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# On Monday an Extraordinary Sale of Colonial Rag Rugs

## 1500 Fine, Fresh, New Pieces to Sell at Savings of a Good Third

What could be more timely than a sale of rag rugs just now, when so many hundreds of people are looking for just such rugs for Summer use?

Think of choosing from 600 room-size rag rugs and 900 smaller sizes, with assurance of saving a third on all you buy!

This unusual sale was made possible by the fact that the manufacturer of one of the best of the "hit-or-miss" weaves needed money at once. For spot cash he was willing to sell his entire stock much below the market, and we bought it.

The "hit-or-miss" design is one of the best-liked of all rag rug designs. It might be termed the true, or original, Colonial pattern, being a charmingly informal medley of lights and shadows, vivid and sober colors. It harmonizes perfectly with almost any color scheme or any style of furnishing and never grows tiresome.

Please bear in mind that the rugs in this sale are all fine pieces, full of service. You can get inferior rugs for even smaller prices, but we do not believe you can find any of this quality at anywhere near the following figures:

Room Sizes	Price
9x12 ft.	\$10.85
8x10 ft.	\$8.85
6x9 ft.	\$5.85



Small Sizes	Price
24x36 in., 95c	27x54 in., \$1.75
24x48 in., \$1.45	30x60 in., \$2.25
36x72 in., \$2.75	

(Seventh Floor, Chestnut)

## The Glory-and-Gunpowder Part of the War Is Over

Costly? Yes, enormously costly it has been. Yet, with all the misery and impoverishment it has entailed, especially upon the working people, who found the blood and sinew and supplied the human food for cannon, it will be worth all it has cost if it ends forever the military system that for centuries has duped the common people into subjection and poverty, breeding hatredfulness, and ripening resistance into the desperation of Bolshevism, which must now and quickly be downed and destroyed.

Privileged classes, with power to coerce the smaller nations and to make war, the costs of which ultimately fall almost entirely on the working people, must not be allowed to continue, whatever it costs to put them down.

The hard-working people do the fighting and pay the bill, not only with their own lives on the field of battle, but also through their families at home, who must pay for ships, guns and other military requirements in taxes that double the cost of their clothes and food and of the roofs over their heads.

### The Needed Time Must Be Freely Given

to secure enforceable agreements leading toward total disarmament, abolishing every kind of war-making possibilities, and toward perpetuating our right to stand upon our own feet without entangling alliances.

Rather than leave any of these issues doubtful, better far to withdraw from the armistice and fight out these battles now, if need be, to protect America from another war into which we would surely be drawn, as we were when the "Lusitania" became a huge coffin, burying mothers, fathers and children.

The United States has learned its lesson; and the precious lives of its sons who lie in the trenches, and the billions of dollars that one hundred million of its people have got to find to pay the war expenses, require our President, and the Peace Conference, and the Senate and the House of Representatives, to be sure of their ground before they bind us finally by documents.

The military system and its combinations already have made far too many victims in the world. It is for humanity that the blow must now be struck. It took four and a half years of war to get as far as this.

We certainly can take one year more to settle the safeguards for our future, rather than to "agree in haste and repent in leisure."

[Signed]

*John Wanamaker  
Citizen*

May 3, 1919.

## Hundreds of Fresh New Things in the White Sale Monday

New nightgowns at \$1 particularly—white nainsooks made Empire style and with good lace; dainty pink batiste nightgowns with low necks and nothing but hemstitching for ornament; other white nainsook with simple casing and ribbon.

In fact, the sale is full of good low-priced undermuslins—and when you come down to bedrock they are what pretty nearly every woman who is buying today really wants.

There are corset covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, at 75c and 85c; drawers of the same sort at 75c. Other plainer ones, excellently made, at 50c; pink silk camisoles at \$1; pink batiste nightgowns at \$1, not to mention others. Also there are plenty of the plainer white petticoats to wear with sports skirts—prices from \$1.25 to \$3.75.

(Main Floor, and Third Floor, Central)

Other items of particular interest in the White Sale are white aprons, long kimonos, dressing saques, silk petticoats, boudoir caps, sample negligees and house dresses—all at special prices.

(Main Floor, and Third Floor, Central)

## Good White Sale Waists

Plenty of the small surplus lots of Georgette crepes and crepes de chine—the first beaded, embroidered and braided; the second tailored and embroidered; both groups in white, pink and a few dark colors. \$3.85 to \$5.

Cotton voiles and batistes, all white and white with colored stripes; tailored and trimmed. \$1 and \$1.65.

White voiles and colored cross-bar voiles with white collars and vests. \$1.

(East and West Aisles)

## Warner Rust Proof and Kabo Corsets Special

Warner Rust Proof corsets:

A topless model of batiste, elastic all around above the waist, \$1.

A low-bust model for tall figures. \$1.50.

Kabo corsets:

A model of pink broche with very low top and elastic over diaphragm. \$2.50. This is half of the regular price.

A batiste with medium bust, for tall figures. \$2. A third less than regular.

Ever so many other good corsets are in the Sale of White—from Parisiennes and Letitias to L. R.'s.

(Third Floor, Chestnut)

## 2746 Yards Wash Laces Special at 25c a Yard

Imitation Valenciennes, filet and Duchesse laces, both edges and insertions, and there are also camisole laces with beading, some being in points.

They are exactly the kinds that most women want for thin dresses, negligees and lingerie.

Judging by past experiences, this price should take these laces out in one day, for some of the values are more than double the present markings.

(Main Floor, Central)



## An Early Summer Showing of New Paris and American Millinery

Exquisite new creations for Summer—airy, lovely hats, just out of their French boxes, are from

Caroline Reboux  
and  
Evelyne Varon

There are great, wide-brimmed hats of organdie, crisp and transparent, hats of pongee with under and over brims of colored pongee and other hats of malines, Turkish toweling strands and crepes, for there is a decided fashion for

### Hats of Summer Fabrics

in quite Summer-like colors. Cotton crepe, embroidered and plain organdies and silks, sheer dotted swiss, raffia and Batavia are the newest. White, of course, is smart, and so too is sea green, jade green, orchid shades, rose pinks and pale blues. A new sea green straw is

trimmed with dainty white orange blossoms. A lovely rose pink organdie has straw roses of a deeper hue and a wide organdie bow. Other hats are trimmed with ostrich, with field and garden flowers, with velvet bows and streamers. Prices begin at \$20 for the hats from our own workrooms.

(Second Floor, Chestnut)

## Women's Finer Gowns Reduced

Prices \$35 to \$125

This is the first reduction of the season on gowns of this quality. They include both afternoon and evening gowns, the first being flesh-colored and white Georgette crepes and crepes de chine, tricotines and tricolettes; the evening gowns being chiffons and nets and satins, brocades and silver cloths and most of the other lovely fabrics of the season. Nearly all are in perfectly good condition—now and then a gown needs pressing or a few stitches or a new bit of tulle to put it in wearing trim.

Also all the gowns are arrayed on rotary racks in the Little Gray Salons, so that women can hunt through them with the greatest comfort.

All sizes in the lot.

Prices now \$35 to \$125.

(First Floor, Central)

## New Vicuna Sports Coats the Most Beautiful of All

They are a pretty tan color, soft and woolly and, in addition to the two styles here before that every one liked so much, there is a brand-new one. Some women may think it even more attractive.

It has a pleat down the back, novelty pockets and a belt and is priced \$95.

The other two styles are made, one in a belted model, with large outside pockets at \$95 and the other without a belt, but with a scarf to throw over the shoulder. There is a lovely, fancy silk lining. This is \$115.

(First Floor, Central)

## Many New Frocks Between \$25 and \$32.50 —for Young Women

These are prices many young women like to pay and for them we have this collection of pretty new frocks.

Ever so many are of crepe Georgette, for it is very popular; some are of the pretty flowered and figured foulard, some are of the new moire crepe and others are of taffeta or crepe de chine.

There are plenty of blues, grays in delicate Spring shades as well as the deeper taupe and black.

Collars are round or square, some of the dresses are quite frilly, many have tucks or folds, and there are beads, embroidery and braid for trimming.

14 to 20 year sizes. (Second Floor, Chestnut)

## The Vogue of Old-Fashioned Clocked Silk Stockings

was never greater than now, nor the stockings scarcer. Women who formerly did this tedious embroidering found easier and more remunerative work during the war, and still have it.

So we are glad to announce a new lot of these stockings of fine silk with triple-cord clocks. They are black with white clocks, white with black clocks and nickel, brown, chestnut, navy and mahogany with self clocks.

Price \$4 a pair.

(First Floor, Market)

## Spring-Weight Rain Coats for Girls

Pretty green checked mohairs make some of the coats and rubberized canton cloth in navy blue or tan makes the others.

They are just the kind of coats for girls of 8 to 14 years—they come in several good styles, have large collars, convenient and generous size patch pockets and are belted.

\$8.50, \$12.50 and \$19.75. (Second Floor, Chestnut)

## New Fiction

"Pearl Island" by Henry C. Rowland. \$1.50. Again we have a real romance of the Southern Seas, but with buccaners who are modern in their methods.

"Booty" by Douglas Grant. \$1.50. A mystery story of the kind that thrilled before the war.

"Two Banks of the Seine" by Fernand Vandermere. \$1.90. A typically Parisian story with the life of the Quartier Latin brought into sharp contrast with that of the upper classes.

"Alice-Sit-by-the-Fire" by J. M. Barrie. \$1. In the excellent uniform edition which is now coming out.

"Kings-at-Arms" by Marjorie Bowen. \$1.75. The struggle between Peter the Great and Karl XII of Sweden forms the background for a stirring tale. (Main Floor, Thirteenth)

## A Heavy White Japanese Habutai at \$2.25

This is one of the best Japanese habutais made and it is always sure of appreciation from people who know a good silk when they see it.

We are so sure of the splendid quality of this habutai that we recommend it for men's shirts and women's blouses, and it is a wonderful silk for women's dresses and skirts. (First Floor, Chestnut)

## Net Guimpes Ready to Slip in Your Frock

and comfortably boned, may be had in three styles and at moderate prices.

At 50c, for instance, are white or black net guimpes.

At 60c are white net guimpes, lace trimmed.

The nets are of good quality and all the guimpes have high collars. (Main Floor, Central)

## A Special Purchase of French Clothes for Children

has just come to us, and the prices are so interesting for such fine, hand-made things we don't believe the garments will stay here very long!

Infants' long white petticoats. \$2.50 to \$4.50.

Drawers, 2 to 10 year sizes, \$3 to \$4.25.

Embroidered sheets, \$3 and \$3.75.

Embroidered pillow cases, \$2.75. All these things are beautifully made, by hand, of course, and daintily embroidered. (Third Floor, Chestnut)

## Women's Rever Hem Handkerchiefs \$3.75 a Dozen

Many women like plain handkerchiefs and want a change from the plain hemstitched variety, and these women will surely like the rever-hem style.

The hems are narrow, and there is just a lattice-like stitching above.

And they're specially good for \$3.75 a dozen. (West Aisle)

## When You Think of Queen Mary

for it is one of the finest talcums made, is absolutely pure, and with that velvety softness which only the best talcum possesses.

Queen Mary talcum in violette natural, 25c; Rose Speciale, 50c; La Fere, 50c; Charme d'Amour, 75c.

Fragrant scents, all. (Main Floor, Chestnut)

## A Little Pillow Special

100 round, jolly-looking cushions with buttons in their centers, and covers of gay, pretty cretonnes, are specially priced at \$1.50.

They may be seen—together with hundreds of other interesting things—in the Art Needlework Store. (Second Floor, Central)

## Household Linens in the White Sale

Among the very fine new groups there is one lot of 100 dozen heavy, full-bleached Irish double-damask dinner napkins in a rich satiny finish and in striped and floral designs, size 24x24 inches, at \$13.50 a dozen.

Another new arrival brings Madeira hand-scalloped and hand-embroidered tea napkins in a selection of beautiful designs, and these are marked at the special price of \$7.50 a dozen.

A very good item is made up of 200 dozen Scotch huckaback pure linen towels, hemmed, size 18x35 inches, at 50c each.

There is a group of Turkish bath towels in a fancy weave and in pink and blue stripes at 50c each.

And more good groups are on the way. (First Floor, Chestnut)

## White Spreads to Cover a Bed With Daintiness

There is no need to talk about the daintiness of white bedspreads. The person who doesn't realize it has a lot to learn.

Whoever wants to see a wonderfully large and varied stock of these spreads will find it here.

An attractive group comprises pique spreads, made to exactly resemble the imported ones. These can be had in single-bed sizes at \$5 each, and in double-bed sizes with scalloped edges and cut corners at the same price—\$5 each. (Sixth Floor, Central)

## A Long Wall Table of Oak and Walnut

now to be seen in The Little House will fit into almost any of the lower rooms in any English style of house. It is not very large, but in proportions and line, and its price is \$230. Incidentally The Little House has more furniture than usual in it—many interesting pieces of old oak or walnut and many of fine needlework. (Fifth Floor, Chestnut)

## 6000 Yards Plain Voile at 50c a Yard

The fine chiffon weave that always looks so well when it is made up. It is very fashionable this Spring and not too plentiful.

There are about 20 of the prettiest new shades, light and dark, and this includes navy blue, black and white. The width is 39 and 40 inches. (First Floor, Chestnut)

## Summer Is Nigh and the Summer Furniture Display in Full Bloom

Now that it is Maytime, it is high time to look to the proper furnishing of the porch, lawn, garden and Summer apartments. Furniture particularly adapted to each of these places is shown in our Summer furniture display in a variety believed to be unequalled.

The reed, rattan, fiber and crex pieces—all generally known as wicker—number thousands.

In these there is a diversity of finishes, styles and upholstery fabrics that can hardly fail to satisfy every taste.

Hickory, cypress, cedar and maple form another notable group. In hickory and maple the selection of chairs and rockers is especially remarkable. The cypress pieces are intended for lawns and gardens.

These are of a particularly fine type both in design and construction, following as they do the garden lawn pieces used in Europe.

The crowning feature of the entire display is the assortment of novel and charming suits for breakfast rooms, living rooms and Summer bedrooms.

In design, coloring and decorative detail these are delightful. They are priced at \$145 for an 8-piece dining-room suit up to \$350 for a bedroom suit finished in ivory, with pink, black and floral decorations.

Individual pieces in the general Summer assortment can be had as low as \$2.25 for a maple porch rocker, and there is an immense range all the way up to a fine day bed for \$190.

These are a few of the unusual things to be found in the display of over twelve hundred sample pieces:

\$60 for a 58-inch gray and maroon decorated reed buffet with three large hardwood drawers and a shelf 21x55 inches. \$58 for a bookcase, enameled in a dull yellow, beautifully decorated with hollyhocks. It has two doors measures 30x54 inches. \$26 for an oval-shaped tea wagon in robin egg blue, trimmed with gold. The glass tray has the quality pattern and \$45 for an iron settee in pea green and (Seventh Floor, Central)

is Adam, showing three beautifully shaped urns in the back. There are arm chairs to match at \$24 each. \$42 for a fern box, 14x42 inches, with zinc lining, having a 66-inch high-slatted trellis at the back. The material is willow and the color is fawn and brown. \$15.50 for a fern box built in a rustic diamond-shaped frame measuring 62 inches high by 72 inches wide.

