

SUFFRAGISTS MEET IN WINDY CITY

Auditorium of Fine Arts Building
Crowded for Annual Convention.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
OCCUPY FIRST SESSION

Four Hundred Delegates Present
From All Parts of the Union—
Mayor Dunne and Others Formally
Welcome Gathering This Evening.

(Journal Special Series.)
Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14.—The auditorium of the Fine Arts building, spacious though it is, was scarcely able to accommodate all the fair and enthusiastic delegates who sought admittance at the opening today of the thirty-ninth annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage association. The roll call showed an attendance of more than 400 delegates, which number was more than doubled by the presence of other visitors interested in the movement which aims to give the ballot to women. The largest delegations reported from New York, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts. Iowa, Nebraska and California were next in line, and an excellent numerical showing was made also by several of the southern states. The first session was given over almost wholly to the appointment of committees and other preliminary work incident to the opening of the gathering. Later in the afternoon there was a symposium discussion on the subject of municipal suffrage for women. Mrs. Charles Henrotin presided and the speakers included Lilla D. Monroe of Kansas, Kate M. Gordon of Louisiana and other leaders of the equal suffrage movement. The formal opening of the gathering has been reserved for this evening when Mayor Dunne and others will greet the visitors. After suitable responses have been made to the greetings the convention will listen to the annual address of the president, Rev. Anna Howard Shaw of Pennsylvania.

UMATILLA ROADS HARD HIT BY RECENT FLOOD

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., Feb. 14.—Thousands of dollars in damages have been inflicted on the roads and small bridges of the county by the recent freshets and it will be many weeks before the highways can be placed in proper repair. According to the members of the county court the freshet has fully proved several things regarding road work in this county. One of them is that it was a blunder to construct the roads along the creek bottoms and gulches. From the nature of the country he says it is impossible to build a road that can stand up under some of the torments the rush down at times. It is also held that if bridges are to stand the strain of such floods as the recent one they must be built with concrete abutments, and the bridges of steel.

COLLEGE DEBATERS PREPARE FOR CONTEST

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 14.—Willamette university debaters are rapidly rounding up to form for the argumentative battle which is to be held in Corvallis March 1, between the representatives from the local college and those of the Oregon Agricultural college. The question to be discussed is: "Resolved, That the Monroe Doctrine Should Be Discontinued as a Part of the Foreign Policy of the United States." The Willamette trio is composed of George Wilson of Portland, who will be the leader of the team, Roy Shields of Franklin, Washington, who was on the team against Corvallis last year, and Harry K. Spalding of Sunnyside, Washington, who takes the place of Charles McKnight, now an instructor in the preparatory school. Willamette will support the affirmative of the question.

BENEFIT GIVEN FOR AUTHOR'S DAUGHTER

New York, Feb. 14.—A big benefit performance arranged by Miss Eleanor Robson was given at the Liberty theatre this afternoon in aid of Mrs. Jessamy Harrie Steele, eldest daughter of Bret Harte, the author. For some time past, until found by friends at Portland, Maine, Mrs. Steele had been in destitute circumstances. It is expected that the proceeds of the benefit, augmented by contributions that have come from many sources, will amount to several thousand dollars.

Elect Volunteer Officers.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Walla, Or., Feb. 14.—A voluntary fire department has been organized in Walla, the following officers being elected: C. A. Hunter, chief; Dr. Clyde Mount, captain; J. L. Maxwell, first lieutenant; Everett Berry, second lieutenant.

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DENTISTS

Corset Department

We will continue our sale of Royal Worcester Girdles for the balance of the week; 98c \$1.25 values for

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Muslin Underwear

A fine line of muslin Corset Covers, trimmed with lace and embroidered insertions. In all sizes; \$1.25 value. Spec. Friday. 67c

Our 198th Friday Economy Sale

Specials in Rugs and Draperies

Wool Velvet Rugs—Size 27x54 inches; value \$2.50. Special, **\$1.65**
Friday
White Lace Curtains—Full size, Brussels effect; \$3.00 value. Special, **\$1.95**
the pair
Pillows—All feather filled Pillows, covered in best fancy satin tick; value \$4.00. Special, Friday, the pair **\$3.25**

Men's Furnishings

Men's Underwear—Natural gray merino Shirts and Drawers. The best 75c value ever offered. Special per garment **55c**
Men's Handkerchiefs—Made of pure white linen in all widths of hems; 20c quality. Special Friday, each **12 1/2c**
Men's Hose—Full seamless, black top and white split soles; 20c value. Special, pr. **12 1/2c**



Infants' Department

Girls' Dresses—Girls' Winter Dresses in "Peter Pan," "Buster Brown" and sailor styles, from 6 to 14 years. Special for balance of week at half price **Half**
Caps and Bonnets—All full front and tight fitting Caps and Bonnets, in white and colors. Special for balance of week at half price **Half**

The Art Department

Work Boxes—Regular 75c birch bark **39c**
Work Boxes. Special Friday
Holders—Brown Holland linen Button Bags, Iron Holders and Whisk Broom Holders; regular price 10c. Special Friday **6c**

Sundries Specials

Combs—Celluloid Dressing Combs in a great variety of colors; 15c values. Special, each **10c**
Nail Brushes—Solid black, all bristle Nail Brushes; 15c value. Special, Friday **10c**
Bath Brushes—The long handled kind. **20c**
Special Friday
Cloth Brushes—Solid back, black bristle, large size; 50c value. Special **30c**
Shoe Polish—Large size box of Bixby's Best black Shoe Polish; 10c value. Special, per box **7c**
White Wax Paper—24 sheets in roll. Special, per roll **5c**
Envelopes—Plain white, square shape, 25 in package; value 5c. Special, Friday **3c**
Writing Paper—Our special Linen Lawn, cloth finish, white, 1-lb. packet; 35c value. Special, per lb. **25c**
Pocket Knives—Boys' extra heavy, stag handle, two-blade Knives; 25c value. Special, Friday **19c**
Reading Glasses—Large size, nickel-plated rim, black handle; \$1.00 value. Special **60c**

The Leather Goods

Hand Bags—Another lot of Women's Handbags in brown, green, blue and gray, also a few patent leather; worth up to \$3.50. They are worth 3 times the special price. Friday **\$1.15**
Hand Purses—An assortment of Women's Hand Purses, the combination style, card, coin and various other compartments; made of fine grade leathers; some plain and some with silver mountings; values up to \$3.50. Your choice Friday for **75c**

All Valentines Reduced to Half Price

Great Bargain Friday in New Spring Dress Gingham—5000 Yards in Plaids, Checks, Stripes and Plain Colors
7 1/2c Yd.

TEN Hourly SHOE SPECIALS

Especially strong SPECIALS will feature our hourly sale this week. The most desired styles and patterns in prices that are very much reduced.

FROM 8 TO 9 A. M.
Women's Storm Rubbers—Made of good material, in all sizes; regular 60c value. Special **43c**
FROM 9 TO 10 A. M.
Women's Shoes—Made of a very fine grade kid leather, blucher and regular cut, medium extension sole, patent tip; an excellent \$3.00 value. Special **\$1.98**
FROM 10 TO 11 A. M.
Women's Comfort Juliets—"Nurses," made of soft kid leather in three styles—Patent tip, medium toe, opera heel; wide round toe; low, wide heel and kid tip, round toe, rubber heel; all sizes. Special **\$1.24**
FROM 11 TO 12 M.
Men's Shoes—Blucher, button and regular lace styles, in a great variety of leathers and patterns; swing and straight lasts, all Goodyear welts; regular values to \$4.00. A great bargain at the special price **\$2.89**
FROM 12 TO 1 P. M.
Men's Shoes—In 20 styles of patent and dull leathers. You can choose from our entire stock of Florsheim & Co's. or any of our short lines in \$5.00 and \$6.00 grades of shoes, at the special price **\$3.89**
FROM 1 TO 2 P. M.
Men's High Cut Boots—In black or tan, 10 and 12-inch tops; made of Napa tan and mineral tanned leathers. You cannot buy the equal of this boot for less than \$6.00. Special price **\$4.50**

FROM 2 TO 3 P. M.
Women's Shoes—In over 20 different styles, embracing college and full height styles in button and lace; patents, kids and dull calf leathers, light or extension soles. You will find almost any style you want in this lot. Values to \$5.00. Special **\$3.19**
FROM 3 TO 4 P. M.
Women's Shoes—In the best grades of patent and kid leathers that we can buy. The style and workmanship is found in only the best grades of footwear. Elite styles, beautifully finished. Laird, Schober & Co., Wright-Peters and Hallahan & Son's make. Values to \$6.00. Special **\$3.89**
FROM 4 TO 5 P. M.
Girls' Shoes—Made in button and lace, extension and light soles. Just what you will want at this season. "Our Friend Makes." Sizes 5 to 8, special **\$1.19**; sizes 8 1/2 to 11, special **\$1.39**; sizes 11 1/2 to 2. Special **\$1.69**
FROM 5 TO 6 P. M.
Boys' Shoes—The best kinds for boys; made in a great variety of styles and leathers. We want to get you started buying our Boys' Shoes, therefore we offer you a special opportunity to get a pair at a very low figure. Sizes 9 to 13 1/2, special **\$1.39**; sizes 1 to 2, special **\$1.69**; sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, **\$1.89** Special price



Our Suit Department

Every Silk Petticoat in the house at 1/4 off of the regular price. They come in black, light blues, dark blues, greens, browns; also in changeable colors **\$5 to \$45**
Closing out a lot of Box Jackets, in colors and mixtures, also tan; tight fitting Jackets; values up to \$12.50. Great bargain, Friday at **\$1.75**

Bargains in Silks and Dress Goods

Imported Pongee—For two days, a regular \$1.25 grade, 38 inches wide. The most favored summer silk, for various garments, and a good value at the regular price of \$1.25 the yard. Special, the yard **\$1.05**
Mohairs—Mohairs are still the proper thing for the comfortable, serviceable Shirtwaist Suit for spring and summer. All colors, creams included, both in brilliantine and Sicilian weaves; regular \$1.25 value. Special per yard **98c**; regular \$1.50 value. **\$1.23** Special, per yard

Very Special Values in the Knitwear Department

Women's Vests—Swiss ribbed, medium weight, white cotton vests; high neck and long sleeves; a nice weight for spring wear; regular 75c value. Special Friday **54c**
Corset Covers—Women's merode, silk and cotton Corset Covers; high neck, short sleeves, silk trimmed; regular \$1.00 value. Special Friday **65c**

Women's Hose—Extra fine gauge, black cotton, very soft. This is an ingrain hose, fine mace split sole, full fashioned; regular value **58c** Spec. Friday, per pr. **58c**
Women's Hose—Black cotton, full shaped, spliced heel, double sole and French toe; regular 25c value. Special Friday, per pair **18c**
Children's Hose—Fine black cotton, fashioned foot, double knee, heel and toe; regular 25c, 30c and 35c value. Special Friday, per pair **21c**



Specials From the China Department

Haviland China Dinner Sets—100 pieces; values \$53.75. Special **\$37.50**
Haviland China Dinner Sets—100 pieces; value \$28.50. Special **\$22.50**
Haviland China—Closing out some odd lines at one-half usual prices **ONE-HALF**
Table Glassware—Any number of useful articles at one-half usual prices **ONE-HALF**
Holland Dinner Plates—42 dozen, 9-inch white Plates. Special, each **5c**
Alarm Clocks—Nickel-plated, 30-hour, guaranteed clocks. Special **65c**
The Celebrated Block Gas Light—Complete with burner, mantle and globe; regular value \$1.15. Special, Friday **50c**
Silver Paste—The kind that will not scratch your silverware; usual 25c boxes. Special, box **19c**
Glass Darners and Needle Holders—Usual 8c values. Special, each **2c**

Jewelry Department

Toilet Sets—Made from a pretty white metal known as "Silverine," set consists of a mirror, brush and comb, medium size, in pretty, white lined case; our regular \$3.00 values. Special Friday, the set **\$1.98**
Watches—A lot of American Watches, excellent timekeepers; the kind that sell regularly for \$1.00 will be sold Friday for, only **89c**
Belt Buckles—Pretty gilt Buckles, in new designs, put up in velvet lined boxes; regular 75c values. A great bargain for **49c**
Shirt Studs—Gold top, polished and Roman gold finish, plain and embossed designs, various sizes, come three on a card; regular 65c value. Special Friday, the set **45c**

The Millinery Dept't

Cowboy Hats—Made of French felt; fine for street wear; values to \$3.00. Special **79c**
Felt and Velvet Hats—Any Felt or Velvet Hat in the house, trimmed with wings, ribbon and maline. Special **\$2.79**
A large assortment of Quills, Wings, Birds and Pompons, Special, each **10c**

In Lace Department

Dotted Net—In cream or white, 45 inches wide, suitable for waists and evening gowns; regular value \$1.00 per yard. Special, **59c** the yard
Handkerchiefs—A broken line of Richardson's, pure linen, initial Handkerchiefs; regular 35c value. Special **19c** each
Lace Collars—A lot of fancy lace and embroidered Collars; regular value 35c. Special **19c** Friday, each
Laces and Insertions—Closing out a lot of cotton Torchon Laces and Insertions, from 1/4 to 3 inches wide at the special price, per yard **3c**

Notion Department

Skirt Hangers—Women's nickel plated Skirt Hangers; regular value 25c. Special Friday, each **19c**
Garter Elastic—Fancy ruffled edge silk Elastic; all colors; 19c value. Special, per yard **12c**
Side Combs—Plain shell and amber, extra quality; \$1.25 value. Special, per pair **85c**
Hat Pins—White pearl and gunmetal tops; 10c value. Special, each **6c**
Dress Shields—A lot of plain white, light weight Shields; sizes 2, 3 and 4. Special, the pair **10c**