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Our New Fall Line

Of clothing is now ready for your inspection. We have bedrock values for you. Don't buy a suit for yourself or your boy till you see our line. Those



Shoes give the best of satisfaction and the styles are right up to date. We sell more shoes than most shoe stores. There's a reason for it. Our spot cash plan of business enables us to sell at smaller profits than any store doing a credit business. You'll need a suit of warm underwear for these cool evenings. Best line in the city at

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Choice of Any Tan Shoe \$2.90 in the Store A Pr.

Ladies' Louis Heel Cloth Top, formerly \$4.00 a pair. Ladies' Low Heel Kid and Cloth Top, former price, \$3.50 a pair. Men's Humane \$1.00 Shoe; also Men's Cloth Top, former price, \$4.00. Only a limited supply. Call while we have your size. The only place for good shoes cheap.

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5c Yd.

Jos. Meyers & Sons

Amoskeag Gingham, 6c Yd.

... Read Our Price List ...

We fully intended to move into our fine new store about September 1st and made large purchases on that account. The goods have arrived and our new store is not ready for occupancy and will not be until January 1st. So in order to dispose of the goods we have adopted the Special Price scheme and marked them all with red figures at greatly reduced prices.

Best Standard Calicoes
5c Yard.

Allen's Prints
Simpson's Prints
American Indigos
Garner's Prints
Hamilton Prints
Merrinack Prints

Best Amoskeag Apron Gingham, 6c Yd.

Best Casticell Spool Silk 100 yard spools 3c for 25 cents
Best Large Spool Twist 4 for 15c.

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Good Quality..... 8c yd.
Medium Quality..... 9c yd.
Heaviest made..... 11c yd.

Heavy Cotton Blankets
55c Pair.

Best qualities of Cotton Batting at lowest prices.

Ladies' Wraps

We have this year the very best Jackets and Capes that science and labor can produce for the price.

Browns..... \$4.60
Blacks Special.....

Our Special Line

Red, Black..... \$6.85
Castor, Tan.....
Blue, Brown.....

A line of Capes and Jackets, purchased especially for this Sale.

They are strongest values in Oregon.

LATEST STYLES IN LADIES SUITS. \$6.95

Send in Your Mail Orders

Men's Suits

This seasons products in all wool business and working suits, exceptional values.

\$7.50 a Suit

Navy Blue Serges, Black, Clay Worsted, Fancy Cassimeres, Tricots, and Chevots.

Special Offerings at \$10 a Suit

Hats

Men's Black Fedoras..... \$1.00
Men's Round Tops in Tans, Pearls and Blacks..... \$1.50
The Famous Garden Hat..... \$3.00
Special lines 50c and up.

Shirts

Work Shirts..... 22c, 40c
Press Shirts..... 40c, 91c
A Special Line of Fancyes worth \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00. Special 75c.

THE CRISIS IS AVERTED

Diplomacy is Dealing With the Matter of Evacuating Peking.

MORE HARMONY AMONG POWERS

Correspondents in the Orient Assert That China is to Be Disembled by Germany and Russia.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The crisis that was near at hand yesterday over the evacuation proposal of the Russian Government, has been averted, for a time at least, and the diplomatic side of the matter has again become the object of attention. The order to General Chaffee to leave at once, which was expected in some quarters, did not issue today, instead earnest efforts are making to arrange preliminaries for negotiations which are expected finally to settle the Chinese troubles. Li Hung Chang's message today removed, perhaps, the last obstacle to a speedy beginning of these negotiations, and the only doubt that now exists is as to his ability to redeem his pledge to protect American interests and stop outrages on missionaries and native converts. If he can do this, and thus manifest the existence of a de facto Government, there is no reason to doubt that the negotiations will be immediately in order. The notice that the Russian troops will not evacuate Peking and some arrangements have been made for the installation of a Government to take charge of affairs, is directly in line with the aim the State Department has been pursuing in the exchanges with Li Hung Chang, and if this decision is adhered to, it certainly will facilitate the ultimate withdrawal of all foreign troops.

TO PROTECT AMERICANS.
Washington, Sept. 13.—Minister Wu has received a telegram from Li Hung Chang answering the hope expressed in the American note of a few days ago that his powers are sufficient to protect American lives and interests in China. Earl Li says he has that power and will see that the protection is given.

WANTS EARL LI.
Peking, Sept. 13.—Prince Ching, during the course of interviews with the Ministers yesterday, informed them that while he has power to negotiate he cannot act without Li Hung Chang. An urgent request has been telegraphed to Li Hung Chang, asking that he should come to Peking. Marquis Tsing states that nothing can be done until the arrival of the Emperor.

TO DIVIDE CHINA.
London, Sept. 14. No further light is thrown, this morning, upon Li Hung Chang's movements. The Times has a dispatch from Peking, dated September 14, which says in part: "Russia has decided to withdraw her Legation from Peking, leaving a purely military command. The official announcement of this is expected today. Other powers will also presumably withdraw their Legations, leaving Peking under the military control of the allies during the winter, at least."

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"In the best informed quarters the opinion is expressed that Russia and Germany are acting in accord. Russia seeking a definite annexation of all territory west of the great wall, and Germany the annexation of Shan Tung, Kiang Su and the Yang Tse provinces. The dismemberment of China seems almost inevitable."

The Shanghai correspondent of the Times, writing Wednesday, confirms the reports of an uneasy feeling there concerning Germany's intentions toward the Yang Tse provinces.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says he is in a position to assert positively that the Russian troops in Manchuria are preparing for a winter campaign.

STILL FLEEING.
Shanghai, Tuesday, Sept. 11.—From a reliable source it is ascertained that the Empress Dowager, Emperor Kwang Hsu and Prince Tuan are at Ta Tung, in the province of Shang Si, where they will remain for a short time, after which, if not disturbed, they will proceed southward to Tai Yuan in the same province.

CONFESSED THE MURDER.
Peking, Sept. 3.—The Japanese have arrested the assassin of Baron von Kotteler, the late German Minister to China. The assassin, who has been handed over to the Germans by the Japanese, has confessed his guilt. He was arrested for trying to sell to a Japanese officer a watch with initials which he admitted taking from the body of Baron von Kotteler. He afterwards admitted the crime, saying that the Imperial Government ordered the commission of the crime.

EASE AND DISEASE.
A Short Lesson on the Meaning of a Familiar Word.

Disease is the opposite of ease. Webster defines disease as "lack of ease, uneasiness, trouble, vexation, disorder." It is a condition due to some derangement of the physical organism. A vast majority of the "diseases" from which people suffer is due to impure blood. Disease of this kind is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla which purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula, salt rheum, pimples and all eruptions. It tones the stomach and creates a good appetite, and it gives vigor and vitality to the whole body. It reverses the condition of things, giving health, comfort and "ease" in place of "disease."

HOMELESS AND HUNGRY.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 13.—Houston is now the haven of the unfortunate people of Galveston. Trains have already brought in between 800 and 1000 of the survivors, and a motley crowd they are. Men who are emaciated, hatless and coatless, with swollen feet and bruised and blackened bodies and heads were numerous. Women of wealth and refinement, frequently hatless and shoeless, with gowns in shreds were among the refugees. Sometimes there would be a man, wife and a child or two, but these cases were rare, nearly all of those who came in having suffered the loss of one or more members of their family.

Never were there so many sad hearts. Men bereft of their wives and children; women who were widowed; children who were parentless—it was enough to touch the heart of any one, and it did so. Never was there more heroic shown. Although a week ago these people had happy homes, they are now homeless and penniless. They bore up bravely. True they all wore sad expressions, but there was no whimpering, no complaining. They were all made to feel that Houston is now their home, that they are well come, and that everything for their comfort and welfare is being done. They are being housed and fed, and those in need of medical attention are placed in the hospitals, where they receive every care.

Many of the refugees to reach Houston have tasted little or no food since the storm.

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE.

LOW WAGES CAUSE THE PENNSYLVANIA DISTURBANCE.

Some of the Causes of Dissatisfaction Set Out by President Mitchell in a Public Statement.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 13.—President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, has issued to the public a statement giving the causes that have lead up to the strike in the anthracite fields. Among other things the statement says that the average wages of the anthracite miner, for many years, have been less than \$250 annually. During that period the cost of many necessities of life have been increased over 20 per cent. The increase in the cost of living without a corresponding increase in wages, is equivalent to a reduction wages.

The laws of the state of Pennsylvania make 2,400 pound a ton of anthracite coal, yet the anthracite coal miners are compelled to mine from 2,700 to 4,000 pounds for a ton, and are docked exorbitant amounts for any impurities sent out in the coal. Where paid by the car, they have been compelled to increase the amount of coal in each car by building the same perpendicularly from sixteen to eighteen inches above the edge. They are compelled to purchase powder from their employers, paying \$2.75 per keg for powder that can be purchased elsewhere for \$1.50 per keg.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Want Always Bought
Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*

A HORROR IN GALVESTON

Disinfectants Urgently Needed to Save What is Left of the Population.

Dead Bodies Floating Ashore Create a New Terror—Efforts Made to Rehabilitate the City—Work of Relief Continues, and Efforts Made to Open Transportation Lines.

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 13.—The cry still comes from Galveston for disinfectants. It is the one hope of saving what is left of the population. Telegrams are pouring into every Texas city, asking for lime, carbolic acid and anything that will operate to purify the air.

A new horror is confronting Galveston—a second disposition of many of the dead. Bodies, thrown into the sea, are floating back to the city. They must now be disposed of by burning. Disinfectants become more needful as a consequence of this new feature in the situation.

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 13.—Galveston is beginning slowly to recover from the stunning blow of last week, and though the city appears tonight pitifully desolate, the authorities are setting their forces to work, and a start has been made toward a resumption of business on a moderate scale.

The presence of the troops has had a beneficial effect upon the criminal archy no longer exists. The further the ruins are dug into the greater becomes the increase in the list of those who perished.

On the lower bench, yesterday, a searching party found a score of corpses within a small area, going to show that the bulk of the debris that lies across the island conceals many more bodies than have been accounted for. Here and there business men have already put men to work to repair the damage, but in the main the commercial interests seem unable to follow the lead of those who show faith in the rapid rehabilitation of the island city.

It is difficult to say, as yet, what the ultimate effect of the disaster is to be on the city. Many people have left, and some may never return. The experiences of others still here were so frightful that all will not remain if they can find occupation in other cities.

The bulk of the population, however, is only temporarily panic-stricken, and there are nostis who helped to make Galveston prosperous who look upon the catastrophe as involving only a temporary halt in the advancement of the city.

Among the worst sufferers by the disaster were the churches. Some of them are entirely wrecked beyond repair.

The work of relief continues. Mayor Jones and associates are bending every nerve to open a direct line of transportation with Houston, by which they may promptly receive a great quantity of provisions now on the way to the city.

WHOLE FAMILY DEAD.
La Junta, Colo., Sept. 13.—C. J. Sealey, a young man of Galveston, Texas, who is in this city, has received a telegram from the Mayor of Galveston, informing him of the death of twenty-one of his relatives, among whom are his mother, two sisters and three brothers. He said today that he did not believe he had a relative left on earth.

STATIONS WRECKED.
Washington, Sept. 13.—The keeper and five of the crew of the Galveston life-saving station have landed at Texas City. One surf-man and the keeper's wife are missing. The keeper of the San Luis station, wife and children, and two surf-men, have arrived at Galveston and report the station wrecked. Four surfmen were left in the wrecked building.

HELP FROM PARIS.
Paris, Sept. 13.—At a meeting here today, the Americans raised 50,000 francs in fifteen minutes, for the Galveston sufferers. The French papers have also opened subscription lists.

NEW YORK SENDS AID.
New York, Sept. 13.—The subscriptions in this city, to date, for the relief of Galveston sufferers, totals over \$134,000.

CHICAGO HEARD FROM.
Chicago, Sept. 13.—Over \$100,000 has been sent from here to the Galveston sufferers, besides a trainload of supplies. The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway sent a check for \$15,000.

FROM KANSAS CITY.
Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 13.—This city has sent \$10,000 and a large amount of supplies to the Texas sufferers. Next Sunday a special collection for sufferers will be made by the Salvation Army all over the United States.

FROM THE COAST.
San Francisco, Sept. 13.—Over \$8000 has been subscribed for the Galveston relief fund.

McKINLEY IN CANTON.
Canton, O., Sept. 13.—President and Mrs. McKinley arrived in Canton this evening. They expect to remain here some time.

SURPRISED CHINAMEN.
Peking, Sept. 5, via Taku, Sept. 10.—A troop of American cavalry, sent to act as a convoy for cattle, surprised 300 Imperialists quartered at the Temple Shaho. They killed 30 and captured 120 rifles. The enemy fled northward. Boxes recently attacked two companies of Russians who were guarding a railway working party at the South Maipo station. Reinforcements succeeded in dispersing the attacking party. Two of the Russians were wounded. As this was not the first occasion when attacks of this nature have occurred, a punitive force under Colonel Pretieffoff was sent with orders to burn the surrounding towns.

SERIOUSLY CONSIDERED.
Chicago, Sept. 13.—The anthracite coal miners' strike was the subject of serious consideration at the Republican National headquarters today. Senator Hanna and Vice Chairman Payne held a long conference with the resident members of the advisory committee, as to the best steps to take, that a political color be not given the industrial difficulty in Pennsylvania.

PROFITABLE POSTOFFICES.
San Francisco, Sept. 13.—Postoffice inspectors M. H. Flint and H. B. Hall have returned from Honolulu, where they have been for the past three months organizing a postoffice system throughout the islands. They established 81 offices, and the profits for two months and 17 days were \$17,500.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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Pedigreed Belgian Hares at \$1.00 to \$50 Each.....

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Score 94 3-4, By Gore
Service Fee \$5.

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Does and litters cheap. Does bred and unbred. Plenty of youngsters ready to sell in pairs, or singly.

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