Thursday

To acquaint Philadelphia more thoroughly with Van Raalte Silk Gloves—and to mark Gimbels as their headquarters: a friend-making sale.

GIMBEL BROTHERS

58c for 75c to \$1.25 Van Raalte Silk Gloves. 95c for \$1.25 to \$1.75 qualities. Some are 16-button length. \$1.48 for \$2.25 to \$3 kinds.

Philadelphia, Wednesday, May 24, 1922 Thursday



100 Pure-Silk Sweater Coats—Special at \$15

In the most practical, as well as most fashionable

In the smartest, as well as most practical colorings-navy, black, tan, brown and shell-pink. And all sizes in each color!

White Sports | Flannel Skirts \$7.90

And there's just nothing smarter this particular season than white sports flannel.

A particularly good-looking model.

Yes, all sizes. -Gimbels, Salons of Dress, Third floor.

Dimity "Peter Pans"?-Yes, But They've Short Sleeves! Special at



That is—one style has—the slip-over, button-down-the-back, Irish-picot trimmed model pictured.

And besides-Dimity Peter Pans, with the cutest check gingham bindings. \$2. Dimity Peter Pans-just tucks and tai-

Dimity open-front Peter Pan, with picot. \$2. And an adorable Tuxedo collar dimity model, with wee pleatings. \$2. -Gimbels, Salone of Dress, Third floor.



The Woman's Dress

Pictured—Is of Georgette Crepe and Foulard—and Is One of Fifteen Models That Are

Special at \$29.75

All satisfactory week-end dresses.

All "thought-out specials"-thought-out from fabric-quality to beauty of line; from color-becomingness to fashion-correctness.

The other fourteen models are variously of the new "flat crepe," satin-faced crepe, Canton crepe and -Gimbels, Salone of Dress, Third floor.

Imagine Girls' Dresses of "Cross-Stitch" Prints!



-Special \$3.95

Cute, long-waisted styles—with pretty nearly a ruf-fie for a skirt! Not heavy prints—but sheer batiste.

Organdies in Nile green, coral, sky-blue, pink, and a wonderful tangerine. Color-cross-barred tissues -white with pink, blue or green cross-bars. And the ribbon that threads through

the beading at the waist matches the cross-bars. Plain-color voiles - i Copen, apricot, pink, dandelion, orchid, rose-pink. 6- to 14-year sizes.

English Prints at \$5 For Bigger Girls 12-, 14- and 16-year-olds.

Batiste prints, too. And adorable organdies.

30 Big Casks of

Dinnerware: Save 40%

In the popular open-stock "American" shape. Can be bought separately or in Order by No. 20499—tan border combined with rosebuds. For example—

Over 150 Other Styles of Dinner Sets

Large-Size Mantel Clocks

Less Than Half Price

Mantel Clocks all have 8-day solid brass movements.

t prices, in many instances, lower than pre-war. All of guaranteed quality; all new

106-Piece Sets

Orders

Regularly \$42.50—

Saturday Ends Offer

\$335 for Beautifully **Mahogany-Cased** Player - Piano

The price is inclusive-no interest, no extras; free bench, free tuning. free delivery.

Sold under our broadest guarantee

Pay \$10

and the Instrument Goes Home. Then \$2.50 Weekly

This is the most wonderful value we have known.

Lot is nearly all sold-all will be gone by Saturday evening. -Gimbels, Seventh floor

Points on The New **Bathing Suits**



for the women who watch as eagerly for the opening of the swimming season as any hunter

does for time to get his gun!

Women's Silk Bathing Suits—satins, Matelasse crepe, krepe-knit—at \$7.50, \$8.95, \$10.75, \$15 up to \$39.75.

Finest of fine Worsted Jersey Suits—at \$3.95, \$5.90, \$7.90, \$8.90 to \$15.

Children's Worsted Suits—sizes 2 to 6—at \$2, \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$5.90. Misses' Worsted Suits-sizes 8 to 20-at \$5,90 and \$7.90.

Worsted Swimming Tights at \$2.75; extra -Gimbels, Salone of Dress, Third floor.

2400 Men's Shirts Some With Van Heusen Collars, Some With the Phillips Cuff

The Phillips-Jones Corporation owns the Van Heusen collar-that collar that looks starched; that any one can launder and always fold it right.

cuff-\$2.50 number

at



wonderful in its way. We Have the Stock of

The Phillips reversible cuff is almost as

"Seconds" Shirts -scarcely a findable blemish. Savings run to \$2.50 on a shirt.

Of white shirting fabric and self-figured madras. These have Phillips' Reversible

\$1.65

Of plain (cotton) pongee and Oxford cloth, most of them with Van Heusen collar attached—some with half sleeve. \$1.95 \$3 number at

Of white self-striped madras, white pique and a high-count muslin; Phillips' Reversible cuffs. The \$3.50 number at

Of fine white self-striped madras; neckband; Phillips' Reversible cuff. \$3.25 The \$5 number at.....

Of good white silk, with the Phillips Reversible cuff. The \$7.50 number at

And Van Heusen Collars and Phillips' Reversible Cuffs are the haut monde. -Gimbels, Shirt Section and Grand Aisle.

Suites and Separate Pieces in the 6-Day Furniture Stock-Adjusting Sale

Clearing out the ends of lines-the ones and fews of suites and separate pieces of furniture-

> At Half or Near It The Six-Day Sale Ends Saturday



Louis XV Suite, Four Pieces, Value \$600. Special in This Sale at-

Suite as illustrated; 72-in buffet, 54-in. top extension table, console design serving table, large china closet; made of finely figured American walnut or mahogany, finest construction and finish. Fourpiece, originally priced \$600, in this Sale Special at \$350 the suite. Several designs of chairs to match at different prices.

\$400 Louis XVI Chamber Suite, Special at \$200



American walnut veneers; finest of construction and beautifully finished. 48-in. bureau, large vanity dressing case, fullsize bow-end bedstead: chifforette with sliding trays, three

As illustrated;

\$40 Library Tables in Mahogany, at \$20 \$35 Gate-Leg Tables, 36x48-Inch Solid Mahogany Tops, at \$20 \$45 Davenport Tables,

Built-Up Mahogany Tops,

at \$30

\$40 Nest of Four Tables, in Solid Mahogany, Special at \$20

\$60 Spinet Desks, Three Designs, Mahogany Tops, Sliding Writing Trays, Special at \$30 Each

Gimbels, Sixth floor.

MAIL AND PHONE ORDERS FILLED SAME DAY RECEIVED

38c Coffee at 25c lb. White Bread Flour

Naphtha Soap
P. & G. Laundry Soap. 45c

Lenox Brand, made from Selected Kansas hard wheat at, 1s-bbl sanitary \$1.28 limit 10 cakes for 5000 lbs of Gimbel Cup o' Comfort 38c Coffee, in 25-, 10- or 4-lb lots, at 25c lb.

7500 lbs. of this popular St. James Coffee at the special price of 4 lbs for \$1.18.

India Ceylon Tea Also Orange Pekoe, Keystone E. M. Todds Co.'s, the original

Virginia Hams

Chop Fragrant Season Black Tea, Hams, all sizes, lb 5 lbs for 2.15, or 3 lbs 45c at Poultry Feed

One carload Park & Pollard's "Over the Top" Scratch Feed, Dry Mash, Growing or Intermediate Feed; 25-ib sacks \$3.75

Tomorrow at 9 o'Clock

-Gimbels, First floor, Regular Section and Grand Aisle

Second Day of the Subway Store's Sensational Sale of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes

\$1 Were \$2 Were \$3 Were \$3.50

Solid oak, Strike gong, half hour. Length, 19% inches; height, 10% in ches. Regular value, \$14.00. Sale Price, \$0.95.

Solid oak. Height, 12 inches; width, 9 inches. Solid brass movement. Strike gong. Regular value, \$9.59. Salo Price, \$4.65.

One day time Alarm Clocks, Mahogany finish, Length 13½ inches; height, 7½ inches, Sold else-where at \$6.50. Sale Price, \$3.25.

12,000 Pairs-Every Shoe in the Subway Store

Every wanted style represented—too many to enumerate. All kinds of leathers, too. And any size or width you wear-but of course not in

every style. Early shoppers will get the "plums."

Subway Store Sale—Big Purchase of Girls' White Dresses—Two Prices

\$1.95 Values Up and \$3.45 Values Up to \$5 All organdies in the \$3.45 lot. Both organdies and voiles in the \$1.95 lot.

Mostly lacy styles—lace-bordered ruffles—lace inset skirts—lace-bordered tunics—lace in waists, in sleeves—everywhere! Plenty with embroidered panels. Many with tucks. And all

with some pretty, dainty girdle-finish-ribbon girdle or organdie sash or pretty little rosebuds. 6- to 14-year sizes at each price.

Girls' Lace-Trimmed Princess Slips Price at Lace- and embroidery-trimmed styles.

And sizes up to 14 years old! Tiny Girls' \$3 Dresses at \$1.95 Plenty of all-white, but the cutest colored organdies, and



LEDGER SITE ONCE FLOWERING GARDEN

Tearing Down of Buildings for New Structure Unearths **Ancient Traditions**

EACH PLACE HAS ITS STORY

The restless proboscus of the contractor's steam shovel that works every day in clearing the site for the first wing of the new Public Lenger building io finding and unearthing fragments of many traditions.

This particular tract will be remembered as the longest "undeveloped" corner along the main business path of Philadelphia. In the seventy-odd years or more of the life of the buildings so lately demolished there ripened and decayed these traditions. Somehow, even with the sporadic repairs and spasmodic alterations, traces of them lin-

legend, was once mainly the garden of William Waln, whose house stood on the northeast corner of Seventh and Sansom streets. A high wall that ran up to Chestnut street and about quarter of the way back on Sansom street (or, as a few stubborn ones called it even then, George street) sheltered the garden and protected it from profane glances. What the garden was like inside and what plants were grown there is not recorded, though some say they remember to have heard the place was famed for its hollyhocks.

Passed Into Another's Hands The house and garden were bought afterward (at just the time when the mercantile tide was creeping along Chestnut street) by one Dr. Swaim. This Dr. Swaim, by many accounts, had achieved no little distinction as the inventor of and holder of patent rights on a concection that was specific for at least 61 per cent of the ills of mankind. He had, it appears, extended considerably not only the public health but his own fortunes. He moved his furniture into the Waln house and it became known as the Swaim mansion.

After a time Dr. Swaim caused to be built the row of buildings on Seventh street that, with a few exceptions, stood until this year. One of these he used as the salesroom for "Swaim's

Though the Swaim family lived on Seventh street long enough to become part of it, they in time turned their eyes to the more bucolic areas westward and presently moved to them. Dr. Swaim, however, continued to maintain his office and his control of the surrounding property. In fact, the panacea could be bought, wholesale or retail, in Seventh street as late as the Centennial year.

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Adjoining the mansion was the building known to the second generation back as "Jones' Hotel," though it was at first a high-class Turkish bath. The present generation, however, knew it only as Mary Kuntz's place—Mary who for ten years ran an apple stand outside of it and for twenty more sold provisions inside.

One day the doctor decided to pull down the old Waln house, and there were built in its place four store buildings. The upper floors of these were set into one compartment and the great P. T. Barnum moved one of his museums into them. The scenery caught fire one night and the place burned down, as well as part of the house of George Harrison that had been put up next door. This was ten years before the Civil War.

The undiscouraged doctor built three more stores on the ruins. These and the Harrison property next door became in time, respectively, the warehouse of William B. Wood and the cravat factory of Frederick Walton.

Was Philadelphia's "Newspaper Row" Meanwhile, in the environs, there were upheavals and changes. The then incomparable Punite Lapoen Building

has been creeted at Sixth and Chestnut streets. A couple of decades more saw the Philadelphia Press comfortably housed at Seventh and Chestnut streets, and a few more its expansion into the structure on the northwest corner of Seventh and Sansom streets.

At this time the hotel at Sansom street had given way to the shore of

At this time the note: at Sansom street had given way to the shop of a jeweler, but Mary Kuntz, it is supposed, had not then even so much as heard of Philadelphia. The jeweler's name is lost to history, but next him was another jeweler, who, by some quality, manage, to fix his mame in men's minds, so that many can say it now, though the owner is dead many years. It was Stitser,

Next Stitser's, going toward Chestnut street, was the office of George Young, the teamster, and next that the workshop of Leinu, a plumber. The northstop of Ledwi, a plumber. The north-ernmost building was the shop and greenhouse of a florist named Schaeffer. Relies of Mr. Schaeffer's greenhouse and risted splinters of his old boiler are still upon the lot, unless the wreck-ers have carried them off today.

When Old Things Were New Dr. Swaim died, and the real estate

Dr. Swaim deel, and the real estate he left was put in charge of William C. Price, who then, and until he died, had an office on Walnut street near Seventh. When the buildings that had been put on Chesanut street to the west of the present Puntate Labour Build mg were more than a half century old.
Mr. Price spoke of them as "these new buildings." At the time of his death
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Shortly before the death of old Dr.

Swaim the shop and greenhouse of Mr.

Schaeffer passed into the hands of Hosea. Waterer, who gradually converted the business into one of garden seeds and garden furnishings, and whose name is now known to columnists and other lovers of the congruens over the whole

At Sixth street and Sanson in the building still standing there had risen what was perhaps the most famous restaurant of its generation—Covington's and Winkler's. Its principal offerings were Chesapeake oysters. Delaware fish chops and lauter, for any of which, it was beasted by patrons, nothing equal could be found in the city. It reached the peak of its fame and prosperity durthe peak of its tame and prosperity dur-ing the eighties and nineties, though it continued many years after that. It was the habitat of such native Bohemi-ans as Walt Whitman and such naturultzed Bohemians as Richard Harding

There had also risen below Sanson known "Mrs. Bells." Mrs. Bell died with a fortune

These are but scratches into the rust grown history of the block—such de-tails as could be dug from records or the memories of old men.

Had Whisky in a Thermos Bottie

The Woodside Park police arrested the Woodside Park police arrested two men in the park last night as bootlegger suspects. A satchel, which the men were carrying, contained, the police say, a thermos bottle filled with whisky another thermos bottle filled with alleger ale, glasses and sliced lemons, and they were product the part of the p