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ales Tickets. They are er cent. of your purchase.

G Monday, Jan. 6th, until April first, we will issue a sales ticket with each ave the tickets until you have traded , then present them to the store, and be entitled to any article in the store, ued at 50c. When you have traded ten dollars, y choose any article worth $1.00. And so ese tickets will not be accepted on special ice sales. : : : : : : : : : : : :

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FURNITURE now ready for inspection consisting of

Quartered Oak Bedroom Suits at $26.00, $32.00 $35.00 and $45.50.

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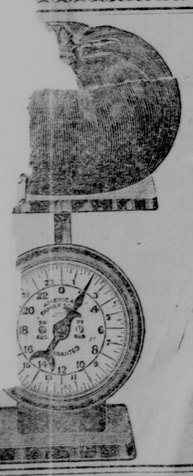

1908 CATALOGUE
Now Ready

Georgia Exp. Station, Aug. 22, '06.
J. BOLGIANO & SON, Baltimore, Md.
Gentlemen:—We have picked this season dozens of specimens of your "Greater Baltimore" Tomato weighing over thirty ounces and several exceeding two pounds. Inclose a picture of one of the latter which tells its own story on the scales.
Very truly yours, H. N. STARNS,
Biologist & Horticulturist

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.
Greater Baltimore Tomato	10 & 25c	60c	$1.75	$6.00
Extremely Early N. Y. L.	10 & 25c	75c	$2.25	$8.00
Sparks Earliana Best stock	5 & 10c	25c	.75	$ 3.00
Bolgiano's Great B. B.	5 & 10c	25c	.75	$2.50
Selected New Stone	5 & 10c	20c	.60	$2.00
Dragon	5 & 10c	15c	.50	$1.50
Bolgiano's New Queen	5 & 10c	20c	.60	$2.00

All our Tomato Seeds are saved from the choicest fruits in our fields. We grow enormous quantities of Tomatoes exclusively for seed and never market any of our crops. Experienced tomato growers know why we will never permit an ounce of Canning House tomato seed to come into our store. It is impossible for such seed to be pure and true to name. We have had very short crops of our High Grade Tomato Seeds this season so send us your orders early.

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J. BOLGIANO & SON,
90 years in the Seed Business,
Pratt & Light Sts, Whf. Baltimore. Md.

J. H. NICHOLS & SON

WISH YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

INVENTORY SALE

On Monday, January 6th (to continue two weeks) we will commence our Marked Down Sale, which will include the goods mentioned below. Everything we offer will be just as represented.

EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS IN SILKS

19-inch Taffeta; colors, castor, pink, light blue, navy. and garnet,	Reg. price, $ .85	This Sale, $ .60
36-inch Black Taffeta Silk,	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
36-inch Black Taffeta Silk,	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .80
36-inch Fancy Plaids and Stripes,	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75
Silk Mull; colors, black, pink and blue,	Reg. price, $ .50	This Sale, $ .39
Plaid Silk Waist Patterns,	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75
All colors in Wash Silks,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .39
Full line Fancy Goods for eve'g dresses,	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75

DRESS GOODS AT A CONSIDERABLE SAVING

50 inch Check Mohair,	Reg. price, $1.00	This Sale, $ .75
54-inch Check Suiting,	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
50-inch All-Wool Suiting,	Reg. price, 1.75	This Sale, 1.25
44-inch All-Wool Taffeta,	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .80
40-inch All Wool Black Henrietta,	Reg. price, .65	This Sale, .49
36-inch Albatross, all colors,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .39
36-inch Batiste, all colors,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .39
44-inch Black Empire Cloth,	Reg. price, 1.35	This Sale, 1.00
46-inch Black Empress Cloth,	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
42-inch Black Fancy Strip Suiting,	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
46-inch Black Voile,	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
42-inch Black and Blue Voile,	Reg. price, $1.00	This Sale, $ .75
38-inch Black and Blue Voile,	Reg. price, .60	This Sale, .40
62-inch Green and Garnet Panama,	Reg. price, .85	This Sale, .60
52-inch Chiffon Broadcloth, all colors,	Reg. price, 1.50	This Sale, 1.15
Blue and Black Broadcloth,	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75
52-inch Black Serge,	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
36-inch Grey Mohair,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .40
44 inch Black Mohair,	Reg. price, .75	This Sale, .55
44-inch Brown Mohair,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .40
44-inch Brown Mohair,	Reg. price, .75	This Sale, .65
36-inch Bl'k & W'te Sheppard's Plaid,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .39

SEASONABLE GOODS IN WHITE

Ready-Made Sheets, 72x90,	Reg. price, $ .50	This Sale, $ .39
English Long Cloth,	Reg. price, .15	This Sale, .12½
English Long Cloth,	Reg. price, .12½	This Sale, .10
English Long Cloth,	Reg. price, .20	This Sale, .16
40-inch Linen Lawn,	Reg. price, .25	This Sale, .19
40-inch Linen Lawn,	Reg. price, .15	This Sale, .11
40-inch Linen Lawn,	Reg. price, .12½	This Sale, .10
50-inch Tapestry,	Reg. price, .85	This Sale, .59
50-inch Tapestry,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .39
Fine bleached Hemstitched Towels,	Reg. price, .85	This Sale, .62½
Fine bleached Hemstitched Towels,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .37½
Fine bleached Hemstitched Towels,	Reg. price, .35	This Sale, .25
Fine bleached Towels,	Reg. price, $ .25	This Sale, $ .19
Turkish Bath Towels,	Reg. price, .25	This Sale, .19
Turkish Bath Towels,	Reg. price, .15	This Sale, .10
White Madras for waists,	Reg. price, .25	This Sale, .18
Light Madras for dresses & waists,	Reg. price, .14	This Sale, .10½
Light Percale for dresses & waists,	Reg. price, .14	This Sale, .10½
Yard Wide Linen Finish Goods,	Reg. price, .14	This Sale, .10½
One Piece Handerchief Linen,	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .38

1,000 Yards Laces, very choice patterns, 6c, 8c, 10c, all for - - .04

HAMBURGS—Everthing in this line must go at a sacrifice. Prices range from 4c to 75c.

MUSLINS---Well-Known Brands to Go as Low as They Cost

Androscoggan,	Reg. price, $ .14	This Sale, $ .11
Fruit of the Loom,	Reg. price, .14	This Sale, .11
Hill's Muslin,	Reg. price, .14	This Sale, .11
9-4 B Sheeting, Pipperal,	Reg. price, $ .35	This Sale, $ .29
10-4 B Sheeting,	Reg. price, .40	This Sale, .32
One Piece Pillow Tubing,	Reg. price, .35	This Sale, .25

Sweaters for Children, Misses and Ladies All to Go at One-Fourth off. Come Early if you want the pick.

BED COVERS

11-4 All-Wool Lamb's Wool Blankets	Reg. price, $6.00	This Sale, $4.75
10-4 All-Wool Lamb's Wool Blankets	Reg. price, 5.00	This Sale, 4.00
11-4 Half-Wool Blankets	Reg. price, 4.00	This Sale, 2.75
10-4 Cotton Blankets	Reg. price, 2.25	This Sale, 1.75
10-4 Cotton Blankets	Reg. price, $1.75	This Sale, $1.25
10-4 Cotton Blankets	Reg. price, 1.25	This Sale, 1.00
10-4 Cotton Blankets	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75
Bed Comforts	Reg. price, 2.00	This Sale, 1.25

AN EXTRA SACRIFICE IN UNDERWEAR

Ladies' silk and wool vests, pants to match	Reg. price, $1.50	This Sale, $1.15
Ladies' wool vests, grey and white	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75
Ladies' wool vests	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .69
Ladies' cotton vests, bleached & unbleached Pants to match.	Reg. price, .50	This Sale, .38
Ladies' cotton vests, bleached & unbleached	Reg. price, .25	This Sale, .19
Oneita Union Suits	Reg. price, $1.00	This Sale, $ .75
Men's nat'al wool shirts & pants to match	Reg. price, 1.50	This Sale, 1.00
Men's nat'al wool shirts & pants to match	Reg. price, 1.00	This Sale, .75

Misses' and Children's Undewear, a large and varied assortment, and priced ½ less than the usual selling.

REDUCTION IN SHIRTS

All of our Shirts will be sold at 25 per cent. discount.

THE HAT DEPARTMENT

The Celebrated John B. Stetson Hat.

Regular price, $3.50	This Sale, $2.50
Our $2.50 Soft Hats, telescope crown, colors steel and tan,	This Sale, 2.00
Our 2.00 Soft Hats, telescope crown, colors steel and tan,	This Sale, 1.50
Our 1.50 Black Derby,	This Sale, 1.00

We can fit any size head.

LADIES' FURS AT A SAVING

All our Furs will be sold at One-Fourth off the Regular Price.

A COMPLETE LINE OF HIGH-CLASS CLOTHING

Well-Made, Perfect-Fitting, Complete Outfits for Men, Young Men, Boys and Children---Suits, Trousers and Overcoats at Lowest Prices, considering quality, in history of the trade

$20 00 Plaid effect Schloss make, latest cut,	$14 00
18 00 Black Unfinished Worsted	14 00
16 50 Black Unfinished Worsted	12 00
15 50 Black Unfinished Worsted	10 50
16 50 Mixed effect, sizes 36 to 40	12 00
15 00 Mixed effect, Invisible plaid	11 00
16 00 pepper & salt eff., fine business suit,	10 00
10 00 Double-breasted sack suit	7 00
10 00 Grey Melton, extra quality	7 25
7 50 Mixed Suit, Single-breasted	5 00
6 00 Mixed Suit, Single-breasted	3 75
6 00 Mixed Suit, Single-breasted	3 00

Overcoats.

ck Overcoats, 42 inches long	$10 00
Overcoats, 42 inches long	9 50
coats, 42 inches long	9 00
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Men's Trousers.

$3 00 Men's Trousers, nobby patterns	$4 00
4 50 Men's Trousers, nobby patterns	3.75
3 50 Men's Trousers, nobby patterns	2.75
2 30 Men's Trousers, nobby patterns	2 00

Just a small lot of Dickey's Kersey Trousers left. Small sizes. This Sale, $1 75

Youth's Suits.

$15 00 Dark Plaid, form-fitting, long lapel,	$10 00
12 50 Dark Plaid, form-fitting, long lapel,	9 50
10 00 Mixed Plaid, form fitting, broad lapel,	7 50
9 50 Mixed Plaid, Double-breasted	6 50
7 50 Mixed Suit	5 50

Little Gents' Suits.

Navy Blue Serge, blouse bottom pants, Regular price, $6 75 This Sale, $4 75

A Nobby Plaid Suit, coat extra length, 2 vents in back Regular price, $7 50 This Sale, $5 50

45 Suits, regularly sold at $4 50, $5 00, $6.00. This Sale, $3 75

COATS : RAINCOATS : SKIRTS.

$12 50 Coats	$ 8 50	$10 00 Coats	$ 7 50
15 00 Coats	10 00	12 50 Raincoats	9 00
Black Raincoats			
Black Voile Skirt, seams taped throughout	Reg. price, $6 00	This Sale,	4 25
Checked Mohair Skirt	Reg. price, 5 00	This Sale,	3 75

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' COATS.

$1 50 Children's Bear Skin Coats, 5 to 8 years	$2 75
4 50 Children's Astrachan Coats, trimmed in green crushed velvet	3 00
4 50 Misses' Coats of Blue Cloth	2 50
4 50 Misses' Coats of Blue Cloth	3 00

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"Violet"

By CECILY ALLEN.

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"Bring on the hot rolls, Violet," said Mrs. Brent in her sharp, decisive tones.

The tall, angular girl thus admonished returned to the kitchen—and then the deluge of merriment!

Young Graham, the superintendent of the beet sugar factory, bit his lip, then choked over an infinitesimal scrap of breakfast food. Professor Hinds of the high school faculty cleared his throat, then, with fork and knife upraised in an attitude much decried in the modern books on etiquette, stared blankly after the retreating figure. Bessie Layton, the stenographer at the Sampson implement offices, she of the fluffy pompadour and retrousse nose, giggled, they hastily swallowed a spoonful of coffee which promptly went down her "Sunday throat," and this on Thursday morning! And simultaneously a gale of laughter swept around the circle of boarders at Mrs. Brent's select and "homelike" establishment.

To the accompaniment of this laughter Violet passed the hot rolls from boarder to boarder, little dreaming that she was responsible for the untoward merriment. Not that laughter and merriment were uncommon at Mrs. Brent's. The cheerful atmosphere of her boarding house as much as her own good cookery kept the same circle of guests there year after year. Only Professor Hinds, the new principal of the high school, and pretty Grace Saunders were newcomers this season. And Violet—yes, Violet was the new waitress. Violet!

As she thrust the delicious rolls under Fred Graham's shaking shoulders he remembered, coughed and exclaimed:

"That was the best story you ever told, Mrs. Brent."

Grace Saunders shot him a grateful glance, but Professor Hinds looked up blankly as if trying to remember the story that had never been told. Then as Violet again disappeared through the kitchen door, he murmured:

"Most incongruous. Never saw anything further removed from a shrinking, delicate violet in my life—six feet, if she's an inch. Funny how parents do select such inappropriate names for their children! Violet! Ought to have called her Sunflower!"

"But, professor, you must bear in mind that the name was bestowed when the girl measured perhaps twelve inches. Babies measure about a foot, don't they?" And young Graham gazed inquiringly at his fellow boarders. "Probably was one of those dainty, fragile sort of babies that shoot up like bean poles later on. Did that myself, my mother tells me."

Half an hour later Grace Saunders returned to the dining room intending to ask Mrs. Brent some questions regarding the best stores in the town. She found Violet darting about the table clearing away crumbs, setting back chairs, etc., with a worried look on her face. Mrs. Brent came in from the kitchen.

"There, Violet, don't you try to straighten up the whole place. You'll be late to school. It's five blocks to the business college, you know, and you've got your dress to change yet."

"Oh, are you going to the business college?" inquired Grace. The tall, slender girl stopped untying her apron at the cordial note in the boarder's voice. "I am so glad, because I am going there too. Today is my first, and it will be so nice to see a familiar face."

Then as suddenly as it had awakened the expression of delighted anticipation died in Violet's face. She remembered. She was the waitress at Mrs. Brent's, waitress for her board and room, and Miss Grace Saunders was the daughter of a millionaire ranch owner and cattle raiser in the southern part of the state. Mrs. Brent and the rest of the "help" in the kitchen had said it was most remarkable that a girl with such a father should not be studying in an eastern college instead of an unknown business college in an obscure western city.

But Grace Saunders was not the sort of girl to be snubbed. When school closed that afternoon Violet Andrews found that Grace could keep pace with her and would not accept the excuse that there was work awaiting the pupil waitress in the Brent home.

"Come into my room tonight and we will go over those dreadful curlycues together," Grace urged as she turned into the front door at the Brent house, while Violet wheeled to the walk leading to the kitchen. Something told her that a shadow had come into that girl's life since morning, that here was a chance where she herself might be helpful, and Grace Saunders belonged in the class of girls who simply must be of cheer and service to their fellow creatures.

The curlycues were not gone over, however, for within two minutes after Violet had entered Miss Saunders' room they were talking of more personal matters.

"I know now why the men all laughed at the table this morning. It was me. They laughed at the business college too! What is wrong with me?"

Grace glanced up at the angular yet passionate, quivering figure. A high pompadour crowned a long, narrow face, and enormous black bows stood out on either side of her long, thin throat like bat wings. Her frock was absolutely tight fitting, accentuating every angular line.

"Sit down, my dear, and let's talk," said Grace gently.

"It isn't fair," sobbed Violet, flinging herself into the proffered chair. "Here you are with money, beauty and everything. And I've slaved and scrubbed and done washing to earn money enough to pay for my course. But even if I do learn stenography, who will hire me? What do they want with me when they can get girls like you and Miss Layton? There's something wrong with me. What is it?"

[illegible] laid a friendly hand on the [illegible] shoulders.

"[illegible] it is your name—and your hair."

Violet sat up very straight.

"My what?"

"Your name and your hair. You see, one always thinks of a violet as something small and shrinking and delicate, and [illegible]—well, you [illegible] six feet tall with that pompadour. [illegible] cannot change your name, but you can change your hair."

The weeks that followed were like fairyland trips to Violet, whose mother had read herself into mental and physical inertia on a diet of novels, while her father had tried to wrest gold from the sphinxlike mountains. She learned that Grace Saunders was merely studying bookkeeping and stenography in order to help her father, whom she adored, and that she had time between studies to do the most wonderful sewing Violet had ever seen. But first she taught Violet how to dress her hair low and soft in puffs above the ears and a low knot at the nape of the neck; then how to do Indian clubs to acquire ease and to retain angles with massage.

The change was gradual [illegible] When Violet waited on the table in a frock made with deep ruffles that broke her height and soft frills at throat and wrist young Graham looked puzzled.

"Seems like violets do bloom sometimes rather late in life," he remarked as he took the entire circle of boarders into his confidence. "But I would like to know how she became shorter."

"Some girls are born with femininity," remarked Grace Saunders gently, "like Miss Layton, for instance." Whereat the little stenographer dimpled delightfully and young Graham beamed approval. "And some girls have to acquire it, like Violet. Just as soon as she dropped exaggerated high heels, lowered her pompadour and wore fluffy frocks instead of straight lines she became feminine and attractive. Such is the psychic influence of frocks. But [illegible] she had always a most [illegible] ture and a brilliant mind."

"Yes, and she makes [illegible] I never tasted better [illegible] days."

It was Professor [illegible] and in the sudden stare [illegible] it [illegible] the young and [illegible] violets, the first [illegible] spring, in his button[illegible] his glasses and glanced [illegible] amusement.

"Why not? I always was partial to violets."

Mrs. Brent slipped her hand under the tablecloth and found Grace Saunders' palpitating finger tips.

"You knew all the time," she whispered.

"Rather! It was my idea, but the professor took to it with amazing rity."

And then pretty Miss Layton sp[illegible] from her chair and pushed the a[illegible] ished young waitress, who had entered the place, beside the pr[illegible] or.

"The idea of announcing an e[illegible] ment with the bride to be out [illegible] room! I insist upon passing t[illegible] cakes this morning."

And then, with the memory [illegible] first day and the wave of am[illegible] that had gradually changed to [illegible] and admiration for the girl [illegible] pluck and her adaptability, th[illegible] ers of Mrs. Brent's select and [illegible] establishment rose and solemn[illegible] a toast in the coffee for w[illegible] Brent was famous:

"To Violet!" cried young Gr[illegible]

And this time no one laughed, [illegible] the tenderness which comes wh[illegible] love's wings flutter close seemed [illegible] soften every eye that looked [illegible] the happy professor and the ha[illegible] girl.

Flying by Machinery.

Flying by machinery, like m[illegible] notation and many another epoch[illegible] ing circumstance, owes its ince[illegible] to the cloister and the cowl. The [illegible] ciple and idea of the balloon was [illegible] formed by Albert of Saxony, a[illegible] gustine recluse of the fourteent[illegible] tury. Then the theory of constr[illegible] was taken up and enlarged up[illegible] Francesco Mendoza, a Portu[illegible] Jesuit, who died in 1626. And, l[illegible] Bartholomeo de Guzmao, forme[illegible] candidate for the priesthood, d[illegible] strated the possibility of flyi[illegible] airships and foretold great suc[illegible] for the future. Toward the end [illegible] eighteenth century two men [illegible] Charles and Roberts made a[illegible] with the longest side paralle[illegible] horizon. Their wings were [illegible] shape of an umbrella without [illegible] dle, to the top of which a s[illegible] fastened parallel to the apertu[illegible] umbrella. Five of these were [illegible] round the car. On finding th[illegible] in a dead calm they tried th[illegible] of their oars and discovered [illegible] thirty-five minutes they had [illegible] 6,000 feet. Balloons were fi[illegible] in war as long ago as 1794, wh[illegible] ton de Morveau made two [illegible] obtained important infor[illegible] the battle of Fleurus. Then [illegible] pearance was during the b[illegible] Solferino in 1859, and two ye[illegible] the Federal army employed t[illegible] Washington, while their use [illegible] veying the mail bags out [illegible] Paris is well known.—Ch[illegible]

When It Ri[illegible]

Teacher (of geogr[illegible] the largest city [illegible] Shaggy Haired [illegible] ma'am, but [illegible] only part [illegible] deed! Whe[illegible] Shaggy Hai[illegible] Tribune.

Sava[illegible]

Cannibal Que[illegible] I'm going to my [illegible] nibal King—Wh[illegible] the meeting engag[illegible] nibal Queen—W[illegible] necked dresses f[illegible] women o[illegible] London.

"What [illegible] ed murd[illegible] warrant [illegible] "That' [illegible] Pe[illegible]