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Shirt Waists at 49c.

We put this absurdly low price on these simply to close them out. True there are many very desirable waists in the lot, but the line of sizes is broken and we want them to move out of here. About 100 in this lot, and some choice picking, too.

12 Pairs of Shoes
Given Away so Far.


Not so bad for the first week, but we expect to report many more a week from now. Last Monday morning we started in giving away every 20th pair of shoes sold. So far there has been a dozen lucky purchasers who happened to buy the 20th pair and who had their money returned. You're just as apt to be the fortunate one. Not only this, but you get the benefit of our extremely low prices. We don't believe such really good footwear was ever sold so cheap.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Summary of the Week's News of the World.

Cream of the News Culled From Long Dispatches and Put in Proper Shape For the Hurried Reader Who is Too Busy to Read the Longer Reports and Desires to Keep Posted.

John W. Mackay, president of the Commercial Cable company, died at his residence in London.

By a collision of Lehigh passenger trains at Rochester one man was killed and 25 persons injured.

Four persons lost their lives by a cloudburst and flood near Coventry, Broome county, N. Y.

The sentence of death of Frank Truck, convicted of murdering John W. Miller of Virgil, Cortland county, is respited till Sept. 16.

The steamship Primus was cut in two and sunk by a tug in the river Elbe at Hamburg, and about 50 passengers were drowned.

John Willis Baer, secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, has resigned his position to become one of the assistant secretaries of the Presbyterian board of home missions.

Thursday.

Russell Sage was dragged 10 feet by a street car in New York, but escaped injury.

A ferry boat while crossing the river Volga at Berezni, Russia, sank and 58 harvesters were drowned.

William Filer, a steel worker, shot and killed his wife, Clara Filer, and Harry Bennett, a machinist, at Steelton, Pa.

Pope Leo XIII received Governor Taft in farewell audience and said he would personally supervise the friar negotiations in Manila.

President Roosevelt received a letter from Senator McLaurin of South Carolina declining his offer of a place in the federal court of claims.

During a half century over 3,000,000 persons have emigrated from Ireland and 89 per cent of these emigrants have come to the United States.

Friday.

Missouri Democratic state convention declared for a reaffirmation of the Kansas City platform.

It is now known that 109 lives were lost by the sinking of the steamer Primus in the River Elbe at Hamburg.

Chief of Police F. H. Wilmoth of Elkins, W. Va., was shot from ambush and killed while attempting to arrest two negroes.

Senator Foraker of Ohio in an inter-terry said nobody is seriously

thought of as Republican candidate in 1904 except President Roosevelt.

Dennis Bowen was held on the charge of murder in second degree by Justice Murphy of Buffalo, for killing of Lee Bruce at a circus on Monday.

Captain J. N. McClannahan of Corydon, Ia., has lost his right hand from the effects of a too vigorous hand-shake by a friend. Bones were broken and a cancerous growth followed.

Rumors are current in Liverpool of the ultimate failure of the Morgan shipping combine.

The Lehigh Coal and Navigation company renewed operations at its No. 12 mine, one of the largest in the Tamaqua district.

An express car was riddled by three American robbers on the Mexican Central railroad near Berrimiljo, and \$50,000 taken from the safe.

William J. Bryan made a long speech at a meeting organized at Nantasket, Mass., by the newly organized New England Democratic league.

Two negroes were lynched at Phillips, W. Va., and others are leaving on every train. Trouble grew out of the killing of Chief Bud Wilmoth on July 23.

A cloudburst in a farming district near Fort Plain, N. Y., caused great damage to orchards and top crops.

A mad dog appeared Thursday in various sections of Rochester and bit several persons before it was killed.

Putnam Bradley Strong is now in England and May Yoh is on her way to Europe, having sailed on the Furst Bismarck.

A passenger train dished into a runaway coal car at Xenia, O., resulting in the death of five persons and the serious injury of 19 more.

Secretary Root has accepted the invitation of the Illinois Republican committee to open the fall campaign by a speech at Peoria, Sept. 24.

Charles M. Schwab fully recovered from the attack of illness he suffered on Saturday at Atlantic City.

Many persons injured and hundreds arrested as result of demonstration in Paris over closing of Clerical schools.

Picnic parties in Bronx park, New York, were frightened by a panther which had escaped from the Zoo and could not be recaptured.

King Edward is well but is not yet able to walk or stand. It is thought he will go through the coronation ceremony in a bath chair.

Garfield Wheelhouse of Jamestown was drowned in Chautauqua lake by being thrown out of a naphtha launch which collided with the steamer City of Cleveland. His companion, Miss Hulda Anderson, was rescued.

Useless Expense.

A prince received from the house steward his monthly statement of accounts, in which occurred the item of 150 lire for the keep of a cat in the palace. The prince immediately wrote in the margin, "If there are no rats in the house, it is no good keeping a cat; if there are any rats, the charge for the keep of the cat is superfluous." And he struck out the item.

A Success.
"Mrs. Bilkins learned to play poker so she could keep her husband in at night."

"And does he stay in now?"
"I should say so. She wins so much of his spending allowance that he hasn't the price of a drink."—Philadelphia Record.

A Narrow Escape.
"Bingle tells me that he had two horses killed under him in one of the battles of the last war."

"That's right. A railway car he was riding in backed into them."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Revert Courtroom.
"Hair's getting a bit gray, sir," remarked the barber as the next victim settled back in the chair.

"No wonder," rejoined the N. Y. "Just think how long I have been waiting."

Unknown to Women.

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You know what our Clearance Sales have been before, and this season they will be along the same line, only that, like every other business house in our line, who had done business for any length of time, we had some old goods which we sold at a sacrifice; but now, we were spared the trouble of getting rid of old goods by the fire, so we will have to sell you goods at a sacrifice just as before, only it will be strictly new goods, and below we will give you some prices on same.

Goods Sold at 1-3 off

Men's and Boys' Suits,—Men's and Boys' Pants.—All wool coat and pants suits for hot weather, Men's hats and caps, men's and boys' shirts, Ladies' linen, duck, mercerized and silk skirts, Ladies' colored underskirts. All laces, appliques, allover, flouncing and embroideries, corsets, corset waists and corset covers. All underwear. All parasols and umbrellas. All kinds of footwear, except Bostonian shoes. All men's and women's neckwear and hosiery. Crockery, glass and graniteware. Tar, building and wall paper. Looking glasses. Trunks, valises, telescopes and suitcases. Window shades and curtain poles. Bed spreads, quilts and blankets. Rugs, draperies and hammocks. Jewelry and silverware. Revolvers and pocket knives. Silks, velvets, velveteens and ribbons, summer dress goods, heavy dress goods, linings, table linens and ticking.

Goods Sold at 1-2 Price.

All wool bicycle suits, Boys' washable suits. Razors. Lace curtains and sash curtain goods. All millinery goods. Ladies' tailor-made suits and skirts, ladies' silk capes, ladies' and misses' shirt waists and dressing sacques.

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Best grade table oilcloth.....	18 " "
Best jean, linen and duck pants.....	75c a pair
Men's and boys' overalls.....	38c "
Brownie overalls.....	20c "
Best Waterbury alarm clocks.....	75c "
Ladies' and misses' sunbonnets.....	18c apiece
6 spools Clark's O. N. T. thread.....	25c
100 yd. best spool silk.....	8c
First class envelopes.....	75c per M
Standard carpet warp.....	22c per lb

The Reason Why!

You see I am under a great expense, so I am more anxious to sell lots of goods during this Clearance Sale than ever before, as I have my new building under way, and it is going to be the finest building in Forest County or perhaps in this part of the State, it will take a great deal of money for its erection, and I desire to raise the money out of my present stock of goods for this purpose. My stock is all new, nicely arranged and in the best possible condition, so I make the above prices with the hope that you and I will both receive the benefit of same, in that you will get double value for your money and I will get the ready cash, which I so greatly need at this time. So do not forget me.

Remember this sacrifice sale is for CASH ONLY, except when country produce is offered, for I cannot afford to sell my goods in any other way at this time.

Don't forget the date. Sale commences on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 1902.

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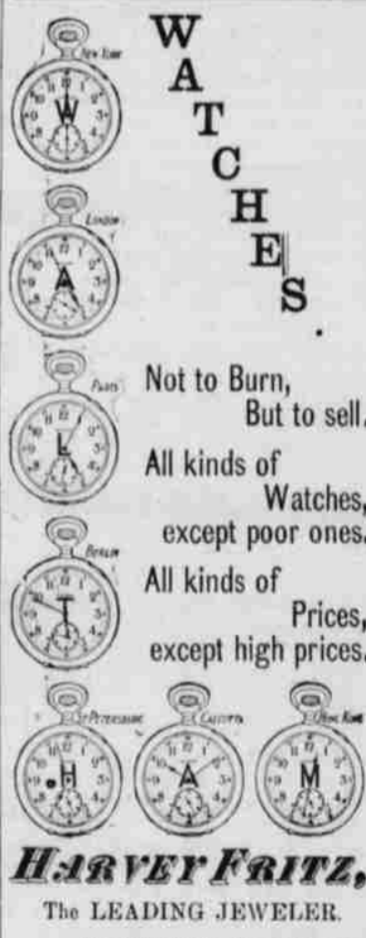
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