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SIX DAYS of
Great Value-Giving

Dress Goods

\$1.00 Sale Price. Special line of 54 inch Suitings in all the latest fancy weaves, plaids, stripes, plain colors and black. Regular values \$1.25 and 1.50

\$1.50 Sale Price. Special line of 54 inch Suiting, grey mixtures, stripes, checks, Bedford cords, etc.

Also a fine range of 54 inch Brocades in the very latest colorings.

Also a grand line of silk and wool Crepe Poplins, special shades. Regular price up to \$2.25 yard, sale price \$1.50

Silks

59c Sale Price. Special line of Fancy Silks in checks and stripes; 24 inch extra quality Satin Messaline; 36 inch black Taffeta. Values up to \$1 yd.

89c Sale Price. Special line of 36 inch Satin Messaline in a fine range of colors and black; 36 inch Changeable Taffetas; 36 inch Tub Silks; 36 inch white Habutai Silks; 36 inch Changeable Gros de Londres; 24 inch Dresden, Messaline; 24 inch Foulards and Fancy Silks and many others worth up to \$1.50 yard.

Under-muslins

37c. 15 dozen ladies' Muslin Corset Covers, fine lace trimmed. Regularly 50c.

\$1.39. One lot ladies' Muslin Gowns, low neck and short sleeves, fine Nainsook, Val and Torchon lace trimmed. Worth \$1.90.

50c. Special number in Brassieres, open front, neat scallop trimmed, extra fine material. Value 75c.

Gloves

Three great specials for Anniversary week.

\$1.18. Beauty Glace Kid Gloves, 2 clasp, black, white, tan, nude, grey, brown. Our regular \$1.50 glove.

48c. 2-clasp Silk Gloves, black and white. Regular value 75c.

88c. 20 doz. 16 button length high grade Silk Gloves, black and white, the \$1.50 grade.

Children's Wear

98c. Sale Price. 6 doz. Children's Chambray Dresses in blue, pink and brown, trimmed with novelty braids and buttons; long waisted French and belted styles. Would be wonderful value at \$1.39.

Leather Goods

Special Day Offer.

A great line of Black Whale grain inner Walrus, 16, 17 and 18 inch Bags, leather lined, sewed on corners, spec-

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THE BIG STORE

AUBURN, N. Y.

1914

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Wash Dress Goods

15c Sale Price. 1,000 yds., finest quality white and fancy colored stripe Madras shirting, new pretty patterns, 36 inch. Actual value, 25c and 35c yd. 27c 500 yds. Imported French Ratine in all the new solid shades and in pretty colored stripes on white ground. Actual value 69c. 3 to 20 yd. lengths.

25c. 12 new handsome shades, finest quality Ottoman cloth, beautiful lustre, warrant-fast color, 27 inch. Actual value 35c.

37c. 10 new shades heavy Ratine stripe costume Voile, all the latest colorings, 40 inch. Actual value 59c.

29c. 14 choice new stylish colors yarn dyed Ramie linen, warranted pure flax and fast color. Value 30c yd.

85c. 25 pieces best quality Novelty Ratine in exquisite new colors, plaids and black and white stripes. Actual value \$1.25.

Table Damask

\$1.00 Sale price. 10 New desirable patterns extra heavy fine guaranteed pure linen Irish Double Damask, full 72 inch, the best \$1.25 Damask on the market.

22 inch Napkins to match \$2.69 doz. Worth \$3.50.

83c Sale price. A regular \$1.00 Damask, very fine medium weight, 6 handsome patterns snow white, full 72 inch.

Table Cloths

Special purchased of extra heavy and very fine pure bleached double Satin Damask hemstitched pattern cloths with beautiful blue or yellow borders, in two styles.

52x52 Cloths worth \$3.90. Sale price \$1.95

64x64 Cloths worth \$5.00. Sale price \$2.75

15x15 Napkins to match, doz. \$2.25

Odd Napkins

\$2.90 Sale price doz. 100 doz. odd fine Irish Napkins, no cloths to match all sizes, 20, 22, and 24 inch, worth \$3.00 to \$6.90.

Umbrellas

\$1.68 Womens' colored Silk Umbrellas navy, green, red, we sell them regularly at \$2.50. Only 25 of them.

\$2.48 Men's Umbrellas made of the finest Union Silk best for service, plain handles. Another lot of trimmed handles cloth not quite so good but well worth \$3.50.

\$1.38 60 Womens' Umbrellas fine black piece dyed Taffeta paragon frame, plain trimmed mission handle, regularly \$1.75

Women's Hosiery and Underwear.

83c. Women's pure thread Silk Hose, the run of one of the best mills in the country, worth up to \$1.50 pair.

29c. Women's extra fine lisle Hose double heels and toes, black, white, tan, always 35c pair.

18c. Women's fine sheer Silk Lisle full fashioned and seamless, black, white, tan, the regular 55c grade, 3 pair for 50c.

39c. Great value in women's Viola Union Suits, splendid quality lisle, low neck no sleeves, tight and lace trimmed knee, always 50c

19c. Women's fine lisle ribbed Vests, beautiful quality, low neck, no sleeve, regularly 25c.

98c. Women's extra quality out size, Forest Mills Union Suits, worth \$1.25.

73c. Women's silk mixture fine ribbed Vests, low neck, no sleeves, all silk ribbon trimmed, worth \$1.00.

Upholstery Department

Two special Cretonne offers. One lot worth up to 18c yard, sale price 12 1-2c. Another worth 30c yard, sale price 22c.

98c. Ecu Muslin Curtains, 2 1-2 yards long, 4 patterns, regularly \$1.39.

\$1.19. One lot upholstery Tapestry, 50 inch, good range of colors, regularly \$1.50.

Art Section

Stamped goods ready for embroidery, Ladies made lawn night gowns .39c. Regulation size tubing Pillow Case 39c pair. One lot Huck guest Towels 19c each including one ball embroidery cotton. The 10c ball of white embroidery cotton 7c each. A limit of 3 balls to a customer.

Handkerchiefs

2c each. 100 dozen women's handkerchiefs, always 5c
3 for 25c. 60 doz. Women's embroidered Handkerchiefs, the regular 12 1-2 and 15c qualities.

25c each. 40 doz. Women's shamrock lawn and all linen one corner embroidered Handkerchiefs, importers samples made to sell at 50c.

12 1-2c. Great collection of women's one corner embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular 25c

MONDAY, THE 30TH OF THIS MONTH, IS THE 15TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OPENING OF THIS STORE AND THE WEEK BEING THE TIME DECIDED ON FOR FASHION WEEK--WE CELEBRATE THE OCCASION BY A GRAND DOUBLE EVENT--

A Grand Special Anniversary Sale

AND METROPOLITAN DISPLAY OF THE BEST PRODUCTIONS OF TWO CONTINENTS.

We give our out-of-town friends this early invitation so that they can be on hand in time to reap equal benefits with the people in the city.

For the Special Sale we have picked out a representative assortment of thousands of dollars worth of our Regular New and Reliable Merchandise and many importers, manufacturers and jobbers in recognition of this 15th Anniversary have made great concessions on special purchases and whether you come here next week to admire or buy, or both, we are confident that modern retailing has never anywhere given you a better opportunity to gratify your desires.

Fifteen years of steady progress has given strength to our hands and courage to our plans and has brought the store nearer to our idea of what a store ought to be. Besides trying all the time to give better value for your money than you can get elsewhere, we appeal to your sense of refinement by adopting the most modern methods of display and stock keeping, and we constantly strive to maintain an atmosphere of honorable, cheerful, willing and efficient service.

At the end of fifteen years there will be no resting on our oars and employers and employed in close compact—at this, the beginning of another season, promise you their best efforts.

Floor Coverings Rugs

New spring patterns, 9x12 Axminster Rugs \$17.50

New Burmah Body Brussels 9x12 Rugs \$14.90

Best Tapestry Brussels 8-3x 10-6, all new \$11.90

Wilton Rugs 27x54 \$3.39

Smyrna Roster, borders 26x54 \$1.19

Rag Rugs 25x36, 49c

Rag Rugs 36x72 \$1.39

Plain colored band borders 27x54 98c

Axminster Rugs 27x54 \$1.79

Large size fine brush Cocoa Mats 98c

Plain Cocoa Mats 47c

Armstrong's printed Linoleum, sq. yd. 39c

Armstrong's inlaid Linoleum sq. yd 79c

3-4 Mottled Velvet Stair Carpet, yd 79c

The Keystone Vacuum Cleaner \$4.90

Laces and Embroideries.

Sale Price 69c. 200 yds. white and ecru shadow lace Allovers, 36 in., dainty designs. Also 27 in. Shadow Flounces, white and ecru.

Sale Price 39c. 10 pieces 18 inch Shadow lace Flounces, white and ecru, great value.

Sale Price 25c. 400 yds. 27 inch Swiss Embroidery Flouncing. This line is a wonder at the price.

Sale Price \$1.00. 16 pieces 45 inch Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, beautiful designs. Worth \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

Sale Price 59c. 350 yds. very fine Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, 27 inch, fine assortment.

In the Cloak and Suit Room.

Sale Price \$15.00. Special line of high grade, tailored Suits, plain and fancy. Misses' and Ladies' sizes, worth \$20 to \$23.

Sale Price \$10 and \$12. Special line of Misses' and Ladies' Coats, including the new Balmaacan. See the values, worth \$15 and \$18.

An Extra Special in New Spring Waists.

A line which will surprise you.

Plenty of styles and wonderful value.

Sale Price 98c.

A great line of handsome Voile Waists, worth \$3 and \$3.50. Sale Price \$2.48.

Special line of Crepe de Chine and Lace Waists. Regularly \$6.00 Sale Price \$4.98.

Immense assortment of House dresses. Regularly \$1.15 and \$1.50. Sale Price \$1.00

Ribbons

25c. The most wonderful lot of Fancy Ribbons we have ever shown at the price. 4 to 6 inch, in a great range of

China Dept.

Anniversary time means much to you in this department.

We have too many open stock Haviland China patterns and are going to discontinue 5 of them, apple blossom, green, pink, spray, forget-me-not, blue, violet, pink, rosebud. A great opportunity to fill out a set or start a new one, (we can always get matchings in a day or two.)

The above will be closed out at 20% discount.

60 piece sets are specially desirable, they make a service for six.

Sale Price \$14.50. 60 piece set of dainty high grade Austrian China, border, pattern edged with gold open stock.

Sale Price \$25.00 60 piece set of Haviland China, new and very desirable, very pretty, open stock, can be added to as desired.

Sale price \$13.50. 100 piece full service, Homer Laughlin China, attractive, desirable, in dainty pink festoons, and blue border, with gold edge.

Sale Price \$17.50 100 piece set Maddock New English Porcelain, extra strong and has the attractive original English pattern shapes.

Sale Price 29c. 200 dainty glass vases, 7 inches high, hand cut and engraved, usually sold at 50c.

Sale Price 33c. Miller inverted Gas lights which we have been selling as a leader at 59c.

Sale Price 29c. Dustless floor mop, made especially for us to sell at 50c.

Sale price 49c. Bleached Willow clothes Baskets, a regular 75c value.

MEN'S DEPT.

Sale Price \$83c. Men's Shirts, new spring patterns, splendid fabrics, stiff or French cuffs. Worth \$1.50.

3 Pairs 50c. Men's Silk Hose beautiful, lustrous fibre silk, black, tan, grey, navy.

35c. Men's Balbriggan Shirts, long and short sleeves, double seat drawers. Great value.

29c. Men's pure silk Four-in-hand, new, snappy spring designs made in the new flowing end shapes. Worth 50c.

\$1.69. Men's pure worsted Jerseys in plain maroon and with white bands. Regularly \$2.00.

\$3.19. Great value in Men's English Terry bath robes, extra well made. New \$5.00 robes.

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Friday Morning, March 27, '14

The Ship's Rat.
The black rat is the ship's rat, and it travels from country to country. The animal is found universally over the Monte Bello group of islands, even on the small outlying islets which are never visited, on which it occurs most abundantly. Its presence is attributed to a schooner which was wrecked some twelve years ago, for it is well known that this rat is a good swimmer. It is curious to find that this animal, which is now so rare in its native countries as to be looked upon as a great curiosity, should usually be one of the first species to populate new lands where it is comparatively free from competition. Driven from all civilized countries by the brown rat, it has taken to the sea, being better adapted for a life on board ship than its otherwise victorious rival.—P. D. Montague in Geographical Journal.

Curious Ball Play.
A ball club in a regular game made six hits in one inning, one of them a triple, and yet not a single run crossed the plate. This terrific bombardment with freakish result was pulled off in the first inning of the game. The first man to face the pitcher smashed the ball to the corner of the lot for a triple and was thrown out at the plate trying to stretch his hit into a home run. The second batsman swatted a single and, like his predecessor, tried to make an extra base and was headed out at second. The third batsman and the fourth and fifth also singled, filling the bases. The sixth man at the plate hit the ball between first and second base, and the runner who had been on first was hit by the batted ball, retiring the side without a run scoring.—Chicago Tribune.

WANTED—Good homes wanted for boys and girls under 14 years of age, where they will be received as members of the family; apply to Children's Department, State Charities Aid Association, 289 Fourth Ave., New York City.

Analyzing a Raindrop.
Rain water as it leaves the clouds is pure. As it passes through the atmosphere it absorbs more or less carbonic acid gas and air, which it carries with it into the ground. As it seeps through the upper soil it will generally absorb still more carbonic acid gas from the decaying animal and vegetable matter almost always present. Should the water fall on insoluble rocks, such as granite or marble, it will remain fairly pure. But if it passes through a layer of limestone the carbonic acid gas which it carries will cause it to dissolve away this rock, and as a result bicarbonate of lime will be present in the water. Should it pass through a layer of sulphate of lime or gypsum, the water will contain a large amount of this material.

It is generally known that the bicarbonates of lime and magnesia when present in the water form a comparatively soft scale; the chlorides and nitrates are apt to cause corrosion, and the salts of soda and potash present, while not scale forming, are apt to cause foaming when sufficiently concentrated.—Power.

Sunlight and Fresh Air.
The word disinfectant has become a household term, and almost every one knows that it means something that destroys germs, though comparatively few know what our best and cheapest disinfectants are.

The most useful and efficient all round disinfectant that we have is the sun, and the air is his worthy ally. Fresh air dilutes germs as water dilutes filth, and the lustiest germ will quickly curl up its toes and die if exposed to the sunlight. But fresh air and sunlight are abundant and cheap, so of course we usually prefer to use some disinfectant that smells bad and can be bought at the drug store.

Open windows and rolled up shades would save many lives, but what do we have windows and shades for if not to keep them down? Besides, if we left them up it would let in the flies and fade the carpets, so we pamper the germs and employ the doctor.—Rural New Yorker.

Schoolboy Blunders.
These mistakes by British schoolboys are reported by the London Times:

"When the last French attack at Waterloo proved a failure Napoleon turned very pale and rode at full gallop to St. Helena."

"A problem is a figure which you do things with which are absurd, and then you prove it."

"When Chaucer describes the princess as 'amiable of port' he means that she was fond of wine."

"The mineral wealth of a country is ginger beer and lemonade."

RURAL ADVANCE AND AWAKENING

Visions of a Revivified Community Life.

THE FUNDAMENTAL TASK.

Importance of Local Rural Building and the Erection of Strong Units. How This Fundamental Task Can Best Be Forwarded.

The new rural awakening is upon us. New plans are developing. There are new visions of a revivified community life in our rural neighborhoods. There is a keen eagerness in all rural welfare work. The forces of the countryside are gathering for a great forward looking movement, says Kenyon L. Butterfield in the Survey. What shall the new year bring us in our country life campaign? What shall be the chief notes of our rural campaign slogan for 1914?

It is to be remembered that the fundamental task of the rural advance is local rural community building—the gradual erection of stronger community units, founded on better farm practice, securing a fair profit through better farm business and growing mightily ambitious for a better farm life. How can this fundamental rural task best be forwarded in 1914?

First.—Organize local community campaigns in as many neighborhoods as possible. Seek the formation of a community council or federation made up of representatives of all the organizations in the neighborhood that have any interest in the common good—church, grange, women's club, farmers' club, civic improvement society, etc.

Second.—Seek to develop the collective or co-operative method of doing the business of the farm. Farmers can save money by co-operative buying of supplies needed on the farm. It is possible that they can make a larger profit by selling their products in the same co-operative manner. The co-operative plan is spreading. It should not be entered upon hastily, but it promises to render more help to the farmer than does perhaps any other one thing.

Third.—Push the idea of an agricultural high school or of an agricultural department in the public high school. Farming demands educated men and women. The agricultural colleges, neither in the classroom nor in their extension service, can meet the full need. Every boy or girl desiring the equivalent of a good high school education in and for agriculture should have the opportunity of acquiring that training.

Fourth.—Join in the demand for the passage by congress of the Lever bill appropriating federal money to the several agricultural colleges for extension work in agriculture and home economics. This means the democratizing of agricultural education the nation over. It means that the best knowledge gained in agricultural research will be placed at the disposal of the humblest farmer; that a great educational campaign for better farming in all its aspects will be carried into every farming community.

This bill, if enacted into law, promises not only a distinct advance in the agricultural educational field, but indeed a national intellectual uplift of great proportions and significance.

Fifth.—Strive for at least preliminary steps to bring together on a national basis the various agencies that are seeking rural welfare. This is merely the nationalizing of the plan for local rural community building. The many activities and institutions engaged in promoting agriculture should be correlated. The country life movement should be integrated. We should look upon the rural problem as a unity. We should try to solve it on large lines and with solidified endeavor.

Sixth.—Above all, perhaps, try to stir religious forces to new effort in the rural field. The country church faces a crisis. Rural advance is leaving the church behind. But the rural movement must not become materialistic. It can easily be spiritualized. It needs the leadership of that institution that stands supremely for the great ideals of love and brotherhood and service. The rural Sunday school, the rural Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. should be encouraged and strengthened everywhere. We need their point of view, and above all we need their ideals of character building and of community building.

So may the new year set a new standard in all rural life endeavor.

A Municipal Theater.
The little town of Leves, Del., has conducted a successful municipal theater for several years, where clean amusement for its citizens is offered. The theater was built by public subscription several years ago and is in charge of a small commission, which looks after its affairs. When the young men and ladies of the town want to hold a dance the hall is turned over to them free of charge. For all home talent affairs as well the hall is given gratis. A piano has been purchased and is being paid for by subscription and from the income of amateur plays. The theater is also used to attract conventions, and any respectable theatrical company may have the place for a moderate sum.

REDUCE CONGESTION.

There are commercial and industrial interests which, blinded by the privileges of the present, fall to see the advantages of the golden era of the future. These interests, therefore, while yielding to the growing demand for city planning, adhere to the antiquated ideals and methods which have been so well expressed in Paris and Berlin and which are based wholly on the principle of workaday commercialism and industrial profit rather than upon the principles of human efficiency and social progress. "Nickel" policies in transit development, such as we frequently encounter among our public corporations, boulevard and parkway developments, the main function of which is the increase in real estate values that benefit the few, the construction of costly public buildings to impress the strangers and benefit the grafting contractors, do not constitute city planning.

Unless we realize the importance of reducing congestion, distributing adequately and equitably the advantages of parks, playgrounds, social and educational centers, give easy and cheap access to the opportunities for employment to the people as a whole, this country will be developing slums and their products—poverty, immorality, crimes, disease and death.—Dr. Carol Aronovici.

WHAT "BOOSTING" DOES.

Good Deal Comes From Faith In One's Own Town.

To make money in your own community you need faith in that community. If you haven't got that faith you'd better move out, says John M. Oskison in the Chicago News.

In my youth I went to school in a little town which was said to have a population of 3,500. About four or five new houses a year were put up, and about every five years a little mill, a steam laundry or a small private school would be erected. The town grew so slowly that everybody began to believe that it wasn't growing at all.

Then Brown, who ran a harness and saddle shop, started out to see if he couldn't stimulate a booster spirit. I used to hear his first faint blasts of celebration of that little town's possibilities and see the amused smiles on the faces of those business people he talked with. It seemed to me a hopeless task Brown had undertaken.

But Brown had faith enough in the town to keep on and to put up as much money as he could raise to help bring other mills and industries. By the time I left that town to go to college it had become almost popular to boost.

Last fall I dropped into the old place, and I had a talk with Brown. Long ago, through his capacity for waking the sleeping faith of men, Brown had risen out of his harness and saddle shop and was a factor in a great industry which had been developed since I went away to college. The town itself was changed. The new blood brought in by Brown and his crowd of boosters had been good for it.

It isn't a metropolis yet, not by a long way, but it gives you the impression of a place confident of its future. Its property owners are hanging to their holdings and paying the rather high taxes, due to big expenditures for street and sewer improvements, with an air which says, "You may think I'm stung, but you just wait until we have quite recovered from the temporary slump!"

It is true that the town is in a slump. Not even Brown will attempt to deny it. But it is just as certain as anything economic can be that Brown and his regiment of believers in the town's future will haul it out of the slump. And in doing it don't forget that Brown and the other believers will make a handsome profit.

You can make your faith in your community pay.

Playgrounds in 1913.

Industrial work, study classes, debating, gardening, dramatics, music, motion pictures, dancing, skating, swimming, story telling—these are among the activities which have characterized playgrounds and recreation centers during the past year. In at least seventy cities supervised playgrounds were opened for the first time. Altogether 642 American cities were active in developing and maintaining playgrounds and recreation centers, an increase of 109 during the year. In 342 of these there was regular paid supervision. In fifteen cities streets were set aside for play, and in ninety-six cities coasting was permitted on certain streets. These are some of the interesting facts of the recreation census for the year ending Nov. 1, 1913, completed by the Playground and Recreation Association of America.

For Better Conditions.

A state commission on the distribution of population is provided for in a bill which has been introduced in the New York legislature. The commission would be composed of sixteen members.

The bill, it was said, was prompted by the great number of unemployed crowded into New York city this winter. General uplift, the betterment of country life and housing conditions in small towns and villages are to be the principal objects of the proposed commission, the members of which are to serve without compensation.

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Syracuse Wants You

To be her guest during the week of March 23-28, which is Syracuse Spring Display Week.

An expose of Spring merchandise will be made by all classes of Syracuse business houses to usher in early Spring.

Tulips, daffodils and hyacinths will be profusely used for decorations as well as the official colors of Yellow and White. Carnival spirit will prevail.

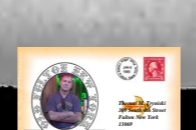
Week of March 23-28

The Syracuse Chamber of Commerce has offered silver cups to the merchants who display the best trimmed windows during the week. These windows will be judged Thursday, March 26, by experts from New York City and Chicago.

Special music will be provided by several of the stores and interiors will present a gorgeous and beautiful effect.

The entire week is under the auspices of the Merchants Committee of the Syracuse Chamber of Commerce, of which Mr. Robert Dey is chairman.

Plan Now to Come.



Village and Vicinity News.

—Cheer up, the robins have arrived.

—E. H. Sharp spent Friday and Saturday last in Syracuse.

—Mrs. Luella Metzgar of West Groton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Delos Niles.

—Supervisor A. L. Loomis was in Auburn Tuesday to attend a special session of the Board.

—Mr. Warren Saxton of Genoa and Miss Elsie Hardy of Moravia spent Sunday with friends in Syracuse.

—Miss C. Ferris of Auburn returned home Saturday, after spending last week with Mrs. D. W. Gower.

—The shoemaker, Guiseppe Delisco, with his family, will live in the Atwood-Sisson place, east of the village.

—Miss Lela Mae Holden of Union Springs was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lanterman Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mead returned to their home in Moravia yesterday (Thursday) after spending ten days in town.

—The Genoa Dramatic club in "The Village Belle" were greeted with a large audience at King Ferry, Saturday evening last.

New samples of Wall Papers are here; patterns are fine, prices low at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's, Genoa.

—The A. D. Mead place in this village has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. King. The Kings own the adjoining place, and will now move into the one just purchased.

—Miss Collins, who had been caring for Mrs. D. M. Wilson, became ill and returned to her home in Auburn last Sunday. Mrs. Wilson is much improved this week. Her children are caring for her.

—Milton J. Boyer has purchased a barber shop in Ithaca, and is conducting the same. Mrs. Boyer has resigned as teacher at Lansing, ville and will go to Ithaca April 1, when they will commence house-keeping.

—A supper will be given by the High School students at the rink Friday evening, April 3, 1914, for the benefit of the piano fund, and they wish through the columns of our paper to extend a hearty invitation to all.

—It isn't of so much consequence who sees the first robin as it is who swats the first fly. But perhaps we are going to fast, as the hod carrier said when he fell from the top of a five story building.—DeRuyter Gleaner.

Whether it be a shower bouquet or only one dozen roses, let our artist arrange it. You will be assured the most tasteful arrangement to be had by all means have flowers for the wedding. Leave your orders at Hagin's Grocery.

—When cleaning house this spring, save all your old magazines and papers for the Ladies' Aid society of the Genoa Presbyterian church. Mrs. J. Leon Mack has offered to have them stored in the shop at the rear of her residence in this village. Whenever possible, please have delivered there, but if you have some and cannot deliver them, please notify Mrs. Mack and they will be called for.

—Rev. H. W. Rankin, who is engaged in Sunday School mission work in the West and who is making addresses in each church in Cayuga county in place of Mr. R. F. Halizer, who was advertised to speak, gave a very interesting talk on his work and the great need of funds to carry on the work, in Genoa Presbyterian church last Friday afternoon. These missions in the Far West undergo many hardships and privations in order to carry on the work, and the results accomplished, the churches of the East would do well to contribute to the work. Let us remember this the next time we see our offering for the Board of Sunday School Work.

—George Bower moved this week to the Baptist parsonage.

—Mrs. Julia Mead will return to Moravia to-day, by way of Auburn.

—Mrs. W. B. Groom of Auburn is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ella Aigert.

—Mrs. Ettie Rumsey and family will move to her place at Pine Hollow next week.

—In a bread baking contest conducted at Ovid in the public school, the prize was won by a boy.

—Miss Alice Montgomery of Auburn was a Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Morell Wilson.

—Pierson Weaver left Wednesday morning for Florida, where he expects to remain indefinitely.

—Mrs. Robert Armstrong and Mrs. D. W. Gower spent Saturday last at Mrs. Sarah French's, North Lansing.

Special Sales in Shoes, lower prices than ever, at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's, Genoa. 35tf

—Rev. W. R. Timeson has resigned as pastor of the Baptist church at Groton, the resignation to take effect June 30.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tift of Moravia, former residents of East Genoa, have returned from a trip of several weeks to Florida.

—The Locke school was closed last week, on account of one case of diphtheria among the pupils. It opened again this week we are informed.

—Mrs. Atwater of King Ferry was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Counsell this week, attending the meeting of Star of Cayuga Chapter, O. E. S. last evening. — Union Springs Advertiser.

—The snow has disappeared rapidly the past few days. Main street in the vicinity of the bridge has been overflowing with water. If the snow goes without a big rain we are not looking for any serious trouble.

—A movement is under way in Ithaca to purchase the steamer Presque Isle, now docked at Cleveland, O., for use on Cayuga lake this season. The Presque Isle is 71 feet long, has 18 foot beam, and has a passenger capacity of 130.

—L. E. Kimball has sold his farm on the Venice-Moravia town line road to Robert Reynolds of Michigan, who has taken possession. Mr. Kimball will inspect properties in Maryland and Delaware with view of locating in that section.

—M. M. Bancroft and family will finish moving this week to the farm recently purchased of Earl Legg, in the town of Locke. —It is understood that Mr. Bancroft exchanged Auburn property for the farm. Miss Elsie Bancroft will remain in Genoa to attend school the remainder of the year.

All the popular copyright books for rent, 5 cents a week. Hagin's store, Genoa.

—T. Alonzo Mason underwent a serious operation for hernia at the Auburn City hospital on Sunday. Dr. M. K. Willoughby accompanied him to the hospital and the operation was performed by Dr. L. W. Heazlit. Mrs. Mason has been with him several days and he is reported as doing well.

—F. J. Alberger, the caterer of Ithaca, has purchased of John H. Reas of Ithaca, a former resident of Genoa, Glenwood Point on Cayuga lake, the popular summer resort. Mr. Reas has conducted the hotel for several seasons. The consideration is said to be about \$11,000. A motor boat owned by the new proprietor will run between Glenwood and Renwick for the accommodation of the patrons.

—The 27th district convention, Order of Eastern Star, will be held in the Groton opera house Friday afternoon, May 15. On this occasion the most worthy grand matron, Mrs. Lulu I. Hastley of Niagara Falls, and her staff of officers will be in attendance. It is expected delegations from the seventeen chapters in the district, which is composed of Tompkins and Cayuga counties, will be present.

—Chas Decker and family are now occupying the Weaver place, just outside the village.

—Mrs. Arthur Landon of Poplar Ridge is spending a few days with Mrs. Sherman Wright.

—Ralph O'Hara of Cazenovia is spending some time at the home of his sister, Mrs. Alonzo Mason.

—New windows are being put in the Mulvaney house, and the house will be painted this spring.

—The Cortland Democrat says that the huge snowbanks of that city are proving to be great advertising mediums.

—It is estimated that from \$350 to \$800 will be spent in each of the towns of Cayuga County in clearing the highways of snow.

—Auburn workers are after the 1915 convention of the State Sunday School Association. The 1914 convention will be held at Binghamton.

—No bids having been received for the Frontenac at the auction March 2, it has been decided to put the boat up at auction on March 31.

—The quarantine which has been for several weeks past on the home and family of J. H. Payne of Scipio on account of scarlet fever, has been officially raised.

—Hiram Finch and daughters have moved from Locke to North Lansing, where they will occupy the tenant house on the William Wilcox farm, and Mr. Finch will work the farm.

Buy your Rubbers and Rubber Boots at lower prices than elsewhere at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's, Genoa.

—The foolish man foldeth his hands and saith: "There is no trade, why should I advertise?" But the wise man is not so. He whoopeth it up in the newspapers and verily he draweth customers from afar off.—Exchange.

—The house and lot on East Yates street, belonging to the estate of the late Mary A. Munson, was sold at public auction by the executor, J. L. Baker, Esq., on Wednesday. Briton F. Osterhout purchased the property for \$3,185.—Weekly Ithacan.

—A recent bulletin of the government forest service contains a statement that may be valuable to farmers who are looking for a market for the wood obtained in cutting down old apple trees. The bulletin says: "Apple wood is the favorite material for ordinary saw handles, and some goes into so-called briar pipes."

—An appropriation of \$50,000 is to be asked for of the New York legislature to transport veterans of the Civil war who served in New York state regiments, and were prisoners at Andersonville, to Andersonville on April 30th, when the New York state monument, costing \$25,000 is to be dedicated.

Books rented, 5 cents per week, at Hagin's store, Genoa.

—The fortieth anniversary of the founding of the W. C. T. U. in the city of Auburn was observed with appropriate exercises in the Chapter House of the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon, March 18. The meeting was held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Federation of the city. Mrs. W. R. Laird, president of the Federation, presided. Four of the charter members are still living.

—Manley Beardsley received word on Sunday of the death on Friday last of his cousin, George Ward of Cascade. The funeral was held at his late home on Cascade hill in the town of Venice on Monday at 1 o'clock and burial was made at Scipio Center. Mr. Ward was 70 years old and leaves two sisters and three brothers. The night of the burglary in Moravia, about two months ago, the burglars left town on a handcar, which they left at Cascade. Going up the hill, they took a rig from the Ward barn and drove to Auburn, where they left it. Mr. Ward started out to find his horse and as it was severely cold, he walked much of the way to keep from freezing. Being an old man, the exposure was too much for his strength and he never recovered from the effects of the trip.

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—A certain minister was greatly disturbed by a number of women in his congregation who persistently gossiped in a loud tone during service. One Sunday morning he executed a plan which he had devised to stop this annoyance. At a given signal the choir stopped abruptly on a certain word in the middle of the hymn. Then one of the gossips unable to check herself, was heard all over the church to say: "I always fry mine in lard." "As we know," announced the minister, "that she always fries hers in lard, we will proceed with the singing."—Argonaut.

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Additional Trains between Ithaca and Rogues Harbor leave Ithaca 7:30, (daily except Sunday) 12:15, (Sunday only) 2:00, (going on to South Lansing) 4:40, and 9:30 p. m. Saturday only.

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At Monte Carlo

Story of a Woman With a Mona Lisa Smile

By F. A. MITCHEL

Royal Twining and I were bosom friends. Roy was accustomed to confide in me in almost everything, and as soon as he became engaged he took me to see his fiancée. Marjorie Gooding, or Marjy, as she was usually called, struck a vein of curiosity in me the moment I saw her. It is difficult—indeed, impossible—for me to explain why. I can only say that she seemed strange to me. She had heard a great deal of me from her lover, and when she turned those singular eyes of hers upon me it was evident that I was an object of interest to her.

When Roy and I left Miss Gooding he spoke not a word to me as we walked along together, and yet I knew he was saying mentally, "Well, what do you think of her?" I did not reply to the unexpressed question for some moments, for the simple reason that I did not know what I thought of her.

"It is impossible, Roy," I said presently, "for me to pass judgment on the lady of your choice without knowing more of her, and I am sure you don't wish me to say pleasant things got up for the occasion. Have you observed anything—well, mystical about her?"

"Mystical? How mystical? What's mystical?"

I saw at once that the something in his fiancée that affected me strangely was a vacuum in him. I immediately switched off.

"Oh, I don't doubt that she will make you an excellent wife. Judging simply from appearances, she will supply certain deficiencies there are in you, and you will pull together nicely."

What I meant by Roy's deficiencies was that he was usually under the influence of his passions. One of them—games of hazard—was a very important matter with him, and I expected



I KEPT ON WINNING.

that when married his wife would have trouble with him on account of it. Naturally he tried to induce me to name the deficiencies. I did not hesitate to mention the one I have referred to—the gambling passion.

Roy and Miss Gooding were married. Roy was well fixed in the matter of income; the wife had nothing. They went abroad on a wedding trip and remained there a long while. They had been there about a year when Mrs. Twining wrote me about Roy. She said he had joined a club in Paris where gambling was much in vogue and had lost considerable money. She said further that she wished she could get her husband back to America, where I would help her in the matter, for she was aware that I had considerable influence on Roy.

The letter was evidently an appeal for me to come over to Paris and save what remained of Roy's fortune. There were reasons besides my interests in the Twining's to induce me to go over. I was a man of business and had been working too hard, with the result that I was threatened with nervous prostration. The winter was a cold one, and my doctor had advised me to quit work and go to a warm climate, recommending a trip to the Mediterranean and Nice as a stopping point. This would help me to draw Roy away from his club in Paris. I wrote him to meet me in Nice.

The Twining's had been in Nice a fortnight when I arrived. I found Mrs. Twining there, but not her husband. He had gone to Monte Carlo. I had evidently got Roy out of the frying pan and put him in the fire. His wife told me that he had lost nearly everything he had in Paris, and she was prepared to bear that he had lost the rest at Monte Carlo. He had asked her on arriving at Nice to go there with her, hoping to recoup. She had refused, and he had gone alone. She did not break down under the ordeal, but talked about it in a very businesslike way. I proposed that we should go together to Monte Carlo and attempt by a united effort to get Roy away in time to save the remnant of his fortune. When I said this the lady

looked at me with a very singular expression. I had seen a copy of the celebrated picture, the "Mona Lisa," whose disappearance from the Louvre had attracted so much attention, but which has been restored to its place there, and the look on Mrs. Twining's face when I made this proposition reminded me of that portrait.

"No," she said. "I will remain here. My influence with him has not been sufficient to prevent this misfortune, and my presence with him would do more harm than good. If there is anything left when you get there you may save it."

There was the same sad look in the eyes, the same peculiar smile on the lips, as those of the "Mona Lisa," and they were as unintelligible to me on the living face as in the portrait. What prompted me to ask the question I cannot explain, but I said:

"Do you think you could influence me to do your bidding?"

"I am quite sure I could."

The smile with which she said this reminded me more than ever of the smile on the lips of the "Mona Lisa."

I accepted her suggestion and went over to Monte Carlo. Mrs. Twining had informed me that, the day before my arrival at Nice, Roy had changed his hotel. She did not say why, but I saw by her look she inferred that he had been called upon to pay his bill and had not the means to do so. She had not yet been informed of his new address. I arrived at Monte Carlo about 9 o'clock in the evening and, after registering, went immediately to the gambling pavilion, expecting to find Roy there. I was surprised not to see him and was about to leave when an attendant stepped up to me, asked me my name and, upon my telling him, said that I was wanted at the telephone. On taking up the receiver and asking who was waiting for me Roy

said:

"I'm not feeling well enough to go to the pavilion tonight, and I wish you to lay a stake for me. Put \$10 on the red and leave it there till I send word for you to take it off."

"Roy," I said, "I must see you at once. At what hotel are you staying?"

I waited for a reply, but no reply came.

"Roy," I called—"Roy, are you there?"

All was as silent as the grave. I did not know where he was stopping, but resolved to go at once and search the hotels for him. As I was about to leave the pavilion the face of Mrs. Twining came up before me, and somehow I fancied it as saying: "Do as Roy has bid you. If you don't you may have cause to regret it. If you do it may result in a run of luck." I hesitated and turned toward the room where a crowd about the roulette table listened to the monotonous call of the croupier, "Make your bets!"

I went in, stood over the table for a few moments, looking on, then took a United States gold eagle from my pocket and placed it on the red. I felt that I would rather lose that amount than refuse Roy's request. After it was gone that would end the matter, and it was sure to go at last, because I would obey his instructions not to take it off till he sent word to do so.

The ball spun and the red won, many times the amount of the stake—I have forgotten how many, for I have never bet a cent since. And I kept on winning; I have forgotten how many times the red won before the same attendant who had summoned me to the telephone tapped me on the arm and told me that Mr. Twining had telephoned. I was to take the stake off the red and place it somewhere else. I remember moving a heap of money several times after that, but where I placed it I don't know, though I do know that every time I moved it there was a greater abundance. I have lost remembrance, too, of the instructions I received or whether I received any instructions after the first or second, nor can I positively assert that I was not playing on my own responsibility. There came at last a sudden awakening, and I seemed to realize what I had been doing. I saw a heap of money on the table and, gathering it up, bore it away.

On reaching my hotel I went immediately to my room, locked my winnings in a bureau drawer and went to bed. But I did not go to sleep till morning. Through the long hours I was haunted by that singular face, at times the "Mona Lisa," at times Mrs. Twining, and finally dozed off with the two confused.

When I awoke in the morning and went downstairs the landlord asked me if I knew the American who had killed himself the day before. I asked the name and was told that it was Twining.

This is all the statement I have to make except that Twining was dead when I heard his voice. His wife when I saw her again had that same "Mona Lisa" look on her face, and I fancied I could see traces of the smile. But that should naturally be referred to the imagination.

The money I had won was about half what Twining had lost after his marriage. I was obliged, literally, to force Mrs. Twining to take it.

There are three hypothetical explanations:

First.—Was I not in an abnormal physical condition? Did I not create most of the experience and win a lot of money at gambling?

Second.—Did Twining in the spirit play through me in order to provide for his wife?

Third.—Did Mrs. Twining cause my experience?

If asked to which of these three propositions I lean I should reply, "The third." But whether or not she did it unconsciously or what was the secret of her power over me I know not.

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The timid looking little woman on the car noticed that her purse was not in her bag, where she had placed it. Instead it was hanging from her arm on a chain—hanging in full view where it would tempt the nimble fingers of the pickpockets assigned to that beat. With great forethought she picked up the purse and started to put it in the bag. But the purse didn't go in, because it was attached to the arm of the persimmony faced woman standing next to her. Of course the woman with the bag stopped right there and dropped the stranger's purse.

"You'd better let that alone," spoke up the persimmony faced woman. "I've been watching you ever since you got on, and you needn't think I didn't see what you were trying to do."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Fresh Air.

There is throughout the civilized world an increasing knowledge of the value of sunlight and of fresh air. Benjamin Franklin in 1754 wrote: "Physicians have discovered that fresh air is beneficial to those who are ill. Perhaps in 100 years they will find it does not hurt those who are well." It has taken over the century prophesied by Franklin, but at last boards of health, bureaus of charity, trustees of schools, commissions on housing, intelligent bodies in all phases of civic life urge the need of securing all possible sunlight and fresh air.—Exchange.

Musical Calamity.

Mrs. Newriche—I believe our next door neighbors on the right are as poor as church mice, Hiram. Mr. Newriche—What makes you think so? Mrs. Newriche—Why, they can't afford one of them mechanical piano players; the daughter is taking lessons by hand.—Puck.

Celluloid Cement.

Celluloid articles can be mended with a cement made by dissolving bits of celluloid in acetone. It takes only a few minutes to make the cement, which is applied like glue, the broken edges are pressed together, and in fifteen minutes the cement is hard.

When a Mule Bites.

When a mule begins to bite it is a sure sign that he has rheumatism in his hind legs and can't use them.—New Orleans Picayune.

One Consolation.

First Photographer—You were rejected yesterday, weren't you? Second Ditto—Yes, but I got a clear negative.—Columbia Jester.

Art thou anvil, be patient; art thou hammer, strike hard.—German Proverb.

MONUMENTS TO THE POTATO.

There Are Several Handsome Ones in England and Germany.

Although America is the original home of the potato, it is only in Europe that monuments have been erected to honor the familiar vegetable. There are several such monuments in Germany and England costing large sums of money and presenting the work of famous sculptors. The most elaborate is that at Offenburg, which honors Sir Francis Drake as the first man to introduce potatoes into Europe.

The monument consists of an excellent statue of Drake, rising from an elaborate base decorated with garlands of the potato plant, with full grown tubers. Several tablets are placed about the base stating that Drake first brought the potato to Europe, with various laudatory inscriptions as to the value of the potato to civilization. A similar monument to Drake and the potato has been erected at Murz.

As a matter of historic fact, Drake had nothing whatever to do with introducing the potato to Europe. It is generally supposed that Sir Walter Raleigh was the discoverer of the potato, and stories are told of his appearing on the streets of London wearing a buttonhole bouquet of potato blossoms in order to attract attention to the new vegetable.

According to one version, the potatoes were first planted by Drake in Ireland. The fact is that the potato was first taken from America by the Spanish long before the exploration of either Drake or Raleigh.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Strange Wills.

Many are the eccentricities to which wills have borne testimony from time to time. The Earl of Portarlington left instructions that he should be buried with all his rings on his fingers. The late Earl of Orkney stipulated that he should be taken to the cemetery in an old fashioned hearse, so that the coffin could not be seen and that no flowers should be placed on his grave. He also left word that his coronet would be found by his nephew and successor "in a cellar" of his house.

A Vienna millionaire, who died recently, left a sum of money with which to defray the cost of twelve months' electric lighting, not only of his vault, but even of the very coffin in which he was buried. Less particular was the Frenchman who asked that his body should be thrown into the sea a mile from the English coast.

He was, too, so disgusted with his own country that he would neither be buried there nor allow any of his relatives or fellow countrymen to benefit by his death. He left the whole of his money to the poor of London.—London Globe.



AUBURN FASHION WEEK, MARCH 30 TO APRIL 4

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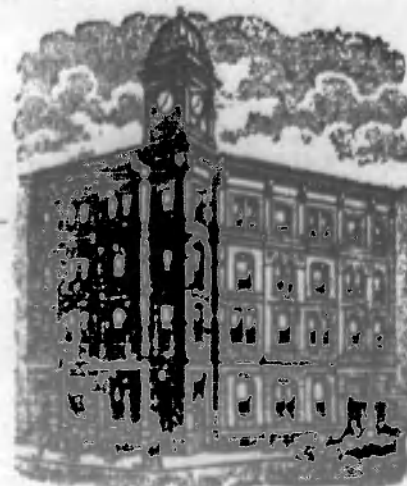
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