

Lace Curtains \$2.25 Pair

A sale of 300 pairs of the finest Curtains for the price you ever laid eyes on. They are in Brussels and Renaissance designs, and a dainty pure white. A sale too good to last for more than one day, therefore we limit them to Wednesday's selling only at this small price.



Lace and Batiste Robes, 1/2

An unusual offer: Half a hundred lovely Robes featured in a phenomenal sale for Wednesday. They are in lace or batiste in superb qualities and beautiful designs.

Long Silk Gloves \$1.29

Women's long silk Gloves of excellent quality, black only, the most wanted sort of handwear for the coming season's use.

\$1.50 Ribbons 69c yd

Persian effects, warp prints, changeable taffetas, two-tone effects and fancy plaids; the kind to use for trimming Merry Widow hats, for sashes, etc.

TOILET SOAP

White Castle Soap—4-lb. bars, worth 60c each, special for... 39c Wire Coat Hangers, worth 5c each, special... 3c Wisdom's Cream reg. 50c a bottle, special... 30c Writing Paper of fine white cloth finish, envelopes to match; worth 25c box, special... 15c Dress and Corset Shields combined; 75c value, special, the pair... 49c



DINNER SETS SEMI-PORECELAIN DINNER SETS in very attractive decorations. The designs are pretty spray effects in brown. 40-piece sets, special. \$2.40 50-piece sets, special. \$3.50 60-piece sets, special. \$4.50 75-piece sets, special. \$5.85 100-piece sets, special. \$8.75

LAWN MOWERS

A first-class make, with 12-inch blade and brass bushings—special Wednesday at... \$2.75 High-Grade Lawn Mowers, with ball bearings, all sizes, modest prices. Garden Tools. Rakes, Hoes, Trowels, Weathers, Grass Shears, Hose Reels, Sprinklers. Boilers—No. 8 size copper-bottom Wash Boilers, special for Wednesday... \$1.25

Trimmed Hats \$3.98 Each



A one-day sale—just for Wednesday. Hats trimmed in the very latest styles and made from the best materials. All the wanted colors are represented. Charming conceits, regular to \$12.00 each, special for Wednesday... \$3.98

Tailored Hats Half Price

Exclusive models in Gearhart, Castle, Gage and Fisk Hats—models to be found only here. Regardless of former price, selling Wednesday for only... HALF

Embroidery Sale 50 Cent 19c

Hundreds of yards of Embroidery, divided into three lots, and priced so extremely low that all with an embroidery want are sure to buy. There are insertions, edges and flourishes. The materials are nainsook, cambric or Swiss; done in delicate, dainty designs or rich heavy effects. Widths up to 18 inches. Embroideries regularly 19c worth to 50c the yard, your choice for... 19c

Embroideries regularly worth 60c to \$1.00 the yard, your choice for... 48c

Embroideries regularly worth \$1.25 to \$2.00 the yard, your choice for... 98c

Women's 35c Hose 19c

Women's fast black Hose in a splendid quality yarn, full fashioned; regularly 35c the pair, special... 19c

Children's Hose, 3 pr. 50c

These come in 1x1 rib, cashmere and allover laces, all sizes in the lot, but not all sizes in each line. Prices to 45c the pair... 3 prs 50c



Men's 35c Hose at 25 Cents

Men's full-fashioned Hose of extra fine quality, lisle or mercerized cotton; come in black only; absolutely fast color. Sell regularly at 35c the pair, very special for Wednesday... 25c

25c 'Kerchiefs, Two for 25c

American Silk Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched borders; snowy white Kerchiefs for men, in a grade that sells regularly at 25c each. A large quantity bought at a special price, therefore, Wednesday, 2 for... 25c



Tourist Coats \$7.98 Worth to \$35.00

The most phenomenal bargains ever offered on good coats. The garments concerned are in good styles, most of them the loose fitting models that every one wants for wear while traveling or on vacations. The materials are all wool goods in many different designs. Checks, plaids and striped effects. No matter how many coats you have now, you need one of these, for they are the long, roomy style, that give such splendid comfort and wear. All sizes in the lot, and values such as no store hereabouts ever thought of giving. \$7.98

WORTH TO \$35 EACH, SPECIAL \$7.98 NONE SENT C. O. D. OR SOLD ON PHONE ORDERS

The Dress Goods Sale

BLACK DRESS GOODS, LIGHT COLORED DRESS GOODS, DARK COLORED DRESS GOODS. ALL SHADES AND COLORS. LIGHT OR HEAVY WEIGHT WEAVES. EVERY YARD IN THE ENTIRE STOCK (WITH THE EXCEPTION OF READ'S LANSDOWN AND MORAVIN BROADCLOTH) INCLUDED AT THESE PRICES.

The greatest sale of dress fabrics every attempted in Portland. The largest stock in the entire Northwest, offered at prices absurdly low. All the wanted weaves and all the wanted colors are concerned. Throngs of bargain-wise women have bought; see to it that YOU come tomorrow. Pried like this:

Goods worth \$1.00 yard, special at... 71 Cents

Goods worth \$1.25 yard, special at... 93 Cents

Goods worth \$1.50 yard, special at... \$1.09

Goods worth \$1.75 yard, special at... \$1.29

Goods worth \$2.00 yard, special at... \$1.42

Goods worth \$2.50 yard, special at... \$1.72

Goods worth \$3.00 yard, special at... \$2.19

Goods worth \$3.50 yard, special at... \$2.48



In the Art Department German Applique Squares 57c

A sale on goods that will appeal to women who are fond of fancy linens for the home. 32-inch squares in pretty lace effects, with scalloped or hemstitched edges and open-work centers; extremely pleasing designs and qualities, that sell regularly at \$1.00 each, Wednesday priced at just... 57c

WOMEN'S PETTICOATS of black mercerized saten, with deep double flounce; trimmings are straps, tucks and ruffles; these are superior qualities, selling regularly at \$1.25 and \$1.50 each; sale of 8 dozen Wednesday at the very low price... 97c

CHILDREN'S NIGHTGOWNS of fine cambric or muslin; ages 1 to 8 years only; made in high or low-neck style; daintily trimmed and well made. Regular values up to 75c each—special for Wednesday only at this... 29c

TELL PUBLIC ALL

Bill Requiring Campaign Publicity Reported.

COMMITTEE OF ONE MIND

Campaign Committees Required to Report Contributions to Clerk of House—Agitators May Pay Their Own Expenses.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The McCall campaign publicity bill today was unanimously recommended to the House for passage by the committee on election of President, Vice-President and Representatives in Congress. Through introduced by a Republican, it had the undivided support of the Democratic members of the committee, and of National Publicity Law Association. It was the subject of much spirited discussion in the committee, and today's action in recommending the bill for passage caused jubilation among the minority in the House and some surprise on the Republican side, the Republican chairman of the committee, Gaines, of West Virginia, having recently expressed opposition to some of the provisions of the measure. The bill provides that "all contributions hereafter made to political campaign committees engaged in promotion of the election of Representatives or Delegates to the Congress of the United States, or of Presidential electors at any election at which Representatives or Delegates shall be voted for shall be reported by such committees to the clerk of the House of Representatives." The bill was so amended that any person may, in connection with such election, pay from his own private funds for the purpose of influencing or controlling in two or more states the result of an election at which Representatives in Congress are to be elected, and his traveling expenses. A provision allowing him to pay "for writing, printing and circulating any letter, circular or other publication which may state his position or views upon any question," was stricken out. He may, however, pay for stationery and postage, and for telegraph and telephone service, without being subject to the provisions of the act. The clause providing "that nothing in this act shall apply to any committee or organization for the dissemination or advancement of political questions or principles without connection with any such election," also was stricken out.

OPPOSES THE FORAKER BILL

Senator Warner, of Missouri, Upholds President's Order.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Calling attention to the Grand Army button he wore on the lapel of his coat, and insisting that he had no prejudice against negro

USED IN POLITICS

T. J. Ryan Explains \$500,000 Item in Ferry Deal.

COIN PAID TO POLITICIANS

Traction Magnate Tells Grand Jury He Thinks Money Probably Was Spent in the Preliminary Campaign of 1899.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Part of the \$500,000 involved in the Wall and Cortland-street Ferry Company deal, which has been under investigation by a grand jury for several months, may have been used in the campaign which preceded the Presidential election in 1899, according to testimony before the jury by Thomas J. Ryan. Portions of the testimony were filed with the Clerk of the Supreme Court today by order of Justice Dowling. From this it appears that when Mr. Ryan was questioned about contributions for campaign purposes, and particularly regarding the payment of nearly \$1,000,000 by the Metropolitan Company for the Wall and Cortland street franchises, and the subsequent payment of several hundred dollars of this amount to Mr. Ryan and some of his associates, he made the following explanation: "It may not have been for the election of 1899, but during the Fall or Winter of 1899 there had been a preliminary campaign going on. It was thought perhaps Bryan could be defeated in Kansas City, but it was a foregone conclusion that McKinley would be re-nominated, and part of the money may have gone for that." In a signed statement given out last night, Mr. Ryan said the money repaid to him and his associates following the Wall and Cortland street franchise was the precise amount, with interest, which had been advanced by Messrs. Dolan, Whitney, Evans, Wilmore and Elkins, to cover expenditures which had been made for the benefit of the property. Replying to a question by Mr. Jerome regarding campaign contribution in general, Mr. Ryan replied: "I have always found political parties in a receptive mood. We are always informed when an election is coming."

AMERICAN AND THEIR ACTING WAS MORE AMERICAN THAN THE ENGLISHMEN WERE CUSTOMED TO.

O'CONNORS FOUND GUILTY

CONVICTED OF USING MAILS TO DEFRAUD STOCK GAMBLERS.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Thomas O'Connor and his wife, Frances O'Connor, also known as Frances McLean, were found guilty today by a jury in the United States Circuit Court on two counts of an indictment charging them with using the mails to defraud. Judge Holt sentenced O'Connor to 15 months in Clinton prison and suspended sentence on Mrs. O'Connor. The O'Connors were charged with sending circulars throughout the country by mail saying that they had inside information on the stock market and could so advise clients that the latter could not fail to reap big profits in speculations. Mrs. O'Connor, under the name of Frances McLean, posed as the possessor of the "inside information" and suggested certain so-called stock brokerage firms as reliable and the best able to handle the business of clients. The "brokerage firms" were shown during the trial to be conducted by O'Connor under various names. They invariably either closed out the deals of victims at a loss to the latter or else "failed" when the demands for payments of profits became too insistent. American and their acting was more American than the Englishmen were accustomed to. The fall of the curtain was followed by some shouting, but applause predominated.

LOTS OF FUN FOR SAILORS

LOS ANGELES PLAYS HOST TO MEN OF GREAT FLEET.

TOWNSPEOPLE ENJOY SEEING JACK AT PLAY—OFFICERS BANQUETED AT REDONDO.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 21.—Los Angeles continued today its long programme of entertainment for the sailors and officers of the American battleship fleet. Thirty-five hundred bluejackets were in the landing parties which came ashore at the various ports where the four divisions of the fleet are anchored, and they pitched right into the fun provided for them with the enthusiasm of boys out of school. The sailors again were the guests of the city, and the features of the day's entertainment were the same as on yesterday—boxing bouts, barbecues, Wild West shows, dancing, shooting the chutes and other forms of amusement occupying the time from early morning until late at night. The sailors' frolics are really the most interesting feature of the fleet's stay at Los Angeles. Thousands of people go each day to Chutes Park and Agricultural Park to see the men at play. For the officers there were a number of social events, including a luncheon to the higher officers by General Adna R. Chaffee at the California Club. Tonight the Chamber of Commerce at Redondo, where the fourth division is anchored, gave a banquet at the Hotel Redondo in honor of Rear-Admiral Charles S. Sperry and other officers of the division. The entire city, overlooking the sea, was illuminated. All of the port cities where the ships are stopping are carrying out elaborate entertainment plans each day for the men and officers. The day was a legal holiday and thousands of persons visited the beaches and the warships. The feature of today's programme was an automobile parade through the principal streets of the 40 officers who were entertained at the banquet last night. The officers present included every captain and executive officer in the entire fleet and personal staff. F. Johnson, a sailmaker's mate on the New Jersey, was instantly killed early this morning by being run over by a Santa Fe train at the First-street crossing. His body was cut in two. He enlisted in Boston, and this was his third term. He was 31 years of age. Fully two-thirds of the men who had events between local amateurs and cheered lustily when Rollings, of the Kentucky, knocked out Compton, of the New Jersey, in the first round of the match for the welter-weight championship of the Navy.

TUCKER SCORES ONCE MORE

KANSAS COURT QUASHES INDICTMENT AGAINST OIL STOCK SWINDLER.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 21.—H. H. Tucker, Jr., formerly secretary of the Uncle Sam Oil Company and its promoter, who has been indicted for using the mails to defraud in connection with the promotion of the oil company, secured today the quashing of a second indictment against him. The demurrer asked that the indictment be quashed because it was too vague and indefinite. Judge Amidon, of North Dakota, who was presiding in the Federal Court, sustained the demurrer. United States District Attorney H. J. Bone says he will ask the Federal grand jury to re-indict Tucker a third time. The same bond of \$10,000 which Tucker gave last Fall, will remain in force and effect. The Uncle Sam Oil Company was last year placed in the hands of a receiver after over \$1,000,000 worth of stock had been sold in 14 states.

ADMITS HIS PREJUDICE

JUDGE COOK ASKS TO BE EXCUSED FROM TRYING BANK-WRECKERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—Superior Judge Cook said in open court this morning that while he might be able to stifle his personal feelings in trying J. Dalzell Brown, W. J. Bartlett and James Treadwell, the sentencing them, if found guilty, would be a matter in which he would have less control over his emotions. Therefore he would summon another Judge from an interior county to preside over the California safe deposit cases, while he would hold night sessions in the general criminal trials. Judge Cook lost \$3000 in the bank failure. The trial of J. Dalzell Brown for embezzlement begins next Friday. The jurist to sit in his case will be named by Governor Gillett.

WARSHIPS FOR ROSE SHOW.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The protected cruiser Charleston and the fourth torpedo flotilla, in accordance with an announcement made at the Navy Department today, will be sent to Portland, Or., to be present during the Rose Carnival to be held there from June 1 to 5. The fourth flotilla is made up of the torpedoboats Perry, Preble, Davis, Fox and Farragut.

WARSHIPS FOR SACRAMENTO.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—After the grand review in San Francisco Bay early in May, the fourth torpedo flotilla, made up of five torpedoboats, will be sent to Sacramento for a week's stay. This action is taken in response to the request of the Mayor of the city.

FIRED ON BY STUDENTS

ATTEMPT MADE TO KILL PRESIDENT CABRERA, OF GUATEMALA.

GUATEMALA CITY, April 21.—An attempt was made on the life of President Estrada Cabrera in this city yesterday, but the attempt was not successful. The President was on his way from his private residence to the national palace to give an audience to the recently appointed American Minister, William Heinke, when students fired at him. The students were immediately surrounded by loyal troops and made prisoners. The situation at present is under the control of the military element.

MAPS OUT HUGHES CAMPAIGN.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The other delegates from this state to the National Republican Convention have been invited to meet the Delta delegates at large in a conference at the Hotel Manhattan. The conference will take two days. The meeting, the invitation explains, is for mapping out regulations along the line of state instructions, that the delegates "use all honorable means to bring about the nomination for President of Governor Hughes."

ENGLISH RULERS IN DENMARK.

COPENHAGEN, April 21.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here today from London on a visit to the Danish royal family.

OUR TRUNKS, BAGS AND SUIT CASES REPRESENT THE ACME OF QUALITY AND WORKMANSHIP For This Week We Are Offering 2 dozen Leather Suitcases \$5.00 2 dozen Leather Suitcases, straps all around \$7.25 1 dozen Cowhide Suitcases, fancy lined \$9.50 When in the market for distinctive and dependable goods, inspect our samples. THE PORTLAND TRUNK MFG. CO. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL 54 Third, Cor. Pine 107 Sixth, Near Stark 229 Morrison, Near First