

WHITE GOODS

By FANNIE HURST

CHAPTER II
Sadie Barnett, a salesgirl in the white goods department, lives with her aunt, Mrs. Doe, who is also a saleswoman at the ribbon counter.

"You'd never hear me say watch the clock if you'd kept company with a boy like Max Meltzer. A straight, clean boy with honest intentions by a girl looking right out of his face.

"No, I think that the kind of fellows that fresh Mamie Grant gets you acquainted with are much more than strong for the old rat-eyed sports like Jerry Beck, that ain't got a honest thought in his head, I bet he gives you the creeps, too, only you're the kind of a girl, God help you, that's so crazy for luxury you could forget the devil had horns if he hid 'em under a automobile cap."

"Sure I am. I ain't seen nothing but playing and drugging and pinching all my life, while other girls are strutting the avenue in their furs and sleeping mornings as long as they want under eiderdown quilts. Sure, when a man like Jerry Beck comes along with a carriage-check instead of a subway ticket I can't help but to let him take a water-pee, and I ain't ashamed of it."

"That's where you belong; that's where girls on the road to the devil belong—with them kind. There he is now, waiting to ride you to the devil. He don't need to hunk-hunk no loud; he knows you're ready and waiting for him."

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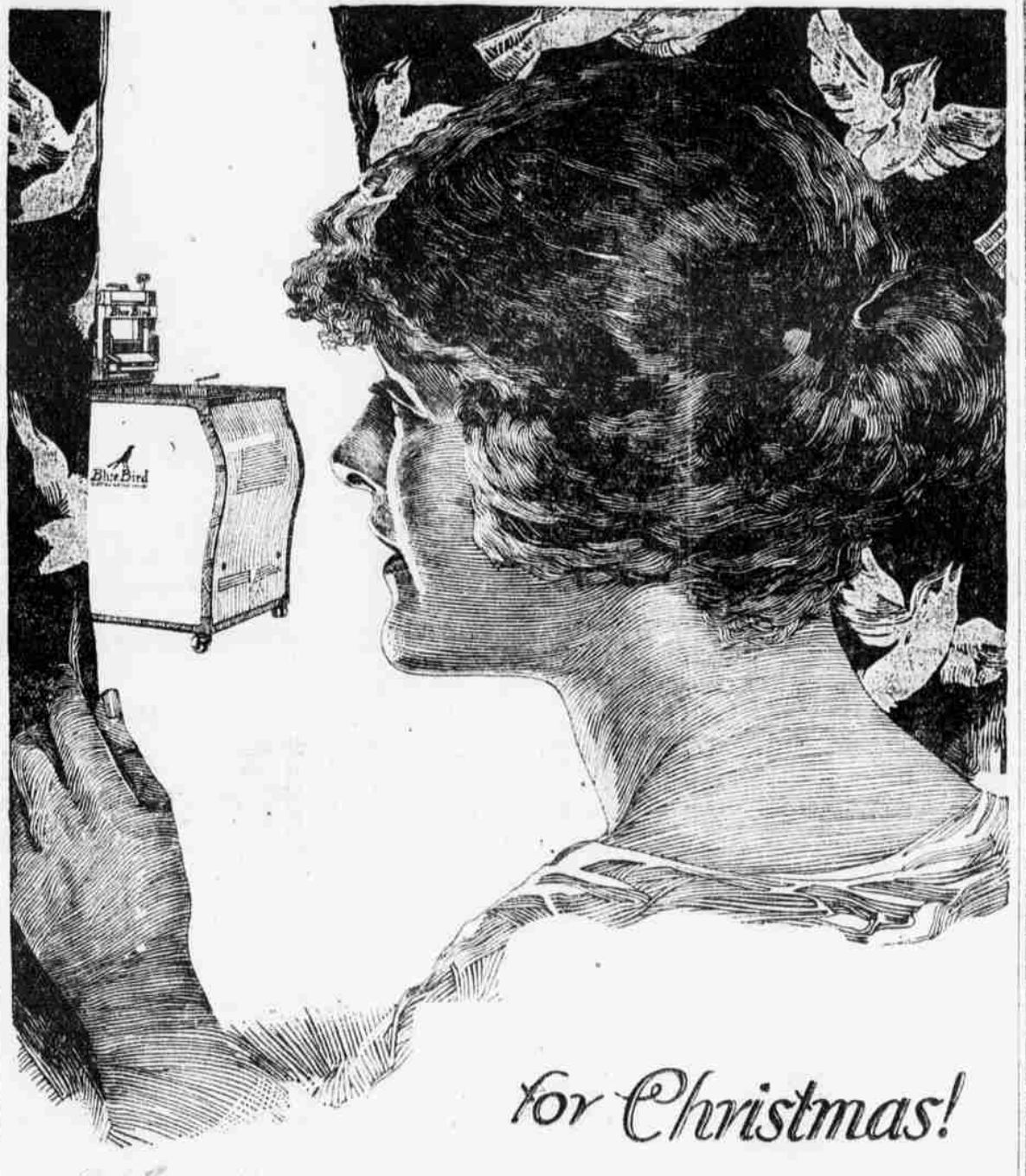
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WANAMAKER'S DOWN STAIRS STORE WANAMAKER'S

Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store - Garlanded With Christmas Greens

Gloves for the Children? (They are pleasing, useful Gifts)
These are all unusually nice gloves for kiddies, too!
Gray or brown silk-lined chamois late gloves are quite warm. \$1.25 a pair.

A Good All-Around Hat for a Man at \$3
Smooth wool hats in brown, green and tan mixtures in the season's good shapes. The kind of hat that will take the place of a soft felt or a tweed hat—suitable for the street or sturdy enough for rougher wear. (Gallery, Market)

Raincoats for Men - \$8.50 to \$15
Many are being chosen for Christmas gifts. These are well-made coats of tan or gray rubberized materials with seams cemented and every coat is guaranteed to be waterproof.

A Coat For Her Christmas To enfold her with its warmth and please her with its good appearance
And a good-looking coat is sure to please either Mother or the young-girl daughter, or the young woman! We have individual styles for every type and age of women.

UMBRELLAS for Men and Women, at \$3.50
They are quite nice enough for Christmas presents. The covers are tape-edged American taffeta over sturdy frames. They have good-looking handles—the women's, tipped with bakelite, have wrist rings or silk loops, and the men's have plain or carved wooden handles. (Central)

All-Wool, Odd Trousers are \$7 to \$9.50. Corduroy Trousers are the best kind for rough outdoor wear. Unlined they are \$6; lined (and, of course, that adds to the warmth), they are \$7. (Gallery, Market)

The New Short Sports Coats are well represented, as well as the three-fourth length coats. Almost grown-up young daughter would be delighted with one for Christmas; it is just what she has been wanting for her plaid skirt.

500 Sample Blouses Special at \$2.75
Pretty white blouses are slightly mussed, but a pressing will freshen them. There are many styles, in voile, plain or trimmed with lace, embroidery and tucks. All the blouses are well made and there is excellent choosing in each size, although there are not all sizes in each style. (Market)

Mother Would Like Styles Are Right
—and a large number of coats are Spring models made of winter materials. So that, you see, a coat from the Down Stairs Coat Store will be a gift worth-while, of real usefulness and satisfaction. \$25 to \$97.50 (Market)

Inexpensive Gifts 25c to \$3
Several tables of the shining glass and silver-plated novelties make the selection of Christmas gifts less difficult. There are little salts and peppers of silver deposit or silver plate, glass jelly dishes, pickle dishes, jam glasses with spoons, butter dishes, sugar and cream sets, mustard jars, relish dishes, candlesticks, bud vases, etc., with many more being added each day. (Central)

Lovely Dance Frocks for Debutantes - Special at \$25
Rustling taffeta frocks in turquoise, Nile green, pink, rose and maize are charmingly draped with silk tulle, edged with silver thread or have overskirts of the tulle. (Central)

Smelling Salts in Delightful Bottles
Little, squatly bottles, tall, slender bottles and substantial good-sized bottles—but that cannot begin to describe their numerous quaint and graceful shapes! There are rose salts, lavender, violet, etc. 35c to \$2. (Central)

Christmas Handkerchiefs - All Pure Linen
The Handkerchief Store is an attractive place, and a busy one, too. Thousands of pretty handkerchiefs for men and women are plain white, embroidered, initialed and gaily colored. Women's are 25c to \$1 each. Men's are 30c to 75c each. (Central)

Utility Cases for Travelers
Cretone or silk-covered rubberized cases for wash cloths, tooth brushes, brush and comb, etc., are welcome bits of usefulness to any one who spends week-ends out of town or travels a great deal. Prices range from 25c to \$1.75. (Central)

Satin Frocks, \$23.50, \$25 and \$35
Charming and delightful frocks for women and young women. (Central)

CORSETS of the Better Sort
Corsets of the finer, heavier materials, such as figured coutil and elaborate broche corsets, are elaborate broche fabrics, are \$3.50 to \$11. Park Satin Corsets Are Special at \$3.50
The little gray fitting rooms are right in the Corset Store, and one of our corsetiers will gladly fit a corset without additional charge. (Central)

Christmassy Dainties for Baby
In a delightful corner of the Babies' Store there are several cases filled with pretty things for babies—hand-painted rattles, ribbon-covered carriage straps and clamps, little hot-water bags covered with satin, toilet sets, Turkish dolls, etc. Prices range from 30c for a rattle to \$4.75 for a baby book. (Central)

A Gift List from The Skirt Store
Sturdy part-wool gymnasium bloomers in navy blue, \$3. All-wool gymnasium bloomers in navy blue and black, \$6. Pleated plaid skirts for young girls, \$2.50. Brown striped wool velour skirts (nice for skating and outdoor wear) are \$6.75. A skirt in a smart, check or large plaid is an attractive style at \$7.85. An attractive wool plaid skirt in blue and brown tones is \$13.50. (Market)

BLANKETS for Baby, \$1.25 to \$6
There are many kinds to choose from: figured pink or blue blankets, white blankets with pink or blue borders and all white blankets. Some are all cotton and others have a large percentage of wool. Mother always appreciates such a gift for the young baby! (Central)

Scarf-and-Cap Sets for Little Chaps
The caps are tight-fitting affairs (to keep little ears warm), and the scarfs are of generous size—both of brushed wool. Gray, brown, tan, blue and rose. \$1.85. (Gallery, Market)

Warm-Hearted Blankets for Gifts
Plaid blankets are in pink-and-white or blue-and-white. Part Wool 68 x 80 inches, \$12.50. 70 x 80 inches, \$15. All Wool 72 x 80 inches, \$18.50. 72 x 84 inches, \$25. White blankets, part-wool, with pink or blue borders: 60 x 80 inches, \$12.50. 70 x 82 inches, \$15. 78 x 84 inches, \$20. Cotton filled quilts with figured centers and plain sateen borders in rose, blue and pink are special at \$5. (Central)

Children's Sweaters
Here are sweaters for all the children, from the little infant who needs one that is snowy, light and warm to the big boy or girl of 16 years who likes the blue, green, brown, gray and red sweaters. Many styles between \$4.75 and \$10! (Central)

Warm Top Coats for Junior Girls
They have a style that will appeal to both mothers and girls. Of cheviot coating, velour, Bolivia, silvertone and polo cloth in a long or three-quarter lengths, they are warmly lined and well tailored. \$13.50, \$18.50, \$23.50, \$29.50 to \$75. For Small Girls of 6 to 10 there are attractive top coats of velour, polo cloth, silvertone, etc., from \$9.50 to \$25—all of which were much more. Serge Regulation Frocks Fine navy blue serge makes beautifully tailored dresses trimmed with braid in sizes 6 to 14 at \$18. (Market)

Fragrant Toilet Sets \$2.25 to \$7.50
These most attractive boxes of toilet luxuries and comforts happily suggest Christmas giving. There are many refreshing fragrances to choose from. The set at \$2.25 consists of soap, toilet water and talcum, and the set at \$7.50 includes delightfully scented face powder, talcum powder, sachet, soap, rouge, extract and toilet water. (Central)

Reductions on Women's Suits
Three special groups of suits take reductions in time for Christmas. At \$29.50 This group comprises various models of pretty suitings in tailored models, of wool jerseys in plain colors or heather mixture, gabardine and silver-tone. All the jackets are lined with silk and many are attractively trimmed. At \$25 Suits of dark striped suiting have silk-lined jackets trimmed with embroidered crowsfeet. At \$23.50 Wool jersey sports suits for women and young women are in blue, brown and green tones. (Market)

Children's Shoes
Special care is given to the lasts and fitting of kiddies' shoes so that growing feet will develop properly. \$4.50 to \$6.50 Black patent leather or dull leather button shoes and black or tan leather lace shoes have sturdy welted soles; sizes 8 1/2 to 2. For Wee Tots who wear sizes 1 to 8 Shoes of tan calfskin, brown kidskin, black kidskin and black (Cheesnut) patent leather with white, brown or champagne color kid tops, are in button styles. \$1.75 to \$3.25 a pair. For Older Girls there are good-looking dark tan leather shoes in wide or narrow toe shapes, sizes 2 1/2 to 6 at \$5.90 to \$7.90. (Cheesnut)

Reductions on Women's Suits advertisement with detailed pricing and descriptions for various suit styles.