

REMNANTS  
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# EFIRD'S AFTER-INVENTORY SALE

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CONTINUES ALL THIS WEEK—SIX MORE DAYS



## Men's and Boys' Clothing

Values You've Wanted for Years

# 25%

### Discount on All Men's and Boys' Suits and All Overcoats

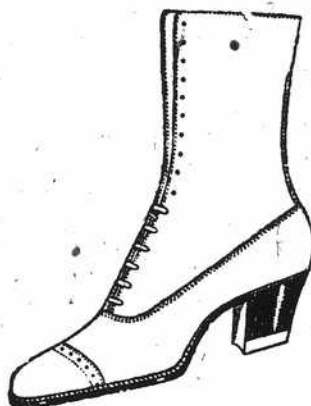
To the man who appreciates the utmost in quality—this sale is for him. Here are Suits and Overcoats that combine the best in style, the best in fabrics and the best in workmanship, at a 25 per cent discount. This mere announcement should be sufficient inducement to bring the crowd.

## SHOES!

A Sacrifice of All Ladies' Fine High Top Shoes

High top shoes of the finest American make in brown, tan and black; newest shapes and leathers. The most sensational reduction in high-grade shoes known in this section in years.

We must make room for our big spring stock now in transit. So you get these left-over high top numbers at about half price. We have divided them into just



FOUR BIG LOTS

Men's Shoes Go Under Hammer, Too, In This Sale!

The biggest shoe-buying opportunity for men this city has ever known. Remember, Efird's prices are marked low to start with! Now we offer a flat discount of 20 per cent on all men's shoes in this sale.

All Winter Pumps and Oxfords Included In This After-Inventory Sale of Shoes

For example: We will sell one big lot of ladies' one-strap black kid pumps with rubber heels at, per pair ..... **\$1.45**

GROUP No. 1

"Imperial," "Kneeland," "Craddock," which formerly sold from \$7.00 to \$10.00, at ..... **\$5.00**

GROUP No. 2

"Craddock," "Pullman" shoes which formerly sold up to \$5.98, at ..... **\$3.85**

GROUP No. 3

"Southern Bell" and "Pullman" high top shoes, values up to \$4.98, at ..... **\$2.95**

GROUP No. 4

"Pullman" growing girls and school shoes, values up to \$3.95, at ..... **\$2.59**

Odds and Ends Counter **\$1.95**

Low and high shoes, ladies' and children's patent leather, kid and calf leathers. Your choice ..... **\$1.95**

# REMNANTS

MAIN FLOOR

Two Big Double Counters at the Right as You Enter the Store. You Will Find

## The Greatest Display of Remnants Ever Shown in Wilmington

We have picked through our big Dry Goods stock and relieved it of all short pieces, odd lengths and left-over yard goods

- Fine Serges
- Tricotine
- Novelty Skirting
- Shepherd Checks
- Colored Wool Flannel
- All Kinds of Silks
- Cotton Goods
- Percale
- French Gingham
- Domestic Gingham
- Outings
- Flannels, Etc.

We have been working night and day assembling this mass of yard goods. They are already bundled and tied, with yardage and prices plainly marked for quick selection

BE ON HAND EARLY FOR BEST SELECTION

### EQUITABLE MEMBERS SANFORD VISITORS

Entertained By Frank S. Cullon, Representative in Lee Capital

SANFORD, Jan. 13.—About sixty members of the Equitable Life Assurance society, of New York, enjoyed the hospitality of Frank S. Cullon, the local representative for this section, at a banquet given in the Sanford hotel Wednesday night.

Mr. Cullon acted as toastmaster. Harry T. Adams, of Raleigh, the agency manager of the Equitable for the Eastern half of North Carolina, Gilbert T. Stephenson, of Raleigh, and Prof. J. A. Campbell, of Bule's Creek, made the principal after dinner speeches. Mr. Adams, in a very forceful way, gave the fundamental principles underlying all insurance business. Mr. Stephenson followed with a striking address on "The Role of Love," in which he showed that insurance and many other progressive movements had their inception in the impulse of love. This he illustrated very forcibly in the life of Mabel Hubbard, who recently died in Washington City. As a girl she was stone deaf. Alexander Graham Bell met her, loved her and married her. It was out of his study of phonetics with a view to helping his wife to hear that the invention of the telephone came.

Other speakers of the evening were J. C. Williams, of Wilmington, Joe E. Melver, of Buckhorn, Revs. R. C. and Walter M. Gilmore, T. L. Riddle and J. W. Cunningham. A very hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Cullon and the visiting speakers for a most delightful evening.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Gilt Shampoo.—Adv.

### URIC ACID Does NOT Stop Rheumatism!

Furthermore, I claim that Uric Acid is a NATURAL and NECESSARY constituent of the blood—that it is found in the body of every new-born babe—that without it we could not live! Strange statement? Yes—to you perhaps, because you have always been told differently. The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism, just published, tells you the real truth about Rheumatism. Tells what actually DOES cause it and how it is now being successfully treated in all its different forms and stages by entirely new, advanced scientific methods. The writing of this unusual book is the result of my twenty years study, experimentation and research in this disease and I want every sufferer of RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, GOUT etc. no matter in what form or how chronic to read it. Therefore, although valuable, I will gladly send you a complete story only of the book absolutely free if you will send your address or that of any sufferer you may know, plainly written, to H. P. CLEARWATER, Ph. D., 118-H Water St., Hallowell, Maine—Adv.

### Mrs. Huske Returns to National Capital

Star Bureau.  
BY H. E. C. BRYANT  
Mrs. Clement Wright Huske, who has been making her home in Asheville, for the past four years, has returned to Washington to live. She was accompanied by her daughters and son-in-law, Mrs. Alice Dunn and Capt. and Mrs. G. G. Reiniger. Capt. Reiniger being transferred here to the war department.

Mrs. R. A. Dunn has returned to Charlotte after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Gilmer Brenizer in their new home in Georgetown.

Former Representative John H. Small and Mrs. Small have recently purchased a colonial home in Georgetown and entertained a family party during the holidays having their children and grandchildren, Major and Mrs. H. C. Neblett and John Small Neblett, Major and Mrs. John Stuart Gaul and John Stuart Gaul, Jr., with them. They have as guests this week Mrs. John G. Blount, Mrs. John T. Hoyt, Mrs. Frank H. Short and Miss Mamie Burbank, of Washington, N. C., and Mr. Thos. P. Wharton, of Charlotte. Mrs. Small will entertain at cards Wednesday afternoon in honor of her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates Warren and daughter, Miss Dorothy Warren, have gone to Florida for a two months stay.

Miss Mary Hagley Ross, of Charlotte, has entered the National Cathedral school.

The older a man gets, the younger he wishes he was.—Adv.

### HEALING CREAM IS QUICK RELIEF FOR HEAD COLDS

Colds and catarrh yield like magic to soothing, healing antiseptic cream that penetrates through every air passage and relieves swollen, inflamed membranes of nose and throat. Your clogged nostrils open right up and you can breathe freely. Hawking and snuffling stop. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than fifty years.—Adv.

### Was a Good Judge of Liquor

"Since a young man I had a liking for liquor and was considered a pretty good judge of it at one time, but constant drinking gave me stomach trouble which became chronic. My stomach would have been a valuable addition to a gas factory. Doctors did not seem to relieve me. One day my druggist got me to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and I am now as good as new." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Adv.

## THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney diseases. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physician, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system. Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys should have most important. If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of your sickness or run down condition commence taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine, because as soon as your kidneys begin to improve they will help all the other organs to health. A Trial Will Convince Anyone. Thousands of people have testified that the mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular medium and large size bottles at all drug stores. SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing 10 cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. This gives you an opportunity to prove the remarkable merit of this medicine. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—(adv.)

Swamp-Root is soon realized, and that it stands the highest for its remarkable results in distressing cases. Symptoms of Kidney Trouble Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but if you suffer from annoying bladder troubles, frequently passing water night and day, smarting or irritation in passing, brick-dust or sediment, headache, backache, lame back, heart disturbance due to bad kidney trouble, uric acid rheumatism, lumbago, may be loss of flesh or salivary complex, kidney trouble in its worst form may be stealing upon you. Swamp-Root is Pleasant to Take If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.

# CLOSING OUT SALE

WE HAVE A NUMBER OF LINES WHICH WE WISH TO CLOSE OUT. PRICES MADE ON THIS MERCHANDISE SHOULD CLOSE THEM OUT IN A FEW DAYS

- 60c Gold band Nippon china, cups and saucers, for ..... **38c**
- (A set of 6 for \$2.25)
- 35c Blue Dragon Japanese cup and saucers for ..... **20c**
- Plain white dinner plates, special ..... **20c**
- 50-piece dinner set, sold for \$16.50. Close out price, only ..... **\$9.75**
- 50-piece Gold Band dinner set, sold for \$20.00. Close out price ..... **\$14.00**
- ALL OPEN STOCK CHINA, 25 PER CENT OFF!
- ONE-FOURTH OFF ON ALL CUT GLASS!
- \$2.00 and \$2.50 reed clothes baskets, large size. To close out at ..... **\$1.50**
- only
- \$1.25 full size feather bed pillows. Special to close out ..... **98c**
- \$2.00 large size feather bed pillows. Special to close out ..... **\$1.48**
- \$1.00 camp stools. To close out at only ..... **50c**
- \$1.25 camp chairs. To close out at only ..... **65c**
- SPECIALS! SPECIALS!
- \$6.90 and \$8.00 cotton filled comforts. To close out ..... **\$4.50**
- \$1.00 baby blankets, blue or pink. Special ..... **75c**
- \$10.00 oval rag rugs. To close out ..... **\$7.50**

- Boudoir lamps, silk shades, mahogany stand. Special ..... **\$2.50**
- Mahogany serving traps for ..... **98c**
- \$3.50 metal waste baskets, suitable for home or office. Special, each ..... **\$2.00**
- \$20.00 library lamp for ..... **\$15.00**
- \$22.50 library lamp at ..... **\$17.50**
- \$30.00 library lamp for ..... **\$22.50**
- \$27.50 library lamp for ..... **\$20.00**
- (Every one of these a big bargain)
- Choice of any floor lamp to close out To close out ..... **\$22.50**
- \$7.50 pottery umbrella stands. To close out ..... **\$4.75**
- \$20.00 jardineres and stand. To close out ..... **\$14.75**
- WE OFFER OUR STOCK OF 10 CEDAR CHESTS AT PRICES THAT SHOULD SELL THEM IN ONE DAY. SOLD FOR \$25.00 TO \$50.00. NOW **\$15.00 TO \$30.00**
- \$2.00 mahogany nut bowls. To close out ..... **\$1.00**
- 75c oak tabarets. for ..... **49c**
- \$100 tabarets. for ..... **79c**
- \$2.00 tall oak tabarets. To close out ..... **\$1.49**

CHILDREN'S WOODEN CRIBS, KIDDY KOOPS AND BASSINETS AT

ONE HALF PRICE!

## C. W. POLVOGT CO.