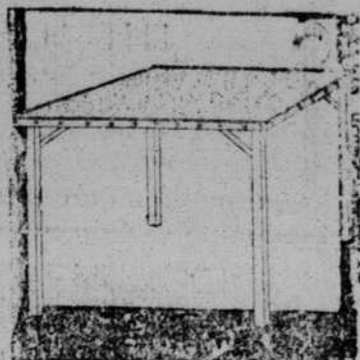


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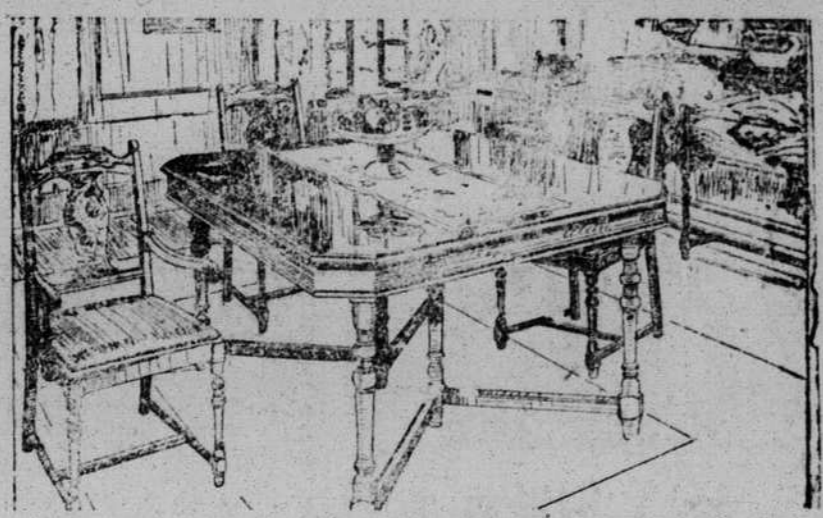


CARD TABLES
Green leatherette tops, mahogany finished. Doubly braced legs.
SPECIAL— \$1.99

FURNITURE SALE

In Planning This Great February Furniture Sale We Were Determined To Make It An Event That Would Eclipse All Previous Furniture Sales By A Wide Margin. To Do This We Made Many Special Purchases; We Have Re-Marked Our Entire Stock To New, Lower Price Levels. The Articles Shown In This Ad Are Merely A Few That This Big Sale Offers.

BRIDGE LAMPS
Polychrome Stand. Adjustable Socket. Beaded Shade.
SPECIAL— \$3.98



Sale Feature — Look At This Mahogany-Walnut Finishes

Dining Room Suite
Regular Price \$204.00 to \$250.00

10-Piece Suites, wonderfully finished, several designs to select from — Including Extension Table, China Closet, Buffet and 6 Chairs.
EXTRA — SALE PRICE — \$189.00
We include a 9x12 Congoleum Rug With Above Suites.

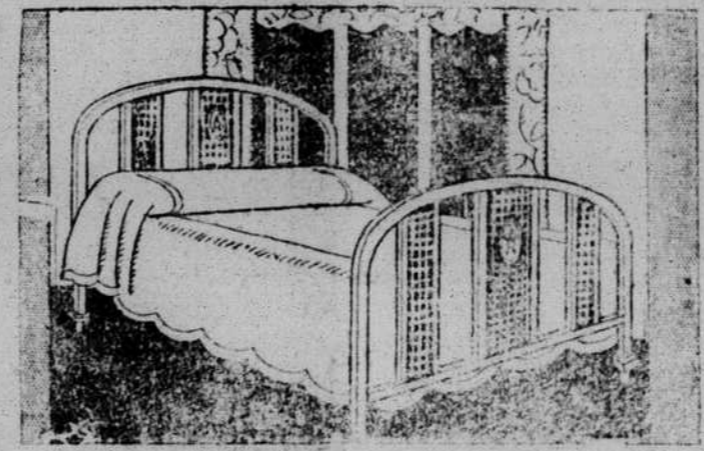
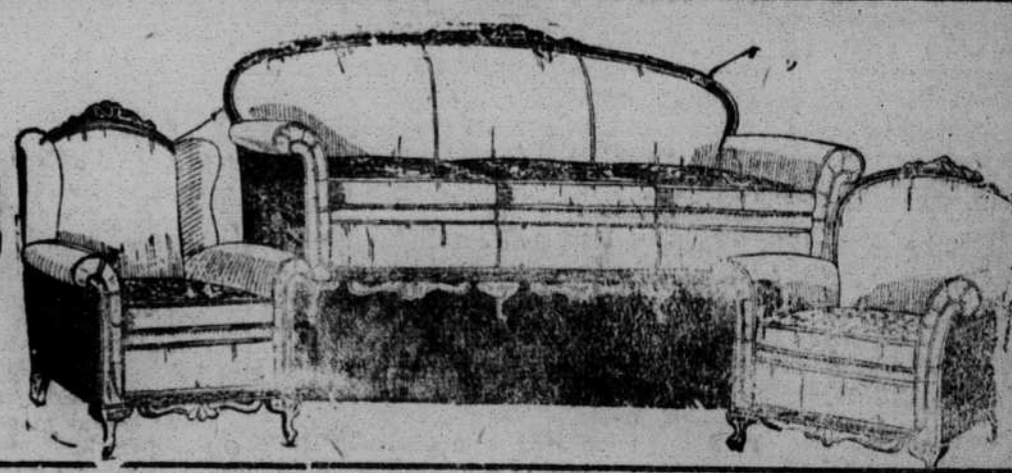
EXTRA FEATURE! THIS SALE ONLY!

—OVERSTUFFED—

SUITE! \$149.50

Beautiful Jaquard Brocaded, first quality Velour. Spring bottom and spring cushion. **SPECIAL**

— COMPLETE 3-PIECES —

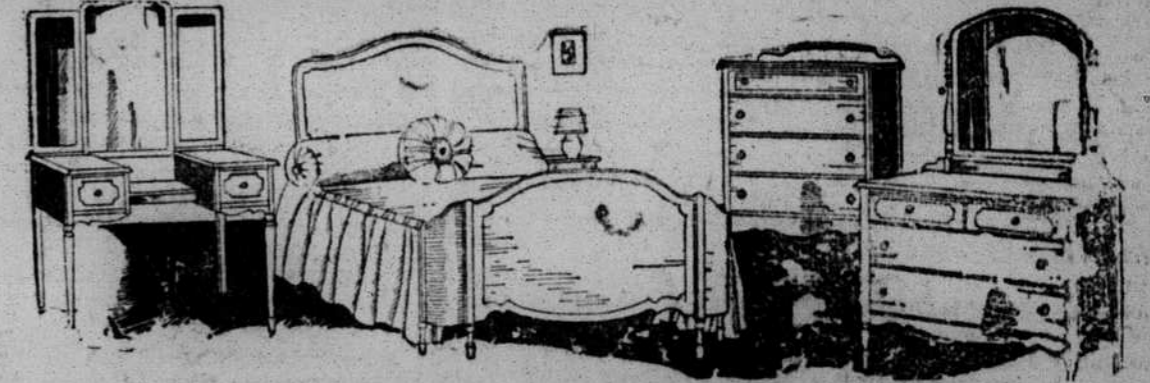


— SIMMONS ODD BEDS —

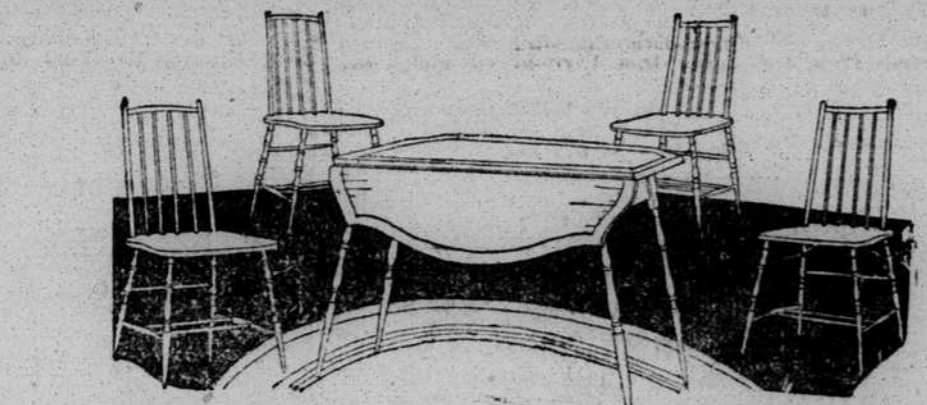
A complete line of these famous 2-inch continuous post beds, white, colored and mahogany finished.
SOME AS LOW AS \$13.95

— BED ROOM SUITE SALE —
Walnut Antique Finish, 3-Pieces, Bed, Chiffonade and Vanity. Very attractive designs, splendidly constructed, and finished.
45-POUND MATTRESS INCLUDED—

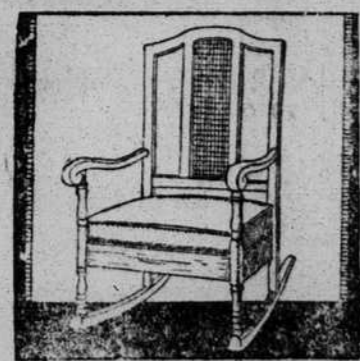
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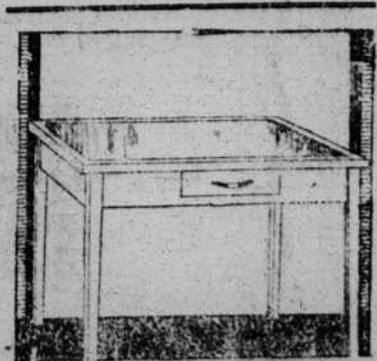
BUY NOW WHILE SAVINGS ARE GREATEST



BREAKFAST ROOM SUITES
Dainty soft color enameled, with small decorations, odd and unique designs, table with 4 chairs to match, sale price
\$29.95



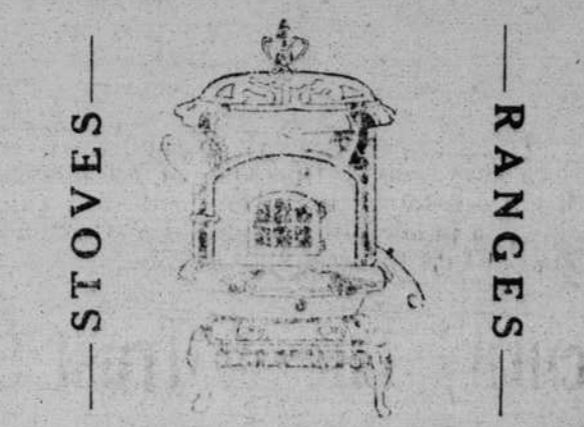
ODD ROCKERS
Regular \$2.65 cane bottom Rockers. Special for February Furniture Sale—Your Choice—
\$1.29



PORCELAIN TOP TABLES
Snow white Kitchen tables as pictured—
\$5.59

— SPINET DESK —
Finished in Mahogany —
Reduced
— 20 % OFF —

— FIBRE ROCKERS —
Well Constructed — Reduced
— 20 % OFF —



STOVES **RANGES**

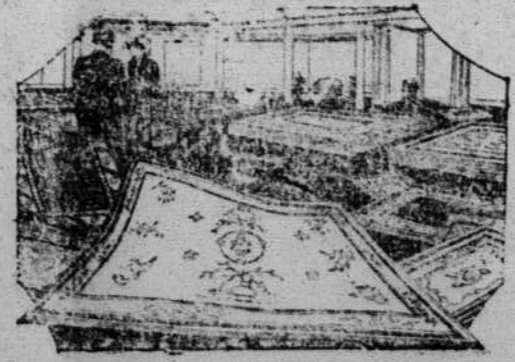
Special Prices on Stoves and Ranges — Allowing \$3.00 to \$5.00 On Old Stoves As Down Payment.

— ODD DRESSERS —
Handsome Oak Finished Dressers. Selling at—
— 20 % OFF —



SAVINGS!
CREDIT PRICES SAME AS CASH, AND SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

Rug Prices REDUCED!



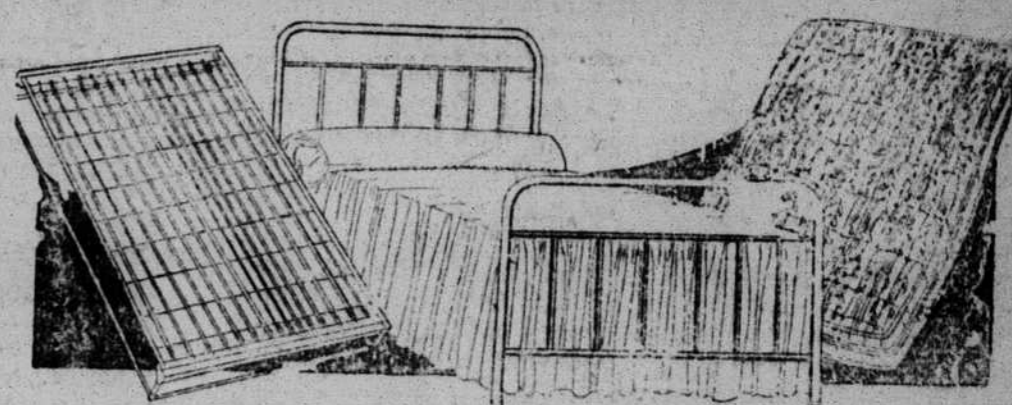
— VELVET \$24.00 6x9 RUGS —
Seamless and are soft and deep pile weaves. Very attractive. Only **\$19.50**

— ARGONNE \$54.50 9x12 RUG —
Fringed Velvet seamless Rug. An excellent Rug at **\$39.50**

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A Beautiful Tapestry Seamless Rug In Attractive Patterns. ONLY **\$22.00**

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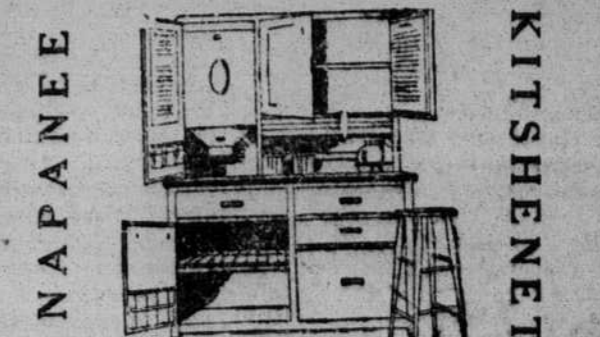
— 27-IN. x 54 IN. TAP RUGS —
Regular \$1.48 vales to close out. Special at your choice **98c**



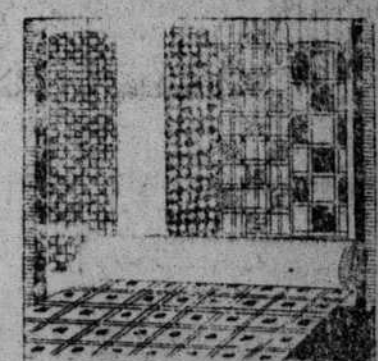
OUR BIG SALE FEATURE!
--- SIMMONS 3-PIECE BED ---
Ten year guaranteed spring, 45 pound cotton rolled edge mattress and 2-inch posted bed.
THE COMPLETE OUTFIT
\$19.95

— 3-PIECE FIBRE SUITES —
Consisting of Settee, Chair and Rocker. Selling at a discount of 10% OFF — 10% DOWN PAYMENT.

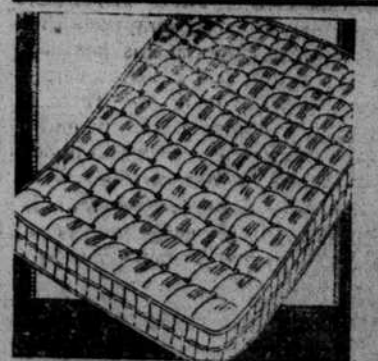
ALL FLOOR LAMPS
Going At Less Than
— HALF PRICE —



NAPANEE!
Kitchen Cabinets Snow white, golden oak and French gray finished cabinets
\$1
— FREE — DOWN
32-piece hand decorated Dinner set with each Cabinet sold during this big sale.



NEPONSET
Also Gold Seal, felt base floor covering, 8-4 Remnants. Per square yard, only—
44c



— MATTRESSES —
45-Pound Cotton rolled edge Mattress. Very Special
\$8.75

SHOULD PERMIT PRESENT HITCHED DIVORCE CHANCE

If Divorce Laws Are Tightened Give Time or Dissatisfied To get a Divorce

(Tipton Wilson In Journal)
Ministers of North Carolina, meeting in convention at High Point, resolute in favor of making it harder for folks to get married and more difficult for them to get divorced. The brethren are fixing to hurt business, that's what they are fixing to do. The more marriage there is, the more business there, especially among baby carriage manufacturers and such. The more marrying, moreover, the more business for the ministers. Good many of the folks who get tied up wish a minister to do the tying and thereby hangs a fee. With tighter laws there would be fewer marriages and consequently fewer fees. The ministers would feel the pinch. It is to their credit, of course, that they're willing to forego their fees, but then — they ought not to forget that they are not the only ones concerned.

These are the divorce lawyers to be considered. If a fellow gets tied up to the wrong woman he'll give a big portion of what he has to be united from her. So there's where the lawyers come in. Make the divorce laws tighter and there's where they would go out. Not all lawyers, it is true, take divorce cases, but it is generally believed that those who do find rich pickings. It would hurt their feelings to see some morning to find that some of their potential business had been taken away from them by a tightening of marriage and divorce laws.

Possibly the shock would drive some of them to drink, and that is not to be contemplated. Nor would the lawyers be the only ones concerned. There are the men and women improperly matched to be thought of. There are some women who are hard to please and some men whom no woman should try to please. And when a couple like that gets tied up the fur flies until the two are united. It would be cruel and unusual punishment to force them to live together. One might scratch the other's eyes.

And then, if you forget what the ministers say about marrying is bound to bring one up standing. It is, in fact, on the subject of marrying that they are most radical. They would have couples give two weeks' notice of their intention to marry! Perfectly absurd, of course! Why many of those who marry had never heard of each other two weeks before they stepped into matrimony. The present is a time when men and women marry in haste and repent of their error, if at all, when the divorce lawyer sends in his bill.

So forcing couples to give two weeks notice of their intention to marry would be to encumber them with an impossible restriction. It might even prevent many from marrying at all. If a couple had to wait two weeks after deciding to marry, one or the other might withdraw from the proposed union before that time. In these modern days a man has to catch a wife on the fly. If he waits for her to bounce she may bounce into some other fellow's lap. There is always a need for haste.

But ministers, perhaps, do not appreciate this need for swift action so much as the laymen. Preachers, one is often convinced, may take their pick of eligible females, as all the girls appear to want a minister for a husband. It is possible, therefore, for a preacher to pick himself a wife that is completely satisfactory in every respect, but all laymen do not have similar luck. Ministers can have no conception of the lemons some men pick or else they would not advocate tightening the divorce laws.

And just as some men pick lemons, some women also are unfortunate enough to get some awful onions. It would be cruel and inhuman to force them to continue to live with the men of their choice. So if marriage and divorce laws are to be tightened, reasonable notice should be given beforehand so that those who have hitherto made grievous error in the selection of a mate may have time to remedy their mistake.

OYSTER SUPPER AT G. E. GOFORTH'S FOR CHURCH

(Special to The Star.)
There will be an oyster supper at the home of Mr. G. E. Goforth, at Stoney Point given by the Ladies Aid society of Benlah church.

Come one, come all, and enjoy the good refreshments which consist of oyster soup, fried oysters, hot coffee, hot chocolate, and sandwiches. Something every one like.

The motto "Honesty is the best policy" was engraved on a counterfeit coin found in a candy slot machine in St. Louis.

A prominent London dance hall was closed because the management had permitted men disguised as women to dance there.