Mimnaugh's After Stock Taking Sale

We have just finished taking stock and find that not withstanding the phenomenal clearance sale that was run during the week before we took stock, we still have too many goods in some departments. In order to move these goods quickly we have put the prices lower than ever before. Read these money saving bargains;

Muslin Underwear.

During the coming week we mean to clean up this Muslin Underwear Department, regardless of price, so thisis your chance to buy bargains in this line. You will find these goods displayed on the second floor, in different lots. Never before have you been you been able to purchase these goods at the prices that will prevail during the coming week. In all the Underwear offered you will find Gowns, Petticoats, Skirts, Corset covers, Pants and Combination suits. The materials include nainsook, longcloth and cambric.

Millinery Department.

In this department we still have left a few of the Frenh as well as domestic patterns. Our millinery business this season has been a record-breaker, and now, after, taking stock, as the season is coming to a close, we are going to put on sale our entire Millinery stock at prices that must certainly move it. We also have left a few of those lovely white Beavers, trimmed in hand-made flowers, in all the latest shapes. Come in and let us show you what bargains you can now get in headwear.

See Embroidery Window

$1,600.00 worth of fine Embroideries; in lawns, cambric and nainsook, all go on sale at sensational prices. In this lot is also a large assortment of all-over Embroideries to match.

Art Squares and Rugs.

Now is your opportunity to purchase Art Squares and lovely rugs at prices you will find to be away under other dealers. After taking stock we find there is yet on hand a number of the rich 9x12 Smyrna and Axminster Art Squares in all the oriental and floral designs. These rugs and squares go on sale at prices that will certainly appeal to your purse. All $25 art squares will go at $16.98. The $15 and $18 Brussels Squares 9x12 will go at $11.49 each.

Do not fail to also take advantage of the sacrifice sale of window curtains in all the new scrims with lace edges, at from 15c to 50c per yard.

Sacrifice Silk Sale.

After taking stock we have decided to close out all remaining Silk waist patterns and remnants. Now is also the time to buy your dress goods. We can show you the very latest styles and at prices that will certainly astonish you.

One lot of ladies leather belts, worth 50 and 75c, at 10c each.

Skirt Bargains

Tommorrow and during the coming week is your last chance on fine skirts at unheard of prices prices that must move them before the end of the week. These Skirts include Voils, Panamas, Mohairs and fancies of all descriptions.

Ladies Suits Half Price

Look at our window display of $20.00 and $25.00 Ladies' Suits for $10.00. After taking stock we find a big line of Ladies' Skirts yet remain. These must now go at your own price. Look at our fine Evening Dresses and see if you can afford to be bothered with having yours made. If you are looking for bargains in Shirtwaists it will certainly pay you to visit Mimnaugh's.

One lot of Children's School Dresses, all sizes, will be sold this week at bargain prices.

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The origin of the double bir[illegible] much discussed. Our [illegible] that some one copied it from the process of driving a couple around a barrel.

Did anyone start a diary this year? If so, future generations will know what they were doing for at least two or three weeks in January.

The reason why the modern girl is so slow to get married is, that while her mother was satisfied merely to be fed, the daughter requires also to be entertained.

Cole L. Blease is now Governor of South Carolina. To him we extend our congratulations and hope that he may fill the high office to which he has been chosen in such a way as to make the other fellow say "I told you so."

Senator Appelt is a jolly good fellow and very popular around the capitol, but we do not think he [illegible] to the marriage license bill that is now about to be passed. He says that a notice of the marriage should be posted on the court house door ten days previous to the issuance of the license so that [illegible] may be found [illegible] the parties reside.

Now is the time of high tension in the larger cities, of social climbing for some, and blank[illegible] for others. But instead of entertaining jealous regrets, the excluded should create circles of their own. Thus they can make themselves a social power to be reckoned with by the elite higher ups.

In the country and many obscure city streets, the motive for getting together is rarely to create new allies for future social competitions. Instead it is the genuine tie that unites all who have common work and play, and are good neighbors.

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TOLSTOY WANTED BLOOD.

His Quarrel With Turgeneff and the Reconciliation That Followed.

Raymond Recouly in the Paris Figaro gives the following account of an early encounter between Tolstoy and Turgeneff, which shows the Russian sage in a different frame of mind from the one in which the world has since come to know him:

It was on the estate of his friend, the poet Fet, near Yasnaya Turgeneff was among the invited guests. The hostess inquired after his daughter, who was being reared in France. Turgeneff spoke highly of his English governess. "With a truly British exactitude," he said, "she requested me to fix the sum which my daughter might spend for charity. And now she teaches her pupil to mend the ragged clothes of the poor."

"And you consider that a good thing?" asked Tolstoy.

"Certainly," replied the other. "It brings the benefactor into direct contact with the persons whom he is helping."

"On my part, I think that a well-[illegible] should illtreat and [illegible] a hypocrite."

"[illegible] speak in [illegible] mean?"

"[illegible] what I [illegible] convinced is the truth!" remarked Tolstoy.

"You think, then, that I am educating my daughter badly?" and, while Fet was [illegible] Turgeneff will talk [illegible] ear. [illegible] bowing he [illegible] his abrupt departure.

Tolstoy [illegible] went. At the [illegible] he [illegible] to Turgeneff demanding satisfaction. He challenged his rival to a duel. [illegible] duel [illegible] accomplished [illegible] Tolstoy [illegible] 1861, declined to be satisfied with such an answer. He felt that he had been grossly insulted. He demanded reparation in blood. He therefore repeated his provocations. His friend Fet, who attempted to pacify him, succeeded only in drawing from him this vigorous reply: "I beg of you henceforth not to write to me any more. I shall return your letters unopened, the same as I do with Turgeneff's." After these occurrences Turgeneff returned to France, where he passed the greater part of his time. Some months later, on reflection, Tolstoy regretted his violence. Seized with remorse, he sent Turgeneff a letter asking his pardon. "I find it exceedingly painful," he wrote, "to think that I have made an enemy of you."

Turgeneff forgave, as one may imagine, but the complete and definitive reconciliation took place much later.

OLD ENGLISH HOUSES.

In the Days of Wooden Huts, Thatched Roofs and Clay Floors.

The habitations of English common people for centuries consisted of a wooden hut of one room, with the fire built in the center. To this hut, if a man increased in family and wealth, a lean-to was added and later another and another. The roofs were of thatch, the beds of loose straw or straw beds with bolsters of the same laid on the floor or perhaps eventually shut in by a shelf and ledge like the berths of a ship or by a small closet.

The Saxon thane or knight built a more pretentious "hall," a large open room like the Roman atrium with a lofty roof thatched or covered with slates or wooden shingles. In the center of the hard clay floor burned great fires of dry wood whose thin acrid smoke escaped from openings in the roof, above the hearth or by the doors, windows and openings under the eaves of the thatch.

By day the "hearthsmen" and visitors when not working or fighting sat on long benches on either side of the fire and, as John Hay puts it, "calmly drinked and jawed" or, gathering at long boards placed on trestles, regaled themselves on some sort of porridge with fish and milk or meat and ale.

At night straw or rushes spread on the floor formed beds for the entire company in the earlier and ruder days, when the "baser sort" were glad to share their straw with the cows.—Charles Winslow Hall in National Magazine.

The Cabal.

The term "cabal" as applied to secret factions of any kind had its rise in English history about 1667, being first applied to the cabinet of Charles II and formed from the initials of the cabinet members' names—Lord Clifford, Lord Ashley, the Duke of Buckingham, Lord Arlington and the Duke of Lauderdale—C, A, B, A, L. Since that day it has been customary, in all English speaking lands at least, to apply the name to any secret conclave, especially in politics.

The Way She Saw It.

"You must not mock people, Hazel. Once upon a time, the Bible says, a crowd of little children mocked a good man named Elisha, and two bears came out of the forest and killed forty-two of them."

"Wasn't that an awful thing for their mothers?"—Newark News.

Useless Telling.

"You can always tell an Englishman," said the Briton proudly.

"Of course you can," replied the Yankee, "but it doesn't do any good, because he thinks he knows it all."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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"When the treasury seal is printed in red the color comes from Central America."—New York Sun.

No Apology Necessary.

"I congratulate you most heartily," said the nearsighted guest at the wedding, "on this happy—oh, I beg your pardon! I thought I was speaking to the bridegroom."

"That's all right," the other man replied. "I accept your congratulations. I am the father of the bride."—Chicago Tribune.

Very Lucky.

"I don't get what I deserve for my jokes," said the humorist.

"You're lucky," sympathized his friend.—Toledo Blade.

When a man falls back on oaths he declares himself out of arguments.

Teeth In Their Stomachs.

Whatever it may be that the lobster and the crab, rapacious, never dainty, are eating they always see something else that they want and can't wait until they have masticated the first before attacking the second. But they don't give up the first, not by any manner of means. Nature, humoring this rapacious bent, has fitted the lobster and the crab with teeth in their stomachs, and they swallow their half masticated food and finish the chewing process with their stomachs while they seize and chew the other thing that has attracted them. Lobsters and crabs have no teeth in their mouths. They chew with their claws what they have time to and hand the unfinished job down to their stomachs to do the rest of the chewing.

Banked Rails.

In rounding a curve the tendency of the weight of a train is invariably to shift to the outside wheels. To counteract this tendency the outer rail of a curve is raised on a higher level than the inside, the elevation being in an exact proportion to the sharpness of the curve as determined by the principles of engineering. If both rails of a curved track were of exactly the same elevation a train would not dare round it at high speed.

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Are tonic in action, quick in results. A special medicine for all kidney and bladder disorders. Max C. Abbott, Wolfeboro, N. H., says: "I was afflicted with a bad case of rheumatism, due to uric acid that my kidneys failed to clear out of my blood. I was so lame in my feet, joints and back that it was agony for me to step. I used Foley Kidney Pills for three days when I was able to get up and move about and the pains were all gone. This great change in condition I owe to Foley Kidney Pills and recommend them to anyone suffering as I have." Gunter's Drug Store.

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9:33 a. m. No. 8, daily local for Columbia and intermediate points, making connection for Spartanburg, Greenville, Charlotte and intermediate points.

4:58 p. m. No. 132, daily, for Columbia, Charlotte, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York city and points East. Drawing room, section, Pullman sleeping cars, Southern Railway dining car service.

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9:43 a. m. No. 131, daily, from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and points East. Pullman drawing room section sleeping cars, Southern Railway dining car service.

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