

AMERICA'S DUCHESS'S GREAT CHARITY WORKER

Woman Who Was Consuelo Vanderbilt Is Not the Lady Bountiful of Any Particular District, But Assists Wherever She Finds Need.



The Duchess of Marlborough Laying the Cornerstone of the New Wing of West Ham Hospital, London, Which Will Be Paid For With American Dollars.

(Journal Special Service.)
London, Aug. 28.—Wherever in London great misery exists, there one generally finds the Duchess of Marlborough at work. The premier American duchess and former Consuelo Vanderbilt is not the lady bountiful of any particular district. She gives aid in the help where she learns her money and benevolence are needed, that is all. Of late the duchess has been a frequent visitor to the squalid regions of West Ham. The other day she laid the foundation stone of the new wing of a big hospital there, the West Ham and East London hospital, whose inmates represent the poorest of the poor. It would take a column to enumerate all the London charities which this frail young American peaches helps, both in word and deed. Outside of those immediately concerned she and her bankers alone know the details of her work. There is perhaps, excepting Queen Alexandra, no woman in England today who has so many self-imposed cares and duties in the way of charity as her grace of Marlborough.

Only last week I tried to compile a list of her good works. But it was impossible. Miss Montgomery, the duchess's hard-working private secretary at Sunderland house, Mayfair, gave me this message: "The duchess's charities are strictly private. Her grace desires no publicity. What she does in this direction she does as a private individual." This seal of secrecy the duchess has laid upon all her lieutenants and upon the chiefs of the big charities with which she is publicly associated. **Aids Jailbirds' Wives.** Perhaps her greatest work is among jailbirds' wives and children. In Endleigh street in the Bloomsbury district, she has in full running order in a few days the Bishop of London will open the house adjoining as a home and day nursery for the wives and children of the prisoners in the Newgate and Brixton gaols. She visits them daily and out of her own pocket pays all the expenses. Knowing what a lot of time and money she spends here, it was somewhat surprising to learn that her charities are so extensive in the east and London.

When she laid the foundation stone the other day in West Ham, the general public merely thought that the hospital authorities, being unable to get a royal princess, secured the next best thing, a duchess, to perform the ceremony. It certainly looked as if an American duchess had not been expected, for the decorations, numbering thousands of flags and shields and streamers, contained not one single American flag. There were Japanese, French, Spanish and the colors of almost every nation, but the stars and stripes were conspicuous by their absence. And yet this new wing of this huge hospital is to be named after the American duchess—the Marlborough wing—and it is being built with her American dollars and those she is collecting from among her friends. I Pierpont Morgan's name is on the list. So are those of nearly all the noted Americans in English society. **Endows Hospital Ward.** The duchess herself has already given this hospital \$50,000, with which the children's surgical ward has partly been equipped. The ward in consequence is known as "the duchess ward." It is artificial forms, mixed with spectacles, silliness and kodaks; its devotees arrayed more gorgeously than scarlet tangers brightening the wild game with red umbrellas—even this is encouraging and may well be regarded as a hopeful sign of the times.

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\$2.50 and \$3.00
Men's Sweaters \$1.98
A special offering in the man's shop for our Thursday male patrons. Pure wool worsted sweaters, with roll collar or "V" shaped neck; in plain white, black, navy and maroon colorings—best \$2.50 and \$3.00 values for Thursday only at... **\$1.98**

BATTLING THE TRUSTS!

Magnetic Attractions for Thursday Buyers
In the Women's Apparel Salons
Wonderful Sale Women's Suits
Women's \$10 Street Suits \$4.98
Plain black and pretty fancy mixtures, nicely tailored and tastefully trimmed with braids, buttons, silks and strappings of materials; skirts are plain tailored or trimmed with double box plaits. Our leader at \$10; special at... **\$4.98**
Choice of any of our \$25 spring and summer suits at... **\$9.98**
50c WAITRESSES' APRONS 42c



Of splendid quality white lawn, cut in full sizes; wide straps over shoulders and prettily trimmed with embroidered and hemstitching; regular 50c... **42c**
Walking Skirts-Bargains
Most of them are travelers' samples, choice selections, the cream of a leading maker's production. Fancy mixtures, Mohairs, Broadcloths, etc.; black and plain colors in the vast convention. Plain tailored and trimmed in strappings, buttons and platings. Trim and trigg walking lengths; just the wanted skirts for present autumn wear. The greatest skirt bargains ever offered in Portland. Extra special vals. to \$10. **\$2.49**

WOMEN'S FAMOUS \$1.50 "BRIGHTON" FLANNELETTE
Nighrobes Special Thursday at 98c
This famous Nighrobe needs little commendation from us—hundreds of women patrons are familiar already with its peculiar advantages. Full 60-inch length, made with extra side gussets, thus insuring extra fullness throughout, nicely made in perfect workmanship and finished in beautiful embroidered effects. Best regular \$1.50 value on the market. Special on Thursday at one-third off or... **98c**

BEDDING BARGAINS SAVINGS WORTH WHILE
\$1.75 COTTON BLANKETS, \$1.29
Extra size white cotton Blankets regular value \$1.75; special, pair... **\$1.29**
\$2.00 COMFORTS, \$1.49
Good size fancy covered Comforters, dark and light, clean cotton filled; regular value \$2.00; special, each... **\$1.49**
\$1.25 FEATHER PILLOWS, 98c
Extra heavy fancy tick covered Pillows, filled with good, clean goose and turkey feathers, mixed weight; regular value \$1.25; special... **98c**
98c BLANKETS, 59c
Good size gray and tan colored Blankets; regular 98c; special, pair... **59c**

Anti-Trust Prices on Rugs and Carpets

Housefurnishers who shop 'round 'mong the several stores of the city in search of floor coverings often remark the similarity of prices on standard carpets, rugs, linoleums, etc. The sharper shoppers long ago smelled the rodent and the courts sought to break up the nest by imposing small fines on the different members of the "furniture trust." Vain effort! The ring still exists and a "gentleman's agreement" is in force which serves to keep up prices on housefurnishings among its members. This store stands alone and aloof from the infamous pact. We'll sell you your carpets, curtains and housefurnishings at trust-busting prices. Good housekeepers who are furnishing homes this fall will bear us in mind when buying and save 25 to 50 per cent on everything needed in the home by purchasing here. Rebuke the trusts by supporting this independent store in its fight against monopoly and the trusts. Help us to smash the carpet trust and thereby help yourself to save in fitting up your home. Here's a sample of the Golden Eagle's carpet prices:

Best Ingrain Art Squares
In beautiful floral and oriental designs and medallion patterns. Generous, splendid choosing, handsome floor coverings—and we cut the prices in two. Read:
Art Squares, size 6x9, \$2.48
Art Squares, size 9x9, \$3.98
Art Squares, size 7½ x9, \$2.98
Art Squares, size 9x12, \$9.75 value, special... **\$4.85**

BRING THE TOTS THURSDAY TO A WONDERFUL EXPOSITION AND SALE OF European Novelties:

(Near Main Third St. entrance—Center aisle.)
Teddy Bears; Educated Bears; the Bear Student and the Professor Bear; Clown Bears; Trick Bears; Alphonse and Gaston; Trained Dogs, Roosters, etc.
A monster, jolly gathering of the cutest, newest and most amusing novelties for the children ever invented. Just arrived, a sample collection of unique European novelties from a leading New York importer, only a half dozen of a kind; not only very amusing for the children but fine ornaments for the man's or bachelor girl's den. In a special sale to-morrow in three groups, priced each at **25c, 39c and 48c.**

A Drastic and Thoro Reorganization of the Foot-Wear Department The New Shoe Store Manager

Is sacrificing mightily to make a clean sweep of the shoes. We print below a few examples of the marvelous bargains:
WOMEN'S \$3.00 AND \$3.50 SHOES AND OXFORDS, \$1.35
6,000 pairs Women's Shoes and Oxfords in patent kid, patent kid, gunmetal calf, chocolate vici kid, Russian calf and black vici kid, light and heavy soles, new style tips, toes and heels; values at \$3.00 and \$3.50; special, pair... **\$1.35**
MEN'S \$3.50, \$4.00 AND \$5.00 SHOES, \$1.98
4,000 pairs Men's "White House" Shoes, also other famous makes, high or low cut, button, Blucher and lace styles, hand-turned or welt soles, in patent kid, gunmetal calf, black vici kid and chocolate kid; values at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00; special, pair... **\$1.98**
MEN'S \$3.50, \$4.00 AND \$5.00 SHOES, \$1.98
Another line of Men's Shoes, in patent kid, box calf, gunmetal calf and vici kid; Blucher, lace and congress styles, with good hand-made oak soles; values at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00; special... **\$1.98**



The Scenery Habit.
The tendency nowadays to wander in wildernesses is delightful to see. Thousands of tired, nerve-shaken, over-civilized people are beginning to find out that going to the mountains is going home; that wilderness is a necessity, and that mountain parks and reservations are useful not only as fountains of timber and irrigating rivers, but as fountains of life. Awakened from the stupefying effects of the vice of over-industry and the deadly apathy of luxury, they are trying the best they can to mix and catch their own little onslaughts with those of nature and to get rid of rust and disease. Briskly venturing and roaming, some are washing off sins and cobwebs from the devil's spinning in all-day storms on mountains; sauntering in rosy pine woods or in cantian meadows, brushing down chaparral, bending down and parting the sweet, flowery mosses; tracing rivers to their sources, in touch with the nerves of another Earth; jumping from rock to rock, feeling the life in them, panting in whole-souled exercise and rejoicing in deep-drawn breaths of pure wildness. This is fine and natural and full of promise. So also is the growing interest in the care and preservation of forests and wild places in general and in the half wild parks and gardens of towns. Even the scenery habit in its most

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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CHILDREN IN PAIN
never cry so do children who are suffering from hunger. Such is the cause of all babies who cry and are treated for sickness, when they really are suffering from hunger. This is caused from their food not being assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once. Give it a trial. Sold by all druggists.

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Always Buy **Siberian Collars**
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Remove Stains.
To remove marks on paint which have been made with matches, rub them first with lemon, then with whitening and finally wash with soap and water. To remove stains from porcelain washbowls and bathtubs, rub them with flannel wet with kerosene oil, wash with boiling water in which some washing soda has been dissolved, then dry thoroughly. To remove iron-mold or rust, the best way is to stretch the spots over a bowl and moisten with salts of lemon until the spots disappear. Then the soiled part should be thoroughly rinsed in warm water to remove the acid. If house plants droop from no apparent cause and refuse to thrive, try watering them solely by pouring warm water on the saucers every day. Plants love bottom heat and it will sometimes give them a new lease of life.

Editors Will Enjoy ASTORIA REGATTA
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Astoria, Or., Aug. 28.—At the annual regatta and county fair held on the grounds of the Norwegian Svingerfest members of the Northwest, the meeting of the Editorial association promises to be one remembered by the writers and molders of opinion in Oregon. A grand reception hall will be appropriated for the chamber of commerce on their arrival and in conjunction with the thousands of other visitors from all parts of the Northwest. Never has there been such a varied collection of interesting features provided for any regatta or county fair in the state of Oregon. In a section of the city on the water front, where both the land and water sports may be watched at will, races among the fishermen, yachtsmen, oarsmen, vikings, runners, jumpers, will be seen along with features too numerous to mention.

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