

BLESSING OF POPE FOR LITTLE SISTER

Kneels as She Did Fifty Years Ago to Celebrate Jubilee.

Sister Frederick, of the Little Sisters of the Poor, enjoys the honor today of being the first Little Sister in America to celebrate her golden jubilee. The celebration, which took place with appropriate ceremonies at the Home of the Little Sisters of the Poor yesterday, awakened keener interest among the inmates and participants than any event since the Sisters began administering to the aged poor of Washington thirty-five years ago.

The celebration began with the saying of high mass and at the conclusion of the mass Father Lyons gave the papal benediction, while Sister Frederick knelt alone at the altar, just as she did to make her professions May 26, 1859. From the little chapel all repaired to the rectory where Sister Frederick received the congratulations of the men and women of the home, the clergy, and the community. More than two hundred persons witnessed the impressive rites, all of which had been planned without the knowledge of Sister Frederick.

The sermon was preached by Father Dubray. He also read a letter from Pope Pius X who sent his apostolic blessing to Sister Frederick at the request of the Mother Superior of the Little Sisters of the Poor in France.

The mother provincial of the Little Sisters of the Poor came on from New York for the celebration and the superior of the homes in Baltimore and Philadelphia, together with the Sisters of the Holy Cross Academy in this city, were present. Mass was said by Father Lyons, the deacon being Father Dubray, of the Marist College, Brookland. The Rev. Augustus J. Duarte, S. J., was subdeacon; Frederick L. Devreux, master of ceremonies; Joseph A. Fennell and L. Brian Norton, trustees, and Joseph A. Genau and J. Francis Igoe, acolytes.

CAPITAL FIRMS GIVEN CONTRACTS

The Patent Office has made awards for its lithographic work for the fiscal year of 1910, two Washington firms being among the successful bidders. They were the Norris Peters Company for the reproduction of trade marks and designs, and the Andrew B. Graham Company, mechanical patents and for the library edition of patents specifications.

BURY COL. H. A. COLE IN FREDERICK PLOT
Following the funeral services for Col. Henry A. Cole, which will be held in his home at Baltimore tomorrow, the body of the civil war veteran will be taken to Frederick for burial in the family plot. Colonel Cole was the leader of "Cole's Rangers." He took a prominent part in Grand Army circles, being a member of the Baltimore Commandery, Loyal Legion, Union Veteran Association, and Custer Post, G. A. R.

LIBRARY OPEN MONDAY.
Announcement is made that the Library of Congress building will be open next Monday, Memorial Day, from 2 to 10 o'clock, but that the several divisions of the library, except those composing the Sunday and holiday service, will be closed.

WILL DO CLASSIC DANCE



MISS DORIS FARRAR.

Among the petite bits of feminine humanity who will dance their way into the affection of the audience at Miss Cora Shreve's annual May Ball at Chase's Theater tonight will be Miss Doris Farrar, daughter of Robert Farrar, private secretary to Senator McCumber, and clerk of the Senate Committee on Pensions.

Miss Doris, who is one of Miss Shreve's most adept pupils, will dance a classic solo, which has been described by those who have witnessed the rehearsals as "a poem of grace." The little dancer is twelve years old, and is a pupil of the sixth grade at the Dennison School. Tonight will be her first public appearance as a fancy dancer.

NINETY-CENT GAS PLEA OF CITIZENS

Gallinger Bill Also Hard Hit in Resolution Sent to Commissioners.

An indorsement of a 90-cent gas rate coupled with a disapproval of the Gallinger bill in its present shape, has been forwarded to the Commissioners by the Rhode Island Avenue Suburban Citizens' Association. The resolution also approves of a public service commission to have control over the gas, street car, and electric light corporations of the District.

The Gallinger bill is objected to because it permits the issuance of stock in place of the present certificates of indebtedness.

"SEEING BROOKLAND" AUTO FOR CARNIVAL

Unique Feature But One of Series Planned for May Festival.

The May festival which has been in progress in Brookland this week for the benefit of St. Anthony's School will be resumed tonight, following a temporary postponement yesterday on account of rain.

Ladies of St. Anthony's Church and friends of the Benedictine Sisters will have charge of strawberry, candy, and ice cream tables and fancy work stands, in addition to a number of other features. A "Seeing Brookland" automobile will be one of the chief attractions.

Popular Excursion, Sunday, May 30, Baltimore & Ohio R. R., \$1.50 round trip to Harper's Ferry and Martinsburg; \$1.35 to Berkeley Springs, and \$2.00 to Cumberland. Special train leaves Union Station 8:15 a. m., returning same day. —Adv.

Some very remarkable sales in conjunction with the Friday remnant clearance

\$10.00 SILK PETTICOATS, \$5.00

Just 7. Made of good quality taffeta silk in colors of brown, garnet, copenhagen, changeable effects; cut full, and finished with silk dust ruffle—24 floor.

S. KANN & SONS & CO.
6th St. & PA. AVE.
"THE BUSY CORNER"

\$5.00 "Smart Set" corsets, \$1.00

15 pairs—odd sizes. All whaleboned throughout and lace trimmed—24 floor.

Greatest millinery sale ever held at this season



Come early and get first pick

Any trimmed hat In our entire stock at HALF PRICE

Positively no trimmed hats reserved. Includes all our fine dress hats and tailored hats. Think of it—at this season and at half price. Just see how it fits into your requirements for a new hat for Sunday and Decoration Day wear.

Half price means just this

- \$50.00 trimmed hats at \$25.00
- \$35.00 trimmed hats at \$17.50
- \$25.00 trimmed hats at \$12.50
- \$18.00 trimmed hats at \$9.00
- \$15.00 trimmed hats at \$7.50
- \$10.00 trimmed hats at \$5.00
- \$5.00 trimmed hats at \$2.50
- \$3.95 trimmed hats at \$1.95



Second floor—Millinery

Hosts of underprice "snaps" in the suit dept.

40 tailored suits at \$9.75 Worth up to \$25.00

Fancy Worsteds, Panamas, Serges, Mixtures, etc. Stylishly made. Colors are brown, blue, black, greens, and striped effects. Sizes in the lot in some style or other run from 32 to 44 in. bust.

75 tailored suits at \$12.75 Worth up to \$30.00

Worsteds, Serges, and Panamas, in blue, brown, gray, rose, black-and-white, and all white colorings. In the lot are a number of Misses' sizes. These suits are all in the season's best styles, all have the jackets nicely lined with satin or taffeta; the majority are semi-fitted coats, neatly trimmed with buttons. All sizes but not in all styles.

25 dresses at \$5.00 Worth up to \$12.50

Mostly of linen, prettily trimmed with braid; a few of fine lingerie cloth, and most of them have yoke and sleeves of net. Colors are pink, blue, natural linen, tan, white, lavender, green, violet, and striped effects.

Net and linen suits at \$9.75 Worth up to \$30.00

The majority of these suits are made with coats of net elaborately braided, with skirts of the linen, and panels down front of skirt of the braided net; also included in the lot are suits of all linen, natural color, neatly trimmed with buttons and colored linen suits, braid trimmed.

Summer coats at \$12.75 Worth \$18.00 and \$20.00

This includes imported braided coats; silk lined, full length pongee, and cloth-of-gold coats; full length taffeta silk coats, braid and self-trimmed; serge coats; black chiffon Panama coats with taffeta linings.

Separate skirts at \$4.88 Worth up to \$15.00

Panamas, Volles, Broadcloths, and Sicilians; in blue, black, gray, checks, and stripes. Majority are trimmed, either self-trimmed or finished with silk or satin bands.

Important silk remnant sale

Contemplating some changes in our silk department we are making big reductions to get rid of small lots and odds and ends of bolts. These remnant prices are irresistible we know:

26-inch Rough Weave Pongee, 200 yards in the remnant lot, in a good line of colors, including black and white, and lengths from 2 yards to 10 yards. Worth 80c a yard. Remnant price, a yard..... 29c

24-inch Smooth Faced Pongee, 250 yards; just what is wanted for linings to net waists; also will make up nicely into separate waists and skirts. Lengths run from about 1 1/2 to 8 yards, and include almost every shade. Remnant price, a yard..... 29c

Black and White Checked and Striped Taffeta, in good waist and skirt lengths; also a number of good lengths in Louisine, in both figured and striped effects in colors. A yard..... 55c

First Floor—Bargain Tables.

All-silk Rough Pongee, 26 inches wide, contains a great many skirt lengths; a splendid material for mountain or traveling wear, in a good range of colors, and in lengths from 3 to 12 yards. A yard..... 55c

24-inch All-silk Satin Foulards, all styles of dots, also figured and scroll effects; lengths contain enough for waist, and some enough for skirts, or for kimonos. From 2 to 12 yards is a piece. Regular 75c a yard. Sale price, a yard..... 50c

24-inch Genuine Twill Foulard, in dark blue, with polka dots or scroll effects; black ground with dots and scrolls, and a large number in combinations of stripes, and diamond shaped figures. Worth 50c a yard. Lengths from 3 to 12 yards. Remnant price tomorrow, a yard..... 39c

3d floor—Remnant Section.

50c fancy wash silks at 19c yard

Great variety and all good lengths. Remainder of the purchase on sale tomorrow. About 3,000 yards in all—almost a hundred different styles. Pretty floral printed styles. Metallic dot effects. Many satin striped weaves.

Light Shirting Madras and Percales. Dress Gingham—Some 21 inches wide with bordered patterns, others 27 inches wide, in regular styles. Goods that sell regularly at 10c yd., to go at yd..... 67c

Apron Gingham—In small neat checked styles. In blue, brown and green—fast colors. Regular 7 1/2c qualities, to go at 5 1/2c yd..... 54c

Mercerized Nainsook Waistings—All white. Right weight for summer. English percale finish. Launders splendidly. 15c quality. A yard..... 84c

Waists worth up to \$3.50, Choice, \$1.50

—Odds and ends from several lines of Lingerie Waists of fine French batiste, trimmed with laces and embroideries and medallions. 3/4 and full length sleeves. Sizes 35 and 38. Slightly soiled.

—2nd floor, Waist section.

Think of this! \$3 ankle strap pumps, Friday, a pair, \$1.95

In anticipation of the holiday Monday, and the needs of those going out of town we have arranged for tomorrow this BEST-YET-IN-SHOE BARGAIN.

ANKLE STRAP PUMPS in either dull or shiny leathers, made on an exceptionally pretty neat last, of excellent leathers, with hand-turned soles, high Cuban heels, very dainty, attractive low shoes, and taken right out from our \$3.00 lot, a pair only \$1.95 tomorrow. All sizes and widths.

Second Floor—Shoes.

Startling Values! Sample Line Men's Suits

FROM WELL-KNOWN FACTORY

Kinds Made to Retail at \$22.00, \$25.00 and \$28.00

YOUR CHOICE \$14.95

Good line of patterns—good assortment of colors—all-wool fabrics—not a cotton or cotton-mixed suit in the stock. Good range of styles. Careful, satisfactory tailoring. All factory samples—only one or two of a kind—made in the way you'd expect samples to be made.

Better get that new suit now—you'll want it Sunday and Decoration Day.

CHAS. KAUFMAN & SONS
431-433 SEVENTH ST.
WE HAVE NO OTHER STORES.