

# CHURCHES ARE FILLED BY SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHOLARS

Merwin Pugh. Marion Lawrence. A. A. Morse.

Prominent Sunday School Workers Attending the Convention in This City.

"Four-fifths of those who come into the church every day come through the Sunday school, and who, then, can deny the importance of Sunday schools and their growth?"

This was the statement of Marion Lawrence this morning at the meeting of the State Sunday School association at the Taylor street Methodist Episcopal church, when he had listened to the reports of the officers, all of which showed a certain depression and an inclination toward discouragement in the state work.

"It is impossible in a state so large as territory as ours, and with the work so widely scattered, to do the inter-denominational state work in the manner you desire," he continued. "But the work will become better organized, and there is a great future for Oregon in Sunday school work."

The state association attempted to organize work throughout the state by sending a secretary to visit the schools in all the counties, but financial support has been lacking, and it is the intention to determine finally if the work shall be continued. For the past two years there was no such traveling worker; before that the necessary money was pledged, but only 50 percent was paid, and 75 percent of that came from Multnomah county.

Mr. Lawrence, general secretary of the organized Sunday school work, and for many years superintendent of his own Congregational Sunday school in Toledo, Ohio, gave a very instructive talk this morning on "Teacher Training." He named three essentials for the successful teacher in the Sunday school: 1. General knowledge of the Bible; 2. Knowledge of the principles of teaching;

# BE HERE IN FORCE

Traveling Passenger Agents From All Lines to Meet in September.

## MOST IMPORTANT OF YEAR TO NORTHWEST

Educational Gathering and Visitors Will Make Note of Recent Developments.

Dates and itinerary for the Portland convention of the American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents will be outlined at a meeting of the executive committee of the Association, Annex, Chicago, May 18. M. J. Roche, Portland member of the committee, has received notice of the meeting and will try to attend.

This convention will, it is said, be one of the most important of the year for the Pacific northwest. It is a purely educational affair, encouraged by all the railroad companies for the purpose of informing their traveling passenger agents of the latest developments and changing conditions in all parts of the country. To a section that is new and seeking population and development, the visit of the railroad passenger agents will be of inestimable value.

The executive committee that will fix dates and itinerary is composed of J. M. Connell of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe at Chicago; B. F. Kelley of the Wabash, Buffalo, & T. Platt of the Wisconsin Central, New York; W. B. Kutter of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, St. Paul; M. J. Roche of the Denver & Rio Grande, Portland, and at the San Francisco office of the Pacific Coast association of traffic agents a committee composed of O. H. Trumbull, M. J. Roche and J. H. O'Neill, to have charge of general arrangements for the big convention, on behalf of the Pacific Coast association. This committee will appoint a general reception committee, to meet the visitors' train and remain with them during the stay in the coast. Sub-committees will also be appointed at various points where the delegates will stop—Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, Vancouver and Victoria—and at each of these places special entertainment will be provided.

## LAD OF FOURTEEN YEARS DEFIES POLICE JUDGE

F. M. Brocken, aged 14, openly defied Judge Hogue in the police court and as a consequence is confined in a dark cell at the police station.

Brocken, who resides at 634 Sixth street, was arrested for smoking cigarettes. When he appeared in court Judge Hogue requested him to go with the officer and show him the man who sold him the cigarettes.

"I'll not tell," said young Brocken. "I don't want to get him in trouble."

"You will be held in jail until you make up your mind to tell," remarked the judge.

"Well, I won't be bluffed; so take me down stairs but I'll never tell," said the youth.

He was taken to jail and his case continued until he could change his mind and inform on the person who sold him the cigarettes.

With a Glass Consciousness.

"I guess," says Uncle Allen Sparks, "that if Mr. Rockefeller were to offer \$100,000 to Kansas as a donation, Kansas could take it with a clear conscience and without batting an eye, as conscience money."

At Seattle the Pacific Coast Steamship company has placed the splendid Alaska steamship Spokane at the disposal of the delegates, and this boat will transport them to Victoria and Vancouver, giving them a day at each place, and returning them to Seattle.

Railroad men regard the trip as one of great value to the roads, as well as to the country visited by the visitors. E. B. Martin, passenger traffic manager of the Baltimore & Ohio, who recently visited Portland, on a tour of the Pacific coast, expressed surprise at the vast development that has taken place here, and declared that it had been a revelation to him.

## BITULITHIC IS HIS SORT OF PAVEMENT

L. J. Goldsmith Warns Taxpayers' League Against Encroachments of Trust.

"I wish most emphatically to state that the officials of this city, and the property owners, will have to watch very narrowly the asphalt trust's mode of procedure, as from my observation these people will stop at nothing to keep the bitulithic pavement from being put down in this city."

This is the warning given by L. J. Goldsmith, who made a tour of eastern cities to examine the best pavements in the interest of the Portland Taxpayers' league. He presented his report to the league at a meeting of the executive committee yesterday. He visited Boston, Cambridge, Pawtucket, New Bedford, New York, Washington, Nashville and St. Louis, and made comparisons of the condition and length of service of the various pavements in use.

His report is an array of facts supporting the views he expressed in an interview given to The Journal on his arrival a short time ago. He found bitulithic pavement rapidly coming into use in all the cities visited, and quoted expressions from city engineers in various cities, where that sort of pavement was regarded as superior to all others. Streets having bitulithic pavement laid in 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904 were inspected, and he was unable to note signs of wear or to tell which of the streets had the oldest pavement. He said the greatest virtue of the bitulithic pavement were its durability and its firm footing for horses. He examined bituminous macadam pavement, and does not believe it good. In conclusion he says:

"The lowest price paid in the east for bitulithic is \$1.20 a square yard, and from this up to \$1.50. Here in the city some \$1.40 and sells this to the contractors, and the street costs only about \$1.40 a yard. In New England cities the conditions regarding pavements are somewhat similar to those in Portland. They have a lot of macadam streets of which the surface is worn out, and they are repairing these streets successfully with bitulithic. The method is to scrape off the top and get down to a depth that brings the bitulithic on grade, then roughing the surface and putting on the bitulithic and rolling it thoroughly. Bitulithic pavement is nearest the ideal pavement than any other. It is sanitary, durable, noiseless and gives a sure footing for horses."

His Worst Offense.

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

"Come, now," said St. Peter. "Isn't there anything you have to confess?"

"Well," replied the applicant, beginning to back away, "I once composed a tune that was played on a street piano."

# SHAWMANS

## Friday and Saturday Specials

From our large stock we have selected a few specials for tomorrow and Saturday and have marked them at Surprising Prices. These are but a sample of the Bargains we have for you. We have in every department something good, serviceable and at special prices for these two days.

- 50c **MADE SILE UNDERWEAR \$5.45**—Warranted Silk Taffeta, in colors of garnet, blue, green, brown and black. They are very stylish, made with three ruffles and guster. This undershirt will worth \$10.00, special for 2 days, each..... **\$5.45**
- 50c **BOYS' HOSE 19c**—This is a line of the favorite Ironclad Hose for Boys, large of small rib. You know what they are and how they wash and wear. They never sold less than 25c; special for 2 days, pair..... **19c**
- 50c **50c WAIST 85c**—Ladies' Full-Tailored Shirtrwaists in white linen with black dot, plain white linen with emb. front, and plain black lawn with tucked front—a splendid fitting garment, well worth \$1.50; special for 2 days, each..... **85c**
- 12 1/2 **LAWN 75c**—42 inches wide, French Lawn, light color ground, with a pretty assortment of figures, large and small patterns, warranted fast colors, never sold for less than 12 1/2c; special for 2 days, yard..... **75c**
- 50c **50c WAIST 45c**—Ladies' Waist, made from good quality percale, in 3 different styles, warranted fast colors, large sleeves, in every way up to date, a waist that the matter would cost 65c; special for 2 days, each..... **45c**
- 75c **50c HOSE 35c**—Silk Moire, for undershirts, in all the new colors and black, nice watered effect. You know how these goods wear. Never sold for less than 75c; special for 2 days, yard..... **35c**
- 50c **50c DRESS GOODS 50c**—This is the goods for a shirtwaist suit, in solid colors of brown, navy, garnet and black, a Brillantine 48 inches wide, beautiful silk finish on both sides, dust and shaver proof, better value has never been shown for less than 50c; special for 2 days, yard..... **50c**
- 50c **50c DRESS GOODS 15c**—Creme Albatross and Danish Cloth, in full line of colors, light or dark, for street or evening wear. They have all the appearance of more expensive goods; they are regular 50c goods. Special for 2 days, yard..... **15c**
- 50c **LADIES' HOSE 15c**—These Lace-Stripe Hose, in solid colors of tan and black, also in fancy colors, Hiale finish and seamless. You have paid 25c for not so good. Special for 2 days, pair..... **15c**
- 50c **50c WHITE UNDERWEAR 65c**—This Undershirt made from good quality cotton flannel, with cluster tucks, also dust ruffle. This is a good, full skirt, and one that you could not make yourself for less than \$1.00. Special for 2 days, each..... **63c**
- 50c **50c GENTS' UNDERWEAR 39c**—This line of Gents' Underwear, in the right summer weight, in blue and brown, derby ribbed shirts and drawers. We have them in all sizes. You have never bought them for less. Special for 2 days, garment..... **39c**
- 50c **50c DRESS GOODS 49c**—New Novelties in Brillantines, Mohairs and Silks—we have them all this season's colors; nothing better for a shirtwaist suit, good value for 75c; special for 2 days, yard..... **49c**
- 50c **LADIES' BIKED UNDERWEAR 25c**—This is a nice line of Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, in gray and cream, vests and pants, a good weight for the season, not too heavy. The regular price for these garments has never been less than 40c. Special for 2 days, garment..... **25c**
- 50c **50c UNDERWEAR 95c**—This is value. Full Double-Red Size White Crochet Spread, Marcelline pattern, reversible, a spread easy to handle, just the right weight, all ready hemmed and ready for use, a spread you have never bought for less than 98c. Special for 2 days, garment..... **98c**
- 50c **50c UNDERWEAR 95c**—This Under-skirt made from black mercerized satin, with 10-inch flounce, 3 straps of same material around flounce, 5 rows of stitching. A skirt that will wear—you never saw a skirt for \$1.50 as good. Special for 2 days, each..... **95c**
- 50c **50c UNDERWEAR 50c**—These are Ladies' Umbrellas, covered with good wearing gloria, steel ribbed and rod, with Congo handle. There are but a few of them, and will not last long. When you paid 75c for them you were pleased. Special for 2 days, each..... **50c**

# Our Boys' Department

Has been handicapped the last two weeks and sales have not been as good as usual, because we had to do without an elevator. We had the old one removed and a new one installed, which not only gives better service to our patrons, but is also in keeping with the other improvements about the store. To celebrate the event and make up lost sales we will, for the next two days—Friday and Saturday—make the following reductions:

- BOYS' JUVENILE NORFOLK SUITS**—Ages 8 to 7 years; regular \$5 to \$7.45 values. This sale..... **\$3.85**
- BOYS' SAILOR SUITS**—Ages 8 to 10 years; regular \$4.45 to \$7.45 values. This sale..... **\$3.50**
- BOYS' KHAKI SUITS**—Regular \$1 values. This Sale..... **75c**
- KNEE PANTS**—All ages; regular 50c values. This Sale..... **25c**
- BOYS' WAISTS**—Regular 50c to 75c values. This sale..... **25c**
- BOYS' BLACK SCHOOL STOCKINGS**—Regular 25c value. This sale—Two Pairs for..... **25c**

THIS DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE AND REPLETE WITH EVERYTHING FOR BOYS FROM 3 TO 18 YEARS.

**Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co.**  
RELIABLE CLOTHIERS  
Cor. Third and Morrison Streets

# Free to 500 Little Girls

NEXT SATURDAY  
WE WILL GIVE AWAY FREE TO 500 LITTLE GIRLS WHO WILL CALL AT OUR STORE, WITH THEIR MOTHERS,  
**A DOLL'S PILLOW** OF PINE NEEDLE FIBER

Made of real ticking, just like the big ones at home, and filled with the pleasant smelling fiber. You must bring Mamma with you that she may see the "Air-o-Pine" Mattress, the TRUE health bed, while you are getting the pillow.

Saturday at 93 Grand Avenue  
**HYGIENIC MATTRESS CO.**

## LAWYER HOGE SAYS HE IS NOT GUILTY

Indicted for Land Frauds, He Pleads Before Judge Bellinger This Morning.

M. G. Hoge, a lawyer of Medford, who was indicted by the federal grand jury with W. H. Miller and Frank E. Kincairt on the charge of conspiracy and subornation of perjury, was arraigned this morning before Judge Bellinger and entered a plea of not guilty. Miller and Kincairt procured persons to locate on government lands, and Hoge is alleged to have been a confederate.

## Ho, for Seaside.

Commencing Sunday, April 23, and each succeeding Sunday until the end of May, the A. & C. R. R. will sell special round trip excursion tickets from Portland to Seaside, and return for \$1.50, good going Sunday morning and returning Sunday evening.

Train leaves the Union depot at 8 a. m., returning leaves Seaside at 5 p. m. Tickets on sale at 245 Alger street and the Union depot.

## A New Place for Him.

"Speaking about Mrs. Chadwick"—  
"Yes."  
"If women were only eligible, what an ornament to the senate she would make!"



**A Cough**  
Cold, Sore Throat or Lung Trouble, if neglected, will in time, TIE YOU DOWN to a sickbed, from which you may never rise, unless you begin, in time, to take that certain remedy:  
**DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY**  
For CONSUMPTION, COUGHS AND COLDS.  
Safe, certain, quick and pleasant to take. The only genuine cure for all Lung Diseases.  
Physicians Pronounced His Trouble Consumption.  
"I had a constant cough," writes W. L. Nelson, of Temple, Tex., "and physicians pronounced my trouble Consumption. I ran down to weight to 120 lbs. After taking Dr. King's New Discovery, I gained 23 lbs., lost my cough, and feel better than I 10 years past."  
PRICES, 50c and \$1.00  
TRIAL BOTTLES