

Clearance of Women's Summer Garments

Our complete stock of model suits and costumes at

HALF PRICE.

THIS is an extraordinary saving chance, surely. It's not an unusual thing to save a third at the end of the season, but the reductions on the class of merchandise we now present are nothing less than phenomenal, inasmuch as the suits and costumes we have marked at 1-2 price are of the light weight materials for summer wear—and the wearing time has practically just begun.

Such good news will surely crowd the suit section and make selling unusually active.

A Few Special Items Picked at Random from Our Stock:

- \$85.00 Paris Model Blouse Suit of Brown Voile, at \$42.50
- \$65.00 Blouse Suits of Imported Voile, in blue or brown, at \$32.50
- \$55.00 Champagne Voile Blouse Suit with cuffs and collar of light blue broadcloth, at \$27.50
- \$60.00 Costume of Gray Nun's Veiling with bertha of gray lace at \$30.00
- \$55.00 Suit of Blue Bouretted Etamine, trimmed with braid, at \$27.50
- \$50.00 Blouse Walking Suit in Shepherd's check, at \$25.00
- \$75 Black Voile Eton Coat Suit with Elbow Sleeve, at \$37.50
- \$75 Champagne Voile Blouse Suit trimmed with braid, at \$37.50
- \$70 Double Breasted Blouse Suit of Champagne Voile—velvet and braid trimmed at \$35.00
- \$65.00 Costume of Black Corded Voile at \$32.50
- \$50.00 Black Imported Etamine Eton Suit, at \$25.00
- \$50.00 Gray Mixed Eton Suit trimmed in scroll designs, at \$25.00

Half Price and Less for Jewelry

WE WERE busy selling jewelry to-day—a portion of the center aisle is surrendered for the event. We bought this great lot of Buckles Hat Pins, and Shirt Waist Sets cheap, so you'll do well to join the throng that is taking advantage of the bargains.

We wish to emphasize again the points of variety and low price

—You'll find this particular sale of jewelry without a peer.

Choose from these 4 great lots.

Lot 1 at 6c.

Consists of Hat Pins and Shirt Waists sets—values up to 15c.

Lot 2 at 10c and 15c.

Consists of Hat Pins and Shirt Waist sets—values up to 25c.

Lot 3 at 25c.

Consists of Buckles, Hat Pins and Shirt Waist sets—values up to 75c.

Lot 4 at 50c.

Consists of Buckles and Shirts Waists sets—values up to \$1.25

Washable Cotton Fabrics in the Economy Basement.

25c French Zephyr at 12½c yd.

A limited quantity—very sheer, and fine, very evenly woven—comes in black and white, and blue and white stripes with raised cords—a 25c quality at yard 12½

12½c Muslin at 8c yd.

50 pieces of sheer lace stripe Muslin—this is a very special bargain offering—you can choose from the season's handsomest patterns and color combinations—very desirable for summer dresses—12½c value at yd 8c

Imitation Swiss Muslins.

This lot of muslins is part of a manufacturer's overplus that we are able to offer you at a big discount—15c value at yd 9c

Madras and Gingham. 10c.

These are the regular 15c and 19c qualities—in every kind of a stripe imaginable—all the good staple colorings are represented in the lot at yd. 10c

Pretty Dimity—6½c.

A case of thin dimity in a big range of patterns and colorings 10c value at yd 6½c

Women's Covert Coats at Big Reductions.

A Third to a Half Less Than Regular Prices.

Here's the best Covert Coat news you've read for some time, and coming, too, just when many are making preparations to go away.

For the country, mountain or seashore a Covert Jacket is indispensable. If you are not supplied we urge early buying.

Four Lots to Choose From.

- \$7.50 For Tan Covert Jacket including all our regular \$12.50 and \$15.00 styles.
- \$10.00 For Tan Covert Jacket including all our \$17.50—\$18.50 and \$20.00 styles
- \$15.00 For Tan Covert Jacket including all our regular \$21.50—\$25.00 and \$27.50 styles.

Sale of Men's Negligee Shirts Regular Standard \$1 Shirts for 79c

If you'll look in our front Elm Street window you'll see a representative showing of the various styles. These shirts are made of fine madras and percale in the light effects, together with the popular shades of gray, tan, blue, champagne, etc., with stripes and figures cuffs detached.

All this season's styles that have never before been offered for less than full price.

81.00 SHIRTS FOR 79c

Dinner and Toilet Sets—Some very Remarkable Values.

Your opportunity to buy a fine dinner or toilet set at a low price. We bought the stock from two of the largest importing houses in America and the various kind includes sets suitable for the summer cottage as well as the finer grades with dainty gold tracings and floral designs for regular home use—Read on:

- English Porcelain Dinner Sets—underglazed decorations in two colors—set of 100 pieces—at \$7.00
- American Porcelain Dinner Sets, very pretty decorations—three colors, green, blue and myrtle—100 pieces, at \$7.00
- English Porcelain Dinner Sets—Olive Green underglaze decoration—good style and sizes—100 pieces—at \$8.00
- American Porcelain Dinner Sets—pretty decoration in fine spray of pink—up-to-date designs—112 pieces—at \$12.50
- American Porcelain Dinner Sets—now shapes neatly decorated in white and gold—112 pieces—at \$12.50
- English Porcelain Dinner Sets—attractive border pattern—decoration illuminated—112 pieces—at \$13.85
- American Porcelain Dinner Sets—the very newest styles—Matted cream and gold border decorations—Exquisite shapes—112 pieces—at \$16.50
- Austrian China Dinner Sets—Three decorations to choose from—102 pieces—at \$15.00
- Plain Printed Toilet Sets—Large size—three colors—blue, brown and green—Exceptional values—10 pieces—at \$2.00
- 12 pieces—at \$3.50
- Porcelain Toilet Sets—all new shapes in gold and white decorations—10 pieces at \$3.25
- Plain White Toilet Sets—Full sizes in fancy shapes—10 pieces at \$1.69

Correspondence

ACBURN.

At the parochial residence of St. Mary's church occurred the marriage of Geo. C. Mosher and Miss Agatha Anderson, on Wednesday, the Rev. John B. Doran officiating. The attendants were Miss Frances M. Anderson and R. Mosher.

James Murphy and Miss Anna Frelove were married at the Holy Family rectory by the Rev. J. J. Hickey. Miss Bridget Murphy was bridesmaid, and Charles Murphy was best man.

From the Holy Family church last Wednesday occurred the funeral of James Keeler, who died in Kansas City, last Saturday. He was 29 years old. His mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Keeler, lives at No. 106 Seymour street.

John, the infant son of Mr and Mrs. John Connors died last Sunday. The funeral was held at the Holy Family church Monday morning.

Peter Ehresman of No. 140 Cottage street, died on Thursday. The funeral was held from the Saint Alphonsus church on Friday.

At St. Mary's church last Sunday, at 11 o'clock, the Rev. John Donohue celebrated his first mass. The occasion was one of great celebrity and splendor. The Rev. Edward Hanna, D. D., of Rochester, preached the sermon. The music was especially fine. Among the soloists were Mrs. Marie Barry of Syracuse, a leading contralto, Mrs. Thomas Dignum, Stephen J. Murphy, Mrs. E. McMahon, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Geo. Caswold.

At the Holy Family church last Sunday, the Rev. Edward Dwyer and the Rev. James J. Clark, who were ordained two weeks ago in Rochester, each celebrated his first mass—the former at 9 o'clock and the latter at 11 o'clock. An elaborate musical programme was arranged by Director Hennessy.

A membership contest which will close on January 1, 1905, has been inaugurated among the Acburn members of the C. M. E. A. A valuable prize will be given to the best individual worker. William Signor has organized one team of workers, and Henry Hamilton is captain of another.

BATH.

Mr. W. J. Garvey, Superintendent of the New York and Pennsylvania Telephone Co., was in town last week looking after the interests of his company. He proposes to remove many of the objectionable poles now disfiguring our streets, and replace the numerous wires thereon with cables.

Miss Theresa Murphy, daughter of Mrs. Mary Murphy, of this village, and William W. Burke, of Boston, Mass., were married last week in Buffalo, by Rev. Father Gleason. They have gone to Boston to live.

Miss Katherine G. Moran is expected home from the Sacred Heart Convent in Rochester, in a few days.

Miss Rose Dee of Savona, who has been teaching school on South Hill, in Thurston, closed a successful term last Tuesday with a picnic for her pupils. Mrs. Humphrey Courtney of Cobcocton presented her husband with an eleven-pound boy last week.

Miss Katherine Bowes and Mrs. W. W. Faulkner are in Toronto this week attending the closing exercises at Loyola Abbey. On their return, they will be accompanied by Misses M. Cornelia Faulkner and Sarah Bowes, who have been attending school at the Abbey the past year.

Patrick Barrett is building a new house on the site of the one destroyed by fire a few months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Larkin of Cooper are receiving the sympathy of their friends over the death of their eight-year-old daughter, Theresa. The funeral was held here last Sunday.

George D. McNamara is home from the Mechanics' Institute, Rochester, and Miss Jenny Shoemaker is home from the Normal School, Genesee.

Rev. Father Griffin will attend the commencement exercises at St. Bonaventure's Seminary, this week.

Mrs. Martin Collins has been spending a week with friends in Corning.

Mr. H. W. Bowes, our enterprising coal man, is in Scranton, Pa., attending the meeting of the New York State Retail Coal Association.

ITACA.

The members of the Holy Name Society attended Holy Communion last Sunday.

The marriage of Bernard Wafer and Mary Hennegan took place from the church Thursday afternoon at four o'clock.

A large class graduated from the school this year.

Our beloved priest, Rev. Father Hugh Crowley, who has been called to officiate as Chaplain at Sonyea, N. Y., all wish him good luck, but regret his departure.

GENEVA.

Several singers from this city rendered solos during Father Fitzsimmons' first mass, celebrated at Ovid at Holy Cross Church. Father Fitzsimmons is a nephew of Mrs. Thomas Donohue of this city.

Thomas Maloney of Waterloo, a student at Holy Cross Seminary, has been visiting in town for a few days, the guest of his cousin, Joseph Manley, on State street.

The funeral of Mary M. Moore, eleven years old, was held at St. Francis de Sales church on Wednesday of last week. She was the daughter of ex-Mayor and Mrs. D. E. Moore of Washington and Putney streets. The deceased was a student of St. Francis de Sales school, and a member of the sixth grade. A mass will be offered up for her by her little school mates on Friday. The children will receive communion at this mass for the repose of their little friend's soul. She is survived by one sister, Helen.

Friday last marked the close of the school session for the pupils of Saint Francis de Sales' school until September.

SHORT SERMONS.

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It is so easy to meditate on a faroff heresim, so difficult to cut off a little self indulgence quite near at hand!

Our Agent.
Mr. A. Herman will call on subscribers in Avon, Genesee, Dansville, Brighton, Pittsford, Charlotte, Macedon, Palmyra, Lyons, Clyde, Weedsport and Auburn. Kindly have amount ready when he calls as we cannot afford to carry subscribers longer than a year.

DANSVILLE.

St. Mary's Entertainment netted the sum of \$75 last Friday night. The programme was excellent.

St. Patrick's programme will be furnished next week.

Next Sunday is fourth Sunday of the month. Mass at Croveland at 8 o'clock; high mass at St. Patrick's at 10.30.

John W. Perry of New York City is visiting his old home.

Colonel H. N. Schick of Rochester is in town.

A very pretty wedding occurred last Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's church, when Miss Kathryn Hubertus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hubertus, was married to Martin E. Byer of Wayland. Rev. E. Krishel performed the ceremony and sang the mass. Rev. W. F. Dunn was in the sanctuary. The bride was prettily and charmingly gowned in white voile, and carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid, Miss Holden, was charming in blue silk mill and applique, and carried white carnations. John L. Hubertus was groomsmen. After the marriage a reception was given at the home of the bride's parents, after which the happy couple departed for a brief wedding tour.

Mrs. Mary A. Nolan Perry died Sunday, June 12. Mrs. Perry was born in Rochester, December 17th, 1842, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Nolan, and came to Dansville in 1848, where she has resided since, with the exception of two years in Wellsville. She was married April 18, 1860, to William H. Perry, who survives her with one son, John W. of New York and Kathryn T. of Dansville.

To Mrs. Perry religion was everything. But she was also a most devoted wife and mother, ever helpful, self-sacrificing and affectionate. Her heart, she was naturally reserved, but an active and earnest worker in the church. And she enthusiastically entered into all the amusements and joys of the young. That this love was reciprocated was demonstrated by the lavish wealth of flowers that little hands brought to beautify the silent form of their loved one. The funeral was held on Tuesday, June 14th, at 9 A. M., from the residence, and at St. Patrick's church at 9.30. Rev. Father Dunn sang the requiem mass, followed by the blessing of the remains. The grave in Greenmount was lined with evergreens, the mound covered with flowers, and the outer box lined with roses and peonies. A good woman has entered into blessed rest—May her soul rest in peace.

Our hustling express man, E. P. Maloney, has been hustling in every sense of the word for some time, delivering gifts to brides and graduates.

SENECA FALLS.

Mrs. T. H. McDermott of Rochester, who has been spending a few weeks with friends, returned home Saturday. Her uncle, Mr. Peter Doran, returned with her.

Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre \$8.00.

The Ontario Pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre under the auspices of the most Rev. Archbishop of Kingston and the direction of the Rev. D. A. Twomey of Tweed, Ont., will start from Rochester on the evening of Monday, July 18th, at 8.30 p.m., July 18th, by steamer Caspian, Ont. at 10 a.m., July 19th by Canadian Pacific R.R. at 1.30 p.m., or by Grand Trunk R.R. at 3.30 p.m., or by Grand Trunk R.R. at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning July 20th. Tickets good to leave Quebec city on return up to the night of Tuesday July 26th. Montreal on Wednesday morning July 27th and Kingston by steamer Caspian for Rochester Wednesday evening July 27th. Stopover privileges allowed on return journey.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—Pursuant to an order of Hon. Geo. A. Benton, Surrogate of the County of Monroe, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims or demands against Mary Murphy, late of the City of Rochester, County of Monroe, State of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers therefor, to the undersigned John M. Murphy, at his place for the transaction of business as such executor, at 226 Powers Block, Rochester, on or before the 20th day of June 1904. Dated Dec. 12, 1903. John M. Murphy, Executor.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

THE MANITOU BEACH LINE.

is the "Fishing Line." Big strings of black bass, pickerel and perch are being caught daily. Round trip fair via N. Y. C. 30 cents, half fare 20 cents. The road has doubled its carrying capacity and all the cars run "on time" and we can take good care of the crowds. No delays.

McCURDY & NORWELL COMPANY

A DESERVED REBUKE.

Those Who Visit the Vatican Should Bow to Its Usages.

There will be a mild but general curiosity as to the identity of the Americans whose behavior while in the Vatican recently has moved the palace authorities to warn the introducers of visitors there that they must guarantee that such persons will conform to the etiquette of the place by kneeling before the Pope and kissing his hand. The Americans who refused to give these evidences of respect for the Pontiff probably imagined that they were manifesting the noble pride which, not without reason, is supposed to be an American characteristic, but of course they were simply acting like bores, of whom every country has more than enough. Opinions may honestly differ as to whether it is compatible with manly dignity to kneel before a fellow mortal, but those who deny it or who even have doubts on the subject may very easily avoid what they consider a humiliation, at least as far as the Pope is concerned, by keeping out of his presence. If they do enter his presence of their own volition it is the commonest of decent manners to comply with the long established and universally known customs of that home. The Pope is not to be viewed as a curiosity, but as a sovereign ruler, and he receives visitors as the head of

a great Church, and the fact that he does not exclude those who are not members of that Church is the strongest of arguments why those nonmembers, when they do enter his presence, should not affront him by what is, in the circumstances, an impudent assault on the validity of his claims to a special reverence. Had those stiff legged Americans been dragged into the Vatican against their will we could have applauded their obstinate maintenance of the erect attitude as long as they could, but as their admission there was a favor for which they must have asked with a good deal of humble assiduity right minded people in America and elsewhere can only be ashamed of them. —New York Times.

The Pope and His Parish.

While talking to Pope Pius about the ease and rapidity of modern traveling George Lynch, the Irish journalist, asked him if now that it was easy and that all other monarchs of the earth were going a-visiting, "Why would not you, Holy Father, make a tour of your parish, the world?" He sat back and laughed, a ringing, hearty laugh, as he shook his head. He seemed amused at the idea of a pope turning globe trotter, but I persisted and across Europe and England and dwelt, perhaps not unenthusiastically, on the

reception he would get everywhere in Ireland, and when traversing the United States especially, and so on round back to Rome, which would make it the greatest royal progress the world had ever seen. He looked at me with an amused yet interested smile. It may have been imagination, but I thought there was something that appealed to him in the idea of seeing something of these 300,000,000 people that recognize him as their spiritual father.

The Pope's Love of Beards.

It is now said that Pius X. intends to authorize the wearing of beards by his clergy. Recently when receiving an Italian pilgrim from the Holy Land, where pilgrims allow their beards to grow, His Holiness exclaimed in rapture: "What beards! What beards!" Then he told them that when he was a priest he had said, "If ever I become pope I will permit my clergy to wear beards." But shortly after, says the Temps, noting a priest whose beard did not suit him, Pius X. cried, "Surely you did not show yourself to your parishioners like that!" "No, Holy Father," replied the priest; "I will shave."

"You will do right," said the Pope. "You are very ugly like that, and I would never give an authorization to wear a beard to you."—London Mail.

The Future of New England.

Of what religion will the vast majority of the people of New England be in twenty-five years? This is a question which worries a Lowell correspondent of Harper's Weekly in view of the following vital statistics of that city, which the Congregationalist believes to be typical of not a few of the cities and towns of New England: "Number of marriages in week ending Feb. 3, English and Protestant couples, 3; Catholics (mostly Irish), 17; number of births for month of January, English and Protestant, 11; Catholic Irish and French, 95."

Catholic Organizations.

Every Catholic organization should be more than a mere organization of Catholics. Every Catholic body of men and women should consider it as an ally in a practical and active way of the Church in the accomplishment of its divine mission to the world.

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