Extra Special

Bungalow

Aprons

Worth 50c Sale Price

37c

Of gingham; cut full

Extra Special

Women's

Petticoats

Worth 50c Sale Price

39c

Made of good qual-y black sateen. All

Second Floor.

Sale Price

95c

Made of a fine crepe plain color or floral tterns; all sizes.

Extra Special

Ladies'

Brassieres

Sale Price

17c

Medium bust; well

Second Floor.

Extra Special

Corset

Covers

Worth 25c

15c

Manufacturers' Surplus Stock of

gingham and percales in choice variety of love new models and colors; to 14-year sizes.

Up to \$3.00 Girls' Colored Wash Dresses; \$1.95

Up to \$6.00 White Dresses.

Extra Special

Children's

Hose

Sale Price

10c

Good black ribbed Stockings. All sizes.

First Floor.

Extra Special

Burson

Hose

Sale Price

21c

Black and white sted for good wear.

First Floor.

Extra Special

Children's

Bloomers

Worth to 35e Sale Price

23c

Made of black sagen, in 6 to 12-year

Extra Special

Women's

Vests

9/2c

All sizes; good rib

Extra Special

Ladies'

Corsets

Worth to 79c Sale Price

string.
First Floor.

4000 GIRLS' WASH DRESSES

Unusual Number of Deaths Caused by the Disease During Month of February

Pneumonia caused 2,401 deaths in Pennsylvania during the month of February. This figure was almost a fifth of the total number of deaths that month and equalled one-eighth of the number of births. There were less than 1,000 deaths from tubercu-

losis.

The figures compiled by the statistical bureau of the State Department of Health show 11,948 deaths and 18,988 births. This death rate is rather high and the birth rate about sormal.

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The causes of deaths are given as follows:
Typhoid fever, 73; scarlet fever, 17; diphtheria, 168; measles, 55; whooping cough, 43; influenza, 396; Malaria, 1; tuberculosis of lungs, 555; tuberculosis of other organs, 140; cancer. 484; diabetes, 100; meningitis, 59; acute anterior pollomyelitis, 3; pneumonia, 2,402; diarrhoea and enteritis, under two years, 238; diarrhoea and enteritis, over two years, 58; Bright's disease and nephritis, 983; early infancy, 545; suicide, 98; accidents in mines, 61; railway injuries, 134; other forms of violence, 588; all other diseases, 4,477.

Citizens of Reading to Have Big Opening Bill; Businessmen Active

Reading, May 3.—Citizens of Reading, headed by Mayor Filbert and with the backing of all fandom, the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club and various other organizations, will give the Reading New York State League club one of the biggest openings in the baseball history of this city on Tuesday, May 8. Reading will be opposed by the Binghamton, N. Y.) club on that date at the Circus Maximus.

The plans for the opening, which are now being perfected, include a half holiday for business houses, an automobile street parade, headed by the Ringgold band. Monroe A. Althouse, leader, a march across the field to the flagstaff, where a large American flag will be unfurled, some speechmaking from the home plate and the throwing out of the first ball by Mayor Filbert to start the 1917 campaign.

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The Reading fans have always been anxious for a full season in the New York State League, and this year their wants are to be satisfied. Last year the Chamber of Commerce endorsed the New York State League and was proud of the article of baseball which the league furnished. The Chamber of Commerce realizes fully that for Reading to be represented in organized baseball and in a league of more than twenty years history is a decided advantage to the city from an advertising standpoint.

U-Boats Sink Fifty-Nine British Ships in Week

London, May 3 .- The British official announcement of the number of ves-sels sunk in the week ended on Sunday shows that thirty-eight merchant vessels of more than 1,600 tons each ere sunk. Those of less than 1,600 fishing vessels were sent to the bet tom by submarines or mines. Last week's statement showed that forty vessels of more than 1,600 tons each were sent to the bottom by mines or

The announcement says:
Arrivals of all nationalities man 100 tons, 2,716; sajling, 2,690.
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British merchantmen sunk by submarines or mines, more than 1,600
tons, including one not previously rereported, thirty-eight; under 1,600
tons, including one not prevously reported, thirteen.

British vessels unsuccessfully attacked, including two not previously
recorded, twenty-four.

British fishing vessels sunk, including two not previously recorded,
eight.

BEQUESTS BY WILLS

Sunbury, Pa., May 3.—In a few ords the will of John Chapman, o amokin, left all his property to his

in a short will. He named Roy E. Plumber, his son, executor.
Nathan C. Fahringer, of Elysburg, in his will, makes the following bequests: Lloyd Fahringer, \$100; Luke Fahringer, \$100; John Fahringer, \$300; Delilah Fahringer, \$300; Hazel Huff, \$100, and the residuary estate to Alonzo Fahringer.

CAMP HILL BOY TO GRADUATE CAMP HILL BOY TO GRADUATE

Camp Hill, Pa., May 3.—D'Vuille

Hull, a graduate of the Camp Hill

High school, in the class of 1916, will

be one of the graduates of Ohio

Northern University at the commencement exercises May 20 to 23.

He will receive the degree of B. C. S.

from the College of Commerce. Mr.

Hull has served as first violinist in

the Philo orchestra during his college career. He is first corporal of

Company D, and a member of the

Prairie depot quartet.

DESERTERS RETURN TO FIGHT Pittsburgh, May 3.—Classed as deserters since their regiment was or dered to the Mexican border for duty Private Stewart M. Walthour, o Headquarters Company, and Private Michael Gordon, of Company M. Eight eenth Pennsylvania Infantry, journeyed from Liverpool, England, or hearing that this country had declared war on Germany, and presented ed war on Germany, and prothemselves for service.

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Philadelphia, May 3.—Excessive use
of intoxicants is responsible for most
of the crime in Philadelphia, according to the Grand Jury for the April
term of the Quarter Sessions court,
which completed its duties yesterday and filed a final report with the
court. From reports from institutions
in the city no less than 80 per cent,
of the cases received in the last
month were traceable to this cause.

PASTOR STARTS \$25,000 FIRE Erie, Pa. May 3.—Harbor Creek, a village of 500 persons, eight miles east of here, was swept by a \$25,000 fire that started in the sheds of the Presbyetrian Church yesterday from a fire set by the pastor, the Rev. Joseph Waite, to destroy rubbish. The fire spread to a nearby store and burned five houses.

Use McNeil's Pain Exterminator .- adv.





Starts Tomorrow, Friday at 8:30 O'clock

Thousands of dollars' worth of this season's most-needed merchandise will go on sale at Big Price Concessions. Surplus stocks and overproductions from New York and Philadelphia's best makers.

Now's the time to lay in your summer's supplies and save. Every item is something you must have now, as well as later on, so come to-morrow and get it for less

Surplus Stocks of Women's Spring Apparel From New York and Best Makers at Price Concessions 678 Newest Spring Suits of the Newest Spring Coats, Silk & Serge Dresses & Dress Skirts

Dress Skirts, 95c

Sale Price

Exceptional Big Value in white and tan. Smart new Spring models. All sizes.

Sale Price

These are all new Spring models and wonderful bargains. Very fashionable. All sizes.

Corduroy Skirts \$1.39 Plaid Skirts, \$1.39 Serge Skirts, \$1.95 Silk Taffeta Skirts, \$2.95

Sale Price

Fine stylish all wool serge Dress
Skirts. All sizes in black and navy.

Sale Price

Newest shirted pocket styles. Latest effects in plaid taffeta silks, in all sizes.

Sale Price Sale White organdie, trimmed with lace and ribbon; all new models; 6 to 14-year sizes.

Up to \$12.50 WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

Spring Suits \$6.89 ale Price Wonderful values in the

latest Spring models; made of

Up to \$15.00 WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

Extra Special Spring Suits \$8.89 Women's Kimonos

all sizes and the latest col-



EXTRA SPECIAL! Your Unrestricted Choice of Women's and Misses' \$24.75, \$29.50 and \$35 SPRING SUITS This Season's Smartest and Most Distinctive Style and Fabrics

In This Big May Sale at the Special Low Price of We cannot emphasize the importance of this offer too strongly. It presents a splendid opportunity to choose—AT A SUBSTAN-TIAL SAVING—from a large variety of up-to-the-minute styles that even at their regular prices were exceptional values.

Whether your preference is for a fancy trimmed or a severely tailored suit, the assortment is so wide that you are sure to be suited.

To fully appreciate the true value of this offering, the garments must be examined for quality and workmanship and tried on for fit and effect.

The Suits are developed in excellent quality of the materials now in vogue such as: POPLIN, SERGE and GABARDINES, Spring's newest colorings are liberally represented as well as navy and black.

checks, gabardines and poplins; all the latest Spring models and colors and all sizes. Up to \$22,50 WOMEN'S AND MISSES' Spring Suits \$13.89

Spring Suits \$11.89

Made of fine men's wear serge,

Handsome poplin, velours erges, checks, gabardines, stun-

Hundreds of Fashionable New Spring Coats & Handsome Silk & Serge Dresses at Savings Surplus Stocks of Women's Newest COATS Surplus Stocks of Women's and Misses' Latest SILK & SERGE DRESSES at Special Low Prices

UP TO \$6.50 WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SERGE \$3.89 DRESSES \$6.89

Stunning new models and all colors Beautiful net latest colors an

UP TO \$11.50 WOMEN'S AND UP TO \$14.50 WOMEN'S AND

Up to \$7.50 Women's and Misses'
SILK POPLIN
DRESSES
Wonderful new styles in a big variety of colors and all sizes.

Up to \$12.50 New
SILK DRESSES
Crepe de Chine and Newest Spring models. In all colors and sizes for women and misses.

Up to \$9.50 Silk DRESSES, \$6.89 Up to \$18.00 New \$12.89

Beautiful new Spring models, in a large variety of styles and colors. All Chine Combinations, in all colors and



All the Latest Colors, Fabrics & Models Women's & Misses' \$2.89 Women's & Misses' \$3.89 PLAID COATS

Good assortment of sizes; all new All colors and all sizes; all stunning pring models.

Women's & Misses' \$4.89 Women's & Misses' SPRING COATS

Women's & Misses' \$8.89 Women's & Misses' SPRING COATS

In tan, Copenhagen, and all the newest high colors; latest Spring models collar and odd pocket styles; all the new colors and all sizes.

49c All sizes; new spring model; 4 hose supporters.

Surplus Stocks of Ladies' Muslin Wear At Prices Much Below the Normal

Women's Muslin Gowns | Women's White Petticoats

Styles that are correctly pro-rtioned; made of good Muslin d trimmed with embroidery, gh "V" and round low neck. women's night owns. special 69c owns. special 95c owns. special 95c owns. special 95c owns. special 95c Women's Drawers large assortment of neatly e styles; of good Muslin, at

TO 25c WOMEN'S 19c DRAWERS TO 50c WOMEN'S DRAWERS39c Silk Crepe de Chine 45c

Corset Covers In Pink only. Pretty lace Spring's most wanted new mod-els; made of durable Muslin with

WOMEN'S PETTI-COATS. SPECIAL ... WOMEN'S PETTI-95c COATS. SPECIAL... \$1.39

Ladies' Envelope Chemise Made of fine soft white materials; lace and embroidery trimmed. All the popular new styles and all sizes. Envelope Chemise. 95c Special \$1.39

Children's Muslinwear

3 Remarkable Silk Underwear Values SILK CAMISOLES
Special at

98c
Made of Crepe de Chine and washable Sain, in white and pink. All sizes for women.
All sizes for women.

KAUFMAN'S—Second Floor.

3500 Women's Silk and Cotton Waists Enter the Surplus Stock Sale Sensational Values at Big Savings



Sale Price 45c All the newest Spring modes in white and colors, daintily trimmed with lace and embroidery; all sizes.

Beautiful New Beautiful New SPRING WAISTS SILK and VOILE

Sale Price 95c Stunning effects of plain white and colored voiles and organdies, striped and figured effects; all sizes figured effe

Fine SILK and VOILE WAISTS Sale Price \$2.93 Beautiful styles, all new and developed in crepe de chine and Georgette; also

fine voiles, lace or em-broidery trimmed; all

WAISTS Sale Price \$1.93 Jap silks and tub silks and handsome lace and embroidery trimmed voiles —all the latest collars and Handsome New SILK BLOUSES Sale Price \$4.93 Made of fine crepe

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Sale Price

79c

Surplus Stock of Women's & Children's Knit Underwear at Less Than Ordinary Prices

Ladies' Ribbed VESTS; 11½c
Sale Price...

White Swiss Ribbed Vests with draw string and all sizes, summer weight.

Children's UNION SUITS; 27c
All sizes to 10 years, finished with required button strips. All sizes in white.

Ladies' White UNION SUITS; Sale Price Ladies' Mercerized UNION 79c SUITS; Sale Price Lace trimmed with silk draw-bed style, all sizes. Perfect fitting.

Extra Special Ladies' White Ribbed Tight Knee 49c KAUFMAN'S—Second Floor.

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery

KAUFMAN'S-First Floor.

WOMEN'S NEW HOUSE DRESSES

Makers' Surplus Stock at Prices That Are Remarkably Low Women's New
House Dresses . 69c

Exelent assortment of Gingham presses in sizes up to 44.

Momen's New
House Dresses . 95c

Made of good fresh Ginghams and percales; fast colors and all sizes up to 44. Women's New

\$1.23 Women's New House Dresses Neatly made and finished of Gingham; good patterns. All KAUFMAN'S-Second Floor.

4 Big Lots of Trimmed and Untrimmed Millinery UNTRIMMED UNTRIMMED

HATS Worth to \$1.00 49c. TRIMMED HATS Worth to \$3.00

House Dresses

TRIMMED HATS Worth to \$4.00 Sale Price, \$1.00 \$1.90



780 Pairs of Women's New Spring KID AND SILK GLOVES

In the Big May Sale at Extra Low Prices

Extra Special at . These same qua These same qualities are sold elsewhere at \$2.00. Choice of Black, White and Tan in all 60c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25

WOMEN'S KAYSER SILK GLOVES In white and black, all new spring styles and all sizes.

Women's White Chamoisette Gloves; worth \$1.00,

