

### END OF SKIP-STOPS, DEMAND OF FLUCK

Leader of Northwest Business Men Calls on Service Commission to Act

SAYS P. R. T. CAN AFFORD IT

Abolishment of the entire skip-stop system as operated by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. is urged by Charles L. Fluck, president of the Northwest Business Men's Association, in a communication sent to the Public Service Commission today.

Mr. Fluck asks the commission to compel the company to stop its cars at every intersecting street beginning a new block number and at all streets which have intersecting car lines extending diagonal streets.

Mr. Fluck says among other things: "By the grace of the commission car fares were increased November 1, 1920, in order to produce additional revenue for the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. to enable it to increase the wages of its trainmen and other employees, and incidentally pay dividends on its own stock. About \$2,250,000 was involved in the promised wage increase. On May 1 last motorcars and conductors on the P. R. T. system accepted a reduction in wages from a maximum of 72 1/2 cents an hour to a maximum of 65 cents an hour. This cut, with a reduction of 14 1/2 cents to track laborers, will save the company approximately \$1,000,000 a year.

"The company claims that the present skip-stop system, which eliminated 1372 stops and admittedly inconvenienced one-third of the total car riders of the city of Philadelphia, represents a saving to the company approximating \$1,000,000 a year.

"It will be seen at a glance that the saving in wages effective May 1 counter-balances whatever loss the company might suffer as a result of the abolishment of the skip-stop system; and this is the opportune time to accord justice to the car riders inconvenienced by the skip-stop system without injury to the company."

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Monday, May 23, 1921

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For Tuesday Generous Savings

## Bride's Sale of China and Art Pieces

Fine English Porcelain that was made by Allertons, Ltd., but sold to us by a New York importer at a loss. Almost everyone knows that English porcelain is the best wearing of all dinnerware. And, note the prices—\$22.50 for 51-piece set and \$32.50 for a 106-piece set—half price. Of course, it's your privilege to shop around—

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### Cut Glass

Sixty Barrels of Heisey Glassware—at One-third to One-half Less Than Regular

All wanted summer items. Just the thing for summer homes and bungalows. You are buying glass right when you buy this Heisey glass at less than the price of ordinary ware.

Glass Fruit Saucers, Several sizes and shapes, 10c and 12c each.

Large Berry or Salad Bowls to match above, 45c and 50c each.

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Honey Jars and Covers, 25c each.

Grape Fruit Glasses, 25c each.

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Hotel Cream Pitchers, 15c each.

2-Quart Crushed Fruit Jars, 50c each.

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52-pc. French China, \$35

52-Piece French China Dinner Sets, "Elite" china made by Bawo & Dotter, Limoges, France.

Full coin-gold handles; eight attractive designs; fine quality French china. All sets complete with bread and butter plates.

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35,000 Pieces Coin-Gold Band Dinnerware with burnished coin-gold handles. Open stock. Pure white body. Very good quality. All items made in dinnerware for general use in the lot. Save 45%.

32-piece Cottage or Bungalow Sets. With bread and butter plates. At \$6.95. 51-piece Cottage or Small Family Sets. Complete for six people. \$18.95 set.

Thousands of pieces of open stock, in above pattern, at close to one-half price. Every wanted item.

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32-Piece Cottage, Breakfast or Bungalow Sets. With bread and butter plates. \$6.95.

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Mostly imported gingham—in every imaginable size check—from tiny, tiny checks to the fashionable club checks. Red-and-white, brown-and-white, green-and-white, and navy blue-and-white.

Figured voiles—both in foulard patterns and polka dots.

And fascinating plain-color reps.

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Including Hand-made Dresses from Paris Tailored, Sports and Hotel Styles

At \$19.75 Values \$29.75 Up to \$35

Besides the Scotch gingham—and English foulard voiles—and the plain voiles—and the embroidered Swiss.

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More swisses—these trimmed with Irish lace.

Two more organdie models—trimmed with exquisite organdie flowers.

—Salons of Dress, Third floor

### The Women's Dresses

Dotted Swisses—the craze of the summer.

Scotch gingham in checks—with adorable scalloped skirts.

Linen coat Dresses.

Dotted linens—just the thing for shopping and commuting and mornings on the beach.

Figured voiles.

Printed organdies—with fine white pleatings.

—Salons of Dress, Third floor

Tomorrow

## \$1.95 a Yard for the Striped All-Silk Broadcloth---

—men of exacting taste like for shirts. Smart for blouses, too, and sports dresses. A score of good designs.

### Canton Crepe at \$2.75 a Yard

Navy, brown, tan, gray, tangerine and French blue. All-silk Satin Crepe, at \$3.38 a yard. Black, white, street and evening shades.

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You Are Invited to Hear Mr. John L. Kolle Tell

## "How to Make a Room More Livable"

A Free Lecture on the Principles of Interior Decoration and How to Apply Them. Fifth floor, Eighth Street Side

A greater knowledge of interior decoration is needed by the average homemaker. When we consider that mere colors can reflect a psychological condition of temperament—that certain colors can soothe nerves—can cause irritation—can bring light into a room or create the idea of coolness—that a misplaced chair can throw the entire room out of balance, is it not essential, that home-makers know more about furnishing?

### The Room of Good Taste

Mr. Kolle, a professional decorator with experience gained at home and in Europe, will tell you how. He has an interesting and instructive message for every man and woman in home and office, concerning the basic laws of decoration—particularly that of harmony.

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Beginning with the unfurnished room, he will add draperies, curtains, rugs and furniture, giving the reason for its being used and why it has been so placed.

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Light and dark colors. And a seemingly endless variety of styles.

Fine White Novelty Voiles, 35c a Yard—Been 75c

Wide satin stripes, plaids and dainty checks.

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TOMORROW

## Women's Mignonette Suits

### Two New Arrivals—

--The "Frock-Suit Slip-on" at \$21.75

—Adorable Reproduction of a \$65 Original in \$35 Grade of Fabric—

And the "Tuxedo Sweater Suit" at \$24.75

An original model worked out in \$35 Grade.

And both tailored to a degree that is mighty unusual even in \$35 suits!

The Frock-Suit Slip-ons—Sale-priced \$21.75

Come in sizes 34 to 40; and in all the fascinating "Country Club colors"—tomato, honey-dew, Neptune green, white, and navy blue.

The Tuxedo Sweater Suits, sale-priced, \$24.75—come in sizes 34 to 46; and in the "general wear colors"—street-brown, street-blue, and black.

These low prices are doubly low—for to their great value-buying power, is added great beauty.

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## Tomorrow—Women's White Washable "Reign Cloth" Strap Pumps—Hand-Turned, Mind You!

\$9 Quality AT \$5.65

"Reign cloth" in that fine close "linen weave."

Hand-turned soles; full Louis or Baby Heels. All sizes.

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