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Within a short time we shall commence the alteration and enlargement of our store. Our business demands more space. We are preparing for these changes by rapidly reducing stock in each and every department by placing on all goods marvelously low prices. This week we make still greater offerings and present inducements of the highest importance to buyers. Come now to the Bon Marche, where your money will buy you more reliable goods than you can get at any store in this state.

SPECIALS FOR MONDAY ONLY.

8 pieces English Tweed Bicycle Suitings, 40-inch, in new brown, gray and black mixtures, worth 50c ..... **Only 35c a yard.**

5 pieces Lawns and Challies, worth 7c, only ..... **2½c yard.**

5 pieces Dress Goods in shepherd plaids, worth 15c, Monday ..... **5c yard.**

6 pieces Fancy Jacconet Delit Lawns, 36 inch, worth 12½c, only ..... **3½c yard.**

Silk Velvets in all colors, worth 75c, only ..... **Only 35c a yard.**

3 dozen Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers, Monday, 8 a. m. ..... **5c each.**

3 dozen Men's Unlaundried Shirts ..... **25c each.**

15 pieces 36-inch Fancy Percales, worth 10c, only ..... **5c yard.**

20 dozen Buttermilk Toilet Soap, Monday, 2 p. m. ..... **1c bar.**

30 dozen Knitting Silk, only 2c a ball.

10 dozen Ladies' Calico Wrappers, worth 85c ..... **Only 49c.**

15 pieces Apron Gingham, only ..... **2½c yard.**

Fruit of the Loom and Lonsdale Bleached Muslin, 36 inches wide, only ..... **6½c yard.**

Fine India Linons and Victoria Lawns, mill ends, worth 10c, 20c and 25c, only ..... **5c, 10c and 12½c yard.**

Ladies' Corsets, broken lots, worth 50c and 75c, Monday ..... **25c pair.**

Ladies' Silk Lined Capes in black and tan broadcloth, handsomely braided, worth $5.00 ..... **Only $2.50.**

25 pieces Black Silk Gauze Ribbon, No. 22, full 2¼ inches wide, only ..... **5c yard.**

Special sale Side Combs, crescent shape and the new diadem, worth 25c, Monday ..... **15c a pair.**

10 dozen Ladies' Silk Mitts, elbow length, opera shades, worth $1.00, Monday ..... **25c pair.**

Outing Flannels worth 5c, only ..... **3½c yard.**

20 dozen Men's Silk Teck Scarfs ..... **Tomorrow 15c.**

Shoe Specials.

Ladies' Oxford Ties, patent tip, in black Dongola, also tan, worth 75c and $1.00, Monday ..... **59c pair.**

Ladies' Glove Kid Slippers, worth 50c, only ..... **25c pair.**

Ladies' Hand Turned, Flexible Sole Oxford Ties in wine and oxblood, coin and razor toe, worth $1.50, only ..... **99c pair.**

Boys' Lace Shoes, light or heavy soles, all sizes from 12 to 5½, Monday only ..... **98c pair.**

Summer Wash Goods.

Tremendous assortment at lowest known prices.

New French Organdies in handsome Dresden and floral designs, every yard of sheer and transparent fabric, real value 20c and 25c, only ..... **15c and 20c yard.**

Lappett Mulls in large floral and spray designs, stripes, also in the new geranium red, polka dots, also in heliotrope, green dots, etc., very choice, worth 20c, only ..... **15c yard.**

Foundation Linings in all the up-to date colors at ..... **6c, 10c, 12½c and 15c yard.**

Outing Flannels, mill ends, the 10c quality, only ..... **6½c yard.**

Light Shirting Calicos, only ..... **2½c yard.**

Dress Prints, spring styles ..... **3½c yard.**

8-inch wide Fancy Dress and Waist Lawns, worth 12½c ..... **7½c yard.**

8-inch Pretty Stripe Percale, worth 10c, only ..... **5c yard.**

New Bicycle Suitings, only ..... **10c and 12½ yard.**

The New Galatea Cloth in fancy blue stripes, now only ..... **15c yard.**

Opening Sale of Children's and Misses' Ready - Made Wash Dresses.

Children's Wash Dresses, in dimities, lawns, percales and zephyr gingham, all ages from 4 to 14 years, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 ..... **$2.00 and $2.75.**

Notion Bargains.

Blue Velveteen Skirt Binding, all colors, worth 6c, only 3 1-3c yard.

Rockinet and Rubber Lined Dress Shields, at 5c, 8c and 10c pair.

Corset Clasps, double stays, only 5c pair.

Corset Laces, full length, only 1c.

All-Silk Seam Binding, only 10c piece.

Superior Whalebone Casing, 5c piece.

9 yards Embroidery Silk, worth 5c, only 1c a spool.

9 Initials, embroidered on fine cambric, warranted fast colors, 36 for 5c.

Full count Sewing Needles, 1c paper.

Electro Silicon Polish for gold and silverware, only 10c.

American Pins, 1c a paper.

10 yards Spool Cotton, 1c spool.

Cloth Brushes, genuine bristle, at 5c, 10c.

Nail Brushes at 5c, 10c.

Dressing Combs, special value, at 5c, 10c.

Infants' Wraps.

We've just received from New York's leading manufacturer of Infants' Wraps a line of Infants' Reefers in white and fancy cloth, also Long Cloaks, Long and Short Dresses, which we offered Monday at very low prices.

We are also showing many Novelties in Baby Hats and Capes at interesting prices.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Silk Shirt Waists, in plain taffetas, changeable and fancy stripes and broken figures, special value at ..... **$2.98, $3.50 and $4.50.**

Lawn Shirt Waists, new leg-of-mutton sleeve, patent lock-stitch, at ..... **50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 up.**

Dress Stuffs.

Checks mostly for tomorrow, for we have just received a special line from a New York importer.

Special sale of All-Wool Fancy Checks in just the right size check, colorings perfect, makes a stylish dress skirt, worth 50c, only ..... **35c yard.**

All-Wool Bicycle Suitings, covert cloths and French De Beiges, in both light and dark colorings, considered very cheap at 50c a yard, special for this sale, only 39c and ..... **45c yard.**

A superb collection of All-Wool and Silk and Wool Novelties, embracing shepherd plaids, English checks, cheviots, mattalasses, canvas cloths bourettes, etc., lines that ought to command 65c a yard, or even more, we place them on sale for this week for ..... **45c and 50c yard.**

Our entire stock of Fashionable Dress Materials that have been selling all this season from $1.00 to $1.75 a yard. The styles are English mixtures in silk and wool, and all-wool etamines in the different plain and fancy weaves, canvas cloths, etc., also a host of stylish dress lengths, our own importation, all rich, fine fabrics from the looms of England, France and Germany. We have marked them all down to prices which will command attention. Whole suits for.... **$3.50, $5.00, $6.50, $8.50 and $10.**

Black Dress Goods and Silks.

We again place on sale another lot of those Fine Brocaded Soliels which created the excitement last week in our black goods department. They are easily considered cheap at 50c a yard, selling at the same price as our last sale ..... **39c yard.**

Note; we have only a limited quantity for this sale, we have just received a fine imported all-wool French Surah Serge, 50 inches wide, fast black, for this sale, only ..... **55c yard.**

Plain All-Wool Satin Soleil, the 100 quality, special for ..... **75c yard.**

Silks.

A complete line of India Silks and Japanese Kai Kai Striped Wash Silks, on sale Monday for ..... **25c yard.**

A Jet Black Moria Silk, soft finish, suitable for skirts or capes, special for ..... **75c yard.**

Lining Sale.

Foundation Linings, all colors, only .. **6c yard.**

Ribbon Cloth, perfect shades, just the thing for fine summer dress linings, only ..... **20c yard.**

36-inch Rustle Taffeta, worth 10c, only .. **6c yard.**

Crenoline, all colors ..... **5c yard.**

Best Facing Canvas, Monday special .. **6c yard.**

Kid Gloves.

Tomorrow, 50c only a pair for a 4-button Glace Kid Glove, all colors, such as sold elsewhere at 75c.

75c a pair only for 2-clasp embroidered back fine Kid Glove, in reds, browns, tans, etc., also 8-button length white Chamois Wash Glove.

At $1.00, beautifully embroidered back Glace Kid Glove, made of fine selected stock, every pair warranted and fitted to your hand; the best glove that has ever been offered at this price, only ..... **$1.00 pair.**

Ladies' Black Silk Mitts, only ..... **15c pair.**

Heavy Quality Black Milanese Silk Mitts, only ..... **25c pair.**

Stylish Millinery.

The Millinery Department is a veritable flower garden these days. Art has almost deceived Nature in her skillful copies. Black ink could never describe the harmonious blendings of form and color shown in the Trimmed Hats that await your selection tomorrow.

Trimmed Hats, worth $4.00 and $5.00, only ..... **$3.00 and $3.50.**

Trimmed Hats, worth $6.50 and $7.50, only ..... **$4.50 and $5.00.**

Trimmed Hats, worth $8.00 and $10.00, only ..... **$6.00 and $6.50.**

Short Back Sailors, in all the new leading colors, at ..... **65c, 75c, 95c.**

Flowers, whole beds of them, in Poppies, Violets, Lilacs, Daisies, Buttercups and the like, at ..... **20c, 25c and 35c.**

Great reduction in Children's Untrimmed Hats, in plain and mixed braid, former price 95c, 75c, 65c, 50c and 40c, now ..... **75c, 50c, 45c, 35c and 25c.**

Just received, by express, the New Red Trimmed Sailor, Snow-white Tape Braid Sailor, Bell Crown and many other new styles.

Novelty Ribbons.

Choicest of colorings in All-Silk Novelties, Crochet Taffetas, Chiffon effects, stripes, Moire, Wide Satin for Sashes, at ..... **25c, 35c, 50c yard.**

No. 9 Roman Stripe All-Silk Ribbon, only ..... **5c yard.**

No. 22 Full 2¼-inch Black Silk Gauze Ribbon, worth 15c, Monday ..... **5c yard.**

Nos. 5, 7, 9 and 12 All-Silk Satin Ribbons, in all colors including black, **5c, 7½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c yard.**

Shirt Waist Sets.

Pearl Shirt Waist Sets ..... **Only 25c.**

Silver Shirt Waist Sets, enameled or plain, post or link, dumb-bell link cuff buttons ..... **Only 50c set.**

Real Sterling Silver Waist Pin ..... **Only 25c.**

Hair Ornaments and Toilet Articles.

Ladies' Side Combs, choice selections of style, worth 15c, only ..... **10c pair.**

10 dozen the new fancy crescent shape Side Combs, worth 25c, on Monday .. **10c pair.**

Fancy Circle Combs, only ..... **5c, 8c and 10c.**

Bailey's and de Royers' Swansdown Toilet Powder, only ..... **10c box.**

The Royal Tooth Powder ..... **Only 10c.**

Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder ..... **20c.**

Garwood Triple Extract, all the new fancy odors, worth 50c, on Monday .. **25c an ounce.**

For Men.

It's the summer Underwear at 50c, 75c and $1.00, in fine light merinos and natural gray woolen, soft and light.

Men's Colored Bosom Dress Shirts, white bodies, perfect fitting, at 50c, 65c and 95c, worth a great deal more.

Men's Fast Black Cotton Hose, full fashioned, only 10c pair.

Great Sacrifice Sale of Ladies' Coats and Capes.

At prices that people like to pay.

$1.25 for $2.00 Ladies' Capes, black habit cloth, nicely trimmed.

$2.50 for $5.00 Ladies' Broadcloth Capes, handsomely braided, in black and tan, some silk lined, full sweep.

$6.50 for $10.00 and $12.00 Stylish Tailor-made Capes, in fine kersey, tan, cadet blue, heliotrope, lined throughout with rich silk.

$5.00 for $7.50 and $8.00 Up-to-Date Jackets, fly front, notch coat collar, small leg-of-mutton sleeves, in new shades of tan, black, etc.

$6.50 for $10.00 and $12.00 Tailor-made Jackets, in imported kersey, lined throughout with fancy taffeta silk, the new sleeve, large fancy buttons, a real extraordinary bargain.

Walking Skirts.

Black Moireen Walking Skirt, ruffled and velveteen bound ..... **$1.75, $1.90 and $2.98.**

Walking Skirt in black sateen, single and double ruffled ..... **75c, $1.00, $1.39.**

Towel Sale.

Bleached Damask Towels, 19x45 ..... **Only 10c.**

All Linen Huck Towel, size 18x36 ..... **Only 10c.**

All Linen Huck Towel, size 19x40 ..... **Only 15c.**

Heavy All Linen Damask Towels, size 18x40 ..... **Only 15c.**

Stevens All Linen Crash and Dish Toweling, only ..... **5c, 6c and 7c yard.**

Corset Dep't.

Odds and Ends in Long and Short Waist Corsets, reduced from $1.00, 75c and 50c to ..... **25c pair.**

Ladies' Fast Black Tailor-Made Corsets, long and short waist, value 60c .. **Only 39c.**

The New American Lady, Model Form, Thompson's Glove-Fitting, short and long back, Thompson's high and low bust, all on sale at ..... **$1.00 pair.**

Shoes.

Any shoe will do if you're sick abed—many almost put you there—these are for well folks who would like to feel better—they are comfortable alike to walk in and look at ..... **At $3.50.**

In all sizes, widths and colorings, hand welts, hand turned.

A new line of Oxfords tomorrow in oxblood and dark chocolate, at ..... **$1.95 pair.**

This shoe business of ours is interesting, it keeps everything moving.

Special sale of Lynn's Fine Misses' Shoes in goat and kid, worth $1.65, $1.40 and $1.20, Monday only, for 5 to 8, 80c pair, 9 to 11, 90c pair; 12 to 2, $1.10 pair.

SOCIETY

Society will offer up a little prayer, the financial head of every society family will smile, and the engraving establishments throughout the country will weep over the glad tidings which come from the far East that the vicious and inexcusable practice of dropping a stack of calling cards into the little plate in the hall, everytime you make a call, will soon be rated among the foolish fads of the past. Washington City society has already given it up, New York is gradually doing so, and it will be in order for the other cities to follow suit. Society concedes that there should be no hesitancy about doing it, for the sooner the fad is only a memory of other days, the better it will be for society and the unfortunate faddists who for something better to do introduced it. There was never any excuse for the creation of the thing. Common sense was not its foundation. Even society people who obeyed the unwritten decree which came from the East always laughed at it. They thought it a joke, when, at the close of their afternoons at home, they went into the hall and were greeted by the tired little card plate, which has been compelled to do work which should have been performed by a good-sized meat platter. In face of this these same society people turned out the next day, and every time they made a call from three to six of their cards found their way into the card plate.

Now that the fad is to be brought to an end, Eastern society writers point out how absurd it has been. A story which shows the ludicrous side of the thing—it is questionable if there is any other side—comes from Washington City. Two society families there exchange calls. There are ten young ladies in each family. Every time they called they left one hundred cards, and they were so much in love with one another that they "called often." In a few weeks each family had one thousand of the other family's cards. One day all the cards disappeared, much to the chagrin of the heads of both families. Later it came out that young members of the two families got together, discussed the absurdity of the thing, and returned to each other the family cards.

"Way," said one Eastern society girl, "we always thought the fad absurd, but we foolishly kept on doing it. We spent most of our money for cards, and the engraving establishments always wrote us that they were behind in their orders. I had a small card case that would hold enough cards for any ordinary emergency, but when the new fad came in I put it away and invested it in a large, clumsy-looking thing to take its place. I have heard hundreds of people laugh at the absurdity of the practice, and I know that many who have not a reputation for being generous, always regretted it when they were compelled to make a call on a large family. It took too many cards. I know of one woman who called on my mother once a week before the fad came in. She was very stingy. After it was introduced she called but once a month. She couldn't spare the cards. I was glad of it, and that, by the way, was the only redeeming feature that I ever noticed in the obnoxious fad. But I don't blame the woman. I am liberal, but I always sighed when I gave up four or five cards. One does not object to loaning a deck of cards, but they dislike to give them away."

And what the Eastern society girl said is true. One could write on forever about the evils of the fad, but even vicious things are entitled to a little consideration when they are to cease to exist. Hereafter leave but one card when you make a call, and try to forget what you were wont to do in other days.

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The marriage of Miss Catherine Randolph of England to Mr. Leonard Appleby of Hatzie, B. C., which took place in Trinity Parish church, near Eighth avenue and James street Thursday afternoon, was the most important matrimonial affair of the week. The bride, an English young lady, came to America several weeks ago for the purpose of becoming the wife of Mr. Appleby. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Sillitoe at the Pelly residence on Minor avenue. The wedding ceremony was performed at 3:30 o'clock, and while the bride and groom were not intimate friends of many local society people, there was a splendid sprinkling of the 400, both at the church and at the Pelly residence, where the reception was held. Rev. Herbert Gowen performed the ceremony after the pretty Episcopal service, assisted by a choir composed of Mrs. L. B. Stedman, Miss Kellogg, Mr. Ernest Ling and Mr. L. Pelly. The wedding party was driven from the Pelly residence to the pretty stone church shortly after 3 o'clock. The bride wore a dark green traveling suit and carried a large bunch of beautiful carnations. She was given away by her brother, Mr. Frank Randolph, of Hatzie. The church had a decorative appearance, there being a fine disposition of beautiful spring flowers in the vicinity of the church, where the bridal party were arranged while Rev. Mr. Gowen pronounced the words which made Miss Randolph Mrs. Appleby. Immediately after the ceremony the party and guests who had not met the bride took advantage of the opportunity presented. The interior of the home looked bright and gay in a dress of elegant flowers. Mrs. Sillitoe was assisted in receiving by Mrs. W. A. Peters and Mrs. Charles Powers. In accordance with the unwritten wedding law the bride mounted the stairs and threw her bouquet of carnations to the crowd of guests below. It fell into the hands of Miss Burnette and Miss Sidonia Furth. The later surrendered her claim in favor of Miss Burnette, and as the latter will be a bride at no distant day, her engagement having already been announced, society's well-worn prediction that the young lady who is so lucky as to have the flowers which the bride carried to the matrimonial altar fall into her hands will be the next bride, is likely to prove the truth in this instance. While the reception was still in progress Mr. and Mrs. Appleby were driven to the train, when they took their departure for Tacoma. They will make Hatzie their future home. Those who witnessed the ceremony and attended the reception included: Mrs. George B. Kittinger, Mrs. A. J. Fisken, Mrs. James D. Hoge, jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stedman, Mrs. R. B. Albertson, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Palmer, Mrs. R. C. Washburn, Miss Furth, Miss Sidonia Furth, Miss Emery, Miss Struve, Miss Readman, Miss Munday, Miss Burnette, Miss Kellogg, Mr. Ling, Mr. Josiah Collins, Mr. George Hyde Preston, Mr. L. Pelly and Mr. B. Pelly, Mr. J. D. Lowman.

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A wedding took place in the American Episcopal church in Paris on April 24, and the bride was Miss Alice Carey, of Champaign, Ill., and a former resident of Seattle. Three years ago Miss Carey made this city her home, where she had a large acquaintanceship. She is a distinguished violinist and elocutionist, and for that reason was particularly well known to the local music loving world. According to news which has reached Seattle, Miss Carey's marriage was a genuine surprise to all of her friends. Her relatives were alone in the knowledge of the affair until it took place. The groom was Mr. F. J. Fitzwilliams. For three years he was a student at the University of Illinois. About one year ago he left America and went to Paris, where he continued his studies. He had met Miss Carey while he was living in Illinois. About two months ago Miss Carey left her home in Champaign, stating that she would visit relatives in Canton, Miss. She went to Canton, but remained there only a few days. Then she proceeded to New York, and from that city took one of the big ocean liners for France. None of her friends knew of the marriage until it had taken place. Mr. and Mrs. Fitzwilliams will eventually return to the United States to make their future home. For the present they have taken a home in Paris and will remain in that gay city until Mr. Fitzwilliams completes his studies. The bride is a charming member of Champaign society, and the groom is a prominent member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

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One of the merriest bicycle parties that ever made the delightful run between Tacoma and Olympia left the former city yesterday afternoon. Luncheon was taken at the Country Club at American lake, and after that the run was continued to Olympia. There were about a dozen tandems in the party. Arrangements had been made at Olympia for the accommodation of the party, and last night the members enjoyed an informal dance at the Olympia hotel. Today they will return to Tacoma and the Seattle members of the party will be in Seattle this evening. The party included the following well known young society people:

Seattle—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stimson, Miss Clark, Miss Hansard, Miss Evelyn Graves, Miss McNaught, Miss McGraw, Miss Relfe, Miss Waldron, Miss Phillips, Mr. Sidney Hansard, Mr. Rob Webb, Mr. Frank Frederick, Mr. Morris Cheal, Mr. Lenos James Rickard, Mr. Tom McGraw, Mr. Clarence Edwards, Mr. Claire Farnsworth, Mr. Orin Rank, Mr. Charles Wurtele, Mr. Harold Smith and Mr. Will Inglis.

Tacoma—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Steeb, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Sprague, Miss Sprague, Miss Bennett, Miss Stein, Mr. Jack Small, Mr. Walter Harvey, Mr. Thomas Van Dyke Tyler, Mr. A. O. Hayden, Mr. Everett Babcock, Mr. Clifford Babcock, Mr. Blanchard, Dr. Hicks, Mr. S. D. Bridges and Mr. Merrill.

Spokane—Miss Hoover.

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The first excursion dance of the season took place last evening in the ball room of the Hotel Calkins, at East Seattle. The party left Leschi park at 7 o'clock on the City of Latona, and after enjoying more than three hours of dancing returned in time to catch a car to the city. The large ball room was in fine condition, and the dance, as well as the ride on the lake, was much enjoyed by the young people. The party included Miss Alice Fisher, Miss Estelle Fisher, Miss Leora Conn, Miss Gene Graham, Miss Ethel Cardin, Miss Ethel Bagley, Miss Claire Bagley, Miss Cora Smith, Miss Ida Smith, Miss Nettie Smith, Miss Bess Inglis, Miss Ora Brown, Miss Elsie Bruns, Miss Ethel Garrett, Miss Carrie Simpson, Miss Alice Vinnedge, Mr. Ralph Sheafe, Mr. Maurice Cheal, Mr. Lenos J. Rickard, Mr. Webb Vinnedge, Mr. Fred Duffy, Mr. Edward Garrett, Mr. Will Beatty, Mr. John Carroll, Mr. Wyckliffe Thompson, Mr. O. Winfred Crockett, Mr. Harry Walthew, Mr. Howard B. Ames, Mr. Edward Hamilton Geary, Mr. Frederick D. Hammons, Mr. Harold Post, Mr. Clayton Crawford, Mr. John Wing, Mr. F. J. Foster, Mr. F. W. Hicks, Mr. Dell Hicks, Mr. Fred Dieckmann.

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Counter attractions so reduced the attendance at the lecture on Ruskin's "Stones of Venice," before the Seattle Art League and School of Design on Tuesday evening last that only an informal discussion of the famous litterateur and his works took place, a forecast being made of the manner in which it is proposed to consider the "Stones of Venice," one half-hour lecture being entirely inadequate to suitably present so elaborate a treatise. According to the subdivision of the subject adopted the lecture on Tuesday evening next will be on the "Renaissance, Rationalism and Religion," feautres which inspire something very like wrath in the polished author. Good work was done at the outing yesterday afternoon, when a number of picturesque scenes and objects were sketched by the members of the league participating. The regular public reception of the league will be given on Friday afternoon next, when the exhibit promises to be up to the usual standard of excellence. Pictures intended for exhibit should be in the studio before Friday. All interested are cordially invited to visit the league, strangers in the city being especially welcome.

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Thursday afternoon's tennis tea at the club house of the Seattle Tennis Club, near Madison street, witnessed a gathering of society people. It was a fine afternoon from a weather standpoint, and the lady members of the club were charmingly gowned for the occasion. Among those who visited the club during the afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Andrews, Mrs. James D. Hoge, jr., Mrs. W. A. Shannon, Miss Bryant, Mrs. R. B. Albertson, Mrs. John Noyes, Miss Noyes and Mr. John Noyes, jr., Miss Emory, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kelleher, Miss Riley, Miss McNaught, Miss Burnette, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carstens, Mrs. Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fisken, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Power, Mrs. Brownell, of Everett; Miss Thompson, Mrs. L. B. Stedman, Miss Allen, Miss Arquitt, Mrs. W. A. Peters, Miss Randolph, Mrs. Thomas B. Hardin, Mr. Ling, Mr. Frank Bell, Mr. L. Pelly, Mr. B. Pelly, Mr. Josiah Collins, Mr. Sam Russell, Mr. Irving Cole, Mr. Gillison, Mr. Jack Readman, Capt. Taylor, Mr. Charles Clark and Mr. Walker.

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Society was represented as it should have been at the Seattle theater Thursday evening. It recalled other days that have figured in the life of the city to stand in the foyer and watch the smart set enter in parties, many of which had a half dozen or more members. Everywhere in the audience could be seen people whose faces and names are anything but strangers to the local society world. Miss Emery entertained in one box Mr. and Mrs. David Baxter, Mr. Josiah Collins and Mr. J. D. Lowman. In another box were Mrs. John Noyes, Miss Noyes and Mr. John Noyes jr., of Butte City, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Albertson and Mr. Claude Ramsey. Among other well-known theater goers present were: Gen. and Mrs. Gilbert Meem, Mrs. James D. Hoge Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, Dr. and Mrs. Will Shannon, Miss Furth, Miss Munday, Miss Turner, Miss Bryant, Miss Sidonia Furth, Miss Miller, Mr. Ling, Mr. Cox, Mr. Struve, Mr. Haynes, Mr. Savage, Capt. Taylor, Mr. Walker, Mr. Turner Mr. Sweeney, Mr. Carden, Mr. Spencer, Mr. Anderson and Mr. Whittington.

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Mrs. Ella Higginson, of Whatcom, whose recently published volume of short stories, "The Flower That Grew in the Sand," has won high encomiums from the Eastern critics, visited Seattle early in the week, and was the guest of Batterman Lindsay. The two talented ladies have entered into a sort of literary partnership in the composition of a comedy which will soon be put upon the boards; Mrs. Higginson writing the songs and her collaborator the dialogues, scenes and incidents. The music will be composed by Charles E. Bray, of Seattle. Readers who are familiar with Batterman Lindsay's powerful story, "The Blumlein Bonanza," and her all-too-brief Atlantic Monthly sketch, "Abandoned," will expect many a strong blow to be mingled with the lighter rapier touches of the author of "Mrs. Lofty's Diary." The Puget sound country is leading the far West in literary production.

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The young ladies of the University of Washington enjoyed the hospitality of their retiring preceptress, Miss Ellen J. Chamberlin, yesterday afternoon at her beautiful little home on Olympic avenue. Miss Chamberlin was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Crockett, Miss Hansee, Miss Crockett and Miss Rose Crane. The following young ladies were present: Miss Caroline Horton, Miss Anna F. Hays, Miss Grace Glasgow, Miss Rue Glasgow, Miss Birdie Beals, Miss Dot McFarland, Miss Blanche Brooks, Miss Helen Holmes, Miss Charlotte Blodgett, Miss Lydia Lovering, Miss Ina Carpenter, Miss Lulu Foy, Miss Edith Foy, Miss Cora Goodman, Miss May Goodman, Miss Nora Chambers, Miss May Button, Miss Gussie Button, Miss Luella Dean, Miss Emma Booth, Miss Bettie Parsons, Miss Mabel Ward, Miss Margaret Beckdolt, Miss Anna Winters, Miss Anna Boyd, Miss Ora Brown, Miss Hearty Wood, Miss Agnes Ward, Miss Mexie King, Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Gussie Williams, Miss Elizabeth Frye, Miss Mame Skinner, Miss Hester Matson, Miss Jennie Cook, Miss Lulu Fuller, Miss May Fuller, Miss Olivia Peck, Miss Alice Sloan, Miss Amanda Clark, Miss J. Ridgway, Miss Clara Whistler, Miss Manilla Fish, Miss Jessie Barlow, Miss Theresa Schmidt, Miss Florence Harper, Miss Harriet Elder, Miss Barton, Miss Miracle and Miss Gruelle.

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Mrs. Charles E. Patterson entertained Wednesday afternoon at her residence on Columbia street in honor of Mrs. J. R. Lewis, of California, who, with her husband, Judge Lewis, is visiting the city. The house was prettily trimmed for the occasion with flowers and greens and presented a cool refreshing appearance after the warm atmosphere out of doors. Iced refreshments were served during the afternoon. The game of "characteristics" was successfully guessed by Mrs. Samuel L. Crawford, who won the prize. The guests included Mrs. Charles Clary, Mrs. William Redfield, Mrs. Eben Smith, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. John H. Hanna, Mrs. A. B. Stewart, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Charles Hopkins, Mrs. David Gilmore, Mrs. Arthur Van Doren, Mrs. M. W. Conant, Mrs. Griffith Davies, Mrs. Samuel Crawford, Mrs. A. W. Chilcote, Mrs. Leon Patrick and Mrs. M. D. Ballard.

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Last Monuday afternoon the French Club was entertained by Mrs. George F. Gund at her home, corner Fourteenth avenue and Seneca street. Much regret was expressed by the members of the club on learning that the meeting would be the last reunion at Mrs. Gund's home, as her departure for Cleveland, her future home, will occur soon. As Mrs. Gund is one of the original members, as well as of the most advanced of the club, formed three years ago, she will be greatly missed. The next meeting will be tomorrow at the residence of Mrs. J. D. Lowman.

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Last evening Mrs. A. L. Hawley entertained the following well known young people in honor of Miss Ruth and Miss Eo Schram: Miss Clara Hanna, Miss Katherine Tyler, Miss Harriet Allen, Miss Bessie Smith, Miss Helen Hughes, Miss Madge Wilkeson, Miss Virginia Scurry, Mr. E. Cornelius Hanford, Mr. R. Root Benham, Mr. George Washington Sohns, Mr. William Geary, Mr. Ernest Goodman Geary, Mr. John Geary, Mr. Nathaniel Paschall, Mr. David Oliver, Mr. Le Roy Gardner, Mr. Herbert Livingstone Miller and Mr. Howard Hughes.

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Mr. Jack Small and Mr. Del Young, of Tacoma, were in the city last week arranging to place their yacht Linda on the Sound for the summer. With their friends they will cruise about the Sound the entire summer, visiting all the points to which are attached particular charm. The crew of the Linda will include: Mr. Jack Small, Mr. Del Young, Mr. Everett Babcock, Mr. Clifford Babcock, Mr. Sidney Plummer and Mr. J. T. Steeb.

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Mrs. William D. Perkins and a party of friends were pleasantly entertained on board the Oregon yesterday by Lieut. Ensign Durell, who is an old friend of Mrs. Perkins'. The party was conveyed to the ship in one of the launches which left from the foot of Madison street. Several hours were spent in inspecting the ship, enjoying the hospitality of Ensign Durell and other officers of the big ship.

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Yesterday afternoon Miss Harriet Allen gave a delightful afternoon affair in honor of the little ladies of her set, and last Saturday evening Miss Clara Hanna entertained the young set at her home. Mrs. A. L. Hawley and Mrs. James D. Hoge, jr., chaperoned the young people entertained by Miss Hanna.

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The arrival in the local harbor last week of the battleship Oregon was a source of much genuine pleasure to many members of local society, and particularly to a number of the young ladies, who are acquainted with some of the young officers, and partook of the latter's hospitality while the big ship was at the Puget sound naval station.

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Mrs. James McNaught and daughter, Miss Alice McNaught, who are expected to spend the summer in Seattle, have not yet left New York city, and there is more than a possibility that instead of coming West they will mingle with Eastern society people at one of the water resorts of the Atlantic coast during the summer.

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At the annual meeting of the Queen Anne Club, held Friday evening, the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: F. S. Stimson, president; F. B. Van Wagenen, vice president; F. J. Foster, secretary; Gen. Banks, chairman of the house committee; B. O. Smalley, treasurer.

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Miss Katherine Bryant, who with her father, Gen. John H. Bryant, recently moved into the Terry home on Boren avenue and Cherry street, entertained Miss McNaught, Miss Holmes, Miss Spencer, Miss Clark and Miss Morgan at luncheon Thursday.

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Mrs. R. B. Albertson gave a launch party on Lake Washington last Friday evening in honor of Miss Ruth M. Noyes, of Butte, Mont. The party included Mrs. John Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Albertson, Miss Noyes, Mr. Claud C. Ramsay and Mr. John Noyes, jr.

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Mrs. F. J. Grant and son will arrive in the city this week from Zanesville, Ohio. They will spend the summer here.

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Mrs. Herbert Gowen, wife of the rector of Trinity parish, has returned from an extended trip to England.

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The Members of the Cotillion Club will enjoy themselves at Frosch's hall next Friday evening. They will dance the two-