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ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Enters today upon the third week of unprecedented success. We are offering such unusually low prices on drugs, stationery, soaps, perfumes, leather goods, rubber, cut glass, pottery, photo supplies, pure wines and liquors and a thousand other useful and desirable household articles that you will miss the opportunity of the year if you don't gather in some of these money-savers. **NEW PRICES EVERY DAY.** Come in. We cannot print them all.



Hilton's Malt Extract

An excellent tonic for sick folk and those who would be sick if they had the time.

25c Bottle

35c Bottle With Iron

BATH BRUSHES
25 Per Cent Off



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Every kind that's made is here—and all reduced

Elastic Hosiery

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTS AND BRACES

Manufactured on our own looms—everything fully guaranteed. Ladies in attendance. Private fitting room. Little prices.

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Of every description—over 50 different styles. We can fit you and no extra charge is made for the services of our expert attendants.

\$1.50 Up



Sensitized Post Cards
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Cramer Seed and Hammer Plates

Photographic Specials

LUMIERE PLATES

Sigma Plates, 5x7, per dozen.....90¢
(Said to be the fastest made.)
Sigma, Cabinets, per dozen.....70¢
Sigma, 4x5, per dozen.....50¢

CENTRAL PLATES

A Thoroughly Reliable Article.

5x7, per dozen, 55¢ Cabinets, per dozen, 45¢
4x5, per dozen, 33¢

Largest stock of Lens and Supplies west of the Rockies.

Vidil Films, focusing 3 1/4 x 4 1/4 and 4x5.
Use our dark room—we are always glad to help you over the rough places where our 40 years' experience can be of service to you.

Stationery Department

Now moved to right of Fourth Street Door—several end lines that we are closing out below cost. Seeing is believing—everything else 25 Per Cent Off

We Rent Invalid Chairs and Crutches

OR SELL THEM—MODERATE CHARGES



Fine Leatherware

Choice of Suit Cases, Traveling Bags, Hand Bags, Wallets, Cigar Cases, Roll-Ups, Music Rolls, etc.

25 Per Cent Off

EXTRA SPECIAL All Week

Any Ladies' Hand Bag in the house which sold formerly up to \$2.50 now 98¢



OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF

POCKET FLASKS

ALL SIZES AND PRICES NOW ON SALE AT One-Fourth Off



Aids to the Deaf

All the latest appliances which aid in the restoration of the hearing. Artificial Eyes, every shade and shape.

ALCOHOL STOVES

In great variety—we are offering one especially fine and serviceable Spirit Gas Lamp that sells everywhere at 85c, for 59¢.



A Mighty Good Way to Spend 25 Cents



SAFETY RAZORS

All at Special Prices.

Extra Special

One \$14.00 Yankee Outfit.....\$7.50
One \$10.00 Star Outfit.....\$6.00

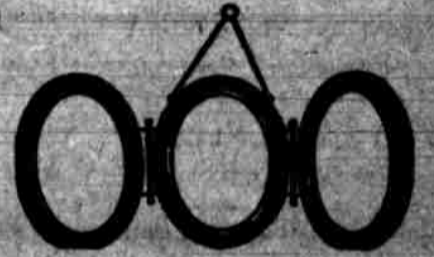


Brushes of All Kinds

On sale now at 25 Per Cent less than regular prices

Triplicate Mirrors

On sale at 20 Per Cent from the regular prices.



Cut Glass

Exquisite designs and cuts—a very complete stock to choose from.....30 Per Cent Discount



Flat Foot

The Normal Arch

Arch Supporters cost you \$3.00 a pair. If you need them their worth cannot be reckoned in dollars.

Free Delivery Anywhere in City

Canadian Money Taken at Par

WOODARD, CLARKE & CO., Modern Druggists

IMPORTS OF SUGAR INCREASING

United States Gaining Steadily and Rapidly in Consumption of Sweets.

CANE PRODUCT SHOWS A GAIN OVER BEET

Per Capita Consumption Is Not as Large as in the United Kingdom, Though one Fourth of World's Supply Is Used.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.)
Washington, Jan. 15.—Statements just prepared by the department of commerce and labor through its bureau of statistics show that of the more than \$1,200,000,000 worth of merchandise brought into the United States during the last year more than \$150,000,000 worth was sugar. Sugar formed by far the largest importation which the United States has ever made in any single year.
The value of sugar brought into this country during the year 1923 will far

exceed that of any earlier year. The value of sugar brought into the country during the 11 months ending with November was \$148,575,345, of which \$51,486,356, or more than one third of the total value, was from the non-contiguous territory of the United States, and it is quite clear that the figures of the remaining month of the year 1923 will bring the grand total of sugar imports considerably above \$150,000,000, while the highest figure in any fiscal year prior to 1923 was \$137,000,000 in the year 1922, when an unusually large quantity of sugar was brought into the country in anticipation of a change in the tariff on that article.

Consumption Increased.
The United States is increasing steadily and rapidly its consumption of sugar. The sugar producers at home are increasing their output of both cane and beet sugar, but even their rapid increase in production is not keeping pace with the increasing home demand, and as a consequence the quantity of

Saved From Terrible Death.
The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt of Bergton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skillful physicians and every remedy used failed. While consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottle \$2 and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at S. C. Eldredge & Co., Druggists, 151 Third street.

sugar brought into the country increases from year to year. It has doubled in the last 20 years, while the population meanwhile increased but 50 per cent.

The United States is the largest sugar-consuming country in the world, though the per capita consumption in this country is not as great as the United Kingdom. The total consumption in 1923 aggregated 2,767,000 tons, making an average consumption for each individual for the year of about 75 pounds. The estimates of Willets and Gray, acknowledged authorities in sugar production and consumption, puts the consumption for the year 1923 at 2,632,000 tons, though this doubtless represents a larger value than that of the preceding year, by reason of the increased prices which prevailed in the various sugar-producing countries of the world.

One Fourth of Supply.
A comparison of the figures of our own consumption with those of the world's total production indicates that the United States consumes about one fourth of the sugar production of the world. Comparing our consumption with the accepted authoritative statement of the world's production for a term of years, the figures indicate that in the five-year period ending with 1920, our consumption was about 23 per cent of the world's product, in the five years ending with 1923, about 26 per cent.

Nearly all of the sugar brought into the United States, whether from foreign countries or our own non-contiguous territory, is produced from cane, and it may be said that the United States consumes fully one half of the cane sugar produced in the world. The accepted figures of the world's production of cane sugar in the year 1923 are 4,334,000 tons, and as the quantity of

cane sugar brought into the United States in that calendar year was 2,171,000 tons and the domestic product 223,649 tons, it is quite apparent that the people of the United States consumed practically one half of the cane sugar recorded in the official figures of the world's production of that article.

Cane Sugar Increases.
Cane sugar is forming at present a larger proportion of the world's sugar supply than was the case during the period from 1896 to 1902. In 1890 beet sugar supplied 62.7 per cent of the world's product; in 1896, 67.7 per cent; in 1902, 62.9 per cent; but in 1903 it fell to 50 per cent of the total.

During the half century prior to 1890, however, beet sugar formed a much smaller proportion of the world's sugar production, the percentage which beets supplied the world's sugar product, being in 1840 about 4.3 per cent; in 1850, 14.3 per cent; in 1860, 20.4 per cent; in 1870, 34.4 per cent; in 1880, 43.7 per cent, and in 1890, as already indicated, 62.7 per cent, while 1900 showed for beet sugar the highest proportion in the world's production of sugar, 67.7 per cent.

Enterprise Camp W. O. W.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Enterprise, Or., Jan. 15.—The Enterprise camp, W. O. W., at their convention Tuesday evening, installed offi-

WEAVER AND MOST EFFICIENT.
T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes December 25, 1923: "With pleasure and unhesitatingly I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Hoopound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and best remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." Sold by Woodard, Clarke & Co.

cers as follows: Consul commander, S. D. Keltner; adviser lieutenant, J. D. Woodell; clerk, C. A. Ault; banker, J. A. Krueck; escort, W. W. Zurcher; watchman, J. G. Matheny; sentry, W. D. Weaver; managers, R. L. Day and W. H. Graves.

Absolutely Correct Change.
Automatic register, 404 Marquam building.

CHOATE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE NEW YORK BAR

(General Special Service.)
Albany, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Representative Charles E. Littlefield of Maine will be the principal speaker before the annual meeting of the New York State Bar association, which will open in the assembly chamber this evening. Mr. Littlefield will speak on the subject "The Three Departments of Government and Their Relations to Each Other." President Richard L. Hand will speak on the subject of "The Judicial Power." Other addresses which will be delivered during the two days of the meeting will be: "The Massachusetts Ballot System," by Richard H. Dana of Boston; "The Disregard of Law," by Judge Alphonso T. Clearwater of Kingston; "Should the Grand Jury System Be Abolished?" by George Lawyer of Albany; "Fraudulent Conveyances," by Frederick S. Wall of New York; "Combination of Contracts as a Sale of Personal Property," by Edward S. Hagalle of New York; "The Great Economic Movement for Uniform Divorce," by Clinton B. Gibbs of Buffalo.

The subject of ballot reform was discussed by William M. Ives.

feated Republican candidate for mayor of New York. It is generally conceded that Joseph H. Choate, the former United States ambassador to Great Britain, will be elected president of the Bar association.

big gatherings of the coming summer. Among the conventions for which rates will be fixed are those of the National Educational association in San Francisco, the Grand Army national encampment in Minneapolis and the Myrtle Shakers and Christian Endeavorers in Los Angeles.

TO MAKE RATES TO COAST CONVENTIONS

(Journal Special Service.)
Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 15.—The Transcontinental Passenger association is in session here to discuss the matter of reduced rates for some of the

Baldwin's Health Tablets.
Take them tonight—be well tomorrow. Cures constipation. 35c. Druggists.

Grand Ball Thursday Eve.
Arion hall, Gents 25c, Ladies free.

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