

The Tipping Habit in New York

In the matter of the present and ever-increasing tipping system New Yorkers have a just cause of complaint against the wealthy strangers who come to town for a few days and make up their minds to enjoy their stay regardless. They do more to corrupt the servants of the city than all the indulgences and occasional celebrations of New Yorkers. It is true that life in the metropolis—and even in one or two of the other very large cities—is becoming all one long glorious tip. If a pun may be pardoned un-

der stress of extreme provocation, we have become tip-sy.

A tip that would have been regarded as liberal 10 years ago is considered meagerly today. Every man who pays an exorbitant fee to any servant, from the bellboy or bootblack to head waiter, does just so much to raise the standard of extravagance for those who follow after.

The habit of tipping the barber, for instance, is a peculiarly irritating annoyance, because it leaves one so helpless. One day a visitor to the city complained to the writer that, when

he went to be shaved at a certain fashionable barber shop his face was scraped as unceremoniously as if it had actually been a field of stubble straw. He said that when he looked into the eyes of the barber he almost feared for his life, so little attention did the man pay to what he was doing. The only remedy to suggest was—a tip.

A barber shop, opened not long since on Broadway, advertised "no tips." Every one who began to patronize that shop soon learned that, in spite of the advertisement, tips were not refused. In fact, it was the old story of a little soreness in the purse rather than a big soreness on the face. The barber seemed to think he had made a vast concession in announcing that tips were not obligatory! This is typical of the attitude of men who consider they are

doing you a favor by deigning to accept your gratuities.—Whitman Bennett in Bohemian Magazine.

MEN PAST SIXTY IN DANGER.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate glands. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rockport, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 61 years old." For sale by F. J. Hill Drug Co., "The Never Substitutors."

MAKING OF DOLLS.

Material Used and How the Parts Are Assembled.

Consul Will L. Lowrie, of Welmar, furnishes the following information concerning the different stages by which dolls are manufactured in that important German city. He says: "Only the assembling of the various parts of the dolls, painting the bodies, arms, and legs, and sticking on the wigs is done at the factory. Each figure passes through about 20 hands before it reaches completion, the raw material being taken to the homes of the work people and then returned to the factory. The work is all specialized, and each time a new process takes place in the evolution of a doll. It is done by certain employes who are more or less expert. Bodies are made mostly of paper, although kid is also used extensively. They are molded at the homes or stamped out in heavy iron molds at factories devoted entirely to this feature. All sizes of dolls are made, from a few inches in length to more than three feet. The hair is Angora wool from England, which also supplies the rubber (elastics), stretched to keep the arms and legs in place. Styles change each year, and the manufacturers must keep in touch with the modes."

A WEAKLING
Is the only way to describe the poor child that is afflicted with worms. No matter how much or how often it vomits the worms get all the nourishment from the food, the child gets practically nothing. White's Cream Vermifuge gets rid of the worms quickly, easily and without bad after effects. Price, 2 cents a box. For sale by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept. 112 and 114 South Main Street.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS EAST.
August 24th and 25th.
For particulars apply C. A. Walker, General Agent, Chicago & North Western Ry., 38 West Second South.



Keith-O'Brien Co.

Out of town customers are urged to write the store for any of these blankets.

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The Greatest of Silk Petticoat Sales

Regular \$7.50 and \$8.50 Qualities
K.O.B. Guaranteed Silk Petticoats
for \$5.95.

6 DIFFERENT STYLES; 29
DIFFERENT COLORS.
Special Sale Starts Monday.



Would you like to buy a real good silk petticoat, in the shade you want and the style you want, at a special sale price? Then buy one of these K.O.B. guaranteed petticoats at \$5.95, beginning Monday.

You will make a clear saving of \$1.55 to \$2.55, for these garments are the regular \$7.50 and \$8.50 styles. You will get the guarantee that goes with each petticoat just as though you paid full price. You cannot buy better ones anywhere at any price.

NEVER A SALE LIKE THIS ONE—MORE THAN 1,000 TO SELECT FROM.

Keith-O'Brien Co. is the agent for these splendid silk petticoats and every once in a while we have a sale at a special price just to advertise them. You can get the style you want in any one of 29 different shades, or you can get the shade you want in any one of six different styles.

TAKE OUR ADVICE and BE HERE EARLY MONDAY MORNING.

Every time we have announced a special sale of these K.O.B. guaranteed silk petticoats, the response has exceeded our expectations. Naturally the desirable colors go first. But this time we have such a magnificent stock to select from that we believe every one can get a favorite color, even if one is not here early, although in this instance we urge forenoon shopping. Then there will be no disappointments.

LARGE SIZES FOR LARGE WOMEN IN THIS SALE.

Stout women will be pleased to know that now for the first time we are able to offer extra sizes at a special sale. This lot contains, in addition to assortments in regular sizes, a liberal quantity of extra sizes in black silk petticoats which measure 66 inches at the hips. Considering the demand which is certain to follow we earnestly advise every woman who requires an extra size to take advantage of this excellent opportunity and buy several of them.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE FROM THIS LIST OF COLORS.

White, white and applc. pink, ecil, reseda, emerald, hunter's green, rose, ascot, copenhagen, navy, royal blue, bisque, ecru, pearl, lilac, russet, Havana, golden brown, seal brown, garnet, golf, purple, jasper, green-and-brown, green-and-blue, green-and-cerise, green-and-black, and plain black.

- 500 PAIRS COTTON BLANKETS—11-4 Size in grays and tans, with pink and blue borders. Regular for \$1.00 and \$1.25 pair. Summer sale pair **75c**
- 300 PAIRS COTTON BLANKETS—full 11-4 size. Regular price \$1.25 and \$1.35 pair. Summer sale pair **89c**
- FANCY STRIPE COTTON BLANKETS—11-4 size. Regular \$1.50 pair. Summer sale pair **\$1.00**
- 100 PAIRS COTTON BLANKETS—in grays and tans—full 11-4 size. A good heavy blanket—Regular price \$2.25 pair. Summer price pair **\$1.49**
- 100 PAIRS EXTRA HEAVY COTTON BLANKETS in gray and all white; slightly soiled. Prices to \$2.00 pair Summer sale pair **\$1.25**
- 12-4 ALL WOOL COTTON BLANKETS—An excellent blanket at \$2.00 pair. Summer sale **\$1.39**
- 200 PAIRS WHITE COTTON SHEET BLANKETS—11-4 size; all slightly soiled. \$1.00 grade for 70c pair; \$1.25 grade for 85c pair; \$1.85 grade for \$1.00 pair.
- 11-4 SIZE MOTTLED COTTON BLANKETS—Extra heavy. Sell regular for \$2.50 pair. Special for this sale **\$1.69**

Our Summer Blanket Sale has Become an Important Annual Event.

Occurring as it does between seasons, the store throws its whole strength into the sale, the success or failure of which depends upon just two things: the kind and the quality of the blankets and the prices at which they are to be sold. Our blankets are all standard; the different makes are well known; not one of them is inferior or shoddy; every one is desirable. Almost every one is from new stock; some are from regular stock, a portion of which is slightly shelt soiled.

Bringing in
the
Blankets
for our
big Sale!



EVERY PAIR IN OUR LARGE STOCK HAS BEEN CUT TO AN ABSOLUTE BARGAIN POINT.

There will be such a difference between blanket prices during this sale and regular prices throughout the city next winter that well posted shoppers will be down bright and early Monday morning.

FOR TWO DAYS THE WINDOW DISPLAYS HAVE BEEN ATTRACTING WIDESPREAD COMMENT.

We believe blankets were never offered before at such sweeping reductions. Already managers of rooming houses, hotels and other customers have been in to discuss blankets with the department people.

Some have requested that certain blankets be laid aside until the opening of the sale—a request which we cannot comply with.

Not that we do not want our customers to have choice selections, but, conforming to a policy of the store, every buyer must have equal show at sales, and merchandise, therefore, is never laid aside. WE PROMISE YOU SOMETHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

- Only a few pair of very fine cotton blankets 12-4 size. Sell regular at \$2.75 pair. Special **\$1.89**
- WHITE AND GRAY COTTON BLANKETS—with pink and blue border; Some are slightly soiled. Regular \$2.25 pair—to close out pair **\$1.48**
- 11-4 SIZE COTTON BLANKETS—in white with colored borders. Regular \$2.25 pair; Special price **\$1.65**
- 11-4 SIZE COTTON BLANKETS—in white and gray. Regular price \$2.75 pair. Special price **\$1.75**
- 12-4 SIZE COTTON BLANKETS—Very fine quality; soft and fluffy. Regular \$3.00 pair. Special sale pair **\$2.00**
- ONLY A FEW PAIR OF FINE WHITE COTTON BLANKETS—full 11-4 size. Regular at \$3.50 pair; Slightly soiled. Only **\$2.33**
- WOOL BLANKETS—Full 11-4 size in gray. Regular price \$4.00 pair; Special price pair **\$3.00**
- GRAY WOOL BLANKETS—11-4 size, extra heavy. Regular, \$4.50; Special sale **\$3.75**
- FULL 11-4 SIZE WHITE WOOL BLANKETS. A splendid value at \$5.00 pair. Special sale only pair **\$3.95**
- ONLY SIX PAIR—ALL WOOL, white blankets in 10-4 size; perfectly fresh and clean. Regular at \$7.50 pair; Special pair **\$5.00**
- ALL PURE WOOL BLANKETS—in gray only; full 11-4 size. Regular price is \$10.00 pair. Special only **\$6.75**
- ALL PURE WOOL BLANKETS—in gray with pretty colored borders—regular \$12.50 pair. Sale pair **\$7.50**
- FULL 11-4 Size all pure wool blankets in white and gray; Very fine quality. At \$12.50 pair; This sale **\$8.75**
- 12-4 SIZE STRICTLY ALL WOOL BLANKETS—Extra fine quality. Regular price \$16.50 pair. Special pair only **\$10.88**
- ALL WOOL BLANKETS—in white and gray, 10-4 size; special only pair **\$4.00**
- STRICTLY ALL WOOL BLANKETS—in plain red full 11-4 size; sell regular at \$9.00 pair. Special pair **\$6.50**
- ALL WOOL PLAID BLANKETS—Fresh and new. Regular price \$20.00 the pair; This sale only **\$12.50**
- ONLY SIX PAIR FINE ALL WOOL BLANKETS—in white only; full 1 2-4 size; bound single; a mountain of pure wool. Regular \$25.00 pair. Special in sale pair **\$17.50**
- 12 PAIR FINE ALL WOOL BLANKETS—in gray only; full 11-4 size; a bargain at \$16.50 pair. Sale pair **\$11.50**
- ONLY FIVE PAIR VERY FINE ALL WOOL BLANKETS—pink and white and blue and white; full 1 2-4 size. Bound single. Regular \$20.00 each. Special price each **\$13.75**
- A FEW PAIR OF THE VERY FINEST ALL WOOL WHITE BLANKETS—perfectly clean and new; Regular \$30.00 grade, \$19.00 and the \$35.00 grade \$25.00.
- MOTTLED BLANKETS REDUCED AS FOLLOWS—
- 8 lbs. Regular \$10.00 for **\$7.00 pair**
- 9 lbs. Regular \$12.00 for **\$8.50 pair**
- 10 lbs. Regular \$15.00 for **\$11.50 pair**
- 10 lbs. Regular \$20.00 for **\$15.00 pair**

