

ANOTHER STOCK BOUGHT More Bargains for All Read This

S. Klein, 503 Third Ave., New York, Nov. 9, 1911.

Peerless Fashion Stores Co.,
Asheville, N. C.

Gentlemen: I have bought the entire stock of a large department store in Boston, Mass., at 62 1-2c on the dollar. The stock is high grade and practically all new. The people began business only last July, but could not meet their obligations and were forced into bankruptcy.

If you want to take advantage of this purchase I will let you select part of the merchandise you can use at 67 1-2c on the dollar. But you must come at once to make the selection.

Yours truly,
SIG. KLEIN.

Above letter explains all.

Our Mr. Kohn left last week for New York and sure enough selected \$22,000.00 worth of Mdse. of the \$83,000.00 stock.

In order to get quick action a good many of the goods have been shipped by express and arrived here yesterday and are placed on sale today. The rest of merchandise shipped by freight will arrive during this week. The goods that came by express consists of Millinery, Cloaks, Suits, Skirts, Blankets, Waists, Dresses, Furs and Gloves.

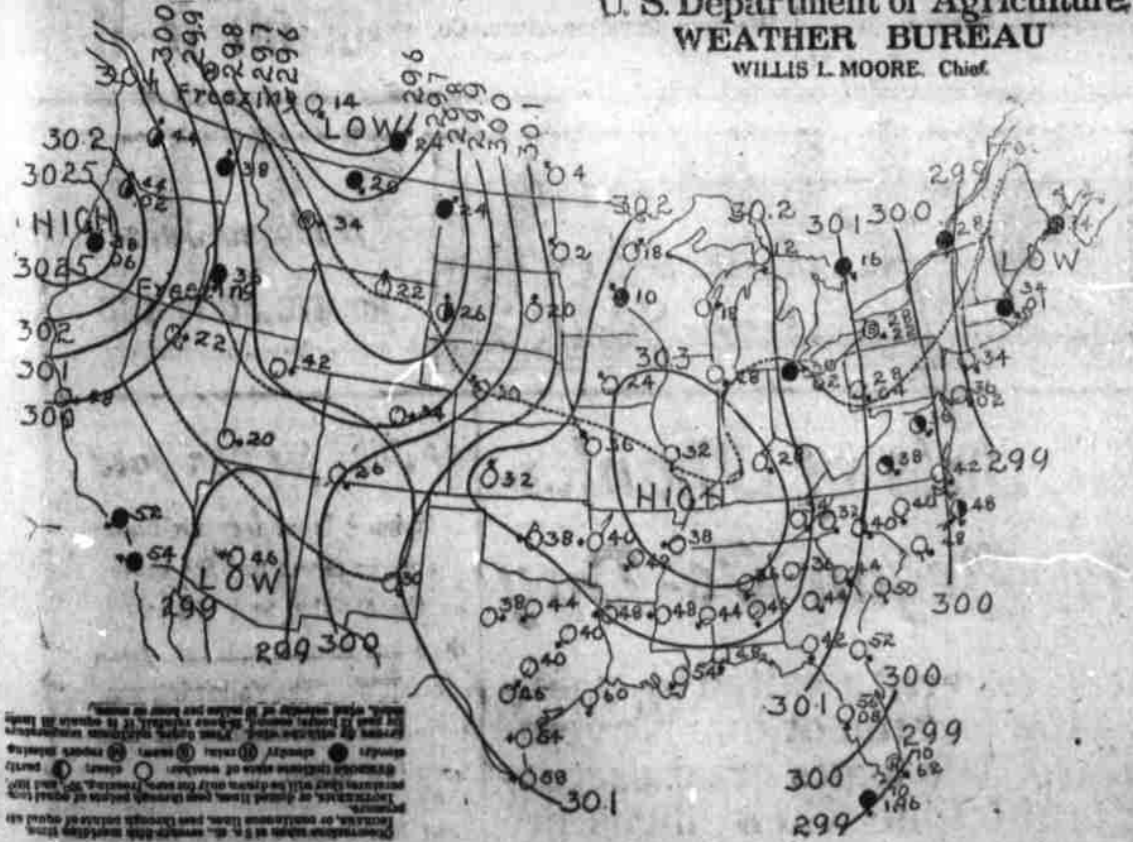
We were prompted to take advantage of this grand purchase by the many friends we made with the Sumner stock, and still we are sure to give our patrons better values with the above purchase.

Don't miss the opportunity and be sure to get your share of the splendid bargains.

PEERLESS-FASHION CO.

In Sumner's Old Stand

U. S. Department of Agriculture WEATHER BUREAU WILLIS L. MOORE, Chief



THE WEATHER

Place	Lowest	Highest
Asheville	32	62
Atlanta	36	66
Augusta	34	64
Charleston	38	68
Charlotte	36	66
Jacksonville	32	62
Key West	70	74
Knoxville	34	64
Louisville	38	68
Mobile	48	78
New Orleans	54	74
New York	34	64
Oklahoma	38	68
Raleigh	36	66

St. Louis 32 46
 Savannah 38 72
 Washington 36 64
 Wilmington 46 68

Forecast until 8 p. m. Wednesday for Asheville and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday.
 For North Carolina: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Moderate northwest winds.

Summary of Conditions.
 The area of high barometric pressure that was central yesterday over Colorado has moved easterly and is now central over the Mississippi valley, while a considerable depression has appeared over the northwest boundary.
 Precipitation has been light consisting mainly of small amounts over the New England states and the maximum amount of 1.96 reported from

Key West, Fla.
 Present conditions indicate a continuance of fair weather with little change in temperature for this vicinity tonight and Wednesday.
WILLIAM JOHNSONE,
 Official Temporarily in Charge.
 Normal today: Temperature 43 degrees. Precipitation .12.

Most Wonderful Thing That Fies.
 Marvellous things in aviation have been done by Orville Wright at Kill-devil Hills in the last few weeks. Only a few persons besides Mr. Wright's helpers were permitted to see the tests with the new Wright "glider." One of the five, Van Ness Harwood of the New York Sunday World staff, who for four weeks daily watched the tests, will describe, in the Magazine section of next Sunday's New York World, what he saw. This is but one of a score of equally fascinating and instructive articles for which the Sunday World is famous. Order your copy in advance and get enough good reading to last you a week.

OBSERVATION STATIONS IN THE FRUIT BELT

With Delicate Instruments, Exhaustive Data on Climate Will Be Compiled.

The fruit growers of this section will be glad to learn that there is to be established here, as well as in other places in the fruit belt, stations at which observations will be made which will be of much benefit to this industry, by the state and United States government. The stations are to be established as the result of investigations made some time ago by the state and federal departments of agriculture.

Each station will be equipped with the delicate and very expensive instruments for recording the temperature, the amount of frost, humidity, dew and other conditions bearing so vitally on the success of the fruit growing industry. Exact records will be kept of the different conditions in the valley, on the mountain side and mountain top. The records will then be assembled and the conclusions drawn for the benefit of the grower. Great benefits are expected to result to the fruit growing interests.

SOME YOUNG OFFENDERS WERE IN POLICE COURT

Lindsey Moody Says His People Will Try to Look After Him.

In police court this morning an attempt was made to start the reform movement of breaking minority of the cigarette habit. Estol Walker who is alleged to be under 17 years of age was before the court, charged with smoking cigarettes. When young Walker was arrested yesterday, he is alleged to have told the officer that he was only 16 years old, but he swore on the stand this morning that he was past 17 and of course was turned loose. His age, however, was ascribed on the records of the court and he was advised not to make his appearance there on some charge more serious and try to make things light for himself by making his age out as less than 17.

Lindsey Moody, the "old reliable," who often comes to the court's rescue when times are dull, appeared on the scene this morning, having been locked up last night by the officers for escaping from the county home. Young Moody is only about 10 years old, but he has been in court more times than some of the most hardened criminals. He has been sent to the county home repeatedly and for terms of various lengths, but there is no attraction out there for Lindsey and he generally stays long enough to say "howdy-do" to the manager and then leaves without saying "good-bye."

Judge Adams was pondering the question this morning as to what was the best move to take in the matter, after all the previous trials, when Lindsey made the statement that Capt. Lominac had told his people that if they would keep him out of meanness the officers would let him alone. Judge Adams grasped the suggestion like a drowning man would a straw and told him that he would certainly stand behind that promise and told him to go. The boy's brother was in the court room and said that he was trying to look out for him and keep him straight. He was told that if he would keep up the good work until the reform school is in readiness the court would immediately take Lindsey off his hands as the latter had the number 1 berth reserved for him at the school, when it does open.

Eugene Penland, a small colored boy, was before the court charged with the larceny of a bicycle and was found guilty but on account of his age and size he was let off by the court on the promise of his mother to give him a sound thrashing for the offense.

John Foster, colored, was tried for the offense of washing windows after 8 o'clock in the morning and was found guilty but the court was unable to pass judgment in the case as the ordinance concerning the offense could not be found. The case was held open until such time as the ordinance could be found.

Claud Potts was found guilty of giving whiskey to a minor and was fined \$5 and the costs.

The cases against Frank Matthews, Charles and Rebecca Ladshaw, Robert Wheeler and Daddy Nelson for retailing were continued until tomorrow morning on account of the absence of the prosecuting witness.

11,269,986 BALES NOV. 13, THE GINNING REPORT

Washington, Nov. 21.—The census bureau's fifth cotton ginning report of the season was issued at 10 a. m. today showing the number of running bales, counting round as half bales, of cotton of the growth of 1911 ginned prior to November 13. The total number of bales ginned in the United States was 11,269,986, including 76,911 round bales and 71,199 of Sea Island cotton, compared with 8,769,433 bales last year.

The distribution of Sea Island cotton was as follows: Florida, 25,818; Georgia, 41,726; South Carolina, 2,656. Ginning by states was as follows: Alabama, 1,189,191 bales; Arkansas, 562,542; Florida, 65,238; Georgia, 2,163,979; Louisiana, 268,498; Mississippi, 720,748; North Carolina, 715,527; Oklahoma, 656,164; South Carolina, 1,164,149; Tennessee, 264,820; Texas, 2,478,802; all other states 71,296.

A ROCKEFELLER DEAL

Witness Tells of Standard Oil Man's Railroad Operations in the Northwest.

Washington, Nov. 21.—How John D. Rockefeller secured control of the valuable Duluth, Mesaba & Northern railroad through a loan of \$1,000,000, how value of the railroad property is said to have been "padded" to make it appear worth more than \$7,000,000 and how the road is now earning more than \$296 a share in dividends were told the stock market investigating committee today by Charles H. Marx, formerly chief engineer of the road.

Cabinet Meets at White House.

Washington, Nov. 21.—For the first time in more than seven years a formal meeting of the cabinet was held in the White House proper today, instead of at the executive offices. President Taft's cold showed improvement, but his physician persuaded him not to venture to his office.

Delicious Gingerbread

(Recipe by Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln)
 Children are great lovers of gingerbread, and grown folks, too, if it is the rich, "melt-in-your-mouth" kind. Here is something the children can eat freely, without fear of "tummy-ache":
 Mix two cups flour, one-half level teaspoon salt, one level teaspoon soda, one level tablespoon ginger; stir in one cup molasses, two tablespoons softened butter and one-half cup boiling water. Bake in shallow pan. If for dessert, bake in layers. Fill with whipped cream, flavored with lemon.
 Cottolene makes light, rich pastry that digests with ease.

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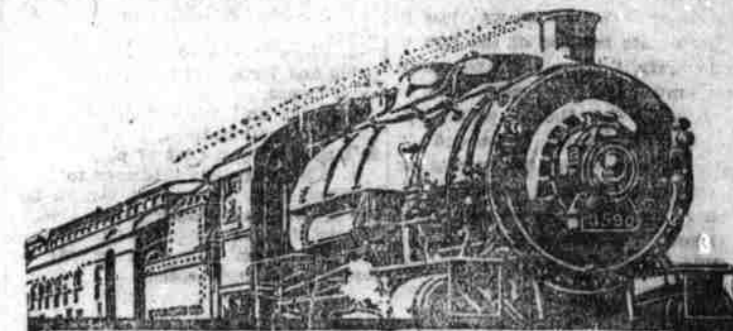
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