

Closing Out Our Entire Stock of Gents' Furnishings and Hats at Cost Next Week

As we have outgrown our space for Ladies' and Children's ready-to-wear, rather than move into larger quarters, we have decided to discontinue Gents' Furnishings, and give our customers a chance to buy Gents' Furnishings regardless of cost. Figures prove facts—Note these money saving prices.

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All \$2.00 Shirts for 1.50	All 50 Cent Shirts at 41c	Boys' 25c Fleece Shirts and Drawers 19c	Wright's Health Underwear, \$1.00 Quality at the garment 79c	Wright's Spring Needle \$1.00 Underwear, the garment 79c	"Lion" and "Eagle" \$1.50 Shirts for 1.12 1-2
Boys' 50c Union Suits for 37 1-2c	All \$1.50 Hats for \$1.00	"Holeinroof" One-Half Hose, 6 pr.—\$1.50 box for 1.15	John B. Stetson \$3.50 Hats for 2.50	"Triangle" Collars, \$1.50 dozen kind for 1.10	Boys' 50c Shirts and Drawers at 37 1-2c
\$1.00 Ties at 75c					50c Ties for 37 1-2c

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ANTI-TRUST BILLS DRAWN.

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE OF HOUSE AT WORK ON MEASURES OPPOSED TO COMBINES.

Prohibition of Interlocking Directorates One of Most Noteworthy—Others Concern Injunctions and Damage Suits—Penalties for Individuals a Feature.

Washington, Jan. 9.—A general outline of the tentative draft of anti-trust legislation prepared by majority members of the house committee on judiciary for action by the full committee, subject to a conference with President Wilson, became known tonight. While members of the committee talked with the president some weeks ago, the proposed bills so far have not the administration stamp, and they will be discussed at a conference between the president and the committee members immediately following the president's return.

The bills drafted, after conferences between Chairman Clayton, Representative Carlin of Virginia, chairman of the trust subcommittee, and Representatives Floyd of Arkansas, McCoy of New Jersey and others, cover these three main points:

1. Interlocking directorates.
2. Trade relations and prices.
3. Injunction proceedings and damage suits by individuals.

In every case President Wilson's idea of providing penalties for individuals as well as for corporations in case of violations has been followed. It was decided it would be better to draft several bills instead of incorporating all antitrust proposals in an omnibus measure supplementary to the Sherman act. An attempt to define combinations and conspiracies in restraint of trade, as far as possible, has been made in the bills already prepared.

The bill to inhibit interlocking

directorates is regarded as the most important of the three. It applies to banks and trust companies and to every industrial corporation engaged in interstate trade. The tentative draft of this measure provides that: "After the 33rd day of December, 1914, an officer or director of a federal reserve bank, a branch bank, national bank or banking association, or any State bank, banking association or trust company admitted to membership in a federal reserve bank shall not be an officer or director of any other bank, banking association or any State bank, or of any financial corporation, institution or association engaged in the business of banking. Nor shall he engage in the banking business individually or as a member of a firm or association engaged in such business; nor shall he be an officer or director of any other corporation, organization or association the principal part of whose authorized or actual business is to buy, sell or hold the stocks and bonds, securities or evidences of indebtedness of corporations, organizations or associations, or to finance the sale of such stocks, bonds, securities or evidences of indebtedness, or to negotiate loans to corporations, organizations or associations; nor of any other corporation, organization or association owning stock or an interest in a corporation, organization or association conducting principally such authorized or actual business.

"A director of Class A of a federal reserve bank may be an officer or a director, or both an officer and a director of one member bank."

The other two classes are prohibited in the currency law from holding the other offices. This part of the measure was drafted by Representative McCoy and is understood to have the approval of other judiciary members.

The effect of the industrial corporation feature of the interlocking directorate bill, the committee members say, would be of the most sweeping character, cutting out the interlocking ar-

rangements and enabling directorships and control to pass to a large army of new men, instead of keeping the industrial control of various lines of activity in the hands of a few.

Under its terms no officer or director in any industrial corporation engaged in interstate trade would be permitted to be an officer or director in another industrial interstate corporation in allied business. Manufacturers of railroad cars, locomotives, railroad rails and structural steel, or men engaged in mining or selling coal, would be barred from becoming directors or other officers or employees of railroads engaged in interstate commerce. The bill would not become effective until two years after passage, to allow adjustment of business arrangements.

The other measures would take effect immediately upon passage.

The bill to stop agreement upon regulation of prices has drastic provisions. It is designed to stop the fixing by wholesalers of prices at which the manufactured article shall be sold to the public and to prevent "big business" from entering into contracts to control prices of any commodity.

The measure on injunctions and damage suits will give individuals as well as the government the right to start injunction proceedings for any attempt at injury. In civil proceedings begun by the federal government under the Sherman law, in which a judgment or final or interlocutory decree has been entered, holding the defendants guilty of conduct prohibited by the act, it would permit individuals claiming to be injured by such conduct to be admitted as a party to the suit, with the same relief as if they had brought an independent suit. This would give the individual the benefit of the results of a proceeding by the government.

Members of the judiciary committee believe the measures will strengthen the Sherman law without injustice to the rights of business.

WOULD HANG VILLA.

FEDERALS TRYING TO TAKE REBEL LEADER ALIVE.

Federal Force From Torreon Close in on Rear Army—Federalists at Ojinaga Preparing for Desperate Resistance—Ammunition Running Low.

Presidio, Jan. 10.—Gen. Villa's Rebel army is being attacked in the rear by Federals from Torreon. Orders have been issued to take Villa alive if possible. He will be hanged "as a warning to all bandits and traitors." Several skirmishes are reported with the advance guard of the Rebel army, but no general engagement is expected before Sunday. The Federals are strengthening their intrenchments and mounting heavy guns for a desperate defence of Ojinaga. There are indications that their ammunition is very low.

"Do you begin to cough at night, just when you hope to sleep? Do you have a tickling throat that keeps you awake? Just take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It will check the cough and stop the tickling sensation at once. Does not upset the stomach, is best for children and grown persons. Sibert's Drug Store.—Advt.

Boston, Jan. 10.—The Standard Oil tug Comet with over two hundred and fifty persons aboard sprung a leak off Nantucket light today. It is reported that she is filling rapidly and an explosion is feared. Aid is being rushed to her. She is 27 miles out at sea.

A Difference in Working Hours. "A man's working day is 8 hours. His body organs must work perfectly 24 hours to keep him fit for 8 hours work. Weak, sore, inactive kidneys can not do it. They must be sound and healthily active all the time. Foley Kidney Pills will make them so. You cannot take them into your system without good results following. Sibert's Drug Store.—Advt.

HUERTA DENIES REPORT.

AGAIN STATES THAT HE WILL NOT RESIGN.

Did not Move to Reopen Negotiations With the United States.

Mexico City, Jan. 10.—Huerta today denied the reports that he initiated a move to renew negotiations with the United States which will ultimately result in his elimination from the presidency. He emphatically declared that he would not resign.

Many Japanese have taken residences here of late.

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EUGENE GRACE DYING.

On Death Bed He Reiterates Statement That His Wife Shot Him.

Newnan, Ga., Jan. 10.—The death of Eugene Grace, today was said to be only a matter of hours. In a gasping statement last night, he reiterated the accusation that his wife shot him. She was acquitted of the charge in a trial here about a year ago. Grace has been paralyzed since the shooting.

The "Mischief Quartets" and How Work.

"Each year the month of January numbers its list of victims from influenza, la grippe, bronchitis and pneumonia. The prompt use of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound will check the onset of a cold and stop a cough, preventing the development to more serious conditions. Keep it on hand. Sibert's Drug Store.—Advt.

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We need you, we want you, and our aim is to make ourselves worth something more to you during the coming year than we have ever been in the past. In extending this hope on our own behalf, we also extend to you our heartiest good wishes for a full basket in your own lives and storehouse.

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