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WEATHER Fair

# These Dress Values Will Cause an Opening of Eyes —Monday, in Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store

## A Sale at Savings of 25 to 50 Per Cent. Providing for All the Dress Needs of the Winter Season



Dresses for afternoons, for teas and matinees. Smartly tailored wool frocks for any daytime occasion—some of these remarkably fine sample dresses. Trim serge, tricotine and wool jersey dresses for so little as \$6, \$8.50 and \$8.75, for business and general everyday wear. In a word, a complete collection of fashionable and wearable dresses for every Winter occasion.

**Prices Are Nothing Short of Amazing** and in many instances we have had to take dresses from our own regular stock—known for low prices—and mark them still lower to match these newcomers.

Sizes and styles for women of all types and all ages, from slim little frocks for schoolgirls to carefully designed dresses for women wearing size 50½.

### 16 Good Styles at \$6

Navy blue serge dresses trimmed with colored embroidery in a variety of patterns. Also beaded frocks and some with pleated skirts. A little lot of sample dresses adds interest to this group. Sizes 16 to 46 at this price.

### Jersey, Velour, Tricotine and Velvetin at \$8.50 and \$8.75

\$8.50 for two-piece wool jersey dresses in navy, henna, Copenhagen, reindeer and brown with linen collars and cuffs. \$8.50 for velour dresses in navy, brown and reindeer with contrasting bindings. Quite unusual dresses and very smart and practical.

\$8.75 for navy blue tricotine dresses embroidered across the shoulders in henna and gold or trimmed with satin sashes and blue embroidery.

\$8.75 for velvetin dresses embroidered all over in gray or jade and having flowing sleeves of colored Georgette to match.

### Fine Sample Dresses, \$39

One of the leading creators of women's fine gowns let us have his sample dresses for a third less. Some are such exact copies of French dresses that one would think they had come from Paris.

Also a number of dresses of which we have but a few of a kind—mostly of heavy silk crepes in distinctive styles.

One model, universally becoming, is of navy blue or black Canton crepe with a girde embroidered with steel beads. Sizes up to 48½ in this dress.

### Hundreds of Delightful Dresses at \$10, \$12 and \$15

\$10 dresses are of navy blue tricotine, made in charming ways, and of wool jersey in brown, henna and navy in one-piece style trimmed with fagoting.

\$12 dresses are of black or navy velvetin made in two ways, one trimmed with black silk braid, the other without trimming, but gathered over the hips. Also of navy tricotine in a half dozen models.

\$15 dresses are in endless variety—of crepe de chine, Canton crepe, tricotine and satin. One interesting tricotine is trimmed with loops of the material, another has a metal girde. A satin dress is trimmed with many rows of narrow moire ribbon.

### At \$23.50 to \$29

Some lovely afternoon dresses are in this group—and plenty of large sizes. Nearly every fashionable material is included—Canton crepe, crepe de chine, crepe-back satin, tricotine and Poret twill. Mostly brown, navy and black.

Particularly lovely are some gowns of charmeuse with long coat-like tunics of Georgette elaborately beaded and embroidered. \$29.

Large size dresses can be had in crepe-back satin and heavy crepe de chine in navy and black. Sizes 42½ to 50½.

### Dress Velvetin, \$2.50

Navy blue, black and brown—the season's favorites, in a fine quality twill back, fast-pile velvetin. 26 inches wide.

### 35-Inch Dress Velvetin, \$3 Yard

This also in navy blue, black and brown.

### Lining Satin, \$1.50 Yard

A good, lustrous quality cotton-back satin in black, navy blue, white, brown, silver, rose, Copenhagen, green, purple, orchid, gold and pink. 36 inches wide.

## Center Aisle Opportunities

### New Shipment of Rugs, \$2.75 and \$3.45

Good Axminster rugs, 27x54 inches, a very practical size. Mottled effects, \$2.75; Chinese Oriental patterns, \$3.45.

### Upholstery Remnants, 10c to \$1 Yard

Practical lengths of terry, Norman and Shanghai cloth, scrim, marquisette, cretonne, saten, silkoline and other upholstery materials.

### Corduroy Breakfast Coats, \$3.85

New shipment in all the lovely shades—Copenhagen and electric blue, purple, brick red and rose.

### Women's Part-Wool Stockings, \$1.25

Warm, soft ones that are ideal for Fall sports, in desirable heather shades.

### Children's Mercerized Stockings, 25c

Finely ribbed stockings in black and cordovan, for children from 2 to 12 years. Slight "seconds."

### Crepe de Chine Overblouses, \$5.90

Heavy pink or white crepe de chine overblouses made to fit at the waist and with elastic that holds them firmly in place. Peter Pan collars and narrow frills down the front.

### Corsage Bouquets, 50c to \$1.50

Violets, gardenias, combinations of roses, mignonette and forget-me-nots and many other attractive things make these little novelties most charming.

### Velvetone and Duvelyn Bags \$3 and \$3.50

\$3 for brown beaver or navy duvelyn bags, with panther handles and heavy nickel-silver frames.

### Women's Petticoats, \$1.50 and \$2

\$1.50 for petticoats of fine cotton, with accorcion-pleated flounces which have a touch of color. Blue, gray, green and black.

\$2 for black or navy satens with accorcion-pleated flounces which have applique designs; also for cotton petticoats with heavy taffeta flounces, in blue, green, purple and black.

### Cotton Table Damask, 85c Yard

Linen-finished material, with woven-in floral designs. 70 inches wide.

### East Aisle

### Clarion Records, 55c

Double-disc records that play on any phonograph. The very latest dance music played by well-known "jazz" orchestras.

### Lace-Trimmed Doilies, 10c to 25c

Round ones trimmed with imitation Irish crochet or fillet lace.

## Coats of Real Distinction—\$20, \$25, \$29



### Smart Animal Scarfs

Animal scarfs start at \$8.50 for natural opossum and go to \$35 for a beautiful stone marten; others are of blended mink, fitch and Australian opossum.

Other scarfs and stoles of mole are \$25 to \$115. Nearsel (dyed coney) neckpieces start at \$8 for a choker and go to \$25 for a shawl collar.

(Market)

### Polo Coats, \$15, \$16.50 to \$25

Jolly good coats with youth and merriment in every line. Some are of double-faced and plaid-back materials, but most of them are of the creamy tan fabrics that young women like.

### At \$35, \$37.50, \$39 to \$58.50

Here are coats! Soft luxurious coats of bolivia, Normandie and velour showing all the new fashion features—blouse backs, fur tabs, fur cuffs to match many of the fur collars, dolman lines and semi-fitted lines for large women. Some without fur, others with collars of mole, beaverette, nutria and Australian opossum.

### New Coats to Delight the Heart of Any Little Girl

Right now the collection of girls' coats in the Junior Store is at its very best.

Surely there is every kind of coat that any little girl could possibly want.

For school and general knockabout wear there are sturdy velours and mixtures as well as the polo coats that all girls like. These start at \$15 and go to \$35.

Then come the finer coats of bolivia, suedene and duvet de laine, often with fur collars of beaverette, Australian opossum, raccoon, nutria and heaver. These coats are lined with silk and range upward in price to \$75.

Many small women find more satisfactory fittings in the Junior Store.

(Market)

### Women's Warm Flannelet Nightgowns 85c

Of pink or blue striped flannelet, they have hemstitched round necks and long sleeves.

Nightgowns of soft white donet flannel are \$2.

(Central)

### "They're as Pretty as Those in Regular Sizes!"

It was with amazement that a woman so commented about the lovely silk underclothes in the Extra-Size Shop. As more people get to know about this service the more wonderful it seems and the more we realize how much it was needed.

### Crepe de Chine Nightgowns in Extra Sizes

Five or six very pretty styles are cut generously full and charmingly trimmed. Some have tops of Georgette crepe, satin or lace and others are daintily tailored. Sizes 18, 19 and 20, \$5.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

(Market. Near the Millinery)

## Nearsel Coats, \$90

We certainly have never known better fur values than are ready now in the Down Stairs Store. The Wanamaker standard is maintained in every piece of fur. Coats are cut full and pelts are soft enough to hang gracefully. All lined with fine silks.

Fine nearsel (dyed coney) coats, plain, are \$90 to \$115; with squirrel or beaver collars and cuffs they are \$185; with dyed skunk collars and cuffs they are \$165. One of these is pictured.



## Men's Shirts—Our Own Good Kinds —Marked Down to \$1.10

Just enough of them to make several hundred "steady" customers for the Men's Gallery. The men who get these shirts will find that they are plenty wide and long and very carefully finished in every detail. They are made, as manufacturers say, "in the Wanamaker way."

Reduced in price just because they are odds and ends—some mused a little—and not every size in each color, but sizes 14 to 17 in the group.

Both woven and printed madras as well as percale. Plenty of "neat" stripes.

### Men's Knitted Silk Ties Drop to 50c

Early Christmas news! More than seven hundred "finds" for the home people who "always give neckties."

All are in the popular narrow four-in-hand style—in plain and fancy stitches and straight and bayadere stripes. Majority all silk—some have a thread of cotton.



## Beautiful Irish Point Curtains in 40 Patterns—\$3.85 to \$8.50

Savings of Fully a Third

Most of these are imported from Switzerland, where some of the finest work of this type is done.

It is the beauty of patterns, the nicety of detail and finish and the fineness of the net that make these curtains particularly desirable. Curtains of such charm and distinction are well suited to be a welcome in the windows of real homes.

They are in white, cream and ecru, with the largest choice of patterns in white. All are 21½ yards long, and the width varies from about 36 to 40 inches.

The best part of it is that the curtains are so fresh and spotless—not a wrinkle in them!

The prices will give a little idea of the great variety: \$3.85, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5, \$5.50, \$5.75, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$7.75 and \$8.50 a pair.

### Velour Portieres Moderately Priced

It is doubtful that anything will ever take the place of velour portieres. No other hangings are quite so rich in color. Double-faced portieres are particularly desirable where adjoining rooms show different color schemes.

23 inches wide, \$14 50 inches wide, \$23.75 34 inches wide, \$17.50

Of deep, lustrous velour, made with open French sides, they are in many artistic color combinations. 34-inch portieres are in 9 combinations, but the choice in the others is almost unlimited.

### Marie Antoinette Window Panels Special

There has been a scarcity of good window panels of this sort and prices reflected it, but now we have some of the handsomest panels that we have ever had and the prices are exceptionally low.

7 Widths

36 inches, \$3.50 to \$5.85

40 inches, \$3.90 to \$6.50

42 inches, \$4.10 to \$6.50

45 inches, \$4.35 to \$6.50

54 inches, \$4.75 to \$7.25

60 inches, \$6 to \$7.25

72 inches, \$7.75 and \$8

Suitable for windows, for glass doors, for unusually lovely spreads over colored coverlets and for shop windows!

Many patterns, which we can match in almost every size, are in white and Arabian.

(Central)

## Cozy Warmth for Winter Beds

### Plaid Blankets

Wool-mixed plaid blankets in blue, tan, gray or pink and white are 68x80 inches at \$5.50 and 70x80 at \$7.

All-wool plaid blankets in pink, blue, tan or gray and white are 66x80 at \$7.50.

All-wool plaid blankets in red-and-black and gray, tan, black, blue or pink and white are 68x80 inches at \$10.

Large all-wool blankets, 72x84 inches, are in Scotch plaids or in pink, blue, tan or gray with white at \$12.

### White Blankets

Wool-mixed white blankets with pink or blue borders are 70x80 inches at \$7.75, \$8.50 and \$10.

### Cotton Blankets, \$1.25 Each

White or gray cotton blankets without nap can be used as sheets. The white blankets also make excellent pads for tables and ironing boards. 64x76 inches.

### Cotton Quilts at \$2.50

They are 72x80 inches and covered with various figured materials in pretty patterns and colors.

### Wool-Filled Quilts

At \$7, they are covered with figured saten on both sides or have figured cambric centers and backs with plain saten borders.

Saten-covered quilts have figured centers and plain borders and backs in green, rose, pink, blue and Copenhagen, \$10.

(Central)

### Down Quilts—Warm as Toast—\$12.50

"Light as a feather" indeed and nothing is quite so warm! A down quilt means real comfort. These are covered with good figured saten.

### Fresh White Crochet Bedspreads

Hemmed spreads, 78x88 inches, are \$2 and \$2.25, with cut corners, they are 82x94 inches, at \$3.

### Satin-Finish Bedspreads

Hemmed spreads, 78x88 inches, are \$4; 82x90 inches, \$5; 72x 100 inches, \$9; 90x100 inches, \$10.

With cut corners, they are 78x88 inches, at \$4.50; 80x90 inches, \$5.50; 72x100 inches, \$10; 90x100 inches, \$12.50.

### Lovely New Bed Sets in Rose or Blue at \$7

Very low in price are these satin-finish sets with pleasing patterns in French blue-and-white or rose-and-white. The spreads, with cut corners, are 78x88 inches, and the bolster rolls match.

### White Bed Sets

The satin-finish spreads have cut corners and each set includes a matching bolster roll. From 72x88 inches at \$6 to 90x100 inches at \$15.

(Central)

## THEY NEVER HEARD OF DELAWARE SPAN

Front and Race Street Merchants Amazed at Notices to Vacate

### COMPLAIN TO COMMISSION

Surprise has been expressed by many merchants and landlords in the neighborhood of Front and Race streets of near-approach of a bridge is to be built over the Delaware River.

Amazement is stamped on the faces of many who called at the office of the Delaware River Bridge Commission to complain about the notice to vacate their premises within the sixty days, such notices were sent to occupants of properties on the line of the proposed bridge.

As the center line of the bridge was located as far back as July 21, Joseph C. Costello, secretary of the commission, quietly informed those who called at their amazement and surprise were a little late.

He also reminded them that virtually all had been notified in ample time to vacate by the various agencies of the commission.

Among the complainants during the past few days were many who have business establishments in the bridge area. Many of them declared that they had a very large stock of goods on hand and could not possibly get rid of them until January 1, when the properties must be vacated.

All such excuses are a waste of energy. The commission has made this plain. Engineers of the commission have adopted schedules which require the property within the bridge area on the Philadelphia side by January 1.

They have fixed that date to start the foundation for the anchorage piers. To prepare the way, demolition of properties will start at a point somewhere between the east side of Front street and the west side of Delaware avenue and from Race to Sumner streets.

The shopkeepers also declare that the bridge-erecting neighborhood is the only place that they can do business. But Mr. Costello reminded them that as all their customers in that section would have to go it would therefore be necessary to vacate.

Members of the commission have expressed their sympathy for those who were not aware of the big project to be started in their midst, but declare, nevertheless, that they will be obliged to follow the rigorous schedule.

Up to the present, speed has been the policy of the commission's engineers. By way of illustration, it might be pointed out that the contracts and specifications scheduled to be completed November 18 were finished on November 8.

Incidentally, plans are being mapped out to have fitting ceremonies to mark the start of the big project January 1.

### Precaution for Workers

In the construction of the foundations for the great piers for the bridge, the contractors will be under strict accountability for the utmost care and precaution to safeguard the men who will labor beneath the bed of the river in the straight compartments of the huge caissons.

A State law of Pennsylvania, passed in 1917, provides for this care, as experience in the construction of other bridges requiring underground operation showed a lack of care against which it became necessary to legislate.

From eighty to 100 men will be employed continuously twenty-four hours a day, but divided into such shifts as will give them all necessary safeguards.

Experience showed that as the compressed air reaches the higher pressures the men are unable to remain at the work for any considerable period of time, and the law, accordingly, provides for the hours and lay-offs for these operations.

### "Bendis" Disease Is Feared

Unless every safeguard is used the men working under compressed air are liable to attack from a disease known as the "bendis." Treatment under similar atmospheric conditions is necessary to give relief. Air lock hospitals will be quarters for the workers.

George S. Webster, of the Board of Engineers, who supervised the construction of the Passaic avenue bridge, recalls several instances in connection with the underground operations involved in pier construction.

In one instance a caisson worker was found in a street by a patrolman, who brought him to the station house, where he was recognized and hurried to the special hospital.

In another instance a worker in a caisson collapsed while working underground. He emptied the tank and in coming out of the compressed air entered. When he ascended to the normal atmosphere, the compressed air expelled, bursting the tank and slightly injuring the workman.

### MOTORCAR THEFTS DROP

Detective's Arrest of Two Men on "Hunch" Checks Activities

Motor car thefts have taken a sudden drop in number since Detectives Overholt and Strickland arrested two men on a "hunch," after following them around the city all day. The men are Harry Rosenberg, De Lancy street near Spruce, and Frederick Heckler, Main street, Darby.

The detectives were led to a barn on Dicks avenue, near 13th and road, where were found supposedly stolen automobiles were found next of them taken apart. One belongs to Jacques L. Vaudrain, of Havreford, a son of the president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, and two others have been identified by Joseph Stein, 1818 Passyunk avenue, and Julius Peters, 624 Spruce street.

Heckler and Rosenberg are under \$500 bail for a further hearing Friday.

### WIRING

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