

2340 POUNDS



Over
a
Ton
of

Opeko Breakfast
COFFEE

38c a pound

2 lbs for 39c

Limit of 10 pounds to customer

The Rexall Store

ONE CENT SALE!

300 Boxes

of
Rexall
Tooth
Paste



Our Big Seller

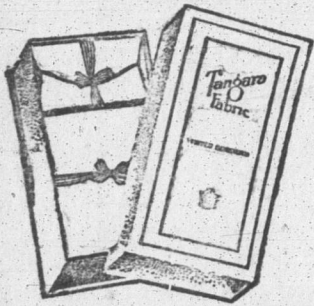
25c a tube

2 tubes for 26c

3 BIG DAYS BEFORE EASTER SUNDAY--Thursday, Friday, Saturday, APRIL 5, 6 and 7

Save This List, Check the Items You Want and Bring it With You.

Linen Writing Paper



500 boxes of
high grade
Linen
Stationery

40c a box, 2 boxes for 41c.

RUBBER GOODS AND HOUSEHOLD NEEDS

25c Stock Nurger... 2 for 26c
5c Stork Nipple... 2 for 6c
25c Ear and Ulcer Syringe... 2 for 26c
10c Stork Pacifier... 2 for 11c
\$1.50 American Beauty Water Bottle... 2 for \$1.51
5c Medicine Droppers... 2 for 6c
25c Hot Water Bottle covers... 2 for 26c
25c Eye Wash... 2 for 26c
25c Foot Powder... 2 for 26c

50c Internal Pile Remedy... 2 for 51c
25c Mentholine Balm... 2 for 26c
\$1 Tonic Solution of Hypophosphites... 2 for \$1.01
25c Mother Kroh's Baby Cough Syrup... 2 for 26c
25c Mother Kroh's Colic Remedy... 2 for 26c
25c White Pine, Tar and Wild Cherry... 2 for 26c

50c White Pine, Tar and Wild Cherry... 2 for 51c
15c Toothache Gum... 2 for 16c
25c White Liniment... 2 for 26c
25c Witch Hazel Ointment... 2 for 26c
25c Niece (Deodorant)... 2 for 26c
15c Bronchial Tablets... 2 for 16c
25c Carbolic Salve... 2 for 26c

25c Cathartic Pills... 2 for 26c
25c Cathartic Tablets... 2 for 26c
25c Cleaning Fluid... 2 for 26c
25c Earache Remedy... 2 for 26c
50c Eczema Ointment... 2 for 51c
50c Catarrh Spray Liquid... 2 for 51c
30c Liggett's Pure Extract of Lemon... 2 for 31c

Toilet Soaps

1000 cakes of highly perfumed



Toilet Soaps

Variety of odors.

10c a cake, 2 cakes for 11c

Household Remedies

25c Arnica Salve... 2 for 26c
50c Asthma Pencils... 2 for 51c
25c Blackberry Cordial... 2 for 26c
25c Bunion Ease... 2 for 26c
25c Carbolic Witch-hazel Ointment... 2 for 26c
\$1 Cod Liver Oil... 2 for \$1.01
15c Foot Powder... 2 for 16c
50c Kidney Remedy... 2 for 51c

10c Corn Salve... 2 for 11c
\$1 Kidney Remedy... 2 for \$1.01
25c Lase and Silk Cleanser... 2 for 26c
25c Rexall Little Liver Pills... 2 for 26c
\$1 Obesity Treatment... 2 for \$1.01
25c Rat and Roach Paste... 2 for 26c
25c Sunburn Lotion... 2 for 26c
25c Tan and Freckle Lotion... 2 for 26c
25c Witch-hazel Shaving Lotion... 2 for 26c
25c Grippe Pills... 2 for 26c

Liggett's Pure Extract Vanilla

Made from the highest grade Vanilla Bean obtainable. Blended by special process and thoroughly aged, bringing out its full strength, delicate aroma and flavor.



Standard Price, 1 Bottle 30c

This sale, 2 Bottles, 31c

LIGGETT'S BEEF CUBES

Made from the highest grade beef extract and vegetables in ideal proportions. A delicious and strengthening beverage. Especially valuable for the sick room. One cube to cup of hot water.

Standard Price, 1 Box, 35c

This Sale, 2 Boxes, 36c

Maximum Hot Water Bottles

Guaranteed for two years. Price in normal times \$2. This sale... 2 for \$2.01

Flo-Fast Fountain Syringe, regular price \$1.25. This sale... 2 for \$1.26



Good Stationery

35c Gold-edge Playing Cards... 2 for 36c
10c doz. High Grade Thumb Tacks... 2 for 11c
15c doz. Tally Cards, asst. designs... 2 for 16c
10c doz. Place Cards, asst. designs... 2 for 11c
5c Fountain Pen or Pencil Clip... 2 for 6c

35c Box Writing Paper, White Fabric finish... 2 for 36c
5c Penholders, cork grip... 2 for 6c
5c high-grade Lead Pencils... 2 for 6c
10c doz. Steel Pens... 2 for 11c



Peerage Chocolates

Delicious and Fresh

50c a pound

2 pounds for 51c

5c Liggett's Mints, 2 for 6c

B. F. Fendig

The Rexall Drug Store

"The Store for Service"

Bouquet Jeanice Talcum

Buy your Summer Talcum. You'll need it. Why not now. Bouquet Jeanice, a highly perfumed, delightfully blended talcum.

Standard price 50c, this sale 2 for 51c

25c Violet Dulce Talcum 2 for 26c
Rexall Violet Talcum 15c. This sale 2 for 16c



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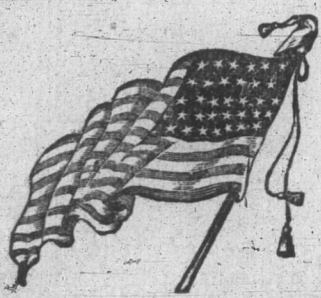
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SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1917

It now transpires that while Count von Bernstorff was shedding tears over the agony of parting from his good American friends, his fellow conspirators were as busy as bees in Mexico, getting control of the finances of that unhappy country and putting its munitions plant on a firm basis. A few thoughtful people foresaw some move of the kind, but as often as they opened their mouths in warning they were met with the

parrot-like cry of "jingo"—the last defense of an indefensible position. Now we will pay the price of our folly.

One by one our delusions are shattered. We used to hear the sage advice of the economist tell us to "eat dried apples for breakfast, drink water for dinner and swell up for supper." But the impossibility of any economy in the menu can be seen when we remember that apples are five cents each. Economy! Fortunately the fellow who coined that word is dead, and has no means of knowing what a delusion it is today.

If our forefathers could come back to earth they would want to get right off again. This is no place for them. High prices would bankrupt them; leg shows would blind them; political rottenness would stagger them; and the greed of gold would nauseate them. No, this is no place for our forefathers, good, honest souls that they were.

A few days ago he was czar of Russia; autocrat of all he surveyed. Now he is just plain Nicholas Romanoff, shaking in his boots for fear they will not leave him even his worthless life. In time, perhaps, he may degenerate into "Old Nick," which, forsooth, might be quite as appropriate as any name he could bear.

The allies say that they have 75,000 men for every mile of front in western Europe. That's between fourteen and fifteen men for each foot, and looks almost like a crowd.

An Anderson brewery is planning to manufacture soft drinks, thus showing up the liquor lobbyists who said if the prohibition law was passed the brewery workers would have hard sledding.

The botanical gardens of Rio de Janeiro cover 2,000 acres.

Don't forget to "clean up and paint up," and while you are about it, stay up. In other words, don't clean up your place in the spring—giving it the once-over—and then expect it to remain fresh and attractive the rest of your natural life. You can clean up today, and tomorrow there will be something else to pick up. If you leave it, and keep on leaving accumulations from day to day, it is only a question of a few weeks when "that neglected appearance" is in evidence wherever you look. And that is bad for Rensselaer. It is bad for the health and the pocketbooks of the town. It is bad every way you look at it. But five minutes a day will change all of this. It will keep your place a bower of neatness and beauty. And it will instill a pride and contentment in your heart that will make you feel like another person. Try it. You will feel better, and your place will look even more so.

We note, though, that some people who get out on the street and bellow the loudest for civic improvement are the ones who could best put in their time cleaning up their own back yards. We do not want to disparage the preaching of civic improvement—far from it. But we do want to advocate practicing before preaching. The indolent and indifferent man sits in his own rubbish and tells his neighbor what to do, while the energetic and prideful man goes ahead and does it and thinks in his mind what a worthless cuss the constitutionally "tired" one is. By the law of human nature you must be one or the other. Which looks best to you? Which is best for the community?

One would think that the "wet" congressmen were in bad enough already without even thinking of getting in worse by delaying the organization of congress.

POTATO RAISERS, ATTENTION!

By G. L. Christie (Superintendent of Agricultural Extension Purdue University)

Unusual interest is shown by all classes of people in the potato crop to be planted. High prices have emphasized the dependence placed upon this article of food and the real shortage in production. Every effort will be made to plant back yards, vacant lots, as well as larger acreage on the farms with potatoes.

As the time draws near for the planting of this crop important questions are being asked as to soil fertilizers, seed, methods of cultivation, etc. H. J. Reed of the Purdue horticultural department gives some timely and helpful suggestions:

"A good garden soil is satisfactory for potatoes because it is usually the favored spot on the farm. If potatoes are to be grown in a field a loose loamy soil, preferably new ground which is full of decaying organic matter, should be chosen.

"Ground which has been in clover, cowpeas or alfalfa is well adapted for the crop. Fresh manure should not be used on the land for potatoes because it induces disease. It would be better to follow corn which had been heavily manured the year previous rather than apply fresh manure to the potato field.

"The seed bed for potatoes should be deep and well prepared. It is advisable to double disk a field before plowing and then drag and harrow the ground within twenty-four hours after plowing.

"If the soil is dry the roller should be used to compact the soil and the disk and harrow should be used to keep the soil in pure condition and maintain a mulch.

"The selection of varieties is important, especially if the crop is to be put on the market.

"Early Ohio will mature from one to three weeks sooner than the Irish Cobbler and can be used to supply the earliest potatoes.

"The Irish Cobbler is one of the best varieties for the main crop of early potatoes because it has excellent qualities and cooks fine, and does not core-rot as badly as the Early Ohio.

For the late potatoes such varieties as Rural New Yorker, Burbank's Seedling, Nebraska New Late White and the Raleigh can be used satisfactorily.

"Tests have been made regarding the most satisfactory size to cut seed pieces. The largest yields have been obtained from whole tubers and half tubers, but judging from average results obtained in practical work, a quarter of a tuber is nearly as profitable. Pieces containing one eye can be used, but the yield will not be nearly as large as it would with quarter-tuber pieces. Considering the high price of seed potatoes, it will be practical to recommend cutting a medium size potatoes into pieces weighing about an ounce.

A good, complete fertilizer containing 1 or 2 per cent of nitrogen, 8 to 10 per cent of phosphoric acid and 3 per cent of potash can be used for the crop. Owing to the fact that potash is very scarce at the present time, fertilizers containing it are very expensive. It may be desirable to use a fertilizer containing 2 per cent nitrogen and 40 per cent phosphoric acid at the rate of 400 pounds per acre. Excellent results can be obtained by using fertilizer made up by mixing twenty pounds of nitrate of soda, fifty pounds of tankage or dried blood and 340 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate.

"This mixture used on an acre of ground will be a satisfactory application. Three hundred pounds of this can be sown broadcast and 100 pounds in the row. For

smaller or larger plots use fertilizer mixture at the same rate.

"The date of planting varies in different parts of the state and with the season. Plant early potatoes as soon as the ground can be put into good condition in the spring, about the first of April, if possible. The late crop is planted from May 20 to June 10.

"Make the rows from twenty-six inches apart and plant a seed piece from twelve to fourteen inches apart in the row. The rows can be opened with a plow and the seed pieces covered with about four inches of dirt. The crop should receive a thorough cultivation about every week or ten days. If the soil is well drained and loamy, level cultivation can be practiced.

"Harrowing should be begun before the potatoes are up and one harrowing may be given after the plants begin to appear. A dust mulch should be maintained throughout the season.

"The potato beetle is the most serious insect affecting the crop and can be controlled by spraying with a solution made by mixing two pounds of powdered arsenate of lead to fifty gallons of water at the time the bugs are hatching.

You'll be all the better for it if you send to New Albany some of the money that you would otherwise spend foolishly.

The division made by Mayor Mitchel of New York of the people of this country into two classes, "Americans and traitors," is rather sweeping, but not necessarily inaccurate on that account.

Bad Colds From Sudden Changes Spring brings all kinds of weather and with it come colds and the revival of winter coughs and hoarse-ness. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will head off a new cold or stop the old one, the soothing balsams relieve the sore throat and heal the irritated tissues. Get a bottle today and start treatment at once. At your druggist, 25c. Formula on the bottle.—Adv.