

THE Smart & Silberberg STORES.

Out Go Wash Goods

We've been pounding away on wash fabrics till there is not much left to talk about, but this week we propose making a clean sweep. Every yard of wash goods, be it Dimity, Mull, Organdy, Lawn, Swiss or whatever it is, will be grouped together on one table and marked 5 cents to clean them up.

Just think, 5 cents for 25 cent goods.

Women's Tailored Suits, \$10.

The balance of our stock to go at \$10.00. No matter what the actual value or cost may be, the price on them this week will be \$10.00. To be sure some of them are better than others, therefore those coming first will be best served, but then there isn't a suit in the lot offered that is worth less than twice the price asked—some of them were three and four times more.

White Cambric Petticoats, 98c.

Another lot of those same skirts that attracted so much attention when we advertised them a couple of weeks ago. Surely it don't pay to make them up when we make such offerings as this.

New Ready-to-Wear Hats.

Polo Turbans, "Tommy Atkins," Continentals and other nobby new hats. White is particularly strong, though the patent leather effects are a close second.

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Sixth Sense in Birds.

In the animal kingdom the birds seem to be really the class most highly favored by nature. Though they are not placed near the summit of the line of evolution, their ability to fly marks them off as having some advantages over nearly all the mammalia. Their mysterious power of changing their polarity or weight in order to dive in water or soar in air has been often discussed, and the almost incredible velocity of their motion when migrating, sometimes amounting to four miles a minute for vast distances, has no parallel among other animals. In addition, experiments with carrier pigeons at night demonstrated beyond doubt that these birds at least possess a highly developed sense of direction.—New Century Path.

His Envious Estate.

"When I come into my landed estate I'll bet nobody will put me out," said a philosopher after listening to a tale of woe by a friend who had recently lost his place in the country through the foreclosure of a mortgage. "Why, I didn't know you owned any real estate." "I don't now, but I am very positive of having some later on. It will be a very snug retreat, too—absolutely private, although in a populous neighborhood. There will be several other advantages too. It will be free from taxes, and I'll be exempt from jury duty." "Isn't that fine! I congratulate you. Wish I could inherit something like that. Where is your place?" "The grave." "The other man said nothing further about the injustice of foreclosing mortgages.—New York Herald.

Comforting Comparison.

"Don't you feel foolish peddling these nonsensical toys?" asked the man of several ideals. "Yes," answered the street fakir, "I feel rather foolish. But what do you feel of the people who buy 'em'?"—Washington Star.

A PRACTICAL ARMISTICE.

General Agreement That No Battle Will Take Place Until Negotiations Fail.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 15.—It seems to be taken for granted among the attaches of both the Japanese and Russian missions that there will be no general battle in Manchuria while the peace negotiations are on.

Oyama is known to be prepared to strike the moment they fail and there may be more or less skirmishing and outpost engagements while the troops are getting into position, but it is admitted on each side that if either Oyama or Linvitch should deliberately bring on a general engagement which might cost 50,000 or 100,000 lives, his country would be accused of bad faith in the negotiations here and would inevitably lose prestige in the eyes of the world.

In the larger sense, therefore, it can be said that an armistice already exists in Manchuria. Should the negotiations be prolonged after it became evident that they are to be fruitless, the advance of Oyama or Linvitch might be the signal for the final rupture. The unexpected attack on Port Arthur might be repeated below Harbin.

Postoffice Clerk Drowned Himself.

Binghamton, Aug. 15.—Wilbur Saxton, who has been employed for a few weeks as a substitute clerk in the Binghamton postoffice, drowned himself last evening. About 7:30 o'clock he left the office, ran across the street to the Chenango river bank and in full view of several people, who made no effort to stop him, he waded out into the river to a depth of three feet and there held his head under the water until he was drowned. The people who had seen him then gave an alarm. A search was immediately begun for the body, which had floated down stream into deeper water and was not found until 9 o'clock. No cause is known for the act. Saxton came to the city from Sanitarium Springs a few weeks ago, and had acted strangely for several days.

MARKET REPORT.

New York Provision Market.

New York, Aug. 14.
WHEAT—No. 2 red, 87½c f. o. b. admt; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.09½.
CORN—No. 2 corn, 61c f. o. b. admt; No. 2 yellow, 61½c.
OATS—Mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs. 30¢30½c; clipped white, 35 to 40 lbs., 34¢35c.
HAY—Shipping, 60¢65c; good to choice, 90¢95c.
PORK—Mess, \$15.00@16.00; family, per bbl., \$17.00@17.50.
BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 29½¢@21c; common to extra, 17½¢@20½c; state dairy, common to extra, 17¢@20c.
CHEESE—State, full cream, small choice, 10½c.
EGGS—State and Pennsylvania, 25¢27c.
POTATOES—Long Island, \$1.50@1.75; southern, 60¢@1.15.

Buffalo Provision Market.

Buffalo, Aug. 14.
WHEAT—No. 1 northern in store, old, \$1.14; No. 2 red, 84½c.
CORN—No. 2 corn, 59c f. o. b. admt; No. 2 yellow, 60c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 29½c f. o. b. admt; No. 3 white, 29c.
FLOUR—Fancy blended patent per bbl., \$5.75@6.50; winter family, patent, \$5.30@5.80.
BUTTER—Creamery western, extra, 21½c; state and Pennsylvania creamery, 21½c; dairy, choice to fancy, 20c.
CHEESE—Fancy full cream, new, 11½¢12c; good to choice, 10½¢11c.
EGGS—Selected, fancy, 22¢23c.
POTATOES—Southern, fancy, per bbl., \$1.80@1.90; home grown, per bu., 50¢65c.

East Buffalo Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Best steers on sale, \$5.10@5.50; fair to good butcher steers, \$4.00@4.60; medium half-fat steers, \$3.75@4.10; common to fair heifers, \$3.25@4.20; good to choice heifers, \$4.50@4.85; good butcher bulls, \$3.25@3.60; choice to extra veals, \$5.25@6.75; medium to good, \$5.50@6.00.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Choice spring lambs, \$7.25@7.50; yearlings, choice, \$5.50@5.85; handy wethers, \$5.00@5.25; mixed sheep, \$4.25@4.75.
HOGS—Mixed packers' grades, \$6.55@6.65; medium hogs, \$6.50@6.60; pigs, light, \$6.00@6.70.

Buffalo Hay Market.

HAY—Choice, \$12.50; No. 1, \$12.00; No. 2, \$10.00@11.00; choice light mixed, \$10.00.

Utica Dairy Market.

Utica, Aug. 14.
Sales on the board of trade today were:
Large white, 8 lots of 475 boxes at 93c; large colored, 15 lots of 1,105 boxes at 93c; small white, 8 lots of 520 boxes at 93c; small colored, 31 lots of 1,125 boxes at 93c.
BUTTER—26 packages of creamery sold at 21c; 40 packages at 23½c; 36 crates of prints at 22c.

Little Falls Cheese Market.

Utica, Aug. 14.
Sales of cheese on the Little Falls dairy market today were:
Large colored, 2 lots of 179 boxes at 10c; small colored, 26 lots of 1,381 boxes at 10c; small white, 2 lots of 125 boxes at 94c; small colored, 2 lots of 1,406 boxes at 10c; small white, 2 lots of 129 boxes at 93c; twins colored, 11 lots of 625 boxes at 10c; twins white, 18 lots of 625 boxes at 10c.

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Republicans Preparing For Convention of State League at Easton.

NATIONAL ORATORS EXPECTED

Reports From All Parts of the State Indicate That the Party Is in Fine Shape.

[Special Correspondence.]

Harrisburg, Aug. 15.

The Republican state organization proposes to give every assistance and encouragement to the young Republicans of Pennsylvania to make the coming convention of the State League of Republican Clubs one of the most successful in the history of the League.

The convention, which will be held in Easton next month, promises to be one of the largest held in recent years, and the local committee of arrangements is planning an exceptionally good program for the entertainment of the delegates and other guests who will visit their city during the convention week.

Clubmen Meet Andrews.

Chairman Wesley R. Andrews, of the Republican State Committee, has had several conferences with officers of the State League, and he is heartily co-operating in their efforts to get the active Republicans of the state to interest themselves in the election of delegates to the convention by their home clubs.

It is pointed out that President Roosevelt has from the outset of his political career looked upon the Republican clubs as a powerful factor in the winning of campaigns, and he has never missed an opportunity to commend the work of the vigorous and progressive young Americans who are the bone and sinew of the Republican League of the Nation.

In his last national campaign the president insisted that the Republican national committee must give every consideration to the young men who were in charge of the organization of Republican clubs throughout the country, under the auspices of the National League, and he has since attributed much of the glory of the victory in that campaign to the Young Republicans who marched behind the club banners on which were inscribed the words "Roosevelt, Protection and Prosperity."

Duty of Young Republicans.

Pennsylvania Republicans in the present state campaign expect the clubmen of the Commonwealth to do their full duty, and there is every reason to believe that there will be no disappointment on that score.

It is announced from Easton that the Republican clubs of the entire county of Northampton are preparing to entertain the visitors, and that all will be welcome who come with the delegates and will receive the same courtesies and hospitality as the official representatives of the clubs.

A special committee is at work getting Republicans of national fame to promise to address the great mass meeting which will be held on September 20. There are already assurances of the presence of some of the best-known and most popular Republican orators in the country. All of the candidates on the Republican state ticket have been invited, and many of the most prominent Republicans of the several counties of the state are expected to attend the gathering.

From many private interviews with active Republicans from every section of the state and through the heavy correspondence that is daily received, Chairman Andrews is more than delighted with the reports as to the condition of the Republican party and the sentiment of the voters throughout the state. Though the campaign has not been fairly opened there are evidences of unusual activity among the rank and file of the Republican forces.

The attacks of the Democrats serve to stimulate the Republican workers to renewed activity and are actually beneficial to the Republican organization.

Danger Lies in Apathy.

It is admitted on all sides that the greatest danger to a majority party in what is termed an "off year" campaign lies in the apathy of the average voter. When no great prize, such as the presidency or a governorship, is at stake there is likely to be a feeling of indifference or at least of over-confidence, particularly after the polling of such a tremendous Republican majority as was given to Roosevelt for president in Pennsylvania.

It will devolve upon the Republican managers throughout the state to see to it that every Republican voter is impressed with the importance of casting his ballot in November next so that the Republican lines shall remain intact and that the party shall be in shape to mass its forces in solid phalanx in the congressional and gubernatorial struggle which will take place next year.

Republicans Will Vote Straight. Republicans outside of Philadelphia will not be disturbed in their party fidelity by what may occur in that city. They will vote the straight ticket, as heretofore, and sustain by the usual majorities the policies so necessary to the welfare and prosperity of the country and record a united and emphatic approval of the excellent, capable and patriotic administration of President Roosevelt.

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A Story of Tenyson.

Dante Rossetti used to tell a story of Tenyson, with whom he was walking one sultry summer night through High Holborn. They passed a building brilliantly lit up and from which issued the sounds of joyous music. "What is that place?" asked the bard. "It is called," replied Rossetti, "the Holborn casino." "I should like to look in," pursued the bard, "only I should be at once surrounded by a crew of groundlings, who would mob and pester and jostle me." "My dear sir," quietly remarked Dante, "if you were to get on one of the tables, announce your name and recite three of your poetic masterpieces into the bargain probably not 2 per cent of the audience would have the slightest idea of who you are."

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