JUNE THE BLONDE" MAY GAIN FREEDOM

Four Victims of Bad-Check Dealing Willing to Drop Charges Against Her.

MOTHER TO PAY LOSSES

Woman, Infatuated With Crook Consort, Still Protests Love for Fugitive-Bail Not Yet Furnished. Hearing Is Due Soon.

Mrs. Kota Pierce Helm, better known as "June the Blonde," accused of pass-ing bad checks in Portland, may be released by the authorities upon pay-ment by her mother of approximately \$200 she is said to have obtained from four Portland business houses.

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Her attorney, John Shillock, is trying to arrange this outcome of the woman's troubles. He has received assurances from each of the firms said to have been defrauded that it will gladly accept a return of the money and withdraw its charge. All seem to feel sympathy for the young woman.

Four Firms Defrauded.

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Checks are alleged to have been passed by "June the Blonde" upon A. & C. Feldenheimer, I. Aronson, Lowey & Co. and the Eastern Outfitting Company, all of which, she says, were given her by Hammond, whom the authorities now are seeking. Money obtained from these business houses, she says, was given by her to Hammond.

Falling to produce bail of \$4000 required by District Attorney Evans, Mrs. Heim was put in charge of Matron Rogers at the County Jail yesterday, Efforts to get bail will be continued today. She will be arraigned either today or tomorrow with E. H. Carpenter, a Portland shoe salesman, jointly indicted by the grand jury.

Sympathy Showa Women.

Sympathy Shown Women. Mrs. Heim talked freely of her troubles yesterday and of her infatuation for Hammond, which, she says, is the cause of it all. She referred to her case yesterday as a "wretched affair." Her mother, Mrs. Mary Pierce, a woman Her mother, Mrs. Mary Pierce, a woman of dignified appearance, was with her daughter when detectives took her to District Attorney Evans' office yesterday morning, and the two passed most of the day together. Considerable sympathy for the two has been aroused. A woman called at the County Jail yesterday and asked that Mrs. Pierce stay at her home while in the city. at her home while in the city. Carpenter maintained a sullen atti-tude yesterday and refused to talk.

PANTAGES SONGS NEW

"PUSSY CAT RAG" AND CALLS SET HOUSE IN LAUGHTER.

Original Songs, Melodies and Old Favorites, Playlets and Juggling, All Are Amusing.

Pantages patrons were introduced yesterday to a new "double" act which is a winner. The couple are Harry Antrim and Betsy Vale, both possessed of pleasing personalities.

Every one of their songs is new. The "Pussy Cat Rag," with genuine cat calls by Antrim, is a scream. Equally good is his farmyard song. After some new jokes, Miss Vale has a charming dance, with a whistling accompaniment by her with a whistling accompaniment by her partner, and then she recites. While partner, and then she recites. While she is busy telling how father loved mother just the same, whatever hap-pened, Antrim is busy with a violin obligato. Three encores had to be given and even then the house was left asking for more.

Another good singing act was that of James Brockman, a character singer, whose songs are all his own. In his opening ones he makes a plea for the return of the old-time songs by chang-

return of the old-time songs by changing cleverly from ragtime to operatic airs, and finally sings a new rag of his own with a catchy refrain.

How a timid and bashful retiring young man can be brought to his knees and made to propose is shown, for the benefit of those who need instruction in this delicate art, by Willard Hutchinson and a girl. Hutchinson is the bashful lover down to a nicety, never overdoing it enough to make the act foolish instead of hilarious, while his partner knows how to spread the feminine net in a way that leaves no loop-

partner knows how to spread the fem-inine net in a way that leaves no loop-holes for Ciarence.

The Mexican misical instrument, the Marimbaphone, was played by the Four Solis, who gave selections from the operas and from the latest American airs. The instrument has a peculiar fascinating tone and all the players

are experts.

A musical comedy tabloid, entitled "The Stanley Seminary Girls," is like many others that have preceded it. There are numerous songs by the individual performers, with dances and choruses by the girls. Miss Ruth Hoyt,

choruses by the girls. Miss Ruth Hoyt, as the pride of the seminary, is well deserving of the title.

Some sensational juggling with articles of furniture, cigars and even a dog are introduced in the opening act by the two Malcommies and the big bill closes with war scenes by the Mutual Weekly.

HOPPICKERS' EXODUS ON PEACHES SENT TO CHILE Willamette Valley Yards.

Between 2000 and 2000 hoppickers left Portland on special and regular trains yesterday on their way to the yards up the Willamette Valley, and railroad men announce that they expect the tide of the hoppard emigration to continue almost unabated for the next four or five days.

More than 1500 people went out over the Southern Pacific. One special train to Brooks carried a party of 400, and the regular trains carried more than 1600 pickers to hoppards in other parts of the Valley.

The Spokane, Portland & Seattle and its electric lines have been carrying an and will be placed on exhibition. The

its electric lines have been carrying an equal number of pilgrims.

THIRD WAR TALK SET

Dr. C. H. Chapman, at Y. M. C. A., to Discuss Part Two Nations Play.

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Our Mail - Order Service surpasses all other means of shopping for out-of-town people who do not find it convenient to visit this mammoth store in person.

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-that's what the man with the scissors seems to possess when he cuts "shadow pictures" of the little children who visit the Meier & Frank Store from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M .- and 2 to 5 P. M. each day of this week.

These "Seissors Pictures" he gives Free to children under 12 years of age when they are accompanied by "grownups."

Bring the children and babies here to the Second Floor during the hours mentioned, and "The Man With the Magic Scissors" will interest and delight all.

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SIXTH-STREET BUILDING.

Women's \$1.50 Silk Hose Pair \$1.19

This is a special lot of pure thread Silk Hose made just for us-and you are assured of extraordinary quality and durability, at prices much lower than usual. They're in black only, with emerald green band tops—and are made with double lisle soles. In sizes from 8 to 10. Purchase these \$1.50 Silk Hose—on Tuesday—at,

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CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' OUTING HATS 39¢.

One table of miscellaneous Books for boys and girls. Just a few of a kind. Special while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., Sc.
—Sixth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

50c TO 60c WOOL SUITINGS, YARD 25c.
200 yards Wool Suiting, medium and dark colors; from 36 to 40inch widths. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., yd., 25c

—Third Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

One table of Misses' and Children's Outing Hats, of duck, ratine and white straw; usually selling from 50c to \$1.50. Special, while any remain in this limited quantity, from 9 to 11 A. M., 39¢.

—Millinery Parlors, Second Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

WHITE PETTICOATS 696.
Sixty White Petticoats, daintily trimmed with embroidery, all lengths; usually selling at 38c. While any remain, for this Limited Quantity Sale, from 9 to 11 A. M., each, 696.
—Second Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

75e TO \$1.50 NET BANDINGS, YD., 39c.
About 50 pieces of Fancy Net Bandings, in various colorings and designs. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., yd. 39c.
—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

50e AND 65c VEILINGS, VD., 15c.
400 yards of Fine Mesh Veilings, in black, white and colors; plain and fancy patterns. Specially priced, white any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., yd., 15c.

First Floor, Sixth-St. Bids.

10e DRESS SHIELDS, PR. 5c.
500 pairs of White Nainsook Dress Shields, sizes 2 and 4. Special,
while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 5c.
—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

25e SLEEVE PROTECTORS, PR. 5c. 288 pairs Women's Sleeve Protectors, in white and white with black 288 pairs Women's Sleeve Protectors, in white and white with black stripes. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 5c. stripes. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 5c.

INFANTS' 15c Hose, PR., 10c
300 pairs of Plain Cotton Hose for Infants; seamless feet, elastic
tops; in black, white and tan. Special, while any remain for this
Limited Quantity Sale, from \$ to 11 A. M., pair 10c.

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WOMEN'S \$1.50 UNION SUITS 79¢.

180 of the famous "Athena" Union Suits, in light cotton Summer weight; low nack, sleeveless, Dutch nack, allow sleeves, high nack and long sleeves; knee and ankie lengths. In outsizes; usually \$1.50; while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., suit 79¢. In regular sizes, usually \$1.25, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., suit, 69¢.

women's 35c Hose, PR. 19c.

600 pairs Women's Medium-Weight Mercerized Lisie Hose, extra
wearing qualities; seamless feet; in black only. Also Women's
Full-Fashioned Tan Lisie Hose with double tops and soles. Choice,
while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 19c.

—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

NEAT HOUSE DRESSES, 89¢.

A limited quantity of Women's House Dresses, of crash, black and white mummy cloth, Dresden flowered materials and plain percales. Special for this Limited Quantity Sale, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., 89¢.

—Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

PERCALE PETTICOATS AT 39¢.

Women's Black and White-Striped Percale Petticoats; a limited Number. Special, while any remain, from 3 to 11 A. M., each 39¢.

Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

INFANTS' 60c WRAPPERS 39c.

Eighteen Flannelette Wrappers for infants; slightly soiled from handling. Special while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., ea. 39c.

—Infants' Wear Dept., Second Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

INFANTS' 35c HOSE, PR. 15c; TWO PAIRS 25c.

120 pairs of Infants' Silk Lisle Hose, in pink and blue; sizes 4,

4½ and 5 only. Special, while any remain, from 3 to 11 A. M.,

two pairs 25c; pair 15c.

—Infants' Wear Dept., Second Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

INFANTS' 75c SHOES, PAIR 47c.
Thirty-two pairs of Infants' Shoes, sizes 0, 1 and 3 only; usually 75c a pair. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 47c.
Infants' Wear Dept., Second Floor, Sixth-st. Bidg.

CURTAIN SCRIM, YARD 10¢.

Curtain Scrim, with printed border, in colors. Usually selling at 15c, 18c and 20c the yard. Special, while any of the limited quantity remains, from 9 to 11 A. M., yard 10¢.

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18-22 IN. EMBROIDERED VOILE & CREPE FLOUNCING, YD. 25c.
300 yards Embroidered Voile and Crepe Flouncing, variety floral
designs; suitable for waists. Very specially priced, while any of
this limited quantity remains from 9 to 11 A. M., yard 25c.

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WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS 43¢.

WOMEN'S 25e TO 35e NECKWEAR 15¢.

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\$5 TO \$6.50 "FROLASET" CORSETS \$3.50.

THIN-BLOWN GLASS TUMBLERS, EACH 36.

\$2.50 AXMINSTER RUGS \$1.48.

75e STAMPED TOWELS 50c.

OMEN'S FLANSBLATE COURSELINE STATEMENT FOR STATEMENT SPECIAL WITH OR WITHOUT COLORS, all sizes: usually selling at 75c each. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., each 43c. St. Bldg.—Second Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

250 pieces Modish Neckwear. Included are Lace and Linen Lawn Collars, Guimpes, Jabots and Fancy Frills; slightly soiled from handling. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., piece 15.6. —First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

Only 62 Fancy Parasols remain in our entire stock, and they're to be closed out regardless of cost in this Limited Quantity Sale. All are standard shapes. A good assortment of colors is shown. Ideal for beach and outing use. Ten Parasols, usually \$5.50 to \$6.50, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., special \$1. Fourteen Parasols, usually \$2 and \$2.50, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M. 25.6. Thirty-eight Parasols, usually \$1 and \$1.25, while any remain, from 3 to 11 A. M. 15.6.

—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

Sixty "Frolaset" Front Lace Corsets, of plain and striped coutil; medium and low-bust styles; long, straight hip line, with elastic gores at top and across bottom of back steels; sizes 21 to 30. While any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., special \$3.50.

—Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

Only 60 of these Towels, stamped ready for embroidering; in size 20x45. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., 50c.

—Art Needlework Dept., Seventh Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

CHILDREN'S 25c DRAWERS 12¢.

Forty-two pairs White Muslin Drawers, finished with medium ruffle hemstitched or finished with lace insertion and edge; sizes 2 and 4 years only. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 12¢.

CHILDREN'S 25c BELTS 19¢.

A limited quantity of the popular "Buster Brown" Belts; in red, black and white; limit three to a customer. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., each 196.

—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

Limited quantity of Thin-Blown Glass Table Tumblers, usually selling at 60c the dozen; limit one dozen to a customer. Special while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., each 36.

—Fourth Floor, Temporary Annex.

BISSELL'S \$2.50 CARPET SWEEPERS \$1.85.

Just 120 of these famous Carpet Sweepers; usually selling at \$2.50 each. Special for this Limited Quantity Sale, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., each \$1.85.

Seventh Floor, Temporary Annex.

100 Axminster Rugs, size 27x54; usually selling at \$2.50. Special, while any remain during this Limited Quantity Sale, from 9 to 11 A. M., \$1.48.

—Seventh Floor, Temporary Annex.

WOMEN'S GLOVES AT 19¢ PAIR.

200 pairs Lisle and Chamolsette Gloves, slightly soiled from handling; odd lots and broken lines of colors and sizes. Special, while any remain during this Limited Quantity Sale, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 19¢.

—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 2¢ EACH.

900 Neut, Serviceable Kerchiefs, in plain, crossbar and colored
border styles; excellent for school. Special, while any remain, from
5 to 11 A. M., each 2¢.

NARROW SATIN RIBBON, BOLT 2c. 300 bolts of Satin Ribbon in 1, 1½ and 2-inch widths; odd assortment of colors; 5 and 10-yard lengths. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., the bolt 2c.

-First Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg.

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS 396, 180 Night Shirts in sizes 15 and 16 only; usually selling at 75c and \$1 each. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., 396.

—First Floor, Temporary Annex.

MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS 19¢.

144 garments in all; Summer weight; Shirts in sizes 34, 42, 46, 48 and 50; Drawers in sizes 30, 36, 38, 46, 48 and 50. Special for this Limited Quantity Sale, from 9 to 11 A. M., garment 19¢.

—First Floor, Temporary Annex.

MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND TIES 16c.

A limited quantity of Men's Popular Four-in-Hands; usually selling at 50c and 75c each. Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., each 16c.

First Floor, Temporary Annex.

A. M., each 16c.

MEN'S 50c SUSPENDERS, PAIR 23c.
300 pairs of Liste Web Suspenders; usually selling at 50c the pair.

Special, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., pair 23c.

—First Floor, Temporary Annex.

MEN'S 31 AND \$1.50 SHIRTS 69¢.

Limited quantity of Men's Golf Shirts, in broken lines; all sizes excepting 16. Special, while any remain, from 8 to 11 A. M., 69¢.

—First Floor, Temporary Annex.

BOYS \$2 SWEATERS \$1.49.

Ruff-Neck Worsted Sweaters, in Oxford and cardinal; sizes 2s to 34; suitable for girls' wear also. While any of the limited quantity remains, from 9 to 11 A. M., \$1.49.

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The Last War, "The Ending of War,"
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The Sweetest Story Ever Told," with a
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MISSES' AND WOMEN'S SUMMER COATS, \$6.85.
Sixty-eight Summer Coats, usually selling from \$15 to \$27.50, of serges, golfines, chinchilla, tweeds, eponge; lined and unlined; navy, brown, tan, tango and rose colors. This season's models. Special, while any remain, from 3 to 11 A. M., \$6.85.
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—Fourth Floor, Sixth-St. Bidg. MEN'S \$2.50 TO \$4 STRAW HATS 35¢.

200 Straw Hats for men, all this season's models. Sizes from 6¼ to 7½. A splendid opportunity for men to select a hat worth \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 or \$4, while any remain, from 9 to 11 A. M., for 35¢ each, three for \$1.

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The "pick" of the most fruitful Yakima orchards has been received by us in this shipment of 600 boxes, and they're all in the most desirable sizes—70 to 80 in each box. Al firm, select peaches of excellent color. Today, and while any remain, we offer our patrons these peaches at 49¢ the box. We cannot accept telephone orders for peaches.

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THE DALLES PRODUCT GOES A

and will be placed on exhibition. The shipment was made through C. A. Malboeuf, manager for the Western Oregon Fruit Distributors, and is being handled by the North Pacific Fruit Distributors' agents for South America.

The peaches were secured from The Dalles. They were picked as storage

A lecture on "The Status of the European War, With Special Reference to the Place of France and England in the Present Crisis," by Dr. C. H. Chapman, has been announced for next Wednesday by the Y. M. C. A. The programme will begin in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium at 8 P. M.

The lecture is the third of a series given by Dr. Chapman on the philosophy of the war. The series is designed to show the bearing of European history in the conflict.

stock.

The peaches were picked last Friday morning. At 2:15 in the afternoon they arrived in Portland. At 5:30 P. M. they had been loaded aboard The Colusa, and at 6:05 the boat left down the river. The shipment will be carried in refrigeration, with a recording thermometer attached, and on their receipt at Valparaiso will be sent a record of their condition. The peaches will then be placed on exhibit and will be kept for condition. The peaches will then be placed on exhibit and will be kept for

20 days more, an inspection being made parts of the world in order to ascertain every five days and a report sent.

This experiment is one of many that the distributors are making to various salable condition.

LATE PROUD CITY OF VISE IS MASS ALLEGED ACCOMPLICE OF KOTA PIERCE HEIM, "JUNE THE BLONDE," AND HIS WIFE AND CHILD.



MR. AND MRS. E. H. CARPENTER AND BABY.

OF RUINS. Bullet-Ridden Inhabitants Lying About

Place, Is Report Brought by Visitors to War-Torn Towns

LONDON, Aug. 31 .- A dispatch to the Reuter Company from Ostend says that a small party that has just returned there from a visit to Liege describes the destruction wrought by the war as

the destruction wrought by the war as appalling.

"All along the road to Vise," said one of the party, "there was nothing to be seen but walls blackened by smoke, the remains of burned factories, mounds of earth freshly dug, the sepulchres of the first Germans to fall.

"And then comes Vise. What a painful sight for those who knew the proudeity, now nothing but a mass of ruins, while many of the inhabitants lie all over the place, their chests riddled with bullets. I was told here that the natives were put to work building roads for the invaders from Vise to Aix-la-Chapelle.

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"On the road to Argenteau we met a procession of able-bodied mon, march-ing four abreast and commanded by a non-commissioned officer, all carrying implements for road or trench building. These men have to submit to severe discipline. "Herstal, usually filled with the busy

hum of activity in factories, coal mines Rues Des Pitters and the Quai Des and workshops, we found plunged into Percheurs had been burned."

deathly silence.

"At last we entered Liege. The people stood at the threshholds of their homes, silent and anxious, but afraid to speak. The streets in the middle of the town wore a deplorable aspect. Many houses had been abandoned.

"Their doors and windows were brotken and the contents had been returned. Nobody but soldiers were to be seen. The Place de l'Universite, the pital.

Tronsen Hurt by Fall on Boat's Bow.

TOLEDO, Oregon, Aug. 31.—(Special.)

Jim Tronsen, who was getting out of a boat on the Lower Silets River, fell on the bow and was severely introduced. He was brought to Toledo and was taken by train to an Albany hospital.

Chamberlain's Tablets are intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation, and are receiving much praise from people who are troubled with these ailments.