



# OCTOBER 12, 13, AND 14!

## SPECIAL OFFERINGS FROM OUR NEW FALL STOCK!

We are now ready to show you our immense New Fall Merchandise. The Neatest and best selected Lines we have ever gotten together, and with all these good points you will find our prices the most reasonable. We will appreciate the pleasure of showing you and to make your visit one of worth and profit to you. We are offering some very attractive and useful Merchandise at Special Prices for

Thursday, Friday and Saturday October 12, 13, 14—3 Days Only.

	15c. White Madras, 36 inches wide, Special Price ..... 8 1 2c.	(96) Sea Island Sheeting for ..... 6 1 2c.	For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, we offer all our 25c. White Goods and Leno Stripe Poplin at the yard..... 19c.	25c. All- linen Towels at..... 20c.			
	10c. Bleaching for ..... 7c.	Thursday, Friday and Saturday, we offer 10c. Sea Island Sheeting for ..... 6 1 2c.	90-inch Linen Sheeting at..... 74c.	Thursday, Friday and Saturday, all Linen Towels, full size, Figured or Hemmed ..... 20c.			
	For these three days we will offer you Poe Mill Bleach, in 10 to 20 yd. lengths, yd ..... 7c.	10c. Dress and Apron Gingham ..... 8 1 3c.	\$1.00 Bed Sheets for..... 73c.	Special Reduction on all Blankets. We have the largest line of All-Wool and mixed wool and Cotton Blankets we have ever shown. \$1. Crib Blankets at..... 75c.			
	12 1-2c. Bleaching, Cambric and Canon Cloth, yard ..... 9c.	For the three days we sell all our 10c. Dress and Apron Gingham, the yard..... 8 1 3c.	For these three Special Days we offer \$1.00 Sheets, full 81x90 size, at..... 73c.	10-4 Sheeting, unbleached, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the yard..... 25c.			
Thursday, Friday and Saturday only, we offer all our 12 1-2c. Cambric, Canon Cloth and Bleach, the yard..... 9c.	25c. Leno Stripe Poplin and White Goods for..... 19c.	Pillow Cases at ..... 17c.					
<b>Ladies' Tailored Skirts and Coat Suits</b> We would like the pleasure of showing you our Up-to-date Stock of Suits, the Famous I. S. Line, Tailored in Cleveland—none better. Skirts in Lupin Voiles, Manish Cloths, Serges, Panamas, Etc. Suits in Serges, Manish Cloths, Etc. The very best in workmanship and styles—prices moderate.		There is a Kabo Corset made to suit you. Get it from us, \$1.00 to \$5.00.  Progress Cloths for Boys. Square yourself with your boy by fitting him out with a Progress Suit. He will be proud to wear a Progress Suit, and you will feel proud of him with one on. They fit, wear and retain their shape. Sizes from 4 to 17 years. They cost no more than others and are better.		<b>Mens' Womens' and Children's Shoes.</b> The man who cares will wear Florsheim Shoes. They fit the feet, retain their shape, look good all the time and are better—All leathers and styles.  The Geo. G. Snow Shoe for Men. Gun, Calf, Tan, Patent and Vici, both button and lace—\$4.00. The Shoes that is totally different.		The women that likes to wear Shoes that fit the feet and look dressy all the time will wear our Dolly Madison, made and fully guaranteed under our own brand. We have them in Velvets, Gun, Calf, Vici, and Patents, in buttons and lace.  R. T. Woods' Children Shoes, conceded to be the best ever made for Children. We show them in most styles and leathers. Other good Shoes from \$1.00 up.	

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Notions, Underwear, Hosiery, Furnishing Goods, Etc., at Prices that are Lower and Merchandise that is Better. It Pays to Trade at

# RIGBY DRY GOODS CO.

**Dr. Johnson and Fruit.**  
The return of the strawberry season was always heartily welcomed by Dr. Johnson, for, as he once declared, of strawberries and cream he never could have too much. Fortunately he sometimes had opportunity to indulge his taste to the full, for his friend, Dr. Taylor of Litchfield, whom he contrived when possible to visit at strawberry time, was rather a noted fruit grower, and when at his house it was, as Johnson said, with gusto, "Strawberries and cream, terrors strawberries and cream!" A voracious eater at any time, Johnson's appetite for fruit was almost limitless. Mrs. Thrale tells us that he used often to eat half a dozen peaches before breakfast, and then frequently she had heard him complain that never in all his life had he quite as much wall fruit as he desired, save once. The exceptional occasion was during a visit to Lord Sandys' seat at Ombersley. The exact quantity he then devoured has not been recorded, but he was accused of clearing a whole wall side.—Pall Mall Gazette.

**The Light of Crystals.**  
All diamonds do not shine in the dark after exposure to sunlight or electric light, but some do to a remarkable degree. A diamond rubbed with a woollen cloth or against a hard surface will sometimes shine brilliantly. The emission of light is a property belonging to many if not all kinds of crystals.

A variety of white marble found at Hastings-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., gives out a flame colored glow when pounded and bright flashes when scratched with steel. In northern New York is found a kind of stone known locally as "hell fire rock," which exhibits bright sulphur colored streaks when scratched in the dark. Pieces of rose quartz rubbed together exhibit brilliant flashes, sometimes bright enough to illuminate the hands of the person holding them. Smoked quartz and other varieties sometimes show a similar phenomenon.—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Not Lively.**  
Anna Maria Wilhelmina Pickering, in her memoirs, edited by her son, tells a Yorkshire incident which contains a great deal of human nature. Variety spices life. The plan is monotonous until its extent entitles it to the name of prairie or desert and it gains interest through vastness.

There was an old couple in the village whom I used often to go to see. One day when I found them sitting, one on each side of the fire, the old man said to me:  
"Well, 'emiss and me, we've been married nigh on fifty years, and we've never had one quarrel!"  
The old woman looked at me with a twinkle in her eye and said:  
"It war varie conscientious, but varie..."

**Invited a Snub.**  
Clara—I overheard Mr. Kimberley say to a friend the other evening that I was a pretty young lady. Maude—Well, you are pretty young; but, of course, you are growing older each day.—Chicago News.

**At the Lowest Point.**  
Sometimes hit's a mighty good thing to be de lowes' spoke in de wheel uv fortune; you jes' 'bleaded to come up, no matter which way de wheel turns.—Cally Ryland.

**A Bride and Her Dowry.**  
The first colonial mint was established in 1612, but it worked only in brass. Forty years later Massachusetts entered upon the business of coining money.  
The Pine Tree shilling is not only a part of the history, but of the romance of the colonies as well. The officers of the mint, or perhaps it would be better to say the mill, from which it was issued, were John Hull and Robert Sanderson. They coined for the colony, but exacted a toll for their work, just as the man who ground grain for his neighbors was wont to do. Their profits were said to be enormous, and more than once it was suggested that a new arrangement should be made. They were satisfied, however, to keep it in the old way.  
After John Hull's daughter had been married to Samuel Sewell the old mint master invited all the wedding guests into one of the rooms of his house, where he instructed his daughter to get on to an improvised platform at the end of a pair of steelyards. In a tub at the other side the old man poured Pine Tree shillings until the scales balanced.—"There, Sam," he said, "take her and her dowry. It's not every bride that's worth her weight in silver."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

**Soft Capped Projectiles.**  
Many persons know that certain armor piercing shells have soft metal caps on the point, with the result of greater effectiveness over those not so provided, but the way in which the cap acts is not generally well understood. A needle may be driven into a board with a hammer when it is thrust through a cork, whereas it would break off unsupported. Many have thought that the soft cap supports the hard point of the projectile in the same way. A British authority who has given much study to the mutual action of the projectile and armor states that a shell frequently fails because of the fact that a very small piece of the point is forced back into the mass, thus splitting it. A larger piece is then similarly forced back, and so on. The main advantage of the soft cap, in the opinion of this authority, is to prevent such splitting.—Harper's Weekly.

**Praise For the Sardine.**  
It is encouraging in these days, when everything nice is condemned by scientific faddists as nasty, to have the high authority of the London Lancet in support of the popular theory that the sardine is of great dietetic value. The sardine is good, the Lancet tells us, because, for one thing, it encourages the consumption of oil, which tends to avoid "many ills, and especially those associated with wasting diseases and gouty dispositions." This consumption of sardine oil, it adds, "prevents the overloading of the tissues with nitrogenous waste products, and a digestible fat favors nutrition considerably. The sardine supplies also an excellent proportion (25 per cent) of nitrogenous material, and so it becomes a real and economical food. In addition to this the sardine has appetizing qualities, and where appetite serves digestion follows."

**The Measure of His Intelligence.**  
Fido's Mistress (sobbing)—I've lost my dog—my sweet little innocent pet! Friend—I'm so sorry! Have you put an advertisement in the newspaper? Fido's Mistress—Oh, what would be the use? The poor darling doesn't know how to read!—Woman's Home

## A New Machine Shop!

The Clarendon Garage and Machine Co.

solicits the patronage of the public for any work in the machinery line. We have an expert machinist who has served his time at the trade, and we are prepared to handle the most intricate kind of machinery work.

We are agents for the following Automobiles:  
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We make Automobiles a specialty, and keep on hand supplies of all kinds including Oils and Gasoline.

All work turned out by us is with a guarantee, and our prices are moderate. Give us a trial.

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## A FEW FACTS!

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We have a car of McCormick Mowers and Rakes, known everywhere as the best.

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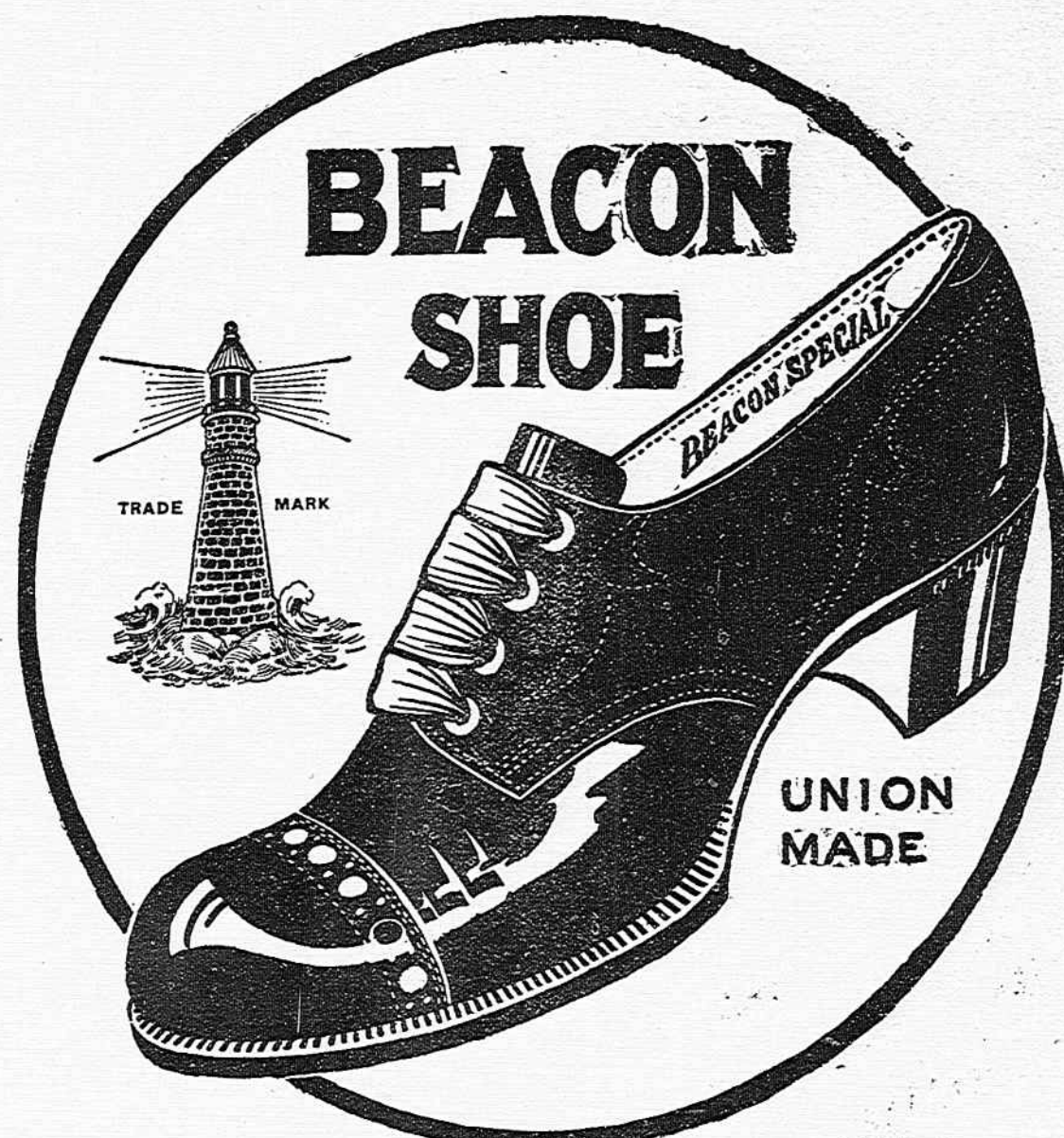
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