

Our 24th Annual Clearance Sale Easily Leads in Underpricing

That we are originators, leaders and pioneers is a fact strengthened by this sale. In comparison with imitative events it stands forth because of its superior inducements. Here economies are greater, qualities better, varieties larger, stocks fresher, newer and more desirable. We are willing to part with our goods at a loss if necessary in order to sustain our policy of starting seasons with new stocks. For that reason Clearance Values are here by far the most worthy. We drop prices deepest. Note these offerings and you will realize the fact that unequalled savings await you here.

1-2 Price--Wool Penants--1-2 Price

By going through our dress goods stock we find a lot of short lengths in all colors, have placed these in our "Remnant Pile" at a great reduction. They are good lengths for children's dresses, etc.

1-2 PRICE--WOOL REMNANTS--1-2 PRICE.

50c DRESS GOODS 20c

A lot of Dress Goods in plaids, plain colors, etc., in good widths and weights, for children's dresses and the like. During our Clearance Sale this lot 50c Dress Goods will go for 20c

ONE LOT SILKS 25c

We cannot say too much of this assortment of silks, because the value is far above the price we are asking. We add to this assortment every day so as to keep it fresh and new. Come get you a silk dress or waist at a big reduction. Silks 25c

\$20.00 WOMEN'S SUITS \$8.59

One special lot—plain serges and fancy mixtures. Made in plain tailored models. Your choice \$8.59

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OUTING GOWNS.

Outing gowns of best quality outing flannel made extra full cut.
98c Values will go for 69c
\$1.15 Values will go for 90c
\$1.50 Values will go for \$1.13
\$2.00 Values will go for \$1.59
\$3.00 Robes will go for \$1.78

\$5.00 DRESS SKIRTS \$3.79

Misses' dress skirts in all colors, serges and panama, made in the latest model, just the thing for school wear \$5.00 values \$3.79

\$1.50 CORSETS 98c

One lot of about twenty fine corsets all up-to-date models, low bust, long hips; all sizes. Clearance price 98c

40c 18-IN. FLOUNCING 18c

18-in. flouncing and corset cover embroidery; many patterns to choose from. Clearance price 18c

25c, 35c AND 50c COLLARS 10c

One lot of Dutch collars, stocks and jabots, soiled and mused. Clearance price 10c

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Lipton's Jelly Tablets, special, 3 pkgs 18c

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5 pounds good Walnuts \$1.00

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TESTS ARE NOT INFALLIBLE.

Finger-Tip Evidence Found Not to Be So Accurate But Doubt Remains.

New York—The value of finger prints in evidence will have a practical test as a result of the action of Police Captain Joseph Faurot, Assistant District Attorney Breckenridge and Mark Alter, a lawyer, yesterday. The three men appeared before Magistrate Appleton, in the Jefferson Market Court, in the case of Henry Millings, No. 3 East 100th street, who is accused of having assisted in a burglary on November 30 in a building at No. 84 East Twenty-ninth street.

In searching for evidence Captain Faurot found finger prints on a safe. He photographed them. In court he testified that a comparison of the prints on file indicated that Millings' fingers left the impression.

Mr. Alter, counsel for Millings, denied the charge of burglary, but, he said, granting that the prints on the safe were from Millings' fingers, there was nothing to show that the man had not been in the building a week before the burglary on legitimate business and accidentally touched the safe. Captain Faurot said the impression was left within a day or two, declaring that the moisture left on an object would dry soon and no imprint would be visible.

To determine how long a print will remain, Captain Faurot, Mr. Alter and

Mr. Breckenridge left impressions of their fingers on the court safe. The clerk was ordered to put a barrier around the safe for five days, when it was agreed the impressions should be photographed if they were still in existence. To make double sure of his theory Captain Faurot had the experience repeated at headquarters. Millings was held pending the result of the test.

OLD ENGLAND'S MONEY-MAKER

Her Great Mint in 1910 Turned Out Coin by Millions of Pounds.

London.—A wealth of figures such as would deeply impress even a Croesus are as usual contained in the annual report of the deputy master and comptroller of the mint. Among the items it appears that the gold coins received and weighed at the Bank of England during the year amounted to 53,392,985 pieces, as compared with 54,853,882 in 1909. The percentage of light sovereigns was lower than in the previous year, while that of half-sovereigns showed a slight rise.

The demand by the Bank of England for silver coin amounted to more than double that of 1909, and reached a figure, namely, 1,065,490 pounds—which has not been exceeded since 1889 and 1890. Of the total, 470,900 represented shillings.

The crown piece, which has not been coined since 1902 and the dou-

ble-florin, which has not been issued since 1890, may now be considered to be definitely abandoned as denominations of the silver token currency. The general account of expenses and receipts for 1910 shows a profit of 1,505,939, as against 85,951 pounds in the previous year.

There was a startling increase in the number of persons charged under the coinage offenses act, there being altogether 181 convictions. About 3256 pieces of counterfeit coin were taken possession of by the police. The deputy master has prepared an estimate of the amount of gold coin in the United Kingdom at the end of 1910. He puts the figure at 113,000,000 pounds.

LONG FORGOTTEN BY DEATH.

Polish Relic of Eighteenth Century Has No Living Contemporaries.

Berlin.—The claim of Frau Dutkiewitz of Posen, born on February 21, 1785, to be the oldest woman in the oldest woman in the world is now contested by Mrs. Baba Vasilka, who was born in May, 1784, in the little village of Bavel'ski, where she lived ever since. The record of her birth is preserved in a neighboring monastery of orthodox Greek faith. She is the daughter of a peasant and has worked herself as a peasant up till a comparatively recent date. For more than 100 years she regularly worked in the fields, according to the custom of her country, where women are employed in all sorts of manual labor.

The events of her life up to the time when she attained the age of 80 are far more distinctly impressed on her mind than the happenings of the last forty-six years.

Her son, Tobor, following the family tradition, has also worked in the fields as a peasant all his life, but he has also taken part in various wars and rebellions in the Balkan peninsula. He is not quite so fresh and vigorous as his mother, although he is still capable of doing a good day's work and enjoying such small luxuries of life as a pipe and the strong spirits drunk by the Bulgarian populace.

The oldest woman in the world is said to enjoy fairly good eyesight and good hearing, and she is able to walk without support. She lives on a pension paid to her by many of her descendants, who number more than 100.

HE SMOKES CIGARETTES 115 YEARS, DIES AT 127

Navajo, Sonora.—Pablo Moreno, reported to be 127 years of age, died here. He had smoked cigarettes for 115 years and always lived on coarse food. He had never seen a railroad train or an automobile.

DEATH PENALTY IN OREGON IS DOOMED

GOVERNOR WEST BELIEVES PEOPLE WILL VOTE IT DOWN

Receives Statistics From Other States Which Have Abolished Capital Punishment. Showing That The Effect Has Been Satisfactory.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 2.—Governor Oswald West feels sure that in 1913 the people of Oregon will approve by votes at the polls his belief that capital punishment is wrong. He has received statistics and expressions of other governors from all over the United States approving his own decision that there shall be no more hangings in Oregon so long as he is governor unless the people at the next general election vote to continue the enforcement of the capital punishment law.

"These figures and telegrams from other governors prove," said Governor West, "not only that capital punishment has not been a deterrent of crime in the states where it is practiced, but that crime has decreased in the state where capital punishment has been abolished and less barbarous and more humanitarian methods of punishment substituted."

Against Hangings.

Governor Stubbs of Kansas—Kansas has not had a legal hanging in 40 years. Sentiment unanimous against capital punishment. Statistics positively favor this movement.

Governor Osborn of Michigan.—It is my opinion that the anti-capital punishment law now in vogue in this state is an unqualified success. It has conducted to more satisfactory results and better conditions in the administration of criminal justice. I am sure that Michigan would not revert to old conditions. Records show no increase in crime since hanging has been abolished.

Governor Porter of Rhode Island—No increase in crime is attributed to the abolishment of capital punishment 40 years ago. No concerted effort has ever been made to revert to former methods.

Duncan McGregor, private secretary of governor of Wisconsin—Wisconsin abolished capital punishment 50 years ago. Present plan entirely satisfactory.

These same telegrams were used by H. G. Cattell, who introduced a bill to do away with capital punishment in California at the last legislative session of that state.

Innocent Man Executed. It is recorded that the reason Rhode Island did away with capital punishment was because 40 years ago an innocent man was hanged.

Capital punishment was abolished in Maine in 1887 when two innocent men were saved just on the steps of the scaffold by the confession of the guilty man.

Governor Marshall of Indiana has declared against capital punishment and by commuting sentences shown that there will be no more hangings in Indiana while he is governor.

In Kansas the capital punishment law was repealed three years ago as a dead letter, there never having been a legal hanging in the state.

Thirty-two death sentences have been commuted in North Carolina in the last 10 years.

California has had 47 legal hangings and 12 sentences have been commuted.

"Other states are turning from capital punishment," said Governor West, "I cannot understand why or how Oregon people, citizens of one of the most enlightened and progressive states in the union, should persist in legalizing hangings."

Voters' Responsible. "The man who enters the polls to vote yes or no on the abolishing of capital punishment will be under a personal responsibility greater than

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that of the man who sits on a murder case as jurymen.

"The voter," so far as he is concerned, votes not only on the continued legalization of capital punishment by the state but determines whether in this Christian era of humanitarianism we shall persist in the use of the methods of the dark and barbarous ages in the punishment of criminals.

"It is for that reason," added Governor West, "that I believe that the people as a whole would better bear the burden of saying by a vote at the polls whether we shall continue to have capita punishment in Oregon."

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What's the Matter With Your Baby?

The young mother—and many an old one, too—is often puzzled to know the cause of her child's ill nature. The loudness of its crying does not necessarily indicate the seriousness of its trouble. It may have nothing more the matter with it than a headache or a feeling of general dullness. It cannot, of course, describe its feelings but as a preliminary measure you are safe in trying a mild laxative.

Nine times out of ten you will find it is all the child needs, for its restlessness and peevishness are perhaps due to obstruction of the bowels, and once that has been remedied the headache, the sluggishness and the many other evidences of constipation and indigestion will quickly disappear.

Don't give the little one salts, cathartic pills or nasty waters, for these will act as purgatives, and they are too strong for a child. In the families of Mrs. S. S. Slaughter, 1225

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