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There may be others.

Republican Conference Calls.

which is primarily intended for the women of the six far western states

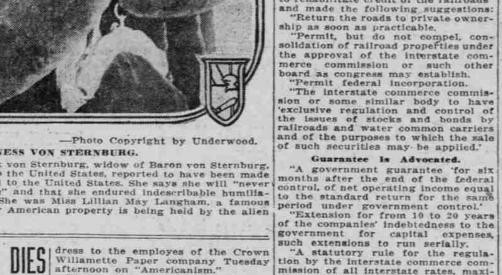


cuse Mrs. Brown and Provost. She could substantiate her charges only by circumstantial evidence, but she managed to convince most of her auditors that she was innocent. As an allbi she admitted spending the night of the murder with Private Sor-LUCILE LANGERMAN enson in Battle Creek. He verified

her story. "I believe Lloyd Provost killed Stan Brown," the woman said. "I believe Mrs. Brown and he were working together. I am going to rip the lid off this case and tell everything I know, because I am accused of a POPULAR PORTLAND GIRL'S crime I am not guilty of committing."

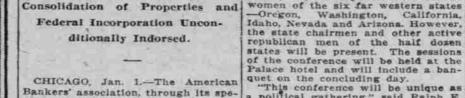
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Story of Love and Hate Told. Demise Following Brief Illness The suspect then launched into a recital of the loves, jealousles and hates that she declared existed in the



property custodian.

Baroness Lillian May Speck von Sternburg, widow of Baron von Sternburg, former German ambassador to the United States, reported to have been made poor by the war, has returned to the United States. She says she will "never leave the United States again" and that she endured indescribable humilia-tions since the war began. She was Miss Lillian May Langham, a famous beauty of Louisville, Ky. Her American property is being held by the alien property custodian.



cial railroad committee, last night went on record as favoring govern-ment control of stock and bond issues of railroads, early return to private ownership and a six months' guaran-tee of income after federal control ends. Consolidation of railroad prop-erties and federal incorporation were indorsed conditionally

erties and federal incorporation were indorsed conditionally. The committee prefaced recom-mendations by a statement saying that impaired credit of the roads threatened to "break down the entire fabric of transportation and endanger the business of the land." The pro-face added "the present high cost of living would be driven higher." Suggestions Are Made. who can make the trip or who will be in San Francisco at the time of the conference will be sure to gain genu-ine inspiration for greater effort for campaign." Among the Oregon people who will ditend the conference are: Ralph E. Williams, republican national com-mitteeman; Thomas H. Tongue Jr., state chairman; John L. Day, Multon-

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Suggestions Are Made. The committee believed that the people and congress would welcome Dunne, Multnomah county state comits opinion "as to what is necessary mitteeman; Mrs. George W. McMath, to rehabilitate credit of the railroada" Oregon member women's division, re-and made the following suggestions: publican party; Mrs. Lee Davenport,

merce commission or such other board as congress may establish. "Permit federal incorporation. "The interstate commerce commis-sion or some similar body to have 'exclusive regulation and control of the issues of stocks and bonds by raliroads and water common carriers and of the purposes to which the sale

and of the purposes to which the sale of such securitles may be applied.' Guarantee Is Advocated.

SMALLPOX PATIENTS WILL GO

TO KELLY BUTTE. More Rigid Quarantine Rules Also

> to Go Into Effect, According to Health Officer.

TODAY

Temporary quarters for smallpox patients at Kelly Butte will open this morning, according to Dr. George Parrish, city health oficer. Simul taneously with the ppening of the temporary isolation hospital, more rigid quarantine rules than have heretofore prevailed will be put into effect, in an effort to rid Portland of the disease.

(Centinued From First Page.) For these reasons, members of the legislature are expressing themselves in favor of referring the amendment



Our Store Closes at 5:30 P. M

Pre-Inventory Price Reductions Now Prevail throughout the Entire Store.

This Will Be Our 999th

Bargain Friday Sale

Prices Have Been Extraordinarily Reduced

Our Bargain Friday Sale this week will be greater than ever before. All through the store prices have been reduced, and a perfectly astonishing array of quality merchandise may be purchased by the thrifty, discriminating women of this community for exceptionally low prices. Two great sales. Our Annual Pre-Inventory Event and Our 999th Bargain Friday bring to you these and hundreds of other worth-while savings.

-A Wonderfully Fine Lot of-Manufacturers' Sample Curtain Ends In Nottingham. Filet and Madras Laces—Your Choice 59 c Friday Only at..... Standard Widths in 1 to 13/4-Yard Lengths Housekeepers with small windows, glass doors, transoms, basement windows, etc., to cover will find this sale to be a most opportune time to secure dainty lace curtains at little cost. From a prominent manufacturer we secured an extensive assortment of Sample Curtain Ends. They come in Nottingham, Filet and Madras Lace in white, cream and ecru. Standard widths in 1 to 134-yard lengths. No two are alike, and, as you have unrestricted choice from the entire lot at one price, we suggest that 59c None Sold to Dealers-No Phone or Mail Orders Filled EXTRA!-EXTRA! A Sale of A Sale of **Outing** Flannel Stamped Gowns at 25c Yard at \$1.48

At this low price we place on sale a fine new lot of 27-inch Outing Flannel of splendid weight and perfect weave. You have choice from plain light blue, pink, medium 25c gray and white. Bargain Friday.....

Made up Night Gowns of fine quality nainsook, good styles in generous fullness. They come stamped in many different and pleasing designs. All sizes on sale in our Art \$1.48 Goods Section. Bargain Friday at..

A Truly Phenomenal Sale-Odds and Ends and Broken Lines

Corsets, Muslinwear, Outing Flannel Gar-ments, Aprons, Brassieres, Children's **98** Each Creepers, Etc., all on sale Friday at only

Without regard to cost, worth or former selling figures, we are closing out all broken lines—odd garments and surplus lines in our Muslinwear Section.

Friday you have choice from:

Children's white and colored Wash Dresses in Women's and children's Outing Flannel Gowns. lawn and gingham. Women's Koverall gingham and scout percale Women's fine muslin Drawers, embroidery Apron Dresses.

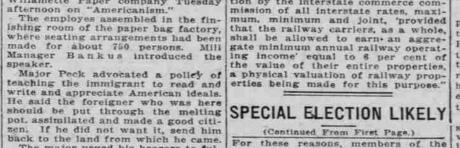
Women's batiste, muslin and Seco silk Envelope Chemise and Bloomers. Also Camisoles in wash satin and crepe de chine.

Kiddies' Slip-Overs and denim and khaki Pla-Suits.

double this price. Babies' Creepers and outing flannel Gowns. Babies' best grade soft soled Shoes. Women's fine Cluny lace Brassieres

R. & G. Corsets in sizes 25 to 30 only. Worth

hates that she declared existed in the peculiar combination. "I was in Mount Clemens on Thanksgiving." she said. "Wark spreak at the ball of box, as the failed and more pool clifting for up and he aiways called by all the organization and was widely together on a party he was continuated and was widely together on a party he was continuated and was widely together on a party he was continued by calling her up and he aiways called to the most popular students of this clargerman, as the duaghter of Miss Langerman was the daughter of Miss Langerman was the troppy at the ball to box." He told me that Mrs. Brown has all him. He said: The analyse for the said: The said: The said she would go out with another man. "He told me that Mrs. Brown has all him. He said: The said: The said to work as all kapper and the term and may while a man like me has none." He told me that Mrs. Brown has all him. He said: The said: The said to work as all kapper and the toppy will a more the popular students the given ber husband poison, but it failed to tangerman, and the grand, to the grand, to the said to work as all kapper and the targer and a many while a man like me has none." He told me that Mrs. Brown has all him. He said: The said to expect of Mrs. Samuel Lowengart with the site of Mrs. Samuel Loweng at the base of the same stip. Same a was the same a many while a man like me has none." He told me that Mrs. Brown has all him. He said: The same a many like me has none. The same allowed are tha



Ends Career as Athlete and Promising Artist. . .

NEW YORK STUDIES ENDED.



boob like Brown has all his money while a man like me has none.' He said Mrs. Brown put a lock on her bedroom door to keep her husband out and Brown quarreled with him be-cause he, Provost, was allowed in the room.

Brown Called "Meal Ticket," "He came to see me one day and emed very much pleased because scemed very much pleased because Brown had made a will leaving half of his money to Ruth. He told how Mirs. Brown and her mother would hold Brown while his father-in-law beat him into unconneciousness in their home. I asked him why he did not interfere to stop it, and he said: To hell with him; why should I?" I then asked him why he had stuck around Brown, and he said: He's my meal ticket:" Bey, E. D. Dodes

Brown, and he said: "He's my meal licket?" Rev. R. D. Dodge, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, petitioned the probate court to have himself or another reputable citizen made guar-dian of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstanting to allone for her distinction in studies and athletics, but, for her the probate court to have himself or another reputable citizen made guar-dian of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children, Dryling 5 and Unstant of the two Brown children the two

the probate court to have himself or another reputable citizen made guar-dian of the two Brown children, Phyllis, 5, and Virginia, 2. A codicil to Brown's will was also opened in the probate court, and as predicted, it divided the income from Brown's estate between the wildow and their first child. The second was cut off with \$160. Shock to a large number of Portland and Oregon friends. FEW NEW RAILS ARE LAID Figures for 1920 Show Bailway Development Near Standstill. CHICAGO Jan 1-Statistics com-still

radicals

Several men alleged by the state's attorney to have'been active among agliations at Gary, Ind. in connection with the steel strike, were arrested. A half dozen women were taken in later raids tonight. Among them were Mrs. B. Dobrow and the Misses Vera and L. Dobrow, who, the state's attorney charged, were brought from Russia to work among women. Assistant State's Attorney Henry

Assistant State's Attorney Henry A. Berger asserted it had been learned that Russian radicals reach this country by way of Sweden and Mexico. He learned they obtained passports through the Swedish consul at Mexico City to the United States.

Among 163 individuals for whom warrants were issued were William D. "Big Bill" Haywood, the general secretary of the I. W. W., who was convicted before Judge Landis in the July 1, 1920.

I. W. W. trial, and many others of the original 100 L. W. W., who were in-dicted. Haywood, however, was not found, although a number of those convicted with him were arrested.

Chinese-Mexican Union Barred.

RAILROAD GETS HOLIDAY GREETINGS.

Well-Known Field Expert Hears

From Captain With Whom He Served in Civil War.

C. L. Smith, agriculturist of the Ore-gon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company, familiarly know through the Pacific northwest as "Farmer" Smith, was the recipient of holiday greetings, which he highly prizes, from the captain of the volun-teer company in which he served in

together at Bardstown, Ky., an occa-slon which Captain B. M. Hicks, now a resident of Minneapolis, recalls in

his greetings. Of the company, which saw a great deal of active service, only 25 members survive. Time has dealth kindly with the aged men who

Cut off with \$100.
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SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan., 1 .-- Alexnder Johnston, a carpenter, former ly residing in San Francsco at 3470

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 1.—(Spe-clal)—Mayor T. C. Rogers and Glenn Norman, superintendent of the city light department, yesterday returned from Clarkston, Wash., where they inspected a power plant owned by the Washington-Idaho Light & Power company, and which it proposes to install here for the Sherman County Light & Power company. Mr. Norman reports the equipment to be in first-class condition. Install here for the Sherman County Light & Power company. Mr. Norman reports the equipment to be in first-class condition. The Sherman County Light & Power company was recently awarded a con-tract to begin furnishing electricity to the city October 1, 1920. The con-tract stipulates that the company's Centralia plant must be installed by July 1, 1920.

Voters Approve Three Amendments

to City Charter.

Legion Post Commander Talks on Americanism at Camas. RAINIER, Or., Jah. 1.— Openial.) A great deal of interest was taken by people of this city in the special bond election which was held Wednesday. RAINIER, Or., Jan. 1 .- (Special.)-

MEXICO CITY.—Intermarriage be-tween Mexican women and Chinese is forbidden in the state of Sonora in a recent decree issued by Governor Adolfo de le Huerta, who wishes to discourage a present practice. CAMAS, Wash., Jan. 1.—(Special.)— "The war is over, but the fight for true American democracy has just be-gun." So stated Major Cassius R. Peck, commander of the American Legion Post of Portland in his ad-

PECK

HEAR

AGRICULTURIST AY GREETINGS.

The 6 per cent limitation prevents a budget from being increased more Only One "BROMO QUININE" than 6 per cent over the previous levy. It is this limitation which has pre-vented teachers from securing more a Cold in One Day. 30c-Adv

> FOR A TOPPY. TASTY BREAKFAST that puts you on your toes, mentally and physically: Heat two Shredded Wheat Biscuits in the oven (to restore their crispness): pour hot milk over them; salt or sweeten to suit the taste. If you don't like milk pour hot water over the Biscuits, drain off the water, place a small bit of butter on each. The tasty goodness of the baked whole wheat is a joy to the palate and supplies all the nutriment needed for a half day's work.



Women's heavy outing flannel Skirts. Bandeaus

trimmed.

These are just a few of the many interesting items in this sale, and only a limited quantity of each.

No Exchanges-None Sent C. O. D.-None Delivered

While They Last-98c Each



All Metal Laces at 1/4 Off

Handsome Metal Laces for party or dancing frocks, for trimming and many other purposes, such as 34-inch flouncings and allovers in gold or silver on fine silk nets in white, black and colors. Also wide and narrow bands and edges in burnt-out effects and gold and silver on silk nets. All first quality goods, well worth our 25%

Dress Trimmings to Close at 10c Each

Odds and ends in Silk Medallions, Buckles, Tassels, Drops, Loops, Frogs, Motifs, etc. Every one a sensational value at BARGAIN FRIDAY'S PRICE, 10c.



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Be Installed at Centralia. CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 1.-(Spe-clal.)-Mayor T. C. Rogers and Glenn Norman, superintendent of the city