

MEDAL FOR VALOR IN 1904 PRESENTED

Harding Pins Congressional Decoration on Gunner Who Saved Ship

Washington, April 15.—Robert Edward Cox, of Belmont, Pa., a chief gunner in the navy, yesterday enjoyed the distinction of having the President of the United States personally pin on his breast the highest award for valor—the Congressional Medal of Honor.

The ceremony took place in the East Room of the White House, on the seventy-fifth anniversary of the day on which Cox saved the battleship Missouri from destruction by flooding her after-magazines after an explosion in a turret had set fire to powder in the adjacent handling room.

Two other men, M. Monsen and S. G. Schlepke, then gunners' mates, but now commissioned officers, previously had received medals of honor for their heroic work in assisting Cox in removing injured men from the burning handling room. Thirty men were killed in the accident.

Cox at that time held the rank of warrant officer and was debarred from receiving the medal of honor by the Navy providing for its award only to enlisted men, though the recommendation of the captain of the Missouri was approved by the commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic Fleet and President Roosevelt. Not until last February was special legislation enacted permitting exception to be made in Cox's case.

In presenting the medal President Harding said:

"Our country has been so blessed in the courage and patriotism of its sons, so accustomed to expect supreme heroism from them, that we have been slow of conferring distinctions. Yours is the first in which an officer of the Navy has received it through such a ceremony as we are holding today, and to this presentation marks for you and for us the unique recognition of extraordinary deeds."

You have maintained the finest traditions of a service splendidly enriched with the records of noblest sacrifice, selflessness, heroism. You have been one of the makers of those traditions to which we look as the complete assurance of our country's security, power and eminence in the world. Your example will always shine as a beacon for others to whom may come the call for such service as you have given, and I trust that the memory of your patriotism and the gratitude which I now place on your breast, may be for many others an inspiration to such deeds as you have done for the honor and service of our country, your comrades and humanity."

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One of our favorite New York makers sold us them at a splendid price concession and we pass the advantage on to you.  
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Japanese straw in plain and two-tone effects.  
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Vestees, 98c to \$2.98  
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Remarkable group of 1500 Strings!  
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Beautiful waists that have all the freshness and charm of summer.



Lot 1—Overblouses in flesh and white. Embroidered net vest, trimmed with very dainty Val lace, washed all edges the Silvester style.  
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Lot 3—In flesh; vest effect, attractively finished with wide applique bands in rose pattern lace.  
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Women's Silk Stockings \$2.25 Values, \$3.00 Values, \$1.49 \$1.98

Beautiful, dependable qualities—and goodly sums saved! Full fashioned. Tan, brown, cordovan, seal, Russia calf, gray, navy, black and white.

Women's \$2 Silk \$1.29 Stockings... \$1.29  
Full fashioned thread silk in black, white and gray—also Richelle ribbed in cordovan, Russia calf, seal, navy, black and white.

Women's 39c Vests, 29c  
Cotton ribbed. Low neck, sleeveless. Some bodice shape.

Women's \$1 Union \$1.69  
Suits... \$1.69  
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Style Supremacy and Absolute All-Wool Fabrics Make the Distinction In KIRSCHBAUMS Spring Suits for Men

The London shrunk fabrics used by Kirschbaum illustrate the perfection of the tailoring methods employed in building this master clothing. Cut, tailored and finished by experts, the quarter-lined coats in up-to-the-minute two- and three-button models have taped seams and are proof of Kirschbaum thoroughness.



Cassimeres, chevots, tweeds and mixtures in browns, grays and blues are featured—embracing attractive stripe, check and plaid effects.

Also Kirschbaum Suits and Top Coats to \$45

Sale! Men's Two Trouser Suits \$18, \$25.50, \$31.50  
Cassimeres, chevots and pencil stripes in brown, blue and gray are included in this great collection of single- and double-breasted models which represent the best in tailoring.

Suits for Stout Men \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40  
No need to pay for special tailoring just because you're large, when such cassimeres and blue serges in 38 to 48 chest measure may be bought in custom tailored clothing at such nominal prices. Each group gives wide choice and insures 100 per cent. satisfaction.

Boys' Two Trouser Suits: New Lots Added!  
\$15.50 Serge Suits \$12.50 \$12.50 Fancy Suits \$8.75  
Norfolk models of all-wool serge, with half yoke, inverted plaits and patch or flap pockets. Sizes 6 to 17.

A wide selection of chevots, cassimeres, checks, plaids, plain materials and homespun in the popular Norfolk style. Sizes 6 to 17.

Mrs. A. R. King's Pumps & Oxfords for Children

Pre-eminently the Best Footwear for Young Feet  
For all growing children from infants' to young women's these celebrated trademark shoes assure quality, health and economy.  
First Step Kant Slip Arking Last  
For Infants Sizes 1 to 5 Children's Sizes 4 to 11 Misses' & Young Women's Sizes 1 1/2 to 7.  
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These are by far the most satisfactory footwear for children. They are made of best leathers, on scientifically constructed lasts. They are made in Philadelphia—sold exclusively by us in Philadelphia and are guaranteed by us and the factory.  
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ECONOMY SPECIAL Tomorrow! This price is for Saturday only!

Children's \$3.50 Knit Dresses \$1.79  
Of fine Zephyr yarn in coral, Pekin, buff, brown and red. Collars and cuffs of contrasting colors. Cord girdle. Sizes 2 to 7 years.  
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Girls' \$13.50 to \$18.50 Coats Reduced \$7.79, \$8.98, \$14.79

Three wonderful groups—unusually attractive models fashioned from velour, silvertone, basket and burella cloth, also fancy mixtures. Tan, brown, Pekin, rose, rookie and raspberry. One pictured.  
\$2 Middy Blouses, \$1.59  
Jean cloth in white—some have Copenhagen or red collar and cuffs. 4 to 10 years.  
\$10 Organdy Dresses, \$7.98  
Various pretty styles—some copies of imported models. 8 to 14 years. One pictured.  
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Ready With Extra Big Saturday Values In Misses' & Women's Wear

We are glad to list these items for we know that every one is a real value and that every purchaser of a coat, suit, wrap or dress here tomorrow, will have the satisfactory knowledge that she has secured a beautiful garment at an unusually reasonable price.

For Misses Sports Suits Continental Furwool in all the popular shades \$15  
Jackets have narrow belts—tuxedo collars—set-in pockets.



For Women Suits \$32.50  
Poiret twill and serge in navy, black and tan. Cut on semi-fitting lines with one button front, slashed pockets, tight sleeves buttoning at wrist. Another group equally as smart is braid trimmed.

Misses' Suits, \$25  
Homespun and tweed in tan, brown and Harding blue. Belted jackets with inverted plaits, notch collar and pockets. Another group is of serge, cut on tailored lines. Silk lining.  
Misses' Coats, \$16.98  
Silvertone in navy, Copenhagen, rose and tan. Some with fancy stitching, contrasting collar and cuffs. Others have throw tie and roony pockets.  
Misses' Dresses, \$17.75  
Crepe de chine, taffeta, satin and serge of all the prettiest new shades and a charming variety of styles.  
ONE PICTURED AT EACH PRICE. Lit Brothers—Second Floor

Women's Wraps, \$35  
Bolivia in brown and Copenhagen. Very stunning model lined throughout with figured peau de cygne silk and elaborately embroidered skirt.  
Women's Dresses, \$37.50  
New Canton crepe. Long waisted effect with round neck, short sleeves and plain gathered skirt. Trimmed in contrasting color home rings about the neck, sleeves and bottom of the skirt.  
Women's Sport Suits, \$18.50  
Corduroy, tulle and checked. Some in navy, black and tan. Some Tuxedo style, others with contrasting collar and flap pockets.

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Save close to half on these wonderful offerings in our April Furniture Sale! This \$600 Dining Room Suite, \$349.75



American walnut. 72 inch buffet, large china closet, oblong extension table, five side chairs and one arm chair. Covered in genuine leather.  
This \$18 Reed Fibre Rocker or Chair, \$12.50  
Broad arms. Spring seat and back upholstered in good cretonne of floral design.  
\$75 Imported Grass Suite, \$37.50  
Imported Chinese Grass Suite, consisting of Settee, Rocker and Arm Chair. Closely woven to give additional strength. Shaped legs and seats. The kind of a suite that combines comfort and durability.  
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This \$300 Bed Room Suite, \$165  
Large bureau, chiffonette, semi vanity dressing table and full size bed.  
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Women's & Misses' Sports Suits \$10  
Serge, furrowed and tweed in brown, Copenhagen, green, Oxford and rose.  
Women's & Misses' Coats & Wraps, \$10  
Of basket weaves, tan, silvertone, homespun and serge in brown, tan, blue, peplagen, green, tan, black, and navy. Sporty style. Trimmed with silk, embroidery, and wraps with silk, serge, tulle or crepe finishes. One pictured.  
Girls' \$1.50 Dresses, 89c  
Gingham, etc. 2 to 14 years.  
\$4 to \$6 Corsets, \$3  
Popular makes. One pictured.  
Men's \$1.50 Union Suits, 79c  
White, halibut, short sleeves, knee length.  
HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE  
\$3.50 to \$4.50 Ostrich Trimmed Hats \$2.19  
Very stunning new models in soft trim, small urban and short back poke styles attractively trimmed with ostrich, a few laden with flowers. Black and colors. One pictured.  
Children's \$3 Hats, \$1.98  
Fancy styles in mill straw with ribbon band and streamers. Black and colors.

Subway Store  
Wonderful Values in Men's & Boy's Clothing—Special Sale!  
Men's \$25 Suits \$14.98  
Men's \$30 Suits, with extra trousers, \$17.98  
Men's \$32.50 Suits, \$19.98  
Boys' \$6.50 to \$8.50 Suits, \$3.98  
Boys' \$12.50 Suits, \$7.49  
Boys' \$1.50 Knee Pants, 99c  
Cheviots and cassimeres. 2 to 12 years.  
Men's \$5 to \$7 Shoes & Oxfords \$3.98  
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Gun metal calf, tan and Russia. Black and tan kid and gray buck crochets and pumps.  
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