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# BREAK IN PRICES

## Purchase in the History of South Bend

**ECONOMY DEPARTMENTS**  
219-221 SO. MICHIGAN ST.

MR. FRIESEM, our manager and buyer, has returned from New York. He has accomplished one of the most remarkable feats in the history of South Ben. Mr. Friesem went to the New York markets a week ago, WITH CASH, prepared to do some buying. He found a remarkable condition. Manufacturers' warehouses were piled high with brand new ready-to-wear COATS, SUITS, DRESSES, WAISTS, SKIRTS and MILLINERY, which had not been disposed of. They needed ready money for new fall wools. What were they to do? They were willing to sell this merchandise for CASH at a tremendous sacrifice and loss. Mr. Friesem realized that here was a grand and glorious opportunity. He was prepared to purchase this wonderful ready-to-wear merchandise and pay cash. He appreciated the fact that the same could be sold to the women of Northern Indiana at a price that would mean a wonderful saving to every woman. Therefore the ECONOMY DEPARTMENTS authorized Mr. Friesem to make a \$20,000 purchase of new ready-to-wear merchandise. We are going to start a sensational sale tomorrow. Price means nothing to us. We bought way under the market price, and you are going to benefit by it. We are going to sell way under any prevailing prices today. A grand "scoop" for us. Daily for the past week every express has brought in new merchandise. It is at once marked and placed in the racks. You well know we sell everything we advertise, so read the below items. Surely, there will be something of interest to you.

## The Millinery Sensation Sale of the Season

Children's Trimmed

HATS

Values up to \$4.98. Special—

\$2.50

Untrimmed Shapes

Values up to \$4.98. Special Saturday—

\$1.49

Misses' Trimmed

HATS

Values up to \$6.00, Saturday—

\$2.49

NEW TRIMMINGS

Of Ostrich and Imported Flowers in the newest patterns of the season—

49c 69c  
and 98c

TRIMMED HATS

200 to choose from. All different styles and colors. Saturday—

\$3.98

Children's

DRESS HATS

Special for Saturday—

\$3.50



## A Radical Reduction Sale of SMART HATS

SELECTED FROM OUR REGULAR MID-SEASON ASSORTMENTS

VALUES TO \$10.98

VALUES TO \$8.50

VALUES TO \$7.50

# \$5.00

Novelties for Misses and  
Matrons. Refined Styles.  
Only one or two of a kind.

The drastic nature of the reductions should not mislead you into thinking these Hats have passed out of fashion. To the contrary, each is styled up to the minute. Our sole desire is to reduce our overstocks. All hair-braid Hats and hair braid and maline combinations, flower and colored ribbon trimmed styles. Lisere combined with pleated ribbon. Flare-ups, roll brims, small sailors, mushrooms, turbans and novelties, in black, navy, brown and light shades.

\$11.98, \$12.50, \$13.98, \$15.00 and \$16.98 Hats. Odds and ends and broken lines grouped together for prompt and radical disposal. Every Hat highly desirable from a style and quality standpoint.

\$7.50

## A Day of Wonderful Values in Our 3rd Floor SHOE DEPARTMENT

Women's High Grade Oxfords in brown and black; high and low heels. Values up to \$7.50. Saturday—

\$4.95

One lot of Ladies' Brown Low Oxfords. Worth up to \$6. Saturday

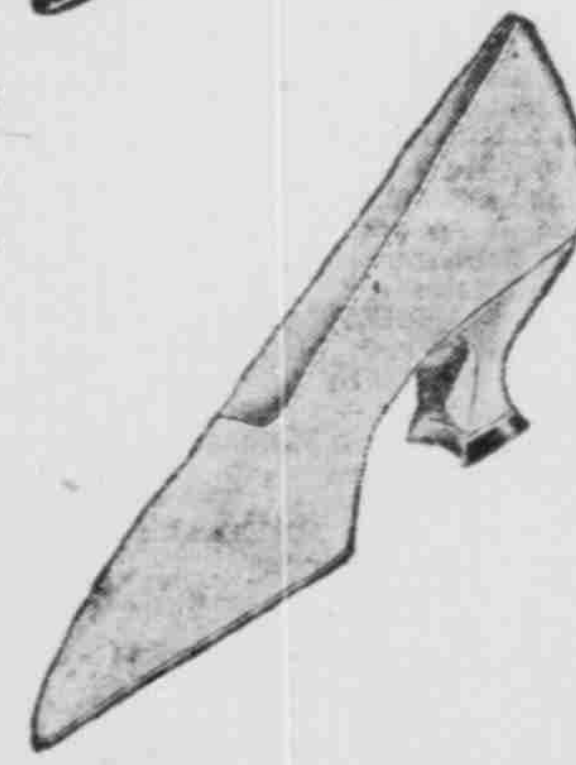
\$3.95

Women's One-Eye let Ties. Values up to \$9.50. Special—

\$6.95

Women's High Grade Patent Leather Colonials. Values up to \$7.50. Saturday—

\$4.45



## BERRIEN SPRINGS

April 22.

Mrs. L. H. Bost died Monday at Mercy hospital in Benton Harbor, where she had been under treatment. She leaves her husband, one son, Francis, and two daughters, Ruth and Helen. The funeral service was held Thursday at the Methodist church in Hinchman, conducted by Rev. H. A. Carr of North Star, Michigan, assisted by Rev. J. H. Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham and son, Paul, of Chicago, are visitors at the home of Mr. Cunningham's sister, Mrs. George Shortridge.

D. R. Vaughn of South Bend has been a visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. O. McOmber.

The county republican convention was held in Niles Wednesday and ten delegates from this village were in attendance. W. H. Graham, Fred Hinkley, A. W. Haskins, H. K. Graham, C. A. Wilkinson, O. J. Pennell, C. R. Sparks, Harold Myers, Allison King, Calvin Light.

## OREGON'S NEW COMMITTEE-WOMAN

Mrs. Rose G. Scheffelin of Medford, Ore., recently appointed associate democratic national committeewoman, had an opportunity to meet the women party leaders of the state at a luncheon given at the Hotel Benson, Portland, by the Jackson club of the city. The luncheon brought only a few women representation, and campaign plans were discussed.

A correspondent of the New York Tribune recently enumerated the planks that would assure republican success, and every one was borrowed from the democratic platform.

## Banish Nervousness

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## JAPAN IS FACING BITTER FIGHT IN ELECTIONS FOR DIET

Government Prepares Stringent Measures to Prevent Disorders at the Polls.

BY HENRY W. KINNEY.

TOKIO, April 22.—The time for the general election which is to elect members to the diet, to take the place of that which was suddenly dissolved recently, has been set for May 16 and tremendous interest is being taken in the event, with both sides determined to fight to the last ditch.

The government has given out that the department of justice, which will have control of the election, will take most stringent measures in order to prevent disturbances or irregularities, and that it will take drastic steps against anyone found to be interfering with the working of the machinery.

## First Relief Changing.

While soon after the dissolution of the diet it was generally believed that the government would have a comparatively easy chance of victory, owing to the fact that the party in power always has a great advantage, this belief appears now to be changing to some extent. This is because of the fact that many of the business men who have always been the strong supporters of the Hara business government, are now coming out in opposition to the administration, owing to its proposal to raise the tax rate, a step which will be imperatively necessary to provide funds for the great increases in the army and navy budgets to which the government is pledged.

In order to combat the increase in the tax rate, particularly that of wealthy men and corporations, a taxation investigation club has been formed by members of chambers of commerce, stock exchanges and insurance associations, which intends to lead the fight against the tax increase, and this will without doubt cause some difference in the line-up of the forces at the polls.

## Masses May Rise Up.

Considerable fear is also being felt that the masses may attempt to make their influence felt, and some papers and popular leaders have even gone so far as to predict that Japan is likely to see demonstrations similar to the rice riots of the fall of 1915, in the near future. The ugly temper of the working people is being shown by frequent "go slow" strikes, a form of expression which is rapidly becoming the popular form of labor demonstration in Japan. Thus the farmer, who only a few weeks ago won out in a strike for higher wages, are again getting ready to enforce a demand for shorter hours by means of giving the worst possible service, and various other workers in different parts of Japan are taking similar action.

## Sims up Situation.

The situation is summed up by the Jiji, one of the leading Tokyo dailies, which says:

"Since the universal suffrage question became an issue in the diet, the temper of the people has assumed a serious aspect, and the agitation conducted in Tokyo has been disorderly and unseemly. Indeed, it was feared that such demonstrations would have the effect of delaying the adoption of universal suffrage. Stricken or 'go slow' campaigns have been reported from many parts of the country, and there are various movements of reconstruction."

"On account of these movements and agitations there is serious unrest among the people, and it is feared that this unrest will be further intensified by the agitation incidental to the forthcoming general election, because the issue is universal suffrage. The election campaigns of the government and of the opposition become animated, unexpected disturbances may possibly occur, and on this point all thinking men are seriously concerned. It is to be hoped that the campaigners on both sides will take due note of the present mental condition of the people and will scrupulously refrain from improper actions or utterances."

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Hard and Festered. Itched, Burned. Cuticura Heals.

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