

**\$7.50 All Wool Sweaters, Slipon Style, Similar to lot sold last week, Monday \$5.95. Good quality Georgette Blouses \$5.75. Voile Waists \$1.75**

**You're Invited to Visit the Mezzanine Floor Where Lower Prices Prevail on Misses', Young Ladies' and Women's Fall Coats. Nothing over \$25**

**HOUSE DRESSES**

Good assortment of Women's Gingham House Dresses in plain colors, plaids and stripes, an exceptionally moderate price at this time. The material in these dresses would cost you more than you'll have to pay for the ready-to-wear garment Monday.

**Special \$3.75**

*Portland Cloak and Suit Co.*  
 COURT & COMMERCIAL STS. (The Old White Corner)  
**Salem's Greatest Womens Apparel Store**

**GINGHAM DRESSES**

Fresh new garments, every one of them made up in good quality Amoskeg Gingham, pretty plaids and stripes in a large assortment of styles, many with white collars and cuffs, practically all sizes

**Special \$4.75**

**WOMEN'S NEW COATS, COATEES, SUITS, DRESSES WAISTS, MILLINERY AND FURS!**



**EARLY Fall Arrivals**



By coming to this store for your new Fall Suit, Coat, Cape, Waist, Dress or Hat, you have the chance of choosing from the largest and most exclusive stock in Salem. Moreover a comparison of garments and prices will convince you that ours are invariably correct. You'll find here in our large and carefully selected stock styles and sizes for all types and figures, including little women and those who wear the larger sizes.

**Our Annual Fall Opening Will Occur Friday and Saturday, August 29-30, 1919.**

**For particulars watch our ads, and see window display.**

**NEW FALL BLOUSES**

Most characteristic of the new fall blouses is the round neckline, but it never becomes monotonous by repetition—it is always set off in a variety of charming ways. Blouses of this kind fasten in back or side, usually leaving a front panel, some decorated in beads, embroidery, pin tucks, etc.

**New Arrivals of Arrow Waists**

In Georgette crepe will grace our displays tomorrow. Taupe, Nile, Turquoise, blue, flesh, Bisque and white blouses, will be shown Monday. Prices range from

**\$5.75 And Upward**

Other Georgette and crepe de chine waists, various styles and colors. Specially priced..... \$6.75 to \$15.00

**NEW VOILE WAISTS**

\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50 and up to \$4.50

**NEW FALL AND WINTER COATS**

**MODERATELY PRICED FROM \$19.75 to \$110**

Hundreds of new Fall and Winter coats are here for women and misses. Serge, velours, plush, Bolivia, broadcloth and Pom Pom are preferred materials. Some full lined, others half lined, others unlined. Loose and belted models in great array. Large self cape or fur collars—these last of ermine, natural racoon, natural or dyed opossum, Australian opossum, natural or dyed lynx, etc., Brown, Pekin, reindeer, taupe, plum, Burgundy, navy and green. Ranging in price from

**\$19.75 to \$1.10**

**WOMEN'S NEW FALL SUITS**

**SPECIALY PRICED**

Here are suits from America's best makers, in a multitude of smart styles for street and dress occasions. Some are plain tailored models. Others in novelty styles. Many with large collars trimmed with furs and plush. Others trimmed with braid, materials are serges, broadcloths, burillas, velours, gabardines and mixtures in prevailing colors.

High grade Fall and Winter Suits for women and misses up to the minute models, in best of materials and colors ranging in price from

**\$29.50 to \$85**

**NEW DRESSES IN ABUNDANCE**

**\$23.50 to \$75**

New fall dresses of Georgette, Tricotine, Navy Serges, Satin and Wool Jersey Materials in prevailing colors. Made with new loose panels and wide girldle effect some silk embroidered and trimmed with soutache braid. Others with newest fringe and sash trimmings, specially priced at from

**\$23.50 to \$75**

**AUTUMN MILLINERY EXPOSITION Latest Models in Trimmed Hats**

An exposition of autumn styles in dress hats neatly trimmed, portraying the newest creations from the foremost artists.

Many of those beautiful new hats will be shown for the first time tomorrow.

Various styles to select from all new and different, some are faced with Satin or Georgette Crepe, large, small and medium shapes, in all the prevailing colors. If you are interested in the new models you will find here just the kind of Hats that will be worn the coming season at prices ranging from \$4.50 up to \$17.50. Special New Hats like the one shown above, only..... \$7.50

**NEW SKIRTS**

**\$6.75 to \$17.50**

Splendid lot of womens new skirts in navy blue serge, rich plaid and Velours, box and side pleats, particularly attractive are those new models made up in a variety of materials and colors suitable for street wear.

**Silk Petticoats at \$4.25**

Taffeta is the material of most of these petticoats, but there are a few messallines in the lot and some with messaline flounces and elastic tops.

All have full flounces, variously gathered and shired, and some have tiny accordion-pleated ruffles at the foot.

Other new taffeta silk petticoats in a splendid assortment of colors and sizes.

**\$5.50, \$5.95 \$7.50**

**Sateen Petticoats \$1.48**

Black and colored Sateen and Heatherbloom flounced petticoats, all sizes. Special

**\$1.48**



Offered at a time when our stock is at the top notch of completeness, a fur sale that you could take advantage of, if you are interested in buying good furs at prices that will save you money.

**FUR PRICES THAT END WITH THE MONTH—FOR AFTER AUGUST 30 THEY MUST GO UP TO NORMAL. Included in this sale are Fancy Mole Capes, Hudson Seal, Fox, Wolf, Black Lynx, Squirrel, and Jap Mink Scarfs, Capes, Stoles, etc., all offered this week without limit or restriction, away below regular values. Special attention directed to our showing of Scarfs and Animal Furs, ranging in price from..... \$9.50 to \$75**

Here then is the significance of this sale to you. You may buy your furs now and save 20 to 50 per cent on regular prices. You may wait until after the sale and pay the regular prices. Or you may wait until later in the fall or winter and pay the still higher prices that are bound to come.

**A small deposit will reserve any furs sold this week, for delivery later.**

In the recent great raw fur auctions in New York, attended by fur dealers from all over the world, advances of 75 to 100 per cent were reported in the prices of furs, due to the pelt scarcity and the unprecedented demand for furs in Europe.

Every day almost, fur prices are sharply advancing but notwithstanding the continual increase, the prices at which furs are marked to sell at the Portland Coat and Suit Company's store, up to August 30th are most reasonable, later shipments will no doubt be much higher.

**OWNERSHIP BY BROTHERHOODS IS DENOUNCED**

**Herrick Declares Plan Would Endanger Liberties of American People**

**EXPERIENCE IS CITED**

**Suggestion of Workers Surprises Executive Who Fears Radicalism**

(Associated Press) CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 23.—Myron T. Herrick of this city, member of the Executive Committee of the National Association of Owners of Railroad Securities, declared in a statement today that "the turning over of the vast system of railroad lines to the control of the government, and through the government to the control of organized labor, would be a long step toward the establishment in this country of an autocratic power that would imperil the liberties of the American people."

Mr. Herrick, who was formerly governor of Ohio and American ambassador to France, is a banker, director of the Erie Railroad and of the New York Life Insurance Company.

**Past Experience Cited**

Mr. Herrick asserted in his statement that "the experience of the last two years with the railroads, as with the telegraph and telephone lines is ample proof that there is neither sufficiency nor economy in government control. He said that such control and operation would defeat the purpose for which the railroad brotherhoods were established and that it would involve a huge addition to the public debt as the value of the railroads was estimated at \$17,000,000,000.

Referring to the agitation by railroad employees through the offices of their organizations in favor of government ownership of the roads, Mr. Herrick said:

"This propaganda will not be favorably received by the people of this country who, as always, must pay the bill. The deficit incurred in less than two years of federal operation is already more than \$500,000,000 and is mounting at the rate of \$1,000,000 a day in spite of sharp increases in freight and passenger rates. Directly or indirectly, in taxes, freight charges and increase in the cost of goods the burden of that deficit falls on the people and contributes in tremendous measure to the oppressively high cost of living. In the face of that showing who could conscientiously wish to perpetuate governmental control of the railroads?"

**Surprised at Brotherhoods**

"I cannot believe the brotherhoods have thoroughly considered the consequences that would follow government ownership or that they have prepared to exercise this great power. Their present propaganda is wholly at variance with the character of their organizations and with their long and honorable history."

To add the cost of the railroads to the government's debt, Mr. Herrick said, "would weaken the government borrowing power, depreciate further government securities and increase the rate at which the government can borrow. He pointed out that the war had added \$20,000,000,000 to the public debt in two years and that the annual interest charge alone is now almost equal to the whole annual expense of the national government before the war. "To buy the railroads and double the national debt would be exceedingly unwise," said Mr. Herrick. "It would simply multiply the principal and interest which the people must pay."

**Business Depends on Roads**

"Uncertainty in business will not cease until the railroad problem is solved," asserted Mr. Herrick. "Every delay means tremendous loss to the country. All the billions of wealth owned by the people of the United States are to go forward or backward, dependent upon the legislation which is just ahead. A mistake will threaten the whole financial structure."

Mr. Herrick said that he believed the best plan yet presented for solving the railroad question was that presented to congress by the national association of owners of railroad securities. This plan, he said, provides for a fixed percentage return to the roads and that where a road makes a profit in excess of 6 per cent the excess shall be divided between the government, the employees and the railroad. In his opinion this plan protected all interests—the public, the shippers, employees, and owners.

**Radicalism Denounced**

"The time for experiments has passed" said Mr. Herrick. "The government has followed fads and fancies far enough. Now let us forget partisan and politics and devise a practical plan for the business-like management of our great vehicles of commerce giving men of experience and vision a chance to exercise their abilities. Radical experimentation is unthinkable."

**AMERICANISM.**

President Harry Pratt Judson, of the University of Chicago, at a banquet given in his honor, said: "Americanism is not determined by the blood in your veins or the place where you were born. Americanism is the spirit, the heart and soul that you have. We face the greatest problem ever confronting the world—the problem of peace and reconstruction. We should start with one common language in our schools and colleges—the English language. Our language means a great deal in the unity of a nation, and unity we must and will have."

**SWEATERS**

Wool Sweaters and Sport Coats in the most attractive styles of the season. Plain weaves or fancy, as you prefer. Some have tuxedo front and belt or tie sash. Large selection of styles in every wanted color and in various combinations. Prices range from \$5.95 to \$15.00

**FIBER SILK SWEATERS**

These have a beautiful silky finish and are very popular for street and sport wear. Many smart styles and all the wanted colors.

**SILK SWEATERS**

Sweaters of pure silk. Shown in the very latest fall styles and exquisite colorings.....\$15.75

**FALL AND WINTER APPAREL DISPLAYS**

**Of Unusual Beauty**

Featuring New and Attractive Modes Which Dame Fashion Has Proclaimed "Correct."

Displays of Ready-to-Wear were never more interesting than at the present time. Added to our already splendid assortments are many new models, just arrived, bringing with them new originations which Dame Fashion has highly approved. It would be impossible to present an assemblage of apparel that more truly portrays the vogue—and then you'll find our prices unequalled for lowness, quality, style and finish considered.