

**MOTHER'S NAME  
LAUDED BY ALL**

Sunday Given Over to Reverence of World's Life Givers.

**FAMILIARITY DEPLORED**

Rev. J. S. Montgomery, in Sermon, Pictures Mother-Love as Main-spring of Humanity.

"What this country needs more than anything else is the tone of reverence in the make-up of its people—a reverence for the mothers who brought them into life and a reverence for the word of God. Thomas Carlyle said that unless America felt a deeper reverence for the nobler things in life it would soon be facing a veritable Niagara of difficulties!" So spoke Rev. James S. Montgomery, pastor of Calvary M. E. Church, at the Mothers' Day services in St. Paul's Lutheran Church yesterday afternoon.

"Nowadays it is the custom of our sons to come in the evening and say, 'Well, dad, what's on for tonight?' My son does it and other men's sons do it."

"Oh, for the day to return when father, mother and children met at the table in the evening and either read, listened, or discussed the topics in which all were interested! We have wandered away from that custom and into our lives are creeping the baser things of life. We have forgotten home and mother and are seeking only pleasure at the expense of the memory which should remain the dearest thing of all—that of mother-love."

**Tells Story of Garfield's Mother.**

"I distinctly remember the day after President Garfield was shot. I distinctly remember that I was sitting on a cushion in my home town, with a bundle of papers under my arm, and that I read in one of them the story of how a messenger boy had carried the news to President Garfield's aged mother at her home at Mentor, Ohio."

"She found her sitting on the back porch, stringing beans. He told her the message he had come to tell. And that aged mother cried out: 'Who could be so cruel as to kill my boy?' That he was the President of the United States never occurred to her. She thought only of her boy, the blood of her blood, the life of her life."

"And so it is with all of us. Our mothers cannot realize what pinnacles any of us have attained. We are their children first and last."

"I remember my first day as a minister of the Gospel. It was in Zionville, Ind. And as I walked home that evening I knew that my mother would want me to ask the blessing at the table, which she did. I knew she would want me to read a passage of Scripture, which she did. And ten minutes after I had retired, I heard the 'Ag-lou-an'—she had been 'talking' for years—grope her way into the room, felt her hand along the coverings to my head, and heard her ask: 'James, are you comfortable?'"

"People should remember that their mothers attended the little church on the corner and that she was religious because she felt it was the only sort of a life to live."

**Mother's Prayers a Guidance.**

"And if any of you ever stray aside from the path of right-living, just ask yourself if you are living the sort of a life your mother hoped and prayed you would live; see if it doesn't do you some good."

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A. Rev. John T. Huddle, pastor of the church, offered the prayer and benediction. Miss Florence M. Brown presided, Mrs. William Hamilton Bayly played the musical numbers, and Mrs. Julian A. Reynolds sang "Mother Machine."

**DEFENSE SOCIETY ASKS FISKE LETTER PROBED**

Urges President to Investigate Veracity Issue Between Secretary Daniels and Admiral.

Investigation of the issue of veracity between Secretary Daniels, of the navy, and Admiral Bradley A. Fiske over a letter of November 9, 1914, from Admiral Fiske to Secretary Daniels, is asked of President Wilson in a letter today from the American Defense Society, which urges that the question be settled. Secretary Daniels had said he never had seen the letter, while Admiral Fiske says that he read it to Mr. Daniels in the presence of witnesses.

The letter from the American Defense Society, signed by C. S. Thompson, chairman of the executive committee, is in part as follows: "The American Defense Society desires to call your attention to an unfortunate situation."

"As the result of a request from the United States Senate, the Secretary of the Navy has recently made public a letter written on November 9, 1914, from Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, who was then aid for operations."

"The Secretary of the Navy has stated that his aid for operations filed this letter with the chief clerk of the Navy Department, and did not show it to the Secretary. Admiral Fiske states that he handed the letter to the Secretary of the Navy as the latter was standing at his desk in the Navy Department, and he read it carefully."

"An issue of veracity has thus arisen between Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske and the Secretary of the Navy. Mr. President, we respectfully petition you in fairness to your Secretary of the Navy, and in fairness to a gallant navy officer, not to allow this matter to remain uninvestigated."

**TO SEE BRITISH WAR SCENES.**

Press Club Members Will Be Shown Preparedness Film at Belasco.

Members of the National Press Club and their families will be given the opportunity of seeing the motion pictures entitled "Britain Prepared" at the Belasco Theater tomorrow evening.

The films show the method by which Great Britain has built up her defense forces since the beginning of the war, and were prepared by Charles Urban under the direction of the admiralty, war office and ministry of munitions of that country.

**MORGENTHAU TALKS TOMORROW**

Former Ambassador to Turkey Will Tell of Armenian Conditions.

Henry Morgenthau, of New York, late Ambassador to Turkey, will speak at Raucher's tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock on the "Armenian People," under the auspices of the Washington auxiliary committee of the American Committee on Armenian Relief.

Henry B. F. Macfarland will preside. There will be no admission charge or collection at the meeting.

**The Woodward & Lothrop Men's Store Is Now Ready**

To Supply All Men With the Latest

**Wearables for Summer and Vacation Wear**

Those who prepare in advance and with due regard for their individuality will take pleasure in making selections from these authoritative assortments.

Hats, Hosiery, Neckwear, Gloves, Handkerchiefs and a host of other things in the exacting qualities which we always maintain, and and in the warranted correct colors and styles for the summer.

**Handsome Silk Shirts**

The handsomest Silk Shirts we have ever shown, and qualities that we have never equaled at the price! silk that has a firmness of weave and strength and beauty of texture, and that will give service—this we assure you notwithstanding the many inferior grades of silks that may be had, and the difficulties surrounding the procuring of first qualities. Patterns are varied and rich looking, many of them exclusive and different, satisfying the desires of those who wish a silk shirt to be distinctive in pattern as well as fabric. Two and three-toned stripes, with a magnificent self-color satin stripe; rich blues, greens, purples, lavenders, orange and other shades. The price is \$5.00.

A Silk Mixture Shirt—silk and linen, in many beautiful patterns and colors; elegant in appearance, durable in wear, and priced at \$2.50.

**Cool Underwear**

There is nothing better to say about Summer Underwear than to say that it is cool, hence we emphasize this point in favor of ours.

Separate Shirts and Drawers of cotton gauze, balbriggan, checked and plaid nainsook, cotton mesh and Swiss ribbed at 50c each.

Finer grades of summer underwear, including Kneipp Linen Mesh and Dermophile All-wool Gauze Underwear, exclusive with us for Washington.

In addition to the Nainsook, Madras and Silk One-piece or Union Suits we feature Carter's Knitted Union Suits in cotton, balbriggan and lisle and silk mixed fabrics. This make has stood the test for many years and is one of the most satisfactory in wearing quality and fit. Priced from \$1.00 upward.



**This Is Straw Hat Time**

For the important hat change of the summer—from the felt to the straw—we have provided generously to satisfy men. Young men who want smartness and snap, conservative men who like the styles that seem to strike a happy medium, elderly men who prefer comfort and becomingness in staple models.

Our Straw Hats are made expressly for us by the best hatters in the country, and they have no superior in quality, workmanship or style. The shapes and braids are varied, and the blocks are of high character. You will find hats with the widest brims and hats with the narrowest; hats with low crowns and hats with high crowns; Panamas in new blocks, with pencil or negligé brims.

**Straw Hats at \$2.00 and \$3.00.  
Genuine Panamas, \$4.65, \$6.00 and \$7.50.  
Leghorn Hats, \$5.00 Each.**

**FOREIGN STEAMER AND MOTOR RUGS**

We have just received a very liberal supply of directly Imported Steamer and Motor Rugs in splendid qualities and beautiful colors. Besides being indispensable to the traveler, a motor car is not complete without one or two of them, \$5.00 and up.

**NEW LIGHT-WEIGHT SILKS IN SUMMER NECKWEAR.**

Fancy and solid colors in Crepe and Foulard Silk Neckwear for summer; every correct tone and shading will be seen in both four-in-hands and bow ties. Also an unusual showing of Wash Neckwear in high-grade materials and colors that are absolutely fast, \$1.00 each, and less expensive ties in splendid assortment at 50c each.

**THE GLOVES FOR MEN'S SUMMER WEAR.**

Men's Silk Gloves will again be the popular thing for summer wear. Shown in the modish shade of battleship gray, with self or black embroidered backs, \$1.00 pair. Chamoisette Wash Fabric Gloves, \$1.00 pair.

Light-weight Auto and Lap Robes of linen and other washable fabrics, \$1.50 and up.

**SUMMER HOSIERY.**

Color and novelty are returning in men's hosiery, and it's quite a fad to have your hose and necktie harmonize in tone. We have many handsome selections. Plain Colored, Fancy and Clocked Hose in silk at 50c and up to \$2.50 the pair, embracing the stripes and clocks on every desirable background. Cotton and Lisle Hose at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Wool Half Hose for tennis and golf wear, in white, heather and plain colors, 50c pair.

Golf Stockings, heather shades in plain brown and gray; English make, \$2.50 the pair.

**HOUSE AND LOUNGING ROBES.**

For spring and summer at home or in your private room, or when away on vacation, the robes are the just-right garments for comfort and attractive appearance. They are made in a wide variety of fabrics, and are light, cool and serviceable. There is no more essential part of the wardrobe. Another lot of New Turkish Toweling Cloth Bath Robes, in attractive color that are absolutely fast and of exceptional quality.

These Robes are moderately priced.

**WALKING STICKS FOR SUMMER.**

Light color and light-weight woods for summer use, plain and silver trimmed, \$1.50 and up to \$10.00. No man who wants to be classed as a stylish dresser will be without a walking stick this summer.

**BELTS AND HANDKERCHIEFS.**

Men who want a handsome quality belt of individuality should see the fine Black Leather ones we offer with sterling silver buckles for monogram, and priced at \$3.00.

Tan or Black Leather Belts, with gun metal, nickel or brass buckles, at 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 each.

New arrival of Men's Linen Handkerchiefs makes the assortment very complete; plain linen, with hemstitched borders, at 12½c, 18c, 25c, 35c, 50c and up to \$1.50; New Fancy Bordered Handkerchiefs at 25c, 35c and 50c.

**SPORT CAPS AND HATS.**

New and exceptionally neat patterns in Cloth and Silk Golf Caps, \$1.00 each. Golf, Tennis and Sport Hats of light-weight silks, in plain colors, stripes and checks, \$1.50 each.

**Woodward & Lothrop**

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**Smart White Buckskin Shoes for Women's Outdoor Wear**

High and low models in Genuine White Buckskin Shoes for sporting and outdoor wear—golf, tennis, yachting, walking. The model we illustrate is one of the most distinctive types to be found in this class of footwear; made with ball strap which gives two thicknesses of leather across the bend of the shoe, thus they retain their shape much longer than the ordinary shoes; all seams stitched and perforated. They have the famous Armor-Tred Rubber Soles and Spring Heels, and a reinforced sole tip offering greatest resistance to wear.

The High Shoe is \$7.00 pair. The Low, \$6.00 pair.

Genuine White Buckskin Low Shoes of the same last as above, but the ball-strap, lace stay and quarter are of gray kidskin—a fashionable two-toned combination, or with African brown kidskin; plain toe and Armor-Tred rubber soles, \$6.00 pair.

Three models are also offered in White Canvas Sport Shoes with rubber soles; high at \$4.50 and the Oxfords at \$3.50, and the Walking-style White Canvas Oxford with commonsense heel, \$4.00 pair.

**All The Lovely New Styles In Wash Skirts**

New models are arriving constantly and the variety increasing daily. It is a wash skirt display the equal of which we have never offered. The materials include widevale pique, narrow pique, imported pique, Belgian linen, pale linen, linen crash, natural and gray linen, imported cotton gabardine, cordaline, golfo; all of them flaring but with at least fifty different methods of reaching this most desirable conclusion. The corduroy sport skirts in rose, green lavender and stripes are exceedingly pretty.

Priced from \$2.00 to \$12.75.

**Modart Front-laced Corsets**

The best Corset for her figure is what every woman wants—that particular corset which seems to fill the needs of each individual figure.

If you have never worn a Front-lacing Corset or have worn one which you have not liked, try a Modart, and see how wonderfully comfortable it is.

Modart Corsets fit the back perfectly with fine long lines, give perfect freedom with enough support, and most graceful proportions. This season's models are beautifully made of handsome brocades, lightly or heavily boned and attractively finished.

A variety of styles in Modart Front-laced Corsets, suitable for the different figures, in low or medium high-bust effects of broches and coutils with elastic gores where needed to support the figure.

Modart Corsets priced from \$3.50 to \$12.50 pair.

**Furs Will Be Stylish This Summer**

The vogue for wearing Furs is increasing every day. We are showing many beautiful styles, and all the various furs.

Natural White Fox and Iceland Fox Furs, \$5.00 to \$50.00.

Red Fox Furs, \$20, \$25 and \$35.

Cross Fox Furs, \$27.50 and \$35.

New Mole Shoulder Capes, straight scarf and small collars, \$7.50 to \$37.50.

**New Gloves We Are Fortunate in Getting**

The Chamo Glove is one of the most popular, stylish and serviceable of the fabric gloves similar to real chamois. They are very hard to get, and we count ourselves extremely fortunate in being able to offer these.

Women's Two-clasp Suede Chamo Gloves in white, pongee, gray and chamois color, 75c pair.

Women's 6-button length Pull-on Chamo Gloves with strap and pearl clasp at wrist and some with elastic at wrist; white, pongee and gray, \$1.25 and \$1.35 pair.

**Misses' Spring and Summer Apparel**

Constant new arrivals place before us the most youthful and altogether fetching modes in—

Graduation Frocks, New Silk Afternoon Frocks, New Silk Street Frocks, New White and Colored Linen Tub Frocks, New "Mar Hof" Linen Middy Dresses, Smart and Original Sport Dresses, New Separate Skirts, sizes 14 to 18, New Middy Skirts, sizes 6 to 14, New Middy Blouses in regulation and novelty wash crepes and smocked designs of exceptional beauty and simplicity.

First Reduction on Misses' Suits.

All our \$25.00 Misses' Suits are now \$19.75.

Short, jaunty jackets with flare or full skirts, made of blue and black gabardines and serges and the late novelties in checks. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 are represented, but the assortment is not large, and best choice will be obtained by those responding early.

**The Newest and Best Styles For Little Boys**

We would like to have mothers know that we have made just as extensive preparations for the little boys as for the big ones. A special section of the Boys' Store is devoted exclusively to wearables for the little fellows, and we specialize on suits and apparel of all kinds for boys from 2½ to 9 years of age. We call it our Junior Boys' Department.



The displays of Wash Suits are very large and embrace all the good styles of the season, and no one can have an adequate idea of the vast showing of styles, materials and colorings until they have seen what we have to offer.

Wash Suits at \$1.95 are a leader with us; you will see in them better qualities and better patterns than this low price usually obtains. There are other Wash Suits up to \$7.50.

**Attractive New Colored Dresses for The Little Folks**

In making Colored Dresses for little children from 2 to 6 years of age, half of the beauty depends upon suitable colors and patterns in fabrics and half upon the styles. You will see in these we are showing how well the two ideas are linked together.

Made of Chambray, Percalé, Linen, Lawn and Linen, in tan, blue, pink, yellow, brown and green, some are made to wear with guimpes and others are smocked at the yoke and sleeves with turn-over collar daintily featherstitched. These Dresses are in empire and long-waist effects, and others have a wide belt and pearl buttons finished with white pique collar trimmed to match the color of the dress.

Sizes 2 to 6 years, \$1.50 to \$6.50 each.

**Ankle-strap Pumps—The Perfect Dress Footwear For Girls**

New spring models in Ankle-strap Pumps are offered now in all the acceptable styles and the correct materials and colors. The White Pumps are of interest to girls who will participate in May processions, graduate or be confirmed.

White Buckskin Ankle-strap Pumps; sizes 8½ to 10½, \$3.00; sizes 11 to 2, \$3.50 pair.

Tan Russia and Gun Metal Calfskin, Patent Coltskin and White Canvas Ankle-strap Pumps; sizes 6 to 8, \$2.00 pair; 8½ to 10½, \$2.50 pair; 11 to 2, \$3.00 pair.

Growing Girls' Seamless Pumps of tan Russia calfskin, gun metal calfskin, patent coltskin, white canvas and white buckskin; sizes 2½ to 6, \$3.00 to \$5.00 pair.

Growing Girls' Gun Metal and Patent Coltskin Pumps with collar effect, and small ornament trimming; sizes 2 to 7, \$4.00 pair.

Growing Girls' Gun Metal Pumps with pointed vamp, with small ornament trimming and little higher heel than the average; sizes 2½ to 7, \$4.00 pair.