

A Great Special Purchase & Sale, Seasonable Wash Goods—Panama Voiles, Reg. 20c Quality, Priced at

10¢

Half Price—See Our Third Street Window

It's a great special purchase of 6000 yards of Panama Voiles, one of the season's most popular wash fabrics. The assortment consists of a full showing of the most desirable patterns—checks, plaids, stripes and figures in light and medium colors—the prettiest wash goods you could possibly select for summer waists, gowns and dresses; in regular 20c quality, on sale BARGAIN FRIDAY, at **10c**

A Sale of Embroidery

Half Price and Less on All Kinds of Embroideries

It is the best embroidery sale we have held in many a day. It not only contains enormous assortments of all styles of embroideries, but the styles are the newest shown this season. Included are sheer Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook Embroideries in edgings, flounces, insertions, galloons, medallions, allovers, waists, etc.

75c and 85c Shirt Waist Fronts, 24x24 inches, embroidered on fine sheer swiss in the new panel design, special, at **30¢ Ea.**

EXTRA SPECIAL—1000 dozen yards English and German Torchon Laces in this season's prettiest patterns; also 1 to 2 inch Lace Trimming Bands, so much in demand for trimming cotton dresses. Regular 8c to 15c values, on sale Friday, the yard **4c**

8c—Embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and scalloped, some slightly soiled; 20c and 25c values **8c**

5c—Hand Embroidered Mercerized Handkerchiefs, hemstitched; regular 10c values, at **5c**

16c—Satin and plain Taffeta Ribbon, full 4 1/2 inches wide, all shades; 25c quality **16c**

Shoe Bargains

For Little Gents, Youths, Misses and Women, \$2 Val.

We have just received a full line of Undressed Tan Oxfords, made of splendid quality calfskin, with full length vamps, and solid leather counters and inner soles—Oxfords that are easily cleaned and that will wear longer and look better than ordinary Oxfords; we have them in all sizes for little gents, misses, youths and women; also misses' Oxfords in tan kid, vici kid and patent colt, in all sizes, regular \$2.00 kinds, priced for BARGAIN FRIDAY at **\$1.49**

Boy's Moccasins at 99c

Little gents' and boys' Wallabouts or Moccasins, made of the best grade calfskin in tan and olive green; just the thing for gym, base ball, tennis or house slippers. All sizes, regular \$1.50 values, at **99c**

Women's Oxfords at \$2.50

A special sale of women's Oxfords shown in the latest styles and in all leathers—tan, calf, patent colt, gunmetal and vici kid—Oxfords that are fully worth \$3.50. Priced **\$2.50** for this sale at

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507th Bargain Friday Sale



Quality Merchandise Priced Below Real Worth

The quality of our merchandise, our exceedingly low prices and our daily increasing sales demonstrate plainly that this is a business built "on honor." Our mammoth stocks are selected in strict accordance with the wants of the trade, and every sale is made with reference to making the purchaser a regular patron, not today only, but for the entire future. Friday is the greatest value-giving day of the week—the day of most generous bargains in this up-to-date store. That is why our great Bargain Friday Sales are such overwhelming successes. Thousands of excellent bargains here, and no economical woman should miss this sale.

Sale--Women's Fancy Hosiery

A Full Showing of the Newest Novelties in Regular 50c, 75c and \$1.00 Values, at This Big Sale

29¢

Don't Miss It—SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY—Don't Miss It More than 500 dozen Fancy Stockings for Women are in this interesting sale. It's a special purchase from one of New York's most prominent importers, consisting of a full showing of the latest novelties. Lisle Thread Stockings in new fancy stripes, in shades of green, old rose, tan, brown, champagne, Copenhagen, etc.; regular 75c and \$1.00 values. Also SILK EMBROIDERED STOCKINGS in beautiful new designs, in black, navy, tan, brown, green, champagne, heliotrope, etc.; regular 50c, and 75c values. LACE STOCKINGS of fine ingrain lisle, in black only, shown in a full variety of attractive new patterns; regular 75c kinds. For all those who can attend this great sale this is wonderfully good news. Limit of six pairs to a customer, and no telephone orders accepted at this price. Stockings actually worth 50c, 75c and \$1 pair, Bargain Friday at **29c**

Great Showing of Sample and Single Curtains

In Scotch and Madras, Lace and Cable Net 42 to 54 Inches Wide at This Big Sale for

59¢ EACH

Regular Values Up to \$3.00 a Pair

Another great purchase just received and by far the best values we have ever offered. If you have need of single curtains for any purpose, don't miss this wonderful sale. The assortment consists of about 400 single and sample Curtains. They are shown in Madras, Scotch and Cable Net, in both white and Arabian, and come in a large variety of the new season's best patterns; they are 42 to 54 inches wide and 3 yards long. Some are slightly soiled and some are slightly damaged; most all are fresh, clean and most desirable. There are many of the same pattern that may be matched if desired. Regular Curtains of the same quality would sell regularly up to \$3.00 a pair; **29c** your choice, while they last, BARGAIN FRIDAY, at

Plain & Fancy Messaline Silks the Season's Most Popular Silks in 75c, 85c and \$1.00 Grades Now

59¢

At this sale you have choice from 5000 yards of plain and fancy Messaline Silks, shown in a full assortment of the new season's most popular designs and plain shades, fine imported Swiss Messalines of soft clinging weave and rich lustrous finish. Drapes beautifully and is especially adapted for gowns and dresses, separate waists and all around wear. Comes in neat small figures, neat stripes, checks and self-colored designs; regular 75c, 85c and \$1.00 qualities, specially priced for this sale, at **59c**

Yard-Wide Pongee Silks Best \$1.50 Quality Only 98c

We secured 20 pieces of these popular Silks at a third less than regular. Tomorrow you may profit by the saving. 36 inch Shan Tung Pongee Silks in natural color, strictly all pure silk, a fabric that will wash and wear like linen. Remember, there are only 20 pieces in the lot; we advise early shopping if you would share in this bargain. Real \$1.50 Pongees, at per yard **98c**

Big Suit Reductions

Our suit reductions for Friday are more emphatic than ever. Many radical cuts in this season's goods. These bargain suits are possessed of style, quality and workmanship that will actually surprise you. Every garment strictly up to date; made of popular materials, such as novelty serges and worsteds, wool taffetas, etc.; plain colors, fancy and shadow stripes, etc. Values ranging from \$15.00 to \$22.50 in the lot. **\$12.50** BARGAIN FRIDAY ONLY

Silk Suits and Dresses

Of utmost importance is this Friday offering in Suits and Dresses of taffeta and messaline in black and the new shades of brown, blue, tan and red. We are showing beautiful and graceful effects in Shirt Waist and Jumper Suits and Princess Dresses. We are giving the public the benefit of a substantial reduction in these garments, just when the season is fairly started. Actual \$12.50 to \$16.50 values. **\$10.00** BARGAIN FRIDAY ONLY

Long Kimonos, \$1.25 Vals. for 98c

Long Kimonos of good quality cotton chally; many differently colored patterns; edges bound with satin to match; pretty Japanese effects. Regular \$1.25 values, special for Friday **98c**

Skirts—Vals. to \$3.50, Friday \$1.98

Women's Skirts of panama and mohair, in black, white, blue, brown and red; also some of worsted in gray stripes; gored and plaited effects, with or without fold. The regular prices on these garments range from \$2.50 to \$3.50. **\$1.98** BARGAIN FRIDAY ONLY

Great Sale of Sweaters \$3.69

For Women, Latest Shades and Styles, \$5.00 Vals. at

Another special sale of Women's Sweaters. This time it's an offering of a special purchase of the latest style Sweaters, made of all wool worsteds, with fitted waist and finished with two pockets; they are well made and neatly trimmed with mercerized piped edge; shown in all the new shades—scarlet, maroon, gray, green, taupe, tan, brown, navy and white; the most popular garment for everyday and outing wear. Regular \$5.00 values on sale at **\$3.69**

COUNTRY BOUND TO GO AHEAD

George Gould Says His Optimism Is Based on Cold Figures.

Baltimore, April 22.—George J. Gould, interviewed here about the business outlook, said:

"I am extremely 'bullish' on all conditions. While I have been on a vacation for some weeks, naturally I have been kept informed on the situation, and though perhaps not fully posted as to the details of the properties in which I may be interested I have a general knowledge of what is in sight. The outlook is bright and promising, and I am a bull. You can make this as strong as you please.

"We have gone through a severe strain, but I think the corner has been

turned and that the tide will now tend toward prosperity. Every indication points to this. My optimism is based on reports I have received and on conditions laid before me from all sections.

"Does this refer to railroad or to industrial and commercial affairs?" was asked.

"To all," he replied. "They are so closely interwoven that the success of one depends on the success of the others. The railroad cannot prosper if industries are idle. We find an improvement in traffic all along our lines. This means that the industries we serve must be at work and must be supplying the freight."

"The country is bound to go ahead. We can't stand still. While there may be brief periods of rest, the propulsion will again come. It is now coming. I can only repeat to you that I am a bull and look for bullish conditions from now on."

Wines and Liquors.

Special Friday only, \$1.50 Port, Sherry and Angelica, Muscatel or Tokay wine, 75c per gallon; \$4 whiskey, \$2.75 per gallon; \$4 brandy, \$2.75 per gallon; \$1 Old Crow or Hermitage whiskey, \$4.50 per gallon. Phones Main 6499 and A-4499. National Wine Co., Fifth and Stark streets. Free delivery.

Even a blind man could pick out a good lot at Gregory Heights. See ad under New Today.

WILL MEET TO PLAN CAMPAIGN

Tuberculosis Congress at Washington Next Month to Battle With Disease.

New York, April 22.—Announcement of the fifth annual meeting of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis was made today. The convention will be held in Washington, D. C., at the New Willard hotel, on May 12, 14 and 15. Owing to the present interest in the campaign against tuberculosis, the meeting will be of unusual interest and importance.

The various sections of the convention will meet simultaneously on Friday evening, May 14, a large public meeting will be held, which meeting will be of unusual interest and importance.

Booster is a Member.

The membership of the National association now numbers nearly 2000 and is distributed in almost every state in the United States. The National association has also a considerable membership in Canada, Cuba, Porto Rico, Philippine Islands, and in several of the European countries. Ex-President Roosevelt and Dr. William Osler are honorary vice-presidents of the National association. Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch of Boston is the president; Homer Folks of New York City, and Dr. Charles L. Minor of Asheville, N. C., are the vice-presidents; General George M. Sternberg of Washington, D. C., is treasurer; Dr. Henry Barton Jacobs of Baltimore is secretary. The National association is a non-profit-making organization. The various sections which will meet in convention at Washington are: Advisory council, Alexander M. Wilson of Chicago; sociological section, John M. Glenn of New York; clinical and climatological section, Dr. Lawrence Brown, Saranac Lake; pathological and bacteriological section, Dr. A. S. Warthin, Ann Arbor; surgical section, Dr. Rudolph Matas, New Orleans; and section of tuberculosis in children, Dr. John H. Lowman, Cleveland.

Association's Good Work.

The reports of the year's work of the National association will be presented at this meeting, showing a large amount of work accomplished by the organization. The most significant piece of work which the association has carried to completion during the past year was the meeting of the International congress on tuberculosis at Washington, D. C., where nearly 1000 delegates from 33 different countries were assembled. In preparation for this meeting, the National association issued a special directory of all of the tuberculosis associations and institutions in the United States and Canada. Another feature of the year's work of the National association has been its traveling exhibits. Three of these exhibits are now on display by the National association. One

is at the present time in Georgia, another in Kansas, and a third in Porto Rico. As a result of the efforts of these traveling exhibits, the legislatures of Kansas, Tennessee, Porto Rico and Nebraska have passed laws and appropriated nearly \$150,000 for the relief and prevention of tuberculosis. A large number of local associations have been formed in the various cities where the exhibits of the National association have been shown.

CHURCH TALENT TO GIVE RECITAL

A splendid musical and dramatic program will be given at the First Methodist church, corner Third and Taylor streets, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society, tomorrow night. The soloists will be: Mrs. Nettie Greer Taylor and Mrs. Helen Brigham Gregg, soprano; Miss Metta C. Brown and Miss Alice D. Juston, contraltos. Mrs. Sylvia R. McGuire will give one of her inimitable negro dialect readings. W. A. Carter will render an original dramatization of one of the latest of Ellis Parker Butler's sketches. Mrs. Percy W. Lewis will be heard for the first time in Portland as a dramatic reader. She will give one of Anthony Hope's "Dolly Dialogues," and two manuscript readings by California authors.

Hutchinson and his talented pupil, Miss Laura Fox, will be the accompanists for the evening. Mr. Hutchinson has charge of the incidentals, and will be used during the rendition of the second part of the program, an allegory, entitled, "The Seeker."

14-YEAR-OLD BOY MAY DIE OF DRINK

San Francisco, April 22.—William Norton, a 14-year-old boy, is in the Central emergency hospital here suffering from alcoholism. It is feared he will die. The lad was picked up by a policeman last night, unconscious. The police are endeavoring to discover where he procured the liquor.

Says Many Men Need Prescription

It is claimed to be a blessing to those who are physically impaired; gloomy, dependent, nervous and who have trembling of the limbs, dizziness, heart palpitation, cold hands and feet, insomnia, fear without cause, timidity in venturing and general inability to act rationally.

By preparing the treatment at home secretly, no one need know of another's trouble.

If the reader decides to try it, get three ounces of ordinary syrup of sarsaparilla compound, and one ounce compound field balmwort, mix and let stand two hours; then get one ounce compound essence cardiol and one ounce tincture cadonens compound (not cadonens); mix all together, shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at night.

BOB AND JOHN FRATERNIZE

Great Heavyweights Swap Compliments in Hotel at Stockton.

(United Press Licensed Wire.) Stockton, Cal., April 22.—"Fighting Bob" Evans and John L. Sullivan, two heavyweight champions, are basking in the warmth of mutual esteem. Compliments were exchanged by the two fighters in the lobby of a local hotel following an address which Evans delivered in this city. When the introduction was accomplished, Evans saluted Sullivan.

"I'm glad to know you, sir. It's a pleasure to know a good fighting man."

With a smile and a bow, John L. replied:

"But the pleasure is all mine, admiral, you are no small fighter yourself."

ENGINEERS DISCUSS STORAGE BATTERIES

The Portland members of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers held their regular monthly meeting in the Sherbrook building Tuesday evening. R. B. Daggett, manager of the San Francisco office of the Electric Storage Battery company, let in the discussion of J. L. Woodbridge's paper on the application of the storage batteries to the regulation of alternating current systems. Mr. Daggett came up from San Francisco to lead in the discussion, and explained the details of Mr. Woodbridge's paper. He also gave a very interesting synopsis of the paper as a whole, and the meeting extended him a vote of thanks.

E. R. Lundius of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company gave a description of the fire that occurred on March 26 in the company's main office in this city, giving his ideas of the cause of the fire, the location of its origin, the method of fighting the fire and the work necessary to put the system in commission again.

The membership of the Portland section is increasing at each meeting, and the attendance at each meeting is also growing.

MAILS FOR ALASKA WILL LEAVE MAY 10

Alaska's winter deadlock is broken. Steamer transportation to the Yukon will be possible after May 10. Mails that have been held up many months awaiting the time when it would be possible to make deliveries will be sent out of Seattle by the steamer Carlin on May 10, reads a bulletin sent the local railway mail division by A. J. Lashie, third assistant postmaster general.

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LANG The Ladies' Sample Suit Man Sixth Floor Marquam Bldg.

Dog Sentenced to Die.

A Trojan was sentenced to die in police court yesterday on a charge of having bitten a child. The dog was owned by a woman who lives in a rooming house on the corner of Franklin and Main streets. The dog was named "Trojan" and was a large, black and white dog. The child was a young girl named "Lillian" who was 5 years old. The dog bit her on the leg while she was playing in the yard. The dog's owner was fined \$100 and the dog was sentenced to die.