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Today and tomorrow, a great September Sale Women's and Men's Fine Hosiery—10,000 pairs, all new samples, forwarded us by our foreign office, which is now through with them, for next spring's business—Two immense lots in both lines—High-Grade Hosiery of the best style and quality at prices of greatest importance to economical buyers—Take advantage
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LOT 3—2,000 pairs of Men's Plain and Fancy Colored Hose; figures, Jacquards, dots, mercerized lises, silk lises, fancy cottons; etc; black, tan, gray, etc.; in marvelous assortment; all sizes; 50c to \$1 values; in this sale at the very low price of... **29c**

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\$3.50 Val \$1.69

Great two-day sale of 18-inch Venice, Baby Irish and Fillet Allovers, for waists and yokes; new, beautiful styles; also suitable for long sleeves; both white and cream; values in the lot up to \$3.50 a yard; your choice in this sale at, yard... **\$1.69**

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\$1.50 Nets 59c

1,000 yards of new 45-inch Dotted and Figured Nets, in white, cream and ecru; all new styles for waists, yokes, etc. **59c**

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In the Domestic Department, 500 doz. good heavy cotton pillow cases; hemstitched; 45x36 inches; buy all you want of them at this low price of, each... **19c**

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2,000 dozen Women's All-Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs; initial, cross-bar and lace edge; regular 20c and 25c values **12c**

20c Buttons 5c

3,000 dozen Pearl and Bone Buttons; plain and fancy; deep sea pearl; 12 1/2c to 20c values, on sale at the low price of, dozen **5c**

"Peninsular" Stoves, Ranges On Special Sale

Commencing today and continuing for one week, a great fall opening sale of the genuine Peninsular Planished Steel Ranges, the world's best; made of hammered planished steel, made of 10-gauge cold-rolled steel, riveted every two inches; absolutely guaranteed not to warp or buckle; removable duplex grate for wood or coal; ventilated oven; oven top of double steel plate, reinforced by heavy cast plates, etc. These are only a few of the many features to be found in the Peninsular Steel Ranges. Handsome nickel trimmings, etc. For this week only the following special prices will prevail:

- \$46.00 Range on sale for \$36.80**
- \$52.00 Range on sale for \$41.60**
- \$58.00 Range on sale for \$46.40**
- \$68.00 Range on sale for \$54.40**
- \$75.00 Range on sale for \$59.00**
- \$85.00 Range on sale for \$66.00**

Beech Peninsular Airtight Heaters, in all sizes, from \$10.00 to \$16.00; on sale in the Basement. See them. Peninsular Cook Stoves and Parlor Heaters. Largest and most complete line in city. Let us show you.

Artistic Picture-Framing Done to Your Order at the Lowest Prices—On Fourth Floor
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A \$100,000 Stock of Rare Oriental Rugs on Third Floor

We invite inspection of our magnificent new showing of Rare and Antique Oriental Rugs and Carpets—The display consists of the finest specimens we could gather and offer for your choosing the largest and most beautiful assortment ever shown in the city



—We have gone into the Oriental Rug business on a scale never before attempted here
—The collection will be enlarged from month to month and will be at all times the premier Oriental Rug display of the northwest—An expert native rug dealer is in charge of the department—His knowledge, time and experience are at your service—The showing includes hundreds and hundreds of exquisite rugs—Kermanshahs, Kashans, Tabriz, Saruks, Irans, Khivas, Belouchistans, Kazaks, Shirvans, Kurdistans, Bokaras, etc.—Rugs of all sizes, Hall Runners, Carpets, Prayer Rugs, etc.—Regarding our prices, you'll find Oriental Rugs here marked on the same basis as any other standard line of merchandise, which means savings of anywhere from 100 to 200 per cent on what the exclusive store asks you to pay—No trouble to show you—On Third Floor

Women's and Children's \$1.50-\$2.50 Umbrellas 98c

Today and tomorrow sensational offering of Women's and Children's High-Class Umbrellas; fast black, rainproof covering of Italian cloth; Paragon frame, steel and rod; great assortment of new and attractive handles in natural wood, silver, horn, gold, gun metal and ivory; all new, up-to-date Umbrellas, selling regularly at \$1.50 to \$2.50 each. Your choice at this low price, each... **98c**

Sale Women's Knit Underwear

Harvard Mills Vests and Tights for women; fleeced-lined, heavy weight, and hand-finished; in cream color, all sizes; **57c**
best 65c val, garment... **57c**

Harvard Mills Union Suits for women; mixed wool, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, and low neck, sleeveless; ankle length; sizes 4, 5, 6; **\$1.98**
\$2.25 values, at suit... **\$1.98**

Harvard Mills Union Suits; silk and wool mixed; high neck, long sleeves, ankle length regular **\$3.19**

Harvard Mills Silk and Wool Vests and Tights for women; beautifully made and finished; sizes 4, 5 and 6; regular **\$1.79**

Harvard Mills Merino Wool Vests and Tights for women; high neck, long sleeves and low neck, no sleeve, ankle length; a great value, on sale at... **\$1.37**

Harvard Mills Vests and Pants for children; of fleeced-lined cotton, good winter weight; 40c value, at very low price of **34c**

45c value **37c**—50c value **42c**
Children's Harvard Mills Union Suits; natural and white, heavy wt., garment... **\$1.05**—**\$1.29**

Women's Lingerie Waists \$6 to \$50 Values 1/2 Price

All our Fine High-Grade Lingerie Waists to be sold at one half regular prices—Beautiful creations for dress wear—Batistes, Mulls, Lawns, Linens and Swiss—Beautifully made and trimmed in fine and coarse laces, hand-embroidered and embroidery insertion—Linen Cluny, Maltese, Venise, Irish Crochet, Plat and German Val. Laces; Round-Mesh, Filet and Hardanger Embroidery—



- 1/2 and 3/4-length sleeves—
- All new and pretty waists at the lowest prices—2d floor
- Reg. \$ 6.00 Waists ... **\$ 3.00**
- Reg. \$ 8.00 Waists ... **\$ 4.00**
- Reg. \$12.00 Waists ... **\$ 6.00**
- Reg. \$14.00 Waists ... **\$ 7.00**
- Reg. \$18.00 Waists ... **\$ 9.00**
- Reg. \$20.00 Waists ... **\$10.00**
- Reg. \$22.00 Waists ... **\$11.00**
- Reg. \$24.00 Waists ... **\$12.00**
- Reg. \$27.00 Waists ... **\$13.50**
- Reg. \$30.00 Waists ... **\$15.00**
- Reg. \$32.00 Waists ... **\$16.00**
- Reg. \$35.00 Waists ... **\$17.50**
- Reg. \$40.00 Waists ... **\$20.00**
- Reg. \$50.00 Waists ... **\$25.00**

Great Glove Sale

\$1.25 Gloves 89c--\$1.75-\$2.50
Gloves 95c--\$2.50 Gloves \$1.29
\$3.50 Gloves on Sale for \$1.98



2,000 pairs Women's New One-Clasp Cape Gloves; Dent style; best shades of tan; all sizes; regular \$1.25 values; your choice, **89c**
this sale, per pair... **89c**
1,000 pairs Women's 6 and 8-Button Length Kid gloves; black, white, gray, red and brown; all sizes; **\$1.75** and **\$2.50** values, at, pr. **95c**
8-Button Length Barritz Gloves; strap on wrist; black, white, gray and brown; all sizes; best **\$2.50** values, at, pair... **\$1.29**
1,000 pairs of 16-Button Length Chamois Gloves; white and natural; pique and overseam; the best quality; all sizes; the best regular **\$3.00** and **\$3.50** values at, per pair... **\$1.98**

Mail Orders Will Be Promptly and Carefully Filled

Drawers \$2.29

Gowns at \$1.75

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Great special lot of fine Drawers, in cabric and nainsook, trimmed in fine laces and embroideries, tucks, insertion, beading and ribbons, magnificent styles; regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 values, on sale at, garment... **\$2.29**

Special lot of Women's High-Class Nightgowns; trimmed in fine embroideries, tucks, insertion, beading and ribbon; made low round neck or high neck and short sleeves; regular \$3.50-\$4 yals... **\$1.75**

Special lot of Women's French Hand-Made Chemise; trimmed in lace and hand-embroidered; best regular \$4.50 value... **\$2.29**

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AUSTRALASIA CALMLY AWAITS ASIATIC WAR

Relying Upon Uncle Sam as Ally in Conflict Regarded as Inevitable—Battleships Not a Nation's but a Race's Fleet.

By H. Lee Clotworthy, Staff Correspondent of the United Press, on Board the U. S. S. Georgia, by Mail to San Francisco.
Auckland, N. Z., Aug. 24.—As though they were 16 great mystic shuttles, the ships of the battleship fleet have, since their arrival in Australian waters, been ceaselessly weaving the divided English-speaking people into one enduring racial fabric. Within the fortnight shore the long white lines of these potential sentinaries of peace slipped through the base of the Sabbath morning and dropped anchors in the beautiful waters of Waitemata at Auckland.

colonials and their kinsmen of the fleet have done so.
Grand Scene as Fog Lifts.
As though in hearty sympathy with the scenes of such portentous moment to the peoples of the world, which were about to be enacted, nature prepared an impressively dramatic setting for the entrance of the fleet into Auckland harbor.
An early morning mist curtained the fleet from the view of the surried thousands of people who crowded the bold headlands at Waitemata bay until the great towering ships were directly before them.
Then, as if in response to the mute appeals of those scores of thousands of straining eyes, the sunlight burst from the overcast heavens, and, sweeping away the misty golden flood, revealed in all their majesty of power the glittering, gun-topped representatives of American sea might.
A tense, heart-throbbing silence, more eloquent than the salvos of cheers, was New Zealand's first greeting to America's sea fighters. There was an instinctive breaking of breath among those thousands of British eyes, as they realized through their own vision the power of America's empire propellers.
No such pageant of power had ever been inspected by these guardians of the isolated stronghold of the white race. They had been waiting in eager anticipation for months to greet the sailor men and hoped-for some-day ally, but they were not prepared for such a display of power.
But their emotions were not long contained, and before the thousand's the saluting guns had echoed off into

silence the ships were surrounded with a veritable swarm of craft, crowded with cheering, singing people, who tossed bundles of daily papers aboard.
These papers gave an idea of the great underlying sentiment which had given such warmth to the welcome extended America on her armed entrance to the Pacific. Column upon column of editorials and militant special articles, dealing with the yellow race problem on the Pacific, covered every page.
Expressing the determination to hold the insular empire against the expected aggression of Asia, the New Zealand Herald, the most influential paper of the dominion, concluded a stinging editorial with the prophecy that "at a day not far distant, a torn Yankee fleet would probably refit, recal and remain in Auckland harbor."
In another leading paper, the Anglo-Japanese treaty was characterized as a "crime against civilization," and an Anglo-American treaty was fervently advocated.
The coming of the fleet was taken as

an indisputable evidence that America was preparing for the protection of her insular possessions on the Pacific, and that the national sequence would be a union for defense of the two English-speaking peoples.
The people of all Australasia have accepted the fleet as being as much their fleet as though the union jack were floating from the truck of every ship.
There is not a man or woman in Australasia who does not believe that a war with Asia for the possession of the islands of the Pacific is inevitable. They look upon America as their natural ally, owing to our holding insular possessions within the same danger zone.
Though diplomatic in utterance, both Sir Joseph Ward, premier of the dominion, and Admiral Sperry, in their exchange of official greetings, dwelt upon the common interests of the two peoples on the Pacific.
It was this deep racial respect for America and racial distrust for Asia that was responsible for the tremendous ovations given the fleet at every Australasian port, as already told in cable dispatches.

There is not an officer with the fleet who does not feel that he is playing a part here, in these distant outposts of white civilization in making history.
Through these colonies of Britain it is felt that America and the mother country will be brought to a full realization of their common interests on the Pacific and the dangers besetting them, and that there will be brought about that dream of the century, a defensive alliance of the two great English-speaking peoples.
FIRE HORSE DIES AT EAST SIDE BLAZE
"Biddle," the big bay horse which has been the middle horse of the team on Truck 1 for the past two years, died last night while the truck was at the big east side fire. "Biddle" had been ailing for several days and had been given a rest for a while in the hope that he would get better, but he continued to fail and died last night. The horse was a favorite with the firemen and had been named "Biddle" after Battalion Chief "Biddle" Dowell.

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