

Friday Bargain Day

Lipman Wolfe & Co.

Merchandise of Merit Only

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Special Offering of New House Dresses



Friday \$2.79

Selling Normally at \$3.50

—The smartest of house-dresses that are delightfully new and different. Made in a style that can be worn any place at any time. It is different. It is new.

—Of light colored percale, in blue, pink or black hair line checks; blue and white medium and wide stripes.

—Made with a small round yoke and side piece of fine white pique trimmed with braid and buttons. The main dress is trimmed with plain colored pipings. The skirts have a box pleat in the front, with a deep side pleated flounce finished with a band of plain material. Buttoned in the back, has round neck finish and short sleeves.

—These dresses are perfectly cut and finished and will appeal to the most particular women. Sizes 34 to 40 only.

\$2.25-\$2.50 House Dresses \$1.98

—An assortment of ladies' house dresses of percale or chambray, also nurses' gingham, the best quality.

—Made with high neck and turn-over collar or band finish, or square Dutch neck. Side button effect. Trimmings of pipings or fancy bandings. Made with pleats over the shoulder, long or short sleeves. Light and dark colors.

The Last Sale of the Season

Tailored Suits

\$12.50

Selling at \$40.00, \$42.50, \$45.00 and \$50.00

ONLY 30 LEFT

You'll Be Delighted With These New

Spring Hats

Friday at \$4.45

No Two Alike in This Exhibit and Sale



—Beautifully made and finished hats, in all the new models not shown before this season. By a stroke of good luck our millinery buyer secured this show room sample line of smart trimmed hats.

—Hats of real hair braid, satin braid, nacre braids and ramie braid. Smartly trimmed with satin ribbons, stick feathers and small bunches of French flowers. Hats that would readily bring from \$6 to \$10 apiece.

—See Window Exhibit

A Petticoat Sale That Rings True

Black Moire Hydegrade Tailored Petticoats for **98c**

Black and Colored Heatherbloom and Sateen Petticoats for **\$1.45**

Heatherbloom Petticoats, plain or embroidered flounce, for **\$1.95**

Deep Embroidered Heatherbloom Petticoats for **\$2.95**

Colored Chiffon Taffeta, plain or Dresden trimmed, for **\$3.45**

Black Taffeta, pleated flounce, for **\$3.98**

All Shades Silk Taffeta Accordion, pleated flounce, for **\$4.75**

Embroideries

Friday at HALF PRICE

That Sell Normally From

15c to 90c Yard

Slightly mussed from handling

Edgings, Insertions and Bands

—We are confident that you have never bought embroideries of such quality and beauty as these at such a low figure.

—They range in width from one to twelve inches.

—Floral and conventional patterns, eyelet and blind work.

—Many matched sets.

- 30c Embroideries for 15c
- 40c Embroideries for 20c
- 50c Embroideries for 25c
- 60c Embroideries for 30c
- 75c Embroideries for 37c
- 80c Embroideries for 40c
- 90c Embroideries for 45c

—See Window Exhibit.



GARDNER IS FREED

Effort to Convict for Bribery Fails in New York.

JURY STAYS OUT AN HOUR

State's Effort to Make Criminal Case Out of Alleged Activities in Legislature of Turf Interests, Collapses.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—In a verdict of not guilty, the state's endeavor to make a criminal case out of the alleged corruption by the attempted purchase of legislators' votes to defeat the anti-racetrack betting bills three years ago collapsed late today.

After an hour's deliberation, a jury in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court this afternoon acquitted ex-State Senator Frank J. Gardner, who was charged with offering a \$10,000 bribe to ex-State Senator Otto B. Foelker, now a Representative, in the interest of the racetrack interests.

Justice Seabury, in his charge, told the jury they should not consider any references to the \$500,000 "boodle fund" which it had been alleged was raised at a dinner of the racetrack interests, but confine themselves to the question of whether Foelker was offered a bribe by Gardner.

Gardner was put on the stand for cross-examination as the first witness of the day. Mr. Engeman, a relative of City Chamberlain Hyde, Gardner said, had asked him to use his influence with his personal friends in the Legislature to bring about the defeat of the anti-racetrack betting bill. Gardner said he was to receive \$500 for his services and \$2500 for disbursements and expenses in arousing sentiment against racing legislation.

"Mr. Engeman told me," said Gardner, "poolroom interests had urged the reformers to have the anti-racetrack bills introduced and passed. He also wanted me to find out if the poolroom interests were expending any money at Albany to have the bill put through." Gardner admitted he had not registered as a lobbyist.

EXPOSITION WORK STARTS

Directors Call in First Installment of \$7,500,000 Bonds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—The directors of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company called in today the first 10 per cent installment of the \$7,500,000 bond issue subscribed by the citizens of San Francisco.

The money is for the purpose of starting the active work of preparation for the world's fair in 1915.

HOPMEN ATTEND FUNERAL

Services for Harry H. Pincus Are Held in Tacoma.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—The funeral of Harry H. Pincus, of

the well-known hop firm of Isaac Pincus & Sons, who died in Portland Tuesday after a brief illness, was held this afternoon. It was one of the largest ever held in this city. Friends from Seattle, Portland and Salem attended. The floral offerings were profuse and magnificent. Oregon hop men sent a magnificent tribute. The funeral services were under the joint auspices of the Tacoma Elks and the Congregation Beth Israel.

The active pallbearers were: Arthur Magill and George G. Williamson, of the Elks; Louis Lachmund and Harry L. Hart, of the hop dealers, and E. Heneman and J. Buschsch, of Congregation Beth Israel. The honorary pallbearers were: D. J. Williams and W. C. Broenkow, of the Elks; C. C. Sweeney and John McNeff, of the hop dealers; H. A. Kaufman and S. A. Andrews, of Congregation Beth Israel. The following Washington and Oregon hop dealers attended: J. R. Linn, Joseph Harris, O. E. Stevenson, Hal V. Nolan, H. A. Kaufman, C. C. Sweeney, John McNeff, C. H. Irwin, Ross H. Wood, Joseph McNeff, Conrad Krebe, Louis Lachmund, Fred E. Altier, Guy N. Griffin, T. L. McNeff, Harold W. Ray, Harry L. Hart, George E. Dorcas.

SECRECY INSISTED UPON

SENATE PASSES BILL AIMED AT NEWSPAPER MEN.

Imprisonment and Fines Provided for Those Who Disclose Proceedings of Grand Juries.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 23.—The Senate passed a bill today intended to make the secrecy of grand jury proceedings inviolable. By its provisions, any reporter who reports or any editor who publishes or allows to be published any proceedings or alleged proceedings of a grand jury which are not a matter of record is liable to imprisonment for two years and a fine of not more than \$5000.

Under the bill the same penalties could be visited upon the copyreader, proofreader and perhaps the linotype operator, the provisions of the bill running against "any person who ever engaged or employed in the printing and publishing of any newspaper, periodical, pamphlet or circular, who shall knowingly permit or assist in the publication of any information or purported information about anything said or done before a grand jury which has not become a public record."

Identical penalties are provided for divulging such information. Other bills along the same line passed by the Senate provide that the subject to be discussed shall be announced to the grand jury and that thereupon anyone directly interested may withdraw. It also is provided that habeas corpus proceedings may be instituted by a person indicted as soon as he receives a copy of the indictment.

French Minister Drops Dead.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—General Brun, Minister of War in the Cabinet of Premier Briand, dropped dead from a paralytic stroke at the office of the Ministry today. General Brun was stricken a few moments after he had received the members of the staff in his private office.

Drug Drives Man Insane.

LA GRANDE, Or., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Temporary insanity brought on by use of a drug, was seen here today when a stranger named Jones had to be bound hand and foot to keep him from injuring himself in his cell in the City Jail. After three hours of terrible suffering the man recovered.

COFFEE TRUST BIG

Morgan Alleged to Be in \$75,000,000 Brazil Monopoly.

HOUSE GETS RESOLUTIONS

Nebraska Representative Asserts Existence of Giant Combine, Which Has Monopolistic Control of the Market.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Two resolutions asserting the existence of monopolistic control of the coffee market by a Brazilian producing interest and Americans and Europeans interested with them, and calling respectively upon the President and the Attorney-General of the United States to report whether any investigation of the matter has been instituted by the Government, were dropped in the "hopper" of the House this afternoon by Representative Norris, of Nebraska. It was done without remark, and the resolutions went automatically to committee.

Report Not Looked For.

It is hardly likely that either committee will report the resolutions at this late day in the session.

Mr. Norris said he had the names of those who he said had entered into the arrangement with Brazil for the coffee control.

J. P. Morgan & Co. and the City National and First National Banks of New York City, he said, constituted the American end of the "great scheme that has financed the deal."

\$75,000,000 in Scheme.

This interest, Mr. Norris said, involved \$75,000,000 of capital, of which \$25,000,000 each was subscribed in London and France, \$10,000,000 each in America and Germany, and \$5,000,000 in Holland.

The scheme, as Mr. Norris outlined it, was that the state of Sao Paulo issued \$75,000,000 of 5 per cent bonds which this foreign syndicate took up. Brazil guaranteed these bonds and provided a surplus of five francs a bag, which the agreement provided was to be remitted to these interests in the bond syndicate and provided for a committee of seven men, six of whom were to be selected by the financiers in the syndicate and one by the Brazilian government itself, the committee to control the sale and disposition of the coffee from Brazil.

Independent Line Cuts Rate.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—As a development of the rate cutting by rival steamship companies, the independent steamship line operating the steamer Hansel has reduced its first-class passenger rate between Los Angeles and San Francisco from \$32 to \$25, berth and meals included.

Constitution Plan Balked.

DENVER, Feb. 23.—The Senate today killed Senator Barlow's bill to submit a proposition to the people at the next general election to call a constitutional convention for the purpose of drafting a new constitution for Colorado.

Boy and Girl Federal Prisoners.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Feb. 23.—The local authorities are holding two

Federal prisoners. Clayton Anderson, the 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of the Langell Valley, has been arrested for robbing the postoffice and store at Lorella. After stealing a small sum of money, a number of rabbit scalps and a few articles from

the store, the lad came to Klamath Falls, where he was arrested and confessed. The other prisoner is Grace Allen, a 15-year-old half-breed girl, arrested a week ago for stealing mail out of the boxes in the local postoffice. Both young prisoners are held await-

ing orders from the Federal authorities at Portland.

Fire Loss Is \$200,000.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Fire starting in a chop suey restaurant on

Lexington avenue here today destroyed a number of valuable business buildings. The loss is estimated at more than \$200,000. So far as known there was no loss of life. One volunteer fireman was badly injured through the explosion of a gas tank.

Special Opening Suit Sale

It is an advance sale of advance Spring models. Just at the moment when you'd expect to find the clean-up of the Winter season's Suits at a price we step into the breach with an advance sale of new Spring models at \$19.50. That comes from planning far in advance.

\$25 to \$30 Regular Prices

Special Opening Sale Price . . . \$19⁵⁰



One of New York's most prominent manufacturers of suits sold our Eastern buyer the over cuttings of his advance Spring models in the styles that will be found in the best stores throughout the country during the coming Spring season. The popular 24 and 28-inch coat lengths. Skirts are plain gored and the new pleated effects. Cloths are fine imported woolsens and serges. They're lined with guaranteed satin and peau de cygne. Black and all the prevailing shades. These garments were intended to sell from \$25 to \$30, and you'll pay these prices in most stores later on in the season. Of course, the quantity is limited—just 75 of them.

We picture two of the styles in this ad. There are many others. All sizes, from misses' sizes up.

SOLD FOR CASH OR ON EASY TERMS

You are cordially invited to open a charge account here, or adopt our system of easy payments. LET US SHOW YOU THESE WONDERFUL BARGAINS.

Men's New Spring Suits Now on Display

You're invited to inspect our new arrivals in Men's Spring Suits. Quality and style equal to the best and



Our prices on Men's Spring Suits will be found less than those of the exclusive dealers of the city, and, remember

Sold on Easy Terms

Your Credit Is Good

FIRST and YAMHILL SECOND and YAMHILL