The Shoe Situation

What would you do if no Shoes could be Had?

The situation has not reached that stage but is

Last year the U. S. exported \$119,000,000 worth of shoes and the pace continues.

Leather has advanced from 18c a square foot to

Heavy Leather is in great demand for saddlery

The killing of small goats and lambs has been

prohibited by Austria, Bulgaria and other coun-

tries that formerly furnished large quantities of

Leather formerly used in shoe tonques and of the

The biggest shoe factory in Chicago using mil-

Many shoe manufacturers have called their traveling men back home as the situation is so uncertain as to supplies, and every mer-

These are a few facts facing the merchant and

We handle the Florsheim Shoe which is generally acknowledged among the trade to be at the

The popular price is Five Dollars and we have special leathers and makes at six and seven

In a measure we have anticipated the present

orders last Fall for this Spring delivery.

Up to the present time we are giving the same

We could not replace our present stock of Flor-

At present we have a very large and beautiful

the past and at no increase in prices.

situation and bought freely when placing our

high quality of leather and workmanship as in

sheims for less than a dollar a pair advance.

stock to select from and we admire the

financial sagacity of several of our customers

who have recently been buying two pairs in-

stead of one. It shows they are posted on

HAMMON BISHOP CO.

The "Toggery"-Leading Clothiers

it is right the consumer should understand

further supply is to come from.

chant is eager to buy.

top for quality and value.

the situation.

dollars.

cheap variety is now used in ladies' shoes

and the price is three times as high as

lions of dollars worth of leather annually.

has leather enough for six weeks ahead. When exhausted they don't know where their

such that one stops to think.

over 40 cents.

and war uses.

such hides.

formerly.

Hides are becoming very scarce.

LISTEN! Don't You All Want to BLOSSOM OU



On Easter Morning?

Certainly you do, then make tracks to the Chicago Store. Grab up these specials that I have made for Saturday's selling. Think! Stop and consider what you can save on Easter apparel during this sale. New Spring Suits, Coats Silks, Wool Dress Goods, Millinery, Domestics, etc. You are hereby requested to lay aside all business and excuses during my stay at the Chicago Store and appear here every day between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. and ascertain the price reductions on all merchandise. If you fail to do so you will deem your self loser of good hard cash that otherwise you could have saved. REMEMBER that Easter is only a few days off.

Extra Special—Boys* Wool Knicker-

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Extra Special Silk

COTTON BLANKETS

Special lot of Wool Finish Cotton Blankets, werth \$2.00 regular, the pair

25c BURLAP

Special lot of best quality Burlap, sold regular at 25c the yard, special, the yard

15c PILLOW CASES

Special lot of Pilow Cases, good quality, standard size, sold at 15c regular; now marked at 50c UNDERWEAR

Special lot of Men's 50c Balbriggan Underwear is now marked at, garment

CHILDREN'S HOSE

Special lot of Children's Hose, pink, blue and black-a 25c value, marked at the pair

MUSLIN UNDER-WEAR DEPT.

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, worth up to 75c regular, Ladies' Corset Covers, worth to 75c and 85c

regular, go at 45c Ladiest 50c and 65c Brassieres are now marked 35c

Women's and Children's Aprons, worth to 35c regular, at _____ 23c Ladies' Muslin Combinations, worth up to \$1.25

Ladies' Muslin Gowns,

worth to \$1.00 regular, . 60c Ladies' Muslin Underskirts, worth to \$1.25 regular, at Special lot Ladies' Muslin Drawers, open and

> LADIES' SUITS Worth up to \$7.50 and \$9.50

Suits that had been marked to sell at \$7.50 and \$9.50; special to clean up \$3.90

LADIES' **FURNISHINGS**

65c Ladies' Summer Weight Union Suits marked

Ladies' 50c Silk Fiber Tan Hose marked at, the Women's Flannel Gowns

worth up to 85c, are marked at48c Women's Ribbed Union Suits, worth to \$1.00,

12 1-2c and 15c Misses! Black and White Ribbed Hose at

Women's 25c Silk Fiber Tan Hose now _____15c 25c and 35c Colored Veiling marked at the

Ladies' Soc White Cotton Lisle Gloves at, the

LADIES' WHITE CORDUROY COATS Worth to \$10.50

One special, lot of White Corduroy Coats worth up to \$10.50; extra special at \$5.90 Milliners Dept.

New Spring Styles, Worth to \$5.00 Regular

One table of Ladies' New Spring Hats, all the latest shapes, very nifty, worth to \$5.00; are marked at \$2.45

> GROCERIES SPECIALS 15c can String Beans at

> 10c 10c can Van Camp's Pork and Beans

> 3 doz. good strong Clothes pins 5c 10c package of Celluloid Starch

> > 8c

DOMESTIC

DEPARTMENT

12 1-2c Outing Plannels,

15c Dress Ginghams, all new patterns, marked at, yard

12 1-2c Light and Dark Colored Percales are marked at, yard 9c

\$1.25 full size Eed Spreads are marked at, each, 75c 65c Mercerized Table Linen, 66 im. wide, at the 39c

8 I-Sc Double Twill Crash Toweling, the yard ... 5c 10c Huck Towels, extra good size

10e and 12 1-2c Cretonne special, yard 7 1-2e

SILKS, DRESS GOODS

50c Genuine Silk Pongee marked at

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Silk Velvets, marked at the yard 69c 60c and 75c Imperial Crepe

de Chino, the yard 39c 75c New Dotted Poplins marked, yard 39e 50c Suisede Fancy Silk, 36 in. wide, yard... 29c Lot Wool Dress Goods, worth to \$1.50 yard,

marked at \$1.25 and \$1.50 Wool Panama Cloth, now marked at, yard 75c

75c Serge Dress Goods, in red and wine colors, the

LADIES SHOES Worth to \$4.00

Shoes that sold up to \$4 regular; 110w, pair, \$1.98.

LADIES' SHOES Worth to \$3.50

Ladies' Shoes that sold regular up to

167 N. Commercial St.

the conditions East.

LEAP YEAR IS DEADLY Berkeley, Cal., April 14.-Cupid has been making hay around the University of Catifornia campus. It was learned today

campus. It was learned today that 40 engagements had been announced this spring among the students and graduates, and that 20 weddings of Californ i men and "co-eds" had already occurred. The class of 1916 holds a record for engagements. It is planned to amounce many more at the social events during commencement time.

DALLAS MAN KILLED WHILE HUNTING ON SALMON RIVER

Dallas, Or., April 14,-Mr. and Mrs.

* son, Del Winters, on Sunday, The young man was killed by the accident-al discharge of his shotgun while hunting in a remote part of the Salmon river. He lived near Rose Lodge, and * leaves a wife and four small children.

Salem, Oregon

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The Daily Capital Journal will still send the Western Furmer to those subscribers who pay a year in advance and desire to receive if

Solicitors for that publication, doubt without authorization, have told people in this territory that the Capital Journal is no longer clubbed with the Western Farmer. A misstatement

YOUNG NOT GUILTY

Tacoma, Wash., April 14.—Arthur Young, former saloon heeper, uccused of cashing forged warrants in connection with the lecting of the state industrial A. J. Winters, of Ballston, received not guilty by a jury in superior court word yesterday of the death of their here today.

THE CHICAGO STORE

E. G. Seaman, Representing Lewis Bros. & Co. in Charge