

Clearing out Sale.

Everything is new, fresh new stock. Goods are up-to-date; we have just marked very low prices because we need the room for winter goods.

Will sell 14 50 suits at \$9.50; 12.50 suits for 8.50; \$10.00 suits at 6.50; 8.50 suits for 5.25; Boys' suits 4.50 for 3.25; 3.25 suits for \$1.75; 1.75 suits for 1.10.

Astoundingly Low Prices.

Men's Underwear 50c gongs for 37c; 25c gauze for 19c; Men's working shirts during the sale 33c; 50c dress shirts good for Sundays at 37c.

Lot of HATS regular prices \$1.75 for 1.20; 1.50 Hats at 1.18; 1.25 hats for 90c; 50c hats for 39c.

Big lot of Ladies' gauzes, 15 to 20 cts. for 8c; 15 cts stockings at 9c; men's black hose for 25c; boys' knee pants 50c ones at 37c; 25c ones for 19c.

20 dozen wrappers to clear out—price was 1.00 now 69c



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Men's Shoes 3.50 for 1.75 hoes for 2.25 \$1.75 for 1.25; \$1.25 shoe for 99c.

Also Ladies' Oxfords \$1.75 for 1.25; 1.25 for 95c.

Children's Shoes for 75c; 75c shoe 55c; 55c shoe for 42c.

Also men's socks for 5c per pair men's white handkerchiefs 2 for 5c.

BIG STOCK SALE To many articles to mention. Notice—for the latest we are selling Ladies' Shoes for cut prices, 2.75 shoes for 2.25; 2.25 shoes for 1.75; 1.75 shoes 1.37, good shoes for 99c.

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| RESOURCES. | |
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| Louis and discounts | \$1,892.87 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 50,000.00 |
| Premium on U. S. Bonds | 1,500.00 |
| Stock securities | 103,550.00 |
| Furniture | 900.00 |
| Due from Banks and approved Res. Agt. | 99,428.61 |
| Reserve fund U. S. Treasurer | 2,500.00 |
| Special and Legal Tender notes | 22,832.21 |
| Total | \$466,955.74 |
| LIABILITIES. | |
| Capital | \$50,000.00 |
| Surplus and undivided profits | 22,735.93 |
| Circulation | 49,000.00 |
| Deposits | 344,219.78 |
| Total | \$466,955.74 |

Sate of Pennsylvania County of Sullivan ss. I, M. D. Swarts, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. D. SWARTS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of June 1906. ALBERT E. HESS, Notary Public. My commission expires Feb'y 27, '09.

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During the winter by simple experiments that may be performed in any schoolroom the students learn of the kinds of soil, the water holding power of soils and means of altering such power, conservation of water and plant physiology.

As spring approaches experiments in germination seed testing and seed planting follow, as well as planning home gardens, gardens around school buildings and vacation gardens. At this season of the year, too, the work broadens. It leaves the confines of the normal schools and takes in all of the public schools in the city. Arrangements are made with one of the local seedsmen to sell penny packages of seed to the children for home planting. Many of the older teachers are not trained, so to aid them the board of education, through one of the normal schools, issues sheets of simple instructions to aid the children to correctly plan, plant and care for the home garden. They are encouraged to care for the garden during the summer and to bring something they have raised wholly by themselves to the flower show in the fall. It may be a growing plant, a bunch of flowers or a bottle of seed.

Flower day is an established feature of Washington schools. On the 29th of last September every school in the District of Columbia invited the public to its exhibit. All buildings were open until dark, and where the buildings were lighted they were open throughout the evening. The throngs of people who visited the schools gave sufficient proof of the appreciation of the public for the movement.

Civic improvement is thus encouraged and also by school ground improvement. Three years ago there was but one garden connected with schools in the District. Last year 120 of the 124 graded schools made an effort to improve their surroundings. The teachers are urged to relate whatever is done outdoors to the subjects taught in the schoolrooms. Skillful teachers relate geography, arithmetic, spelling, composition, literature, drawing and design to the garden.

The latest encouragement given by the department has been the offer to the board of education of more than an acre of lawn to be used for children's gardens. The board has accepted the offer and will put the first six grades of a school in the vicinity to work upon it. Each school will spend an afternoon a week in the garden under the regular grade teacher, who will be instructed from the normal school. She will be expected to relate the work closely to the regular schoolroom work.

The time spent in the garden will be a part of school time and not after hours, as has been so frequently done before, thus making an added burden on the teacher. Each child will have a plot entirely his own, varying in size according to his ability. Beside these individual plots there will be plots ten feet square of grains, forage crops and important local products for observation purposes.

The garden will be under the immediate care of the normal school during vacation and will be considered as a vacation school for the southwest section of the city, thus fortunately allowing the board of education to grant a petition from the parents of that section requesting such an opportunity for their children during the summer.

SUSAN B. LIPE.
Washington, D. C.

The Berlin (N. Y.) grange recently held a grange fair, at which the net proceeds were about \$600. Grange fairs are getting to be popular and profitable.

Farmer, if there is no grange in your town, it is your duty to see that there is one organized.

Reducing Width of Highway.

The sentiment in favor of the reduction of the width of highways from sixty to forty feet appears to be becoming quite general. Petitions from landowners in the different states, we learn, are being made to the highway commissioners to this effect. The claim made is that too much land is allowed to grow up to weeds by having the road so wide, as the extra ten feet could be well utilized if taken into the farm. It is claimed also that by narrowing the legal width of highways a better road can be built and more easily kept in good condition.

What do farmers, and particularly granger farmers, think of an agricultural paper that deems the grange of so little importance as to never give a paragraph about a farmers' organization with 800,000 members? Some of the agricultural papers will get their eyes open later on.

FRAUGHT WITH DANGER.

The Dual Tariff Scheme Strikes at Home Markets.

The prosperous west has been led to believe that a reduced tariff on manufactures would largely inure to its benefit, and for that reason it is favorable to any scheme of reciprocity proposed. But the west loses sight of the dangers of a reciprocity on any other line than that proposed by the late President McKinley in his last public speech to his countrymen, when he declared in effect that there should be no reciprocity that interfered with the protection of home industry.

That is the line congress should hew to in dealing with the subject. The agricultural west also should remember the inevitable truth that its prosperity is due to the prosperity of the manufacturing east and that any tariff arrangement that threatens to endanger manufactures and labor will surely have a disastrous effect on agriculture by diminishing the home market for its products. The dual tariff scheme is fraught with danger, and congress will be apt to go slow in its consideration should it come before it.—Camden Courier.

Taft and the Philippines.

There are two main points in the Philippine policy for which Secretary Taft seems to stand. One is that when a people who are utterly incapable of governing themselves have come within American control it is the right as well as the duty of the American government to administer their affairs in the interest of civilization and progress. That he does not believe in selfish exploitation of a weaker people by a stronger is apparent from his plea for the modification of the tariff laws of the United States to admit of the free entry of Philippine products to the American market. His liberal views are also evidenced by his encouragement of the American plans for educating the rising generation of Filipinos, with the object of imparting to the people of the islands a capacity for self government and ultimately conceding them the political independence which will be a boon to them when they are fit for it, but would be a curse to them at the present time.—Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin.

An Impossible Ideal.

Free trade is an ideal theory. Reciprocity is an approach to the ideal. If all nations would do unto others as they would have others do to them trade could be carried on along ideal lines, but that is not the way of commerce, and self defense is the law that must govern.

When a man buys goods in a foreign country he gets the goods, but the foreigner gets the money. The goods wear out, but the money does not. It stays in the foreign country, increasing its wealth. When a man buys goods made at home he gets the goods, and the money stays at home, adding to the wealth of the country. The man who makes the goods here gets good wages, and the man who uses the goods gets good material. The country benefits by encouraging its own manufacturers. If reciprocity could offer as good results it would be a good thing, and it would not be necessary to hold conventions to advocate it.—Jersey City Journal.

The Real Cause.

Free traders are quick to claim that the census figures just reported show that the protective tariff is not helping our industries, but the real cause of the failure of manufacturing to increase as much during the last five years is not hard to find. No one who has traveled in the south and seen the children who work in the mills there, also the hours the mill hands work, wonders that the cotton industry is more profitable in the south than in this state. Other industries may have suffered in the same way.—Chicago.



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