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## Cluny Doilies, Center Pieces and Table Covers

Handmade Cluny Doilies in a large range of designs and qualities

Six inches in diameter. Each, 19c to 39c

Nine inches in diameter. Each, 25c to 75c

Twelve inches in diameter. Each, 50c to \$1.00

Cluny Centerpieces; handmade and fine quality; 20 and 22 inches in diameter. Each, \$1.00 to \$4.00

Cluny Scarfs of fine quality and handsome new designs; 18x36, 18x45 and 18x54. Each, \$2.00 to \$7.50

Cluny Table Covers in round designs and handsome patterns. 36, 45, 54 to 72 inches in diameter... \$5.00 to \$30.00

Thirteen piece Madeira and imitation Madeira luncheon sets; neatly boxed for gifts, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 to \$10

Eyelet embroidered scarfs, shams and centerpieces to match; all sizes. Each, 69c, 98c, \$1.39 to \$1.98

Embroidered and plain linen pillow cases; 22 1/2 x 36 inches; hemstitched ends. Pair, \$1.25, \$2.50 to \$5.00

Large assortment of lace and embroidered scarfs and shams to match; neat filet designs. Each, 39c, 45c, 50c and 59c.

## Reducing Our Furniture Stock Brings These Rare Gift Items

Many pieces on the Furniture Floor will carry a message of Christmas cheer into homes because the furniture is too good and the prices too attractive to be overlooked by persons seeking such practical gifts.

**BED ROOM PIECES**

- \$49.00 Circassian walnut princess dressers... \$39.00
- \$45.00 Circassian walnut princess dressers... \$35.00
- \$79.00 Circassian walnut princess dressers... \$65.00
- \$75.00 Circassian walnut chiffoniers... \$65.00
- \$49.00 mahogany dressers... \$39.00
- \$45.00 mahogany chiffoniers... \$35.00
- \$18.50 mahogany princess dressers... \$13.95

**CHAIRS AND ROCKERS**

- \$25.00 leather library chairs... \$16.95
- \$25.00 leather library rockers... \$16.95
- \$12.50 Turkish rockers... \$8.95
- \$3.95 mahogany rockers... \$3.95

**HALL RACKS**

- \$19.50 golden oak hall racks... \$14.50
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- \$19.50 golden oak hall tables... \$9.75

**BUFFETS**

- \$39.00 golden oak buffets... \$29.50

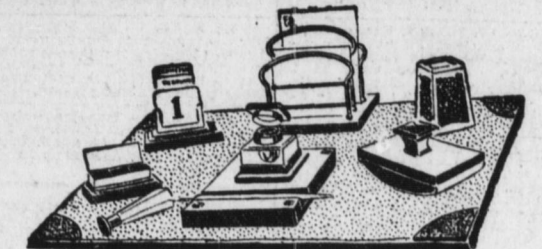
**BOOK CASES**

- \$25.00 fumed oak combination book cases... \$16.95

**PARLOR PIECES**

- \$35.90 mahogany parlor suites... \$29.50
- \$12.50 mahogany tables... \$8.50

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## Ornamental and Useful Gifts in Brass

Book Racks, \$1.25 to \$3.00

Desk sets in brass, bronze or mahogany, \$6.50 to \$12.50

Paper Knives, 50c, 65c, 75c

Pen Trays, 50c to \$1.50

Desk Calendars, \$1.50 to \$2

Stationery holders, 75c to \$2.00

Ink wells, \$1.50 to \$3.00

Smokers' Outfits, \$1.00 to \$5.00

Four-piece desk sets, consisting of inkwell, knife, clip and pad. Special... \$3.50

D. P. & S. Street Floor.

In order that we might better serve you in the selection of your gift purchases we suggest that you start your Christmas shopping early in the day. Morning shopping affords leisurely choice of everything that has been gathered by us from all over the world.

### Special Attractions in Groceries

Immediate attention given to phone and mail orders.

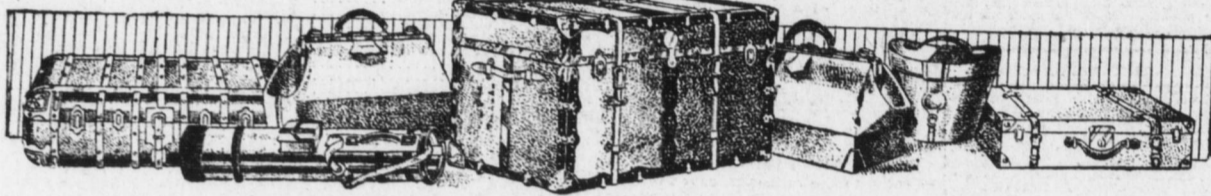
A combination sale of unusual worthiness includes—

- 5 lbs. granulated sugar... 24c
- 1 lb. Banquet coffee... 30c
- 1 can fancy tomatoes, 1 1/2 June peas, 1 can Cream corn... 25c
- 5 cases Ivory soap... 21c

Total... \$1.00

- Mixed nuts, lb... 22c
- Brazil nuts, lb, 1/2 doz... 25c
- Paper shell almonds, lb... 24c
- California Walnuts, lb... 24c
- Large Florida oranges, dozen... 29c
- Juicy Florida grape fruit, each, 6 for... 25c
- Fancy California peaches, 3 lbs... 25c
- Choice California prunes, 3 lbs... 25c

D. P. & S. Basement.



## If It's to One Who Travels--A Bag or Suit Case

A large stock of high-grade bags and suit cases makes choosing of such a gift a comparatively easy matter. The styles are the latest and the prices are the lowest in the city.

**TRAVELING BAGS AND SUIT CASES**

The most complete display of leather goods at exceptionally low prices.

- 3-piece heavy grade Keratol black long grain bags, high cut, English oxford shape, moire lining with inside pocket, 16 inches, \$1.50; 18 inches... \$1.69
- English oxford selected smooth brown cowhide leather bags, leather lined, with two small and one large inside pockets, set-in lock and sliding catches, French sewed edges and sole leather corners, 17 or 18 inches... \$5.00
- Black walrus grain leather bags, English cut, leather lined with pocket, solid brass sliding lock and catches, full cut, 17 or 18 inches, \$5.00
- 3-piece high cut zebu leather bags, leather lined, with three pockets, solid brass lock and catches, high cut, sewed-on corners, suitable for either men or women, 16, 17 or 18 inches... \$5.00

**SUIT CASES**

- \$3.98 solid leather bags in brown, russet and black in long grain hair goat, smooth cowhide, black whale walrus grain, leather lined. Oxford shape, French edges with reinforced corners. Extra value at... \$3.98
- The largest and best assortment of selected high grade traveling bags in genuine walrus, black calf, pigskin, moose, hand boarded, English cowhide and crepe seal in all the popular sizes and styles... \$5.98 to \$25.04
- Rubber cloth or fiber matting 24-inch suit cases, well made... 98c
- Brown fiber suit cases, 24 inches long, 7 inches deep, brass lock and catches, reinforced sole leather corners... \$1.98
- Our \$5.00 "Special" suit case is made of cowhide leather, 3 styles to select from, extra deep sewed corners with bolts and straps—shirt pockets in cover... \$5.98 to \$25.04

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## ALCOHOL CAUSE FOR DEFECTIVE CHILDREN

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possible is done for the little unfortunates to equip them to fight the world.

**Given Manual Training**

Aware that a livelihood cannot be gained through the brain, they are given manual training. By the works of their hands a way is opened up for them toward self-support. To breed the idea of commercialism, the children are allowed to keep and sell the articles they make. Napkin rings, needle books, calendar stands, baskets, embroidered articles and knitted wear are a few of the things turned out. And the work is well done as was evidenced recently by a little lady in the Hamilton building who preferred to wear home-made waisting cap made by the girl seated behind her than the one her mother had knitted.

This manual work occupies only one-third of the sessions. The earlier parts of the periods when the pupils are fresh and unwearied from the long hours in the schoolroom are given over to the difficult task of mastering the three "R's." It is only those who have the work in charge who really know what a stupendous task it is and what limitless gentleness and patience are required. Miss Serena Knabe, of the Hamilton building, is a graduate of the Hamilton Training School for Feeble Minded and three

times she has spent her summer vacations in taking special courses to better fit her for the place.

**Control Not Severe**

One of the most noticeable things about a schoolroom of mentally deficient children is the lack of order and deportment. The pupils sing, talk aloud and move about at will. This absence of discipline is part of the system. The day mind is by nature stubborn and will not tolerate severe control. To win the confidence and love of such children is the chief effort of the teacher and then to keep them sweet tempered and fond of school. Even her tone of voice is always one of cheeriness and encouragement. The result is excellent attendance with many of the pupils coming from a long distance. In the Hamilton school there are twenty this season and in the Melrose, eighteen.

Their physical culture exercise is turned into games of life. Music and song is interspersed frequently with folk dancing. With wide-open windows they are given a dose of pure air in a manner which partakes of the nature of a romp instead of a duty. A casual glance over a room full of these youngsters resembles, with a few important exceptions, a room in the average grammar school. There are ruddy cheeks, bright eyes and little faces full of interest. But a closer study unfolds the tragedy of childhood. That little chap of eight, in point of years is really fourteen. That dark-haired girl verging upon manhood is a degenerate and needs constant supervision. A little girl of nine or ten has a fairly good brain but a throat catarrhis has made her speech so defective that her development is retarded.

In one of the schools is a little Albino girl, her snow-white hair in a cone, hangs down her back. Her peculiar pink eyes are like cat's, bright and sparkling on a cloudy day, but dim and dull on a sunny one. She is what is known as "backward," the direct result of pre-natal anemia.

timed desolation in Europe may demand.

**Rev. Relsch Praises Evangelist**

The Rev. Thomas Relsch, of the Christ Lutheran Church, spoke of the great work Dr. Stough had done here. He would be appreciated by the people of the city and bring a generous financial response when the free-will offering is taken for the evangelist next Sunday.

The sermon last night was based on Joseph of Arimathea, who, although he loved Jesus, refused to take an open stand for him for fear of the Jews. Dr. Stough said there are many in Harrisburg to-day who for fear of worldly alliances and business and political connections have not dared to make a stand for the campaign.

### Dr. Stough to Take Another Crack at the Booze Interests

Before a tabernacle almost full of men who braved the storm Dr. Stough yesterday afternoon gave his sixth lecture to men only on "Chaining the Giant." This was to have been the last of the series but the campaign being extended another week, the final crack at the devil before the men of Harrisburg will be given next Sunday afternoon, when the subject will be "The Three Sirens," a review of some of the evils that confront men.

His talk on "Chaining the Giant" was very good, and he was a man of might, who boasted of his strength and trusted in it so much that it brought about his downfall.

"The young men of to-day," said the evangelist, "who strut about in their manly power and say they have no fear of God, man or devil think they are immune from the clutches of evil. But every one of them has a weak spot in his character which the devil will discover sooner or later. Like Achilles, they all have a vulnerable spot, and like him they will lose out someday if they trust in their own strength alone."

**Many a Broken-Down Samson**

"Thousands of young men are selling their strength for a mess of pottage, or money, or power, and are trifling with sin with the boast that they have the will power to stop when they please. But like Samson in his last days in the treadmill of the Philistines, they will end by becoming hunched up in evil habits that cannot be easily broken. If you want to see some of these modern broken-down Samsons, just go any night into the saloons of the city."

Dr. Stough told the stories of some of the men who had been converted from drunkards by the power of Christ in the Water Street Mission, conducted by Jerry McAuley, in New York city. He said that any man, no matter how far sunk, has yet one more chance by accepting Christ, and in illustration of this he related a story of how Paul Murphy, the famous chess player, when he was shown a picture called the "Game of Life," in which the devil was a young man checkmated, studied the situations of the chessmen on the painted board and figured out one more move that the young man might make and save himself from the clutches of the devil. So, said Dr. Stough, each man may have yet another chance if he will but take advantage of it.

At the close of the talk, when Dr. Stough asked how many men in the audience had hit the trail during the six weeks, hundreds stood up in all parts of the tabernacle. Then he asked those who wanted to be better acquainted with the others and many more got up.

**Bartender Testifies**

All the men came toward the front and several got on the platform with Dr. Stough and testified. One of them was the bartender who hit the trail two weeks ago. He was followed by a

second bartender and the driver of a brewery wagon. These men stood in front of the stage and Professor Spooner asked the men who had attended on the other side of the bar to get on the platform behind them. The place was jammed in a minute and hundreds more were unable to find room.

Confession cards were then circulated and signed by more than ninety men who had not already hit the trail. Three hundred and fourteen dollars was collected at this service, which, with the amounts taken at the morning and evening meetings, totaled more than the \$25,000 asked for by Dr. Stough to cover the additional expenses incurred by the seventh week of the campaign, which was not provided for in the budget of \$19,000.

### Rummies Are On the Run

At the beginning of the service Dr. Stough said the devil has a bad stomach ache in Harrisburg just now and that the rummies are on the run. He declared that one liquor dealer who had done \$16,000 business in October did only \$5,000 in November, and that he was being shown plainly in dollars and cents.

He introduced Mr. Sherwood, his chief counsel in the four libel cases for \$50,000 each now being brought against him in Luzerne county. Mr. Sherwood made a few remarks to the effect that he has never known a man who has taken a bolder stand against the liquor business than Dr. Stough. He said he does not know which is the greater evil, the devil or liquor, "which is the devil in solution."

He advised the men of Harrisburg to stick to their great stand against booze and not to wobble afterward. He said the great trouble is that church people are too weak in their protests against evil. There being only 50 per cent of Christian voters registered at the polls.

### Few Ministers Lead Exemplary Christian Life, Says Evangelist

At yesterday morning's service there were many amens and hallelujahs shouted out as Dr. Stough preached an eloquent sermon "Stubble or Silver." After some theological discussion on the Resurrection and the Judgment day and the work to be done during this life he said: "The trouble with the church in Harrisburg to-day is that the body has overtaken the spirit and is in a most critical condition. How many ministers do you have that live a real exemplary Christian life?"

"Many people have fallen out of the church into Russellism and Christian Science because of the lack of real Christian work in the church. Ministers are leaving for life insurance, real estate and other secular business because they are losing their influence in the pulpit."

"I have never said a word intentionally about a consecrated real Christian minister. God bless the man who is called of God and stands for righteousness."

### 108 Hit Trail When Stough Tells Men How They'll Know Conversion

One hundred and eight persons hit the trail on Saturday night after learning their unconverted state from the sermon by Dr. Stough on "How I May Know I Am Converted," in which he explained clearly the conditions of mind and the actions of daily living of those persons who are sure they are saved. He said the regeneration of

life brought about by Christ is made unmistakably evident by a desire to forsake old sins; an impulse to love God and to become like Christ; a love for God's people and the church; a concern for others who are unsaved, and finally by a deep faith in God, shown by a new spirit of prayer and a study of the Bible.

"To begin with," declared the evangelist, "when you are truly converted you will straighten up any old grudges you may have, you will square up your honest debts and return all stolen goods. If you ever had a fight with your mother-in-law, you will forgive her and ask her pardon, and henceforth live in peace with her. You will also quit scrapping with the neighbors over the back fence."

### God's Law Versus the State's

"You will pay every dollar you owe if you are a Christian. If you don't you are a hypocrite. You know you can go into bankruptcy under the state law and release your debts, but you can't do that under God's law; you can't wipe your slate clean by any such trickery. There are too many people running around with other people's clothes on their backs nowadays and with groceries in their stomachs that they haven't paid for."

"You know restitution is a part of the Bible's teaching and if you have anything you have obtained dishonestly you will return it when you become a Christian. That is the great squeeze in Harrisburg right now; some people are afraid to come to this tabernacle because they know God will get such a grip on them that they will have to come forward, and they are too cowardly to face the question."

"Some of the men and women on Capitol Hill could not honestly hit the trail without giving up their jobs, and that is the reason they are not enthusiastic about this campaign and my methods. Stough is a very great convenience to many people who want to work off their grudges by knocking something."

Another evidence of conversion pointed out was winning out of improper friends and a dropping of some of the questionable clubs and lodges where the old crowd hangs out. "It will be shown by a renovation of your home life; I mean literally and metaphorically. You will start cleaning in the cellar and go to the attic, throwing out the cases of beer and bottles on the sidewalk, the card decks, the suggestive pictures and bad books that pose as art and literature. You will replace them with the family altar, prayers and the Bible."

### Trail Hitters Most Ardent

In speaking of the Christian's concern for the unsaved, Dr. Stough said that most of the recruiting of sinners in the campaign has been done by trail hitters.

**Firemen's Night To-morrow**

Firemen's night will be observed to-morrow at the tabernacle with special reservations made for all companies of the city and neighboring towns who desire to attend in separate bodies. Companies that have not already made arrangements can do so by telephoning to Fred Cartwright, custodian of the tabernacle, Bell phone 19.

Colonel H. C. Demming, of the Firemen's Union, has received a contribution of \$2.00 toward a fireman's trumpet to be given to the company having the largest representation at the tabernacle.

### DISPLAYED MANY DIAMONDS

A feature of interest Saturday was the display of diamonds of the H. C. Claster jewelry store. This assortment had a total value of \$125,000, consisting of stones of various sizes and mountings of plain and intricate design. A special officer was detailed to guard the precious assortment of gems.—Advertisement.

## SEC. DANIELS WANTS SIX NEW DESTROYERS

Also Urges That United States Build Projectile Plant For \$500,000

Washington, Dec. 14.—Secretary Daniels told the House naval committee to-day that while all the battleships in reserve were not supplied with shells, every dreadnaught and every other battleship in the active line was equipped but did not, however, have an adequate reserve supply.

"That," said the secretary, "is no navy secret."

He declared the navy was making torpedoes at Newport for \$5,000 each; more than \$1,000 less than her price at which private concerns supply them; asked the committee to authorize more than six new destroyers, in view of the prices at which Saturday's bids were accepted; told that the board was making tests of a new shell promising great results for all attacking submarines and urged an appropriation of \$500,000 for a government projectile plant.

An English company making a superior shell, he said, had offered the United States its process for \$10,000 and the navy has taken an option.

Representative Gardner continued his movement for investigation of the national defenses by writing letters to the chairmen of the naval and military committees urging examination of army and navy officers.

Secretary Daniels said tests completed ten days ago on coal from Alaska Matanuska fields had proved practically perfect.

The report of successful naval tests of Matanuska coal was sprung as a surprise by the secretary who was elated particularly because of plans going forward for the Alaska railway to open up the coalfields.

## \$2,000,000 Chopped Off Appropriation Measure

Washington, Dec. 14.—"Economy" was the watchword of the appropriations committee in the preparation of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, first of the big supplementary bills, which was reported to the House to-day. The committee lopped off nearly \$2,000,000 from the estimates submitted by the various departments cutting salary allowances all along the line, and brought in a measure appropriating \$28,744,753.50. The bill provides for more than 16,000 salaries of government employees.

The total of the bill shows an increase of \$1,128,843 over last year's measure. But this year's measure includes a special appropriation of \$2,286,100 and authorizes one thousand additional employes for taking the agricultural census authorized by the law covering the last regular census in 1910.

## Deaths and Funerals

**REUBEN CLEMENS DIES**

Reuben Clemens, aged 76 years, died yesterday afternoon at his home in Progress. He is survived by a wife and the following children: Mrs. Irvin E. Hain, Susquehanna township; Mrs. Edward Strunk, Pottstown, Pa.; Mrs. J. C. Bernhardt, Pittsburgh; Miss Adella Clemens and John Clemens, both of Progress. Funeral services will be held Friday morning, at 10 o'clock. Burial will be made in Shook's Church Cemetery.

**BURY MRS. HARRIET EASTEBROOK**

Funeral services for Mrs. Harriet A. Easterbrook, who died Friday at the home of her son, Norman S. Easterbrook, of 1717 North Street, were held this afternoon at Big Flats, N. Y.

**FUNERAL OF MISS MECK**

The funeral of Miss Mary H. Meck, who died Friday evening, will take place to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock, with services at St. Patrick's Cathedral, State street.

## PIMPLES ON FEET ITCHING SEVERE

Started with Scaling, Scratching Irritated, Had to Take Shoes Off. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Freed Her From Eruption.

Spring Glen, Pa.—"My daughter's trouble started with scaling and itching on her feet. It afterwards became pimples and if opened they discharged yellowish water. At certain times the itching was severe. When she scratched it irritated the affected parts. Her feet were pretty near running sores. She wore her shoes sometimes but they made the itching so bad that she had to take them off."

"She underwent two treatments but got no relief. Then I sent for some Cuticura Soap and Ointment. She washed her feet well with the Soap and then applied the Ointment morning and evening. Cuticura Soap and Ointment freed her from the eruption in a month." (Signed) D. L. Porfenberger, Apr. 22, 1914.

## ECZEMA ON FACE AND HANDS

P. O. Box 335, South River, N. J.—"I suffered with eczema. It was all over my face and hands and was ashamed to go out. It itched me so and burned so that I didn't really know what to do with myself. When I scratched it it all broke out with sores. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment for three months only and they cured me completely." (Signed) Miss Caroline Gill, Mar. 31, 1914.

## Samples Free by Mail

Although Cuticura Soap (25c) and Cuticura Ointment (50c) are sold throughout the world, a sample of each with 22-p. skin Book will be sent free upon request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Try Telegraph Want Ads.

## RUB RHEUMATISM PAIN FROM SORE, ACHING JOINTS

Rub pain away with a small trial bottle of old "St. Jacob's Oil"

What's Rheumatism? Pain only. Stop "drugging." Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil" directly upon the "tender spots" and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacob's Oil" is a harmless rheumatism and sciatica liniment, which never disappoints and can not burn the skin.

Limber up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle from your druggist, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic and sciatic pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. Old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" has cured millions of rheumatism sufferers in the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains and swellings.—Advertisement.

**CHINA**

Hand painted, beautifully designed at reasonable prices.

**JOS. D. BRENNER**

Diamond Merchant and Jeweler

No. 1 North Third St.

## 256 MORE HIT TRAIL OVER THE WEEK-END

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would be the start of an evangelistic campaign fund that will be added to from time to time by individual church collections as the needs of the con-