POLITICIANS ARE BLAMED FOR COST **OF COTTON GOODS**

Head of Jobbing House Declares Administration Has Stalled Investigation of Profits of Growers

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, May 7 .- Responsibility for high prices in cotton dress goods rests upon political meddling, ac-cording to I. B. Schreiber of the firm of Schreiber & Sobel, one of the largest cotton and woolen dress goods jobbing houses in the west. Mr. Schreiber added that instead of coming down, the prices of cotton goods will advance.

"A few years ago we were told by the administration 'to buy a bale of roton,' and so save the southern growers. At that time the planters were geetting 10 cents a pound and that is the price we paid. We were told at the time that if the planters could only get 12 gents a pound they would be saved. Now they are getting 42 cents a pound and investigations of that price have been forestalled by politicians—while here in Chicago little dealers in potatoes and sugar are being indicted as

"It is said the big reductions in the price of silk will force down prices on cotton goods. With present prices on raw cotton, I do not see where these hopes can materialize. Buyers who are laying in stocks for 1920 are paying 70 per cent over the present prices for these cotton goods.

sheer cotton goods."

Mr. Schreiber denies that wholesalers and jobbers in cotton goods told that an investigation made last winter by manufacturers of women's dresses, sold by the manufacturers at \$32.50 per garment, were retailed at from \$50 to \$100 and even higher."

Merchants are beginning to weed out their costly stocks and are not loading up at present prices. All of them expect a slump very soon and do not wish to be caught with shelves full of high-priced stocks.

Vanderlip Declares U. S. Can't Make Loans To All of Far East

Tokio, May 7.—America's best contribution to the economic readjustment of the far east will be something more than financial engagements, said Frank Vanderlip, who is visiting Japan at the head of a commercial mission, to a correspondent of Rueter's, Limited, to-

feel," he declared, "there will be far more important things for America to do than to merely make loans, and I particularly doubt the wisdom of making loans to meet the expenses of governments and mili tary operations. American capital can earn a large return at home, and the needs of Europe are ex-treme. Therefore, the east cannot expect capital to flow to it unless it offers security comparable to that offered in America and Europe, as well as a comparatively attractive rate of interest."

Prohibition Agent Arrested for Taking Bribes Totaling \$60

Milwaukee, Wis., May 7 .- Investigation into charges of grafting and bribery among local prohibition en-forcement officers resulted in the ar-rest last night of George Cowie, 35 years old, by Deputy United States Marshal William McCormick, on a Iederal indictment.

It is charged that Cowie accepted two bribes amounting to \$60 of-Iered by two Racine saloon keepers not to report the alleged selling of liquor.

No Change In Strike Ranks Throughout France Today

Paris, May 7.—There was no apparent change in the strike situation throughout France this morning. During the past few days a large number of extremist railroad work ers have been arrested, but many of these have been released.

The executive committee of the railway workers' federation held a stormy meeting last night at which it is understood, there was strong sentiment in favor of calling off the strike if it could be done without appearing to capitulate to the government.

Miners in the northern coal fields have finally decided to strike next

American Florists Deny Charge of Profiteering

Washington, May 7 .- Acting for W. F. Gude, its Washington representative, has issued a denial of the statement by Miss Anna Jarvis, president of the Mothers' Day association, that florists profiteered in white carnations, the symbol of observance of Mothers' day, last year. Miss Jarvis had called on observers of the day this year to abandon the carnation and display American flags.

All members of the society throughout the country, Mr. Gude said, have been urged to sell white carnations at the usual market rate on Mothers' day, Sunday, May 9.

Bolshevik Resistance In

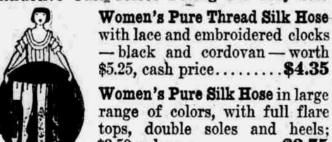
Defense of Kiev Strengthened Warsaw, May 7.—(By The Associated Press.)—Bolshevik troops fighting in the defense of the city of Kiev have strengthened their resistance considerably during the last 24 hours. The battle for the posses-

sion of the city still is raging, according to latest dispatches.

The fighting is said to be particularly severe northwest of the city. larly severe northwest of the city. It is assumed the soviet army bringing up artillery from east of the Dnieper river. Railroad and high way bridges in front of Kiev were tlestroyed by the retreating bolsheviki, but they are being rapidly reSTORE HOURS: Increase the Purchasing Power of Your Dollars - Buy for Cash at a Cash Store STORE HOURS: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

New Spring Hosiery

Attractive Cash Prices During Our May Sale Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose with lace and embroidered clocks



\$5.25, cash price........ \$4.35 Women's Pure Silk Hose in large range of colors, with full flare tops, double soles and heels; \$3.50 values.....\$2.75

One big lot of Women's Novelty Hose in dropstitch stripes and plain silks; \$2.50 values, Saturday, at.....\$1.35

Misses' Pure Silk Hose in black only, broken sizes; worth \$1.00, sale price............50c

Boys' and Girls' School Hose in black, cordovan and white; 65c values, Saturday, at......39c Infants' Half Hose with fancy tops, one big lot, all go at......19c

Luggage Department

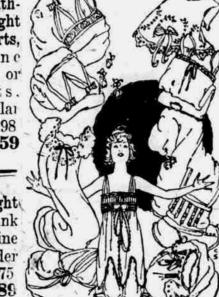
60 Fiber Suit Cases, metallic frame, straps all around, 24-inch size, value \$6.00, Saturday-

Sale of Dainty Undermuslins

At Sweeping Reductions From Regular Retail Prices. Luxurious New Styles Minus the Luxury Prices. Dependable Qualities.

Batiste or Soft Muslin Envelope Chemise, Athletic Union Suits, Night Dresses and Skirts, trimmed with fine laces, embroidery or embroidery fronts. white or flesh, regular price \$2.50 and \$1.98 special, at \$1.59

Voile, Batiste or Nainsook Night Dresses and Envelope Chemise, in pink or white, daintily trimmed with fine laces and embroidery, ribbon shoulder straps, regular price \$2.98 and \$2.75 special, at\$1.89



Batiste or Fine Nainsook Night Dresses, Envelope Chemise and Billy Burkes, in pink, white and maize, trimmed with fine val or filet laces or tailored; regular price \$3.98 and \$4.50, special cash price, at\$2.89

Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise, pink, trimmed with fine val laces or touches of embroidery, also Italian Silk Vests, with embroidered fronts, hand tailored tops, flesh, all sizes, regular price \$4.50 to \$6.50, at....\$3.98

CHILDREN'S SOFT MUSLIN PRINCESS SLIPS-Trimmed with fine laces and embroidery,

sizes 2 to 12 years, regular price, \$1.98 and \$1.50; special cash price.....

Saturday Specials in **SHOES**

Women's Brown Vici Kid Welt Oxfords with leather French heels, also Sterling patent colt oxfords with leather French or military heels, at\$6.50

Women's Black Vici Kid Oxfords and Pumps with leather French heels and flexible soles \$5.50

Women's Plain Toe Com- | Men's Koko Brown or mon Sense Oxfords and Juliets for house wear, all sizes from 5 to 8, also Men's

Blucher Lace Shoes with Goodyear welt soles, the kind that wear well, Sat-Tan Leather Moccasins, per urday, at \$6.50 pair \$2.50 | Child's Kid Button Shoes Boys' and Women's Stitch | with best quality turned

Black Calf English and

Down Barefoot Sandals- oak soles, in sizes 5 to 8, Sizes 21/2 to 8..... \$1.75 | the pair \$1.75 Child's Barefoot Sandals and Skuffers with stitch down soles at, the pair.....\$1.25

Toilet Goods and Drug Section

Blue Beauty Rose Toilet Goods. We carry a complete line of these exclusive face powders, talcums, toilet water, rouge and creams. Ask for a sample.

SHAVE YOURSELF

A complete Safety Razor and Slades.

Darham Duplex or Gem, our cash price.....
\$1.50 Rubberset Shaving Brush (guaranteed),



Tailored Suits

All High-Class Garments Made to Sell at From \$95 to \$125.

ON SALE SATURDAY-CASH PRICE

These suits are high-class garments, made New York's best makers, in the season's martest styles. Materials are Tricotines, Poiret Iwills, Men's Wear Serges, Suitings and Checks. These are wonderful values at this sale price.

125 CLASSY SPRING SUITS that sold up to \$59, Saturday,

Coats at \$29.75

Special group of Spring Coats made up in the season's nobbiest styles in all the popular lengths, colors and materials; styles and sizes for the miss or matron; elegant values, special\$29.75

Special in Blouses

Blouses at \$5.00 | Blouses at \$10

Hundreds of dainty Georgette crepe blouses made up in all shades, the styles are beaded, embroidered and tailored, made to sell at a great deal more, sell Saturday, special\$5.00 at\$10.00

At \$10.00 Saturday your choice of many handsome models in Georgette crepe, lin-

gerie and novelty combinations in all the newest styles, including slipovers, special values Saturday,

In the Children's Section

Girls' White Dresses in lawns, voiles and or-10 Doz. Girls' Gingham School Dresses-All sizes, special Saturday......\$1.50

Girls' Gingham Dresses up in many lovely styles, all styles, Saturday special....\$2.95 Girls' Middles - Many different styles, all sizes, special, \$1.95 Girls' Silk Dresses for

better wear, elegant values, at....\$16.50 Girls' White Middy Skirts-All sizes, spe-Girls' \$25 Spring Coats, Saturday, all sizes, at\$19.50



Special in the Boys' Dept. Third Floor

25 Dozen Boys' Wash Suits, in all sizes 21/2 to 9 years. Sold regular at \$2.95, Saturday at the low cash price of

\$1.45

WE HAVE ALL WOOL BOYS' SUITS

(Wide Assortment for Selection)

With one and two pair trousers, at the low cash prices of

\$9.75 to \$25.00

Dark Gingham Blouses, worth \$1.25, sale price, at-

Boys' Hats and Capes, special, \$1.00 to \$2.00

An Unusual May Millinery Sale **SATURDAY**

Hats Equal to \$7.50 and \$10.00 Values Elsewhere



Omaha's largest assortment of popular priced Millinery, and priced just a little less. Mid-season Hats that are unusually different - hats that will appeal to the woman who wants something different to wear now.



Clearance Sale of All Our Children's Hats Saturday \$1.95, \$2.95 and \$3.95

Remarkable values in a splendid selection of styles specially priced for immediate sale.

Read This for Saturday—It's Interesting

Highest Quality at Lowest Cash Prices. 16-oz. Cans Condensed Milk.

Diamond H Blend, per lb...40¢
H. B. C. Special Blend, lo.42½¢
M. & J. Blend, per lb....45¢
Ankola Blend, per lb....45¢
Ankola Blend, per lb....50¢
Best Tea Siftings, lb...18¢
Choice Basket Fired, Sun
Dried or English Breakfast Tea, per lb....58¢
Fancy Spider Leg Japan,
Ceylon, Oolong or Ping
Suey Gunpowder Tea, lb.68¢
Breakfast Cocoa, per lb...28¢
The Finest and Largest Line
of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables in the City at Lowest
Prices.

THE BUTTER, EGG AND

Housefurnishing Specials No. 3 Galvanized Tub, drop handle, for. \$1.65

Large Size Splint Clothes Basket for \$1.50 Willow Clothes Basket for \$2.25 Splint Clothes Hamper, small size \$1.75 Splint Clothes Hamper, large size \$2.25

BEST QUALITY MEATS Lowest Cash Prices

Sanitary Market

Lean Pork Shoulders, pound 211/2¢ Morrell's Breakfast Bacon, pound .. 421/2¢

Tender juicy steaks, roasts, chops. Cooked and cured meats of all kinds, lowest cash

Your Greatest Opportunity

Men's and Young Men's



Bought to Sell at \$50 and \$55 Saturday, Cash Price, at Only

> All new, fresh stock in this sedson's most snappy' styles and patterns.

In Worsteds, Cassimeres, Scotch Mixtures, etc., both single and double-breasted models, some with belts, all sizes, 34 to 44.

EVERY SUIT FULLY GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION OR MONEY BACK.

Not an old, not even a last season's suit in this entire lot-all new and up-to-the-minute styles.

THE LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE LINE OF MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S TROUSERS in the city. If you need an extra pair to finish out the old coat-cash price, \$5 to \$15.



Men's Underwear At About One-Half Price for Saturday

100 Dozen Men's Knit Union Suits, Chalmers make, marked seconds, in white and ecru, short sleeves and ankle length; regular \$2.50 values, Saturday

\$1.39

50 Dozen Men's Dress Shirts in madras, percales and crepes; regular \$2.95 and \$3.50 values, Saturday

Men's Work Shirts—Genuine Blue Bell chambray, sizes 14 to $16\frac{1}{2}$; regular \$2.00 value, Saturday, at

A Complete Stock of Men's Lisle Hose in white, champagne, navy, cordovan, gray and black—all sizes—regular 50c grade, Saturday, at

3 for \$1.00

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