to, knowing from experience that it is a bona fide sale with genuine discounts offering the greatest savings on furniture. All those who have bought at our previous August Sales know the kind of values to expect! They know that back of this sale lie months and months of careful preparation and reductions that bring the price of furniture down to absolute bed-rock levels. They know that every dollar will do its full duty!



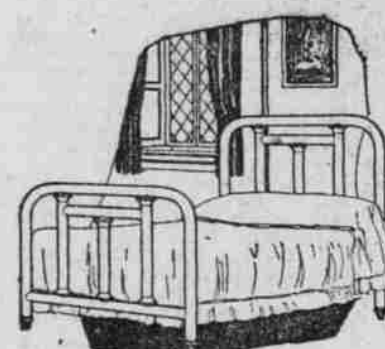
Buffets \$37.50
Here is a value from the August sale that is convincing proof that every dollar does its full duty during this great event. Extra large in size, finished in fumed oak, these buffets are most extraordinary values at this extra special price.



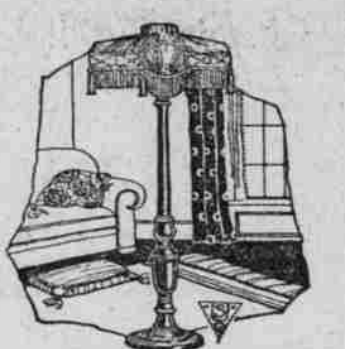
All Rugs 20% Off
This includes every floor covering in our entire stock—Axminsters, Velvet, Tapestry, Brussels, Grass and Fiber Rugs, as well as small size rugs for the living room, bedroom, etc. Your unrestricted choice of any rug, any size and quality at exactly 20 per cent less than our original low prices.



Dressers \$19.75
Just imagine buying these Handsome Ivory Dressers at so low a price as this. They have extra large mirrors, four spacious drawers and are good design and finish. Only a limited quantity tomorrow, so come early.



Brass Beds Go at 1/4 Off
You do not even need the aid of a salesman tomorrow to come in and buy a brass bed at a saving. Just choose any brass bed in our large stock and pay exactly one-fourth less than the low original price. All styles—all finishes—all sizes go tomorrow at this tremendous August discount.



All Lamps 25% Off
Just look at the savings the August Sale brings in fine lamps for the living room, parlor or hall. Every table lamp, floor lamp, bridge lamp, boudoir lamp, etc., is included in the sale at exactly one-quarter less than regular. Our original prices were low, but think of the tremendous saving with an added 25 per cent off on any lamp you may choose. Come early for first choice.



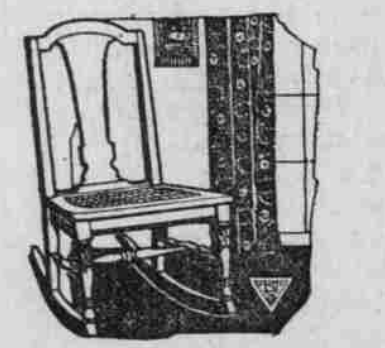
CHOICE OF ANY DINING SUITE IN OUR ENTIRE STOCK 20% Off
The ordinary August sale does not include the new incoming fall patterns, but we have decided to throw every Dining-Room Suite into this tremendous merchandising event. This means that you can buy the very finest period suites, many of them just received from the manufacturer, and save 20 per cent and more on your purchase. No matter what type of dining-room furniture you have had in mind, you are sure to find it represented in this great display—and you pay exactly 20 per cent less than the marked price.



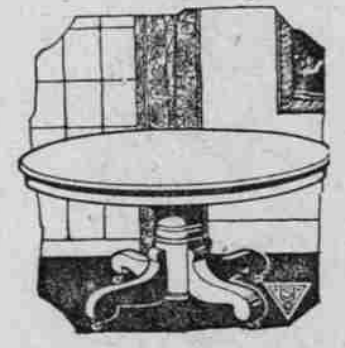
Oak Duofolds \$55
Every woman with an eye to thrift can see at a glance what a tremendous value this is. It has been a long, long time since even this store could sell a splendid Duofold at a price like this, but regardless of cost, we are placing 21 of these splendid Fumed Oak Duofolds which can be converted into full-size beds with a single, simple motion, at this wonderful reduced price.



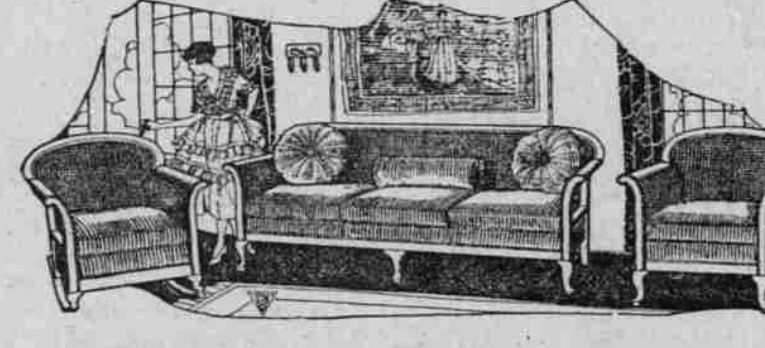
Just \$1 Will Deliver Any Kitchen Cabinet
An unparalleled opportunity to make a single-dollar do its full duty during the August Sale. Choose any Kitchen Cabinet in our vast display, pay \$1.00 and it will be delivered to your home immediately. The balance will be arranged on credit terms to suit your convenience.



Sewing Rockers \$5.50
We have just 36 of these odd Sewing Rockers in mahogany and quartered oak to be closed out at this August Sale price. There are about a dozen different patterns, every one a marvelous value at this special August sale price.



Dining Tables \$28.00
Here is a feature value for the opening day of this great sale. A massive Colonial Period Dining Table with a 45-inch top, massive pillar, the kind of a table that has been selling regularly for \$38, 20 per cent discount. Tomorrow they go at this bargain price.



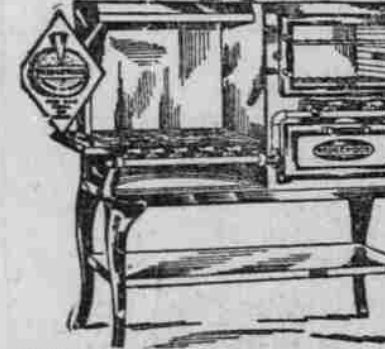
ALL LIVING ROOM SUITES REDUCED 20%
This is the time to buy new furniture for your living room. Regardless of original price, every suite enters this tremendous August event at exactly one-fifth less than its original price. This includes the very finest period style Cane and Mahogany Suites, many of them upholstered in velvet, silk damask and tapestry, as well as massive, luxuriously upholstered overstuffed suites in tapestry, velvet and other popular coverings. Come in and take your choice tomorrow at exactly 20 per cent discount. Convenient credit terms may be arranged at the sale prices if you desire.



Dinner Sets 20% Off
Every dinner set, including the very finest American China is included at a flat reduction of 20 per cent off. This is the opportunity you have been waiting for to secure a handsome new dinner set at a real economy price. We would advise making an early selection.



Leather Rockers \$34.50
This is the lowest price we have ever quoted on such splendid Fireside Rockers as this in more than three years. Made with deep coil spring seats and back, heavy roll arms and covered with genuine Spanish leather. Only 17 of these rockers, so come early if you want one at this exceptionally low price.



Wedgewood Gas Range NOT AN ORDINARY RANGE
Wedgewood Gas Ranges were designed by a woman, built strictly in accordance with her plans, and include special and patented features. Bring efficiency into your kitchen with this extraordinary Gas Range, noted for the results obtained in baking with such an even heat. When you purchase a Wedgewood you receive not only the finest Gas Range, but absolute satisfaction as well. This model \$67.50 now only.

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NORTHWEST SINGLES TAKEN BY STICKNEY

Carl Gardner Is Defeated in Gruelling Match.

AGGRESSIVE TACTICS WIN

Pair, Entered in Doubles, Show Effects of Hard-Fought Contest for Singles Title.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 6.—Charles F. Stickney of San Francisco, today won the Pacific Northwest tennis men's singles championship, defeating Carl Gardner, San Francisco, in a gruelling five set match, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4. This match featured a great day of tennis with Stickney winning because of better court generalship and more aggressive tactics. Stickney and Gardner who also entered the doubles final, showed the effects of their hard-fought singles match when they engaged Irving Weinstein of San Francisco and Will Ingraham of Oakland, R. I. later and the latter pair of youngsters defeated the veterans, 6-1, 4-6, 8-6, 6-4. This was another exciting match with the speed and vim of the youngsters too much for the played-out singles finalists. However, the match was close until the last game.

MEET TO BE AUGUST 27

ONE THOUSAND CHILDREN EXPECTED TO COMPETE.

CITY OFFICIALS AND PROMINENT PORTLANDERS WILL BE IN REVIEWING STAND AND ACT AS JUDGES.

The annual inter-playground track meet of the public playgrounds will be held August 27 at Peninsula park. Plans are already under way for an elaborate affair in which 1000 children will compete. The committee on arrangements includes Miss Carin Degeermark, playground supervisor; Owen Carst, George W. Clark, and a list of directors. Schedules and events have been prepared. City officials and prominent Portlanders will be in the reviewing stand and act as officials. The meet will open with a general parade of all children entered in the meet. As the groups from the various playgrounds pass in review, they will be judged as to posture and an additional two points will be added to the total score of the youngsters who have best marching form. Boys and girls will be divided into three classes. Those who are 12 years and under being in the first class, 13-16 in the second and 16 and over in the unlimited class. The girls' events will open at 10 A. M. and the boys will start activities at 1:30 in the afternoon. Two entries from each park in each event will be permitted. The various playgrounds will run off preliminary meets to choose their best talent. The events will be: Hurdles (four hurdles in 60 yards)—Girls (2 and 3), hurdles 2 feet 6 inches; (2 and 3), hurdles 3 feet. Running broad jump—All classes boys and girls. Dashes—Girls (1), 30 yards; (2 and 3), 50 yards; (4), 60 yards; (5), 70 yards; (6), 100 yards. Running broad jump, all classes—Any jump allowed except dive—(1), 2 feet; (2), 2 feet 6 inches; (3), 3 feet. Shotput, boys—(1), 8 pounds; (3), 12 pounds. Shotput, girls—(1), 4 pounds; (2 and 3), 10-foot circle, three trials, girls as in shotput. Tug-of-war—Four-man team, groups 2, boys and girls—100 yards; girls, 75 yards. Baseball—All classes. Target throw—(1) Both boys and girls—25-foot circle, 6 inches to 3 feet. Entries for boys wearing colored shoes. Unlimited—100-yard dash; 80-yard hurdle.

STANFORD GETS NEW COACH

Gene Van Ghent, ex-Wisconsin Star, Will Pilot Gridiron Squad.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Palo Alto, Cal., Aug. 6.—Stanford university's football team this fall will be piloted by a new coach, Gene Van Ghent, and a new graduate manager, W. E. Fletcher, the ex-coach, Walter Powell, having been made director of athletics, and the graduate manager,

ZEIDER OPTION ON BEAVERS IS DENIED BY M'CREIDIE

Judge Declares Neither Angel Second Baseman Nor Anyone Else Has First Right to Buy, but Admits Club Is for Sale.

BY L. H. GREGORY.
"NOTHING to it," said Judge McCreddie yesterday, relative to a dispatch from Los Angeles that Rollie Zeider, second baseman for the Los Angeles club, had announced that he has an option on the Beavers. Zeider has no option on the Beavers, nor has anybody else. The club is for sale, says Zeider, and he will have the same chance as any other person to buy it, if he has the financial backing, but he has not produced it yet. Zeider had a talk with Walter McCreddie about the sale of the club and that's all the option talk amounts to. He would like to buy it, as a good many other ball players would like to do. If he is able to interest the necessary capital, I suppose he would intend to manage the club himself. Duffy Lewis, the former Boston Red Sox star, now playing left field for the Salt Lake Saints, who end a week's series here today, is another ball player who would like to buy the Portland franchise. Duffy hasn't the coin himself, but like Zeider, his friends think he might interest. Clyde Wares, who managed Seattle last year, but is not in baseball at present, is understood still to have designs on the club if he can raise the money. Red Killefer, Los Angeles manager, would give his right leg to have the Portland franchise, Bill Essick, now managing Vernon, and at one time a pitcher in Portland about the time when Larry McLean and Mike Mitchell were here, is looking longingly toward Portland. All this interest makes it reasonable to expect that a transfer of the franchise will be effected before another baseball season. Both the Judge and Walter McCreddie aver that they not only are willing, but will be glad to sell, provided always that they get their price. All over the Pacific Coast league it is recognized that Portland potentially is one of the best baseball towns in the league. Likewise that what it needs to bring out the attendance and arouse the old-time interest is new ownership and a club with a chance in the coast league. "It certainly has made no sense when we didn't get a winning club, but just one that is fighting all the time and up somewhere in the going. Furthermore, the 1921 world's fair makes the franchise look all the better. So from present indications there will be plenty of bidders. Whether any of them can raise the price is another matter. Cactus Cravath, the gray-haired veteran now managing the Salt Lake Bees after many years with the Phillies in the big league, has no mind to leaving for the lively baseball. Cravath doesn't go so far as to say, like many other baseball men, that unless the lively ball is removed it will kill baseball, but he does assert it is killing off all science in the game. "It certainly has made no sense when a ball club a tough job," said Cravath. "Anything is likely to happen in a ball game nowadays. The only science there is in baseball now is just to hit, hit, hit. About all you can do is play the old army game. One run doesn't mean much any more. "Where a team used to play for one run, now it must play for five or six runs. Some of these high score games

make you dizzy. It sounds unbelievable but we actually lost a ball game a few weeks ago in which we made 20 runs! Can you beat that? "A batter is just as likely now to bust a bad ball as he is to hit a good one. I've seen it happen time and again this season where the pitcher was pitching and he should pitch, and serving up balls that the batter had no license to hit safe, and yet the batter would get hold of a bad ball and jam it for extra bases or no longer runs! Anybody is likely to put one of the lot these days. When I played with Los Angeles in the old Coast league a good many seasons ago, we would battle hard for one run. It was interesting as to how we working for that one run—anything to get it across, for it probably meant the ball game. But playing that kind of baseball now, a team would lose most of its games. One run is nothing. "For that reason you see very little sacrifice hitting this year, and base stealing is becoming a lost art. Making these chances that used to make the games so interesting is no longer good baseball in most cases; even the hit and run is often a poor play. Good baseball now consists for the most part in sticking tight when you get on and waiting for the next batter to hit you around. "Very often in the old days one smart play would save a game or win it. The smart player now isn't the man who can pull a trick. Suppose he does make one great play in a game—there are eight other innings in which that one play is likely to be nullified, and he can't make one every inning. Consequently, smart baseball is simply to play the game as it should be played. "I suppose some of the fans like this game, knock-out, but for those who understand baseball and loved it for its unexpected situations and its suspense and quick-witted plays, it is not the same old game at all. There isn't the kick to a home run that there used to be. If a player made one in a week, everybody used to talk about it and come out to the park to see him. Any dub hits 'em now, and 300 hitters are so common that they cluster up the bench. "Our old Los Angeles club won the pennant in the Coast league when we had a 300 hitter on the team, the nearest man to it being Pop Dillon with 299. We had to play smart baseball then and figure all the time on getting one run across, but how different it is now! "That home-run clout by Herman Pillette in the first game of last Sunday's double-header with Vernon is a sample of what the lively ball does. Nobody was more surprised than Herm when his wallop soared into the left-field bleachers and bounced over the fence, because, as he remarked when he went to the bench, he had choked up his bat just before the pitch so he wouldn't strike out. "In one of the games here against Los Angeles earlier in the year, Art Griggs knocked a homer over the right field fence off Syl Johnson that further illustrates the handicap the pitcher is under with the lively ball. Johnson pitched a high fast one, inside, a Griggs pulled back and swung—and the ball went over the fence. It was a perfect pitch, "bad ball" for Griggs to hit at, one that should have meant an out. Yet the lively ball went over the wall.