





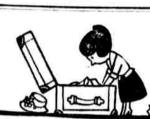
#### Improve Your Complexion By Using Cuticura

Bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot rater to free the pores of impurities and follow with a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal. They are ideal for the toilet. as is also Cuticura Talcum for powdering and perfuming. lample fach Free by Mail. Address: "Outieura Lab-eratories. Dept. 317, Maiden 48, Mass." Sold every-where. Song 25c. Olument 25 and 60c. Taicum 25c., Cuticura Song shaves without mug.

## CHOCOLATE MALTED MILK

ALL OF THE nourishment and food value of malted milk-but a delicious chocolate flavor, too.





BEFORE leaving for your summer home in the mountains, country or seashore, be certain to arrange to have the Evening Public Ledger mailed to you every day.

The Evening Public Ledger with its homenews, page of pictures, comics, woman's pages, stories, recipes, sports news, financial pages and other daily features to please every member of the family will make your sojourn from the city all the more en-

Telephone or send in your summer subscription now, for one, two or three months, the period you will be away. and receive your favorite newspaper regularly with your daily mall

Summer Subscription Rates Public Ledger (Mora'g) 60c \$1.29 \$4.80
Public Ledger (Evening) 50c 1.00 1.50
Public Ledger (Sunday) 50c 1.00 1.50
Summer subscriptions may
be entered by the week.
The property of the control of the con

Peace Organization Seeks Views of Aspirants for House and Senate Seats

#### QUESTIONNAIRE TO BE SENT

By a Staff Correspondent

Washington. Aug. 3.—A platform of pacifism and international accord has been formulated by the Women's International League for peace and freedom as the foundation for a campaign to convert Congress to its views. It is announced that a questionnaire will be sent to all candidates for the House and Senate in an effort to ascertain their views on war, reductions of army and navy, the Tariff and Ship Subsidy Bills and the policies of the Government toward Haiti, Mexico and Russia.

It is made clear that the league favors withdrawal of American troops from Haiti and Santo Domingo and recognition of Mexico and Russia.

Leading figures in the league include Jane Addams, of Hull House, Chicago, international chairman; Lucy Biddle Lewis, of Lansdowne, national chairman; Harriet Conner Brown, of Washinston beed of the Helitisch

man; Harriet Conner Brown, of Washington, head of the Political Research Committee, and Rachel Davis DuBois, of Philadelphia, executive secretary.

#### Text of Questionnaire

The questionnaire to be addressed to candidates for Congress, as made pub-lic today, is as follows: "In connection with your proposed candidacy for a seat in Congress, the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, organized throughout the United States and in twentyone other countries, is interested in your views upon certain important sub-jects and would be glad of your answer

to the following questions:
"First. If elected will you work for drastic reduction of the army and navy -by which is meant immediate reducto the pre-war basis, looking toward the leadership of our country in complete world disarmament?

"Second. If elected, will you vote for removal of economic barriers between nations—by which is meant tariffs, embargoes, bounties, subsidies and other artificial trade restrictions? "Third. Do you stand with the seven big national women's organizations for the outlawing of war, according to the Knox-Levinson plan?
"Fourth. If elected, will you vote

for withdrawal of United States troops from Haiti and Santo Domingo? "Fifth. If elected will you vote for the recognition by the United States of the present Governments of Mexico and Russia?

#### War Graft Investigation

"Sixth. The Government is still paying out millions of dollars from its treasury on war contracts and getting nothing in return. If elected will you insist and vote for a thorough investigation of all-war graft?

"Seventh. Do you stand for a con-stitutional anti-lynching bill? Eighth. In common with forty-five national organizations do you think the Administration should free all political

#### UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE **WELCOMES 1000 FARMERS**

#### Field Work, Orchards and Livestock Are Inspected

Newark, Del., Aug. 3 .- More than a thousand farmers are guests today at the experiment farm of the University of Delaware, the occasion being annual farmers' day. The visitors are from all sections of Delaware and there are also many from adjoining counties of Maryland and Pennsylvania. Dean Charles A. McCue, director of the experiment station, and his staff of assistants welcomed the visitors. The field work in corn, wheat, soy beans and other crops was inspected. There are a large number of fruit growers among the visitors and they were espe-cially interested in the orchards, while

another group spent much time looking over the livestock. Special features included a dairy cattle judging contest between mem-bers of boys and grils cattle clubs of the State and a demons ration in hat making by girls of the Sharley and

Welsh tract girls' clubs.
This afternoon Dean McCue will describe the work being carried on at the farm. The principal address will be by Dr. Jacob J. Lipman, director of the New Jersey Experiment Station.

#### RING STILL IN HIS STOMACH

Alleged Thief Reluctant to Drink Emetics-Hates Tell-Tale X-Ray South Orange, N. J., Aug. 3.—(By A. P.)—James Selitto, ice dealer, never did care for "scientific sharks" and he cares less today as the police constantly press him to drink glass after glass of

emetics.

James' specific aversion is directed against the operator of an X-ray anathine who declared after taking a picture of the ice dealer's stomach that it held a "round metal object, undoubtedly a ring."
It is the ring the police seek, follow-

ing the complaint of a woman customer of Selitto that her wedding ring had disappeared immediately after a visit from the iceman. With Selitto in juil the police think that eventually the ring will be recovered.

#### MAY SHUT BIG FORD PLANT

#### Coal Scarcity Threatens to Halt In-

dustries Throughout Michigan Lansing, Mich., Aug. 3.—(By A. P.)—A number of industries in Michigan face a fuel shortage that may compel shutdowns within the next few according to the State Public

Undiries Commission. The Ford Motor Company at Detroit reported it had a fourteen-day supply of coal and that unless fresh supplies come from nalooked-for quarters, it might be forced to cease operation. Other automobile companies throughout the State reported critical conditions.

According to Indirect advices from Washington, it is problematical whether enough coal can be sent to Michigan to keep even vital utilities in opera-

Mosquitoes Blamed for Man's Death Passaic, N. J., Aug. 3.-Mosquitoes were held indirectly responsible for the death of Frank Schoenbrob, vice president and general manager of the Clifton Textile Company, who was found dead yesterday in his bed from an overdose of sleep-inducing powder. Mr. Schoenbrob, who was considered one of the finest silk designers in this country, took the powder, members of his family said, to seek relief from mosquitoes.

H. S. Harkness Left \$6,952,059 Sew York, Aug. 3. The value of the estate left by Harry 8. Harkness, Standard Oil magnate, to his second wife, now Mrs. Florence W. Schnette, was \$6,952,059, it was disclosed years to spillar being observed by the analytical bullness frie of the Public Lebess. Make Mrs. Mary M. Cowan.

## STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER

# To-morrow Will be Furniture Shopping Day for Those Who Believe "Two Heads Better Than One"

The Semi-Annual Sale Will Benefit Accordingly—With its Broad Array of "Wanted" Furniture at Savings that can be Best Appreciated Through Careful Comparison.

To-morrow, the last shopping day of the week, will be the day when wives will meet husbands, and new home furnishers will "shop together," in Furniture value and satisfaction. And why shouldn't they choose carefully? The Furniture bought now will be a lifetime association, and, if well chosen, an ever-present source of satisfaction and comfort. By all means, compare this Semi-Annual Furniture Sale with any other Furniture Sale. This Sale is modest in its claims—it may not have the greatest floor space, the greatest number of salespeople, nor does it excel in superlative-besprinkled self praise. But when it comes right down to comparison—grade for grade, price for price—then will this Sale fairly shout its matchlessness.

Briefly, here are the facts concerning this Sale-Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of wanted Furniture secured order to decide definitely where Furniture dollars will command greatest at price concessions when manufacturers' prices were at bed-rock and marked accordingly-one-third to one-half less than actual retail prices. Our entire stock at sharp reductions from prices already low.

More Furniture than ever before. Tasteful, well-made Furniture best adapted to the American home of refinement—the dependable sort of Furniture that this Store has always sold, and always will sell.

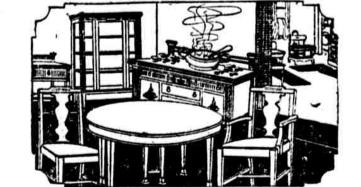
A liberal plan of deferred payments for those who wish to avail them-

A Sale planned for You-a Sale by which you should profit. COMPARE!

## Typical Values from the Semi-Annual Sale



Five-piece Walnut Bedroom Suit, featuring the graceful curves of the period of William and Mary. Solidly made of rich-hued walnut. Suit consists of Dresser, 42x22 inches, with plate glass mirror 30x26 inches; Toilet Table, 40x19 inches; Chiffonier, top 37x21 inches; with Twin Beds. This Suit is worth considerably more than the Semi-Annual Sale



Ten-piece Dining-Room Suit, in 18th century Adam design, with mahogany-finish, wonderfully constructed. Suit consists of Buffet, with 66-inch top; Extension Table, 54-inch top, 8-foot extension; China Closet, 38x62 inches; Serving Table, 18x38 inches; an Arm Chair and five Side Chairs with blue leather \$285 seats. Regular price is twice the Sale price .......



Queen Anne Dining-Room Suit, of 10 pieces, in either walnut or mahogany, consists of a Buffet, 72 inches long; China Closet, Serving Table, Extension Table, five Side Chairs and an Arm Chair. Finished in burl walnut and crotch mahogany veneers. \$385

## For the Home

Sheeting Muslin Special-Heavy unbleached Sheeting Muslin, worth one-half more than these prices:

10-yard Pieces, 37-in., \$1.25 10-yard Pieces, 40-in., \$1.75. Note: The \$1.25 Pieces will make two centre-seam Sheets 72x90 inches; the \$1.75 Pieces will make two similar Sheets 80x90 inches.

Strawbridge & Clothier— Aisle 13, Centre

#### Towels and Toweling—

Linen Huck Towels, finished with damask borders. Size 18x 34-inch, with hemmed ends-50c each; size 18x35, with hemstitched hems-75c each. Turkish Towels, of good weight and generous proporions. Size 24x48-50c each; size 26x53 inches-75c each. Linen Kitchen Toweling, for

hand, roller or dish Towels. Free from dressing, round-thread weave-28c a yard. Typed Glass Towels of pure linen flax. Ideal for drying glass or silver, 22x33-in-42c Strawbridge & Clothler --Atele 12, Centre

Finer Wilton Rugs Arrive Superfine Wilton Rugs, 8.3x 10.6 feet-\$98.50.

Superfine Wilton Rugs, 9x12 feet -\$105.00. Royal Wiltons, 8.3x10.6-\$73 Royal Wiltons, 9x12—\$75. Whittall's Anglo Persian Rugs, 8.3x10.6 feet—\$114.00.

Axminster Rugs, three sizes: 7.6x9 feet—\$25.00 8.3x10.6 feet-\$27.50 9x12 feet—\$29.50 Strawbridge & Clothler— Fourth Floor, West

Size 9x12 feet-\$125.00.

#### Persian Arak Rugs-

Woven in beautiful tones of rose intermingled with shades of ivory, tan and blue. Note the low prices:

Average size 9x12-\$325.00 Average size 11x14-\$525,00 Strawbridge & Clothier-Fourth Floor, Market Street, Wes

#### Men's Needs for Vacation

Before you go, take stock and supply your needs here in this complete Men's Furnish-

ings Store: White Belts-\$1.00 and \$1.50 Leather Belts-50c to \$2.50 Suspenders-50c, 75c, \$1.00 Garters-25c, 35c, 50c, 75c Belt Buckles-\$1.50 to \$7.00 Arm Bands-15c, 25c, 50c Soft Collars-20c to 50c Four-in-Hands-50e to \$5.00 Wash Four-in-Hands - 25c,

50c and 75c Bow Ties-50c to \$2.50 Mandkerchiefs-20c to \$4.00 Strawbridge & Clothier Alsie ! Market St. and Market St. Cross Alsi

#### Girls' and Misses' Muslin Underwear

NIGHT GOWNS of plain or figured crepe; slip-over styles, ribbon-threaded at the neck; 8 to 14 years—85c to \$1.50. COSTUME SLIPS for girls of 8 to 12 years. Of nainsook or batiste, tailored or trimmed

-85c to \$2.50. BLOOMER DRAWERS, sizes 6 to 12 years. Of cambric, plain or trimmed—25c to 75c. COMBINATIONS of barred muslin, with rubber at the knees. Sizes 4 to 8 years-65c.

Strawbridge & Clothler-Third Floor, West

### in the Semi-Annual Sale Most every home has use for one or two Davenport Beds.

Davenport Beds Join

They serve a double purpose—a handsome Couch by day, a comfortable Bed by night. Note these values for to-morrow:

Davenport Beds—\$87.50 Worth Over One-third More Solidly constructed, with mahogany-finish frame, covered with

#### Pullman Day Beds- | Davenport Beds-\$110 \$67.50, Worth Over Regularly One-fourth One-half More

Tapestry-covered, .with mahogany-finish frame. Opens to a

For the August

Vacationist

A vacation, Suit Case at a

special price, and some things

Leather Suit Cases

Special at \$7.50

frames, and lined with linen.

Straps all-around and pro-

tected corners. 24-inch size-

Matting Suit Cases

Special at \$3.75

In 24-inch size, With leather-

protected corners and leather

straps all around. Light-

weight and strong.

Strawierles & ClothlerAisle 8, Centre

Toilet Preparations

for Summer Comfort

These are Hudnut's Toilet

Preparations, well-known for

VIOLET SEC Toilet Water,

\$1.00 and \$1.85; Talcum, 25c; Sachet, 50c: Bath Salts, 75c

and \$1.50; Creme, 50c; Soap

THREE FLOWERS Face

Powder, 75c; Talcum, 50c; Soap, 35c; Toilet Water, \$1.50

Correspondence Cards

Special, 35c a box

Boxes of 24 white linen-fin-

ished Cards with gold edge and

24 Envelopes to match, at an

Friendship Cards

Greeting Cards for Friend-

ship Day, Sunday, August 6.

A wide assortment—10c to 50c

Candy Combination,

Two Pounds-55c

One pound of Gloss Candy

fruit-tilled, chocolate and pea-

nut butter fillings. Also a

pound of delicious, refreshing

mint puffs. The two for 55c.

OUR OWN IMPORTATION

**Princess Hair Nets** 

at Special Prices

They are put up espec 'ly for us and carefully examined,

so we guarantee their excellence. Cap and Fringe Nets

of selected hair, in just the

right size, at a remarkably low

price. In light, medium or

dark brown, black or auburn.

Single Mesh-85c a doz.

Double Mesh-\$1 a doz.

Strawbridge & Clothier-Abile 9, Centre

Strawbridge & Clothier-Aiste 10, Centr

unusually low price-35e.

Strawbridge & Clothier-Alsie 9, Courte

their excellence-

15c, and 25c a cake.

Of sturdy cowhide, on strong

More Allover - upholstered models. Covered with tapestry or velour. comfortable three-quarter-size | Very attractive in appearance and exceptionally well made.

Strawbridge & Clothier-Floor 212, Market Street, East

#### into Autumn. These are all charmingly simple. Graceful low-waisted sash Dresses in slip-on style; loose plaited-panel effects, trimmed with hemstitching or with pin-tucking. All in navy blue and black. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years. Misses' Fine Wash Frocks Reduced Chiefly One of a Kind-\$10.75 to \$15.00 tapestry of fine quality. Opens into a three-quarter-size bed.

Tailored linen and ratine, embroidered veiles, checked tissues, dotted voiles and Swiss, and colored organdie. Another Lot of Misses' Wash Frocks at

Misses' Crepe de Chine

Clearance Prices—\$5.00 and \$7.50 Figured and striped voiles in light effects, dotted Swiss and

checked gingham; low-waisted and slip-on effects, trimmed with

1--> Strawbridge & Clothier-Second Floor, Market Street

Special |

American

Cord Tires

Tires that resist the rough-

est roads, give long service,

and are unusually low in price.

20x31- 318-07 10x41- 801 10 31x4 821-00 05x41- 801 05 40x4 801 10 05x11- 801 10 31x4 821 00 05x11- 801 10 31x4 821 00 05x11- 801 10 31x4 821 00 05x11- 801 10 31x4 821 50 05x5 810 25 32x41- 801 00 05x5 810 25 32x41- 801 00 05x5 810 25

Auto Lunch Kits, fit on run-

ning board. For serving 6 people - \$20.00. Others at

Gray Auto Tubes, 30x312

Hawkeye Basket Refriger.

ators, in two sizes-54.50 and

Based Market Street West

\$8.00, \$10,00 and \$13,50.

inches-\$1.25.

\$10,00.

Values

## Coats and Capes at Clearance Reductions of One-third or More

\$13.75

\$15.00

rawlringe & Clothler-Second Floor, Centre

Plain-tailored tweeds, belted all around, yoke and sleeves lined, a few lined throughout, \$13.75.

Belted Coats of light-weight tan cloaking, about three-quarter length and silk-lined throughout-\$15.00. Serge Capes in black and navy blue, made on long, plain lines, silk-lined throughout-\$20.00.



Our Entire Stock of

## Suits With Two Pairs of Trousers

Every extra-trousers Suit included. Sports styles and conservative styles. Practically every desirable fabric. Scores of attractive patterns.

They were one-half more to two times the Clearance prices. Now is the time for action-for it will be a long time before such values will again be available. They are going quickly at \$16,00, \$21.00 and \$26,00,

#### We Have Made a Further Downward Revision of Prices of Many Suits

A re-grouping and further price reduction of Suits remaining in the Clearance. More than one thousand Suits are thus Assembled in five price groups-

\$13, \$16, \$21, \$26 and \$36

And every Suit in this collection is matchless value at the price. The styles, the fabrics, and in most instances the weights are suitable for wear into winter, and investment-wise men are anticipating future needs—buying three Suits for the usual price of two, or two Suits for the usual price of one.

#### Dresses, \$15.00 and \$19.50 The kind of Frocks that take the Summer wardrobe gracefully

Women's Dresses of Crepe de Chine, \$15.00 to \$18.75

Really exceptionally low prices for Dresses of the fine quality and the fashion distinc-

Plaited, draped and panel styles, with over-blouse, plaited bodice or vestee effects; some with round, collarless neck-line, others with square

neck-line and self collar. Just the kind of Dresses so many women find they need when the waning summer leaves them with depleted wardrobes.

All in the ever desirable navy blue and black.

#### New Leather Hand Bags at \$5.00

The smartest new shapes, of nin-seal, morocco and cowhide, with strong overlapping frames and fitted with vanity burse and mirror; some have the large mirror inside of flap, again others have a convenient feature in an outside pocket for handkerchief. gloves, etc. An exceedingly attractive assortment.

New Arrivals in Women's Fur Coats

Strawmake & Clarkter -

Autumn models-new and lifferent, showing the most approved style tendencies for the coming season, and all developed in furs of the highest

degree of excellence. Structuration & Clarker Street

## Immediate Disposal of Women's Cotton Frocks \$7.50 and \$12.50

Many women wait every year for this clearance of cotton Frocks to lay in a supply of pretty in-doors Frocks for winter, getting really high-grade Dresses at the prices of the most common-

Ti-sues, dimities, ginghams and dotted Swiss at a fraction of their original prices—\$7.50.

Ratine, tissue gingham and embronered dotted Swiss—all high-grade models, half price at \$12.50.

Fine Silk Dresses at Clearance Reductions-now \$23.75 to \$67.50

## Clothing Boys Need Now Reduced for Quick Clearance

Just what boys will want to wear the e August days, away under early season prices. But we must prepare for Autumn,

All-Wool Serge Suits-\$6.50

Weil-lined KNICKERBOCKERS make them extra serviceable, Coats are mohair-lined and made with yoke and plaited back,

Palm Beach Suits—now \$7.00

Gulf model or with yoke and box-plants. Sizes 8 to 16 years.

Small Boys' Wash Suits-now \$1.35 Middy and Oliver Twist models, of durable patterns in fast colors. Sizes 3 to 7 years.

Sturdy, well-made Knickerbockers of cotton mixtures at 50c;

Wash Knickerbockers—50c and 95c and of white duck or cotton covert cloth-95c. Strawbridge & Cibibler Second Floor, Filhert Street, East