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Women's and Misses' $12.50 Stunning Spring Suits $6.90

A wonderful collection of New Spring Models in Fine All-Wool Panamas, All-Wool Fine Serges and Suit Cloths; plain tailored or handsomely trimmed; some with satin inlaid revers. All are lined with excellent satin. New model skirts to correspond with the coats, Black, navy blue, gray and assorted colors, at only

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Ladies' Tailored Skirts

A magnificent collection of Tailored Skirts in the daintiest spring worsteds some values up to $4.00 at only..... **$2.25**

Lovely Lingerie Waists 98c

Unusual $2.00 values. These Waists are some of the prettiest you ever saw in embroidery and lace effects **98c**

Stylish Waists, at only 49c

Just think of buying the newest and most up-to-date $1 Ladies' Skirt Waists right at the opening of spring for only **49c**

Girls' Tub Dresses 50c

Made of fine Percales and White Linons and many styles up to $1 value, special at only

Girls' Confirmation Dresses

Made of the finest white Lingerie, elaborately trimmed all over, at only

$1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50

Flower Trimmed Spring Hats

Flower Trimmed Spring Hats, the newest of this season's approved styles handsomely trimmed with flowers or feathers; these Hats are easily worth $5, at **$2.98**

18-inch Embroideries, 23c
10c Unbleach. Muslin, 6½c
15c Remnants, yard, 9c
47c Spring Silks, at 25c
19c Flowered Lawns, 12½c
8c Apron Ginghams, 5½c

Get Acquainted With These Big Double Clothing Stores



Womens' and Misses' Beautiful Spring Dresses

Elaborately trimmed made in the newest fashions of the season. Prices—

At $3.00
At $4.00
At $5.00

Eventually You Will Buy Clothes At the HUB

Men's Spring Suits at $8.90

Equal to any Fifteen Dollar Suits in the county — The Peninsula's Greatest Clothing Store now offers to you a Swell New Spring Suit at almost one-half the price of what you would have to pay at any other store—a bargain which cannot be excelled for the money elsewhere. Don't delay. Come HERE. now

$8.90

Men's Peg-Top Trousers

The most remarkable showing of New Spring Pants. They are made of Serges and Worsteds. Some are worth up to $4.00, at only..... **$1.98**

Boys' Clothing For Spring

EXTRA SPECIAL—Over 50 Boys' Sample Suits, sizes 8 to 16 in good woolen materials, some are up to $3.50, at **$1.98**

In Double Breasted styles, in all wool serges and fancy mixtures, made with knicker-bocker pants **$4.75**

Overalls, Work Shirts 39c

Here are some of the Biggest Bargains yet. These Shirts and Overalls are worth 65c, at only

Big Bargains In Mattings

At the Big Double Stores. Just arrived—many new designs in China and Japan. Grades at

12c up to 29c per yard.

New Spring Shoes

One of our greatest lines this season is our Shoe Department. Shoes of all kinds for Men, Women and Children in the finest grades for dress or work.

Men's Nobby Spring Hats

Just to start the spring season right we will put on sale now some of the best $1.50 Hats, for only..... **$1.00**

PEACH PROSPECTS.

Severe Winter Killed Many Buds—Some Varieties Hurt More Than Others—Result of Examination.

The present winter has been an unusually severe one upon the peach buds. Unusually heavy rains occurred early, and the peach trees were started into growth again, insufficiently protected by the bud scales when winter set in. The temperature dropped to 8 degrees below zero on the night of January 12th, and to 12 degrees below on the following night. Either of these temperatures is dangerous to the life of the peach bud in this climate. Examination of the buds of all varieties of peaches was made early in March, with the following result:

Variety	Percentage of living buds.
Alexander	38
Belle of Georgia	28
Brandywine	4
Bears Smock	43
Carmen	50
Crawford's	6
Chinese Cling	7
Crawford's Late	2
Foster	1
Mountain Rose	4
Moore's Favorite	37
Princess Rareripe	8
Ray	3
Reeves Favorite	12
Stump	33
Troth Early	62

CHICKENS AND THEIR FANCIERS

The average person seeking to own a horse, cow or other animal will invariably strive to obtain pure stock, believing the horse will be capable of making better time and the cow will give more milk. When it comes to the selection of fowls the buyer loses sight of the pure breed side and contends that a mongrel will answer the same purpose. It is quite true that the mongrel will lay eggs, so will the horse run and the cow give milk, but you will get the same returns from the mongrel stock as you would from the thoroughbred bird that has been bred for years back for egg production or meat? It stands to reason that a better result can be expected than from the mongrel stock that has been reproducing its kind year after year without any systematic effort or definite object in view other than replacing the old stock.

Pure breed does not mean that every bird on the place should conform to the standard set for that particular breed. That would be almost an impossibility; still it does mean that if Leghorns are the breed selected they should be true and not a mixture of Rocks and Reds. The breed should be kept intact. The mongrel male will no doubt run as fast and crow as loud as the pure breed and the mongrel female cackle just the same as better stock, but here the comparison ends. Look a flock of mongrels over. There is nothing to interest the eye; no two alike in color, running anywhere from a Joseph's coat pattern to a barber pole type, and in size ranging from the Leghorn to the Cochin, some with the rose and others with the single comb, running large and small. As to skin and legs, some may be white or yellow, while others will be found dark or even black. Now, take the same number of chickens, but let them be of pure breed, and the sight will be pleasing to the eye and one will see a uniformity of color as to plumage, skin and leg. Size may vary some, but not as greatly as the mongrel stock; the whole flock will have a nice graceful carriage, having the same comb, whether it be the rose or single comb variety.

A good many people are very well pleased with the returns from their flock of mongrels in dollars and cents, saying that they show a good profit. A person of this character knows how to handle chickens and if they would stock up with pure-bred stock their return would show a much larger profit, as it does not cost a cent more to feed one than the other with the additional satisfaction of being the owner of something worth while.

In the handling of chickens there is a very profitable side apart from the egg and meat feature, and one that can't be handled unless the stock be thoroughbred, and that is the sale of hatching eggs and stock. This branch is going to increase your profit in proportion to your reputation as a breeder of good layers and good type of fowls increases. Imagine a person handling mongrels obtaining $1 to $10 for a setting of eggs; $5 for a male and a like amount for a female. When a person pays the above prices for eggs or stock he not only considers the stock or eggs as increasing the flock, but likewise considers their offspring as a means of improving his own flock or else a foundation for a start. Of course, in the utility class where meat and eggs are the object, these high prices don't, as a rule, prevail, rather in the show room end, yet the utility plant will strive to breed as close to the standard as possible, but always keeping in mind the eggs or meat type of fowl. Still it is very rare when a good deal of hatching is done that some birds don't turn out that are well worth the above prices to the fancier.

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LOOK FOR THE STAMP "CORTRIGHT" Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

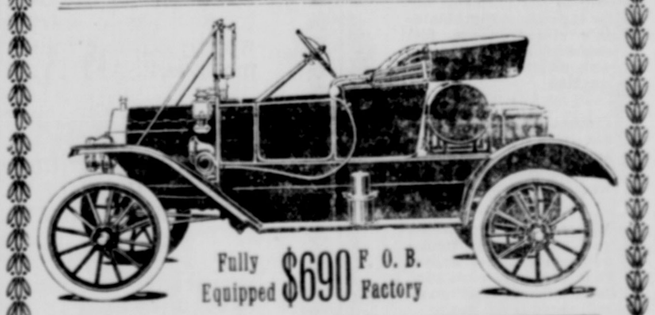
and accept no substitute, if you want a roof that will last as long as the building, and never need repairs — never need attention of any kind, except an occasional coat of paint.

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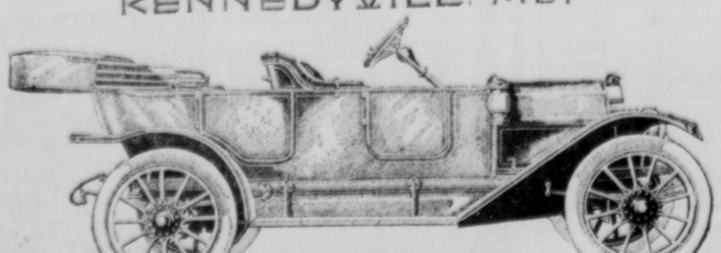
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25c Poplard..... 18c
25c All Wool Dress Goods, Brown and Oxford, 36 inches wide, yard..... 25½c
15c White Goods in plaid and stripes, 10c
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Ready-made Sheets, 9 4..... 37½c
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Big Turkish Towels, bleached, sizes 18 by 38..... 10c
Linen Suiting 36..... 35½c
C B Corsets, pair..... 39c

Men's and Boys' Clothing and Hats

Our Spring Suits from..... $5.00 to $15.00
Boys' Suits from..... $1.00 to $7.50
Boys' Wash Suits from..... 25c to $1.00
$1.50 Line Hats, rough felt for..... $1.00
Sweet Orr Pants..... $1.50
Guaranteed Suit for working (if rip give you a new suit)..... $1.00
Sweet Orr Overalls (will wear out three pair 50c overalls) for..... $1.00
Work Shirts, blue shamb a..... 50c
Clifton Brand Shirts..... 50c

Ladies' Wearables

House Dresses..... $1.00
Muslin Undershirts..... 60c to $1.25
Night Gowns..... 65c to $1.00
Corset Covers..... 25c
Muslin Pants..... 25c
Ladies' Dress Skirts..... 75c to $1.50
Outing Waists..... 50c to $1.50
14 Inch Flouncing for Under Skirts 12½c
7 Inch Flouncing for Under Skirts..... 7c
18 Inch Embroidery for Underbodies, 15c

Shoes for the Whole Family

This is a very strong line—The Rice & Hutchins Line and The All America Line for Men. The Educator Shoes for Ladies and Children. The White Duck Shoe for Ladies and Children.

Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Button or Lace..... $3.50
Men's Oxfords, black, tan and patent leather..... $2.50
Sweet Line..... $2.00
Rubber for Ladies..... $1.00
Marvel Shoe, for school $1.00, $1.25 $1.50
Try a pair of Water King, just the Shoe for Spring, black or tan..... $2.50

Crex Carpet and Rugs

9x12 Grass Rug, with border, (we have sizes) for..... $7.95

Special Wednesday—For CASH

1 Pound Good Rio Coffee..... 21c
1 Penny Compound Coffee..... 14c
7 Boxes Sea Gull Yeast Powder..... 25c
7 Fat Mackrel..... 25c
8 5c Bars Soap..... 25c
12 Smoked Herrings..... 25c
4 Boxes Raisins..... 25c
4 Boxes Mica Axle Grease..... 25c
1 10 Pound Sack of Flour..... 75c
8 Pounds Ground Meat Meal..... 25c
9 Pounds Ground Bone..... 25c
6 Pounds Avena Oats..... 25c
3 Boxes Elbow Macaroni..... 25c

Harness, Bridles, Traces

Carriage Harness—we guarantee we can save you money—have a big line to select from—better look this line over.
Wagon Harness 1¼ inch trace..... $0.00
Rope Traces, 18 lb trace, doz..... $2.00
12 Inch Collar Pad, 4 hooks, for..... 25c
Horse Collars from..... $1.00 to $4.00
Heavy Wagon Hames..... 75c
Hames for Rope Traces..... 25c
Double Wagon Reins..... $2.25 to $3.00

Horse Clippers

Now is the time to clip your horses. Stewart Clipper with Sheep Shearing Attachment, complete..... $19.50
Stewart Knife Grinder for..... $3.00
Grind your old knives—save money

Fertilizers

Tomato Compound, ton..... $20.00
Baugh's Corn Fertilizer, 1 8 4, ton..$18.00

Clover Seed

Alsyke Seed, Timothy Seed, Red Top Seed, the lowest price for the best grade seed; a no Seed Oats.

Grain for cow feed, White Middlings and Rolled Hay, Prunia Chick Feed, at $2.50 per hundred pounds.

Orchard Brand

Lime, Sulphur and Salt Spray Solution by the barrel or gallon.

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