

THE CITY

Strangers are invited to visit the exhibit of California products at the Chamber of Commerce building...

The Herald will pay \$10 in cash to anyone furnishing evidence that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing copies of the Herald from the premises of our patrons.

MISSIONARY INSTITUTE HOLDS FINAL MEETING PURPOSES OF WORK PRESENTED TO YOUNG PEOPLE

Leaders of the Movement Leave for San Francisco and the North, Where a Series of Similar Meetings Will Be Held

The final mass meeting of the Young People's Missionary Institute was held yesterday afternoon at the First Methodist church.

John Willis Baer, secretary of the Presbyterian board of Home missions, made the address of the afternoon. Speaking on the missionary spirit, he said in part:

"The young people's movement had been founded on solid foundations by the young people of the Christian Endeavor, Epworth league, Baptist Young People's union and the Lutheran league, without which it could not have reached its present usefulness.

"Let us have a definite aim. Have one purpose and stick away at it until you have accomplished something. I remember seeing an advertisement in a New York paper advising hunters not to scatter shot. It stated that for a dollar the firm would tell the hunter how he could accomplish the desired end, and when the necessary money was forthcoming, sent back the word: 'Use one shot.' That should be the way with our work.

"The missionary spirit should so fill our lives that nothing could put it in the background. It is the young people who are to stand on the firing line for Jesus Christ and win the world for God. This missionary movement is every sense of the word an interdenominational one.

"Let God have possession of the individual heart. There is no way you will get a better response than what you put into the missionary field."

Notes for Women

Mark of the Victor

In Korea, when a man is engaged he pins his hair in a sort of psychic knot on the top of his head and covers it with a tall hat...

Pretty Teapots

Every woman just dotes on a pretty teapot, and such pretty ones are on sale this holiday season at low prices.

Trimmed Furs

Trimmed furs—that is, trimming other than heads and tails—are classed among the novelties which have only a few followers.

Stunning Auto Coat

A stunning automobile coat was made of pony skin, with the close, brown, curly hairs characteristic of the Coast-leather ponies.

Inserting in Petticoats

An occasional silk petticoat—not just plain evening shades, but an old blue or old rose—is inset with lace.

Voile Again

Parisians cling to the fine French voile. Those of Rob Roy plaids in cream and Alice blue and magenta and white are charming.

Iridescent Effects

Iridescent effects are suggested in gold and silver beltings. In one light the belting shows nothing but gold; in another it breaks into two or three shimmering shades.

Empire Robes

Empire lounging robes are exquisite and just the degree different from ordinary lounging robes that result in something unusual.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Assaying Night School, 513 E. First.

BURBANK COMEDY PLAYERS WILL CAST

PLAYERS ARE EXCELLENT IN WHOLESOME ROLES

Attract New to Stock Work in Los Angeles Makes Favorable Impression on Her First Appearance

Scheming villains transformed to most beneficent personages, and an ambitious wife boring her North Carolina bred husband to death with the pomp and vanities of Parisian society, are the features of "Emerald," which opened at the Burbank yesterday afternoon.

Wholesome home folks are the chief actors in the comedy and although the mountaineer lover of the North Carolina heroine was for a time separated by his true love, everything turns out happily.

One of the startling portions of the play is the transformation of William Desmond as Dave Hardy, the mountaineer lover of Blanche Hall as Esmeralda Rogers, from a sleek, well fed appearance in the first act, to nothing short of emaciation in the second act.

Desmond is thus given an opportunity to look pale and interesting and he improves it to the utmost. His interpretation of the part in which he is a pessimist is really worthy of note and the characterization was marred by none of the mannerisms which he occasionally affects.

Henry Stockbridge discards for the nonce the habiliments of a hobo, but the exquisite humor of his rendition of Mr. Eastbrook, a man of leisure, needs no outlandish garb to give it point.

Burton Pleases Audience

John W. Burton has another benevolent old man part and his portrayal is also good. He needs to be reminded of Phosa McAllister as his terment of a wife with such utter lack of contention, that when he finally makes a stand in regard to the happiness of his little daughter he quite brings down the house.

George Drew, played by H. G. Ginn, was the legitimate villain, but in the last act he imparts to the hero the knowledge that he, the hero, is a wealthy man, made in Los Angeles in the discovery of iron ore on his supposedly worthless farm by the beneficent wretch, so no hard feelings are held toward him by the audience.

Miss Leola Maye made her first appearance in stock in Los Angeles in "Emerald," and her interpretation of the sister of the English artist was most vivacious.

At the Grand

"O'Hooligan's Troubles" were shared by the audience at the Grand last night and they were indeed harder for the audience to bear than they were for O'Hooligan, for he was receiving money for his woes and the audience was not.

Both of which the farce is composed is lightly bound together with a selection of specialties of doubtful value. The cut-up who has the part of O'Hooligan bounces in upon the scene on his head with pleasing results and for the audience this feature in some measure offsets the rest of the exhibition he makes.

Jokes, outlandish long ago by the statute of limitations, are again made to speak their own language and to cause in senile glee. The witty breaks made by the village humorist at the post-office while waiting for the daily train to arrive are exploited by the company in general.

Orpheum Road Show

One of the big events of the amusement season opens tonight when the Orpheum road show begins its engagement at the Orpheum.

But when the road show comes around everything is set aside and the Orpheum management stakes its reputation as a purveyor of amusement on this one show. It is to vaudeville what "The bill of the season" or "the best vaudeville show of the year," because it aims at an even, consistent policy of having as good a show as possible each week.

Westminster Abbey Choir

Tomorrow evening at Simpson auditorium the fifth number of the Philharmonic course will take place and the Westminster Abbey choir after three years' successful touring of Europe, India and Australia will return.

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On all suits and overcoats with the exception of plain black. These will be found at our Broadway store. See window display.

F. B. Silverwood 221 South Spring Street Broadway and Sixth St.

INCENDIARIES VISIT CAFE Attempt to Burn Delaware Restaurant Frustrated by Prompt Action of Firemen

Fire of incendiary origin was reported in the rear of the Delaware cafe at 632 South Broadway, by Warren, one of the proprietors, shortly before 8:30 o'clock last evening.

About three weeks ago an incendiary fire was discovered before it gained any headway in the same part of the restaurant, it is now believed by the owners and the police that an attempt is being made to destroy the restaurant by enemies of the proprietors.

Warren notified the fire department and then began an investigation. He found a closet in the rear, near the roof, in flames and the blaze was lapping the roof. It is the idea of the officers that the incendiaries crawled along the roof and set the fire from the outside.

CATHOLIC FEDERATION MEETS Committees Are Appointed and Date Is Set for First Meeting in February

A meeting of the Federation of Catholic societies was held yesterday afternoon in the Father Meyer Memorial hall of St. Vincent's college. Committees were appointed to arrange for the woman's societies to be represented in the federation. The next meeting will be held on the first Sunday in February.

HERALD'S PATTERNS Different patterns every day. Up-to-date styles. Special Notice—These patterns can be delivered by mail within three days after the order is received by The Herald.

MODISH COAT FOR LADIES. Pattern No. 2824. All Seams Allowed.

A long coat is a real necessity, and should be included in every wardrobe. A smart design is here depicted in gray cravenet. It is double-breasted, and the neck is finished with a high collar.

The pattern is in 8 sizes—22 to 46 inches bust measure. For 36 bust, the coat requires 9 1/2 yards of material 27 inches wide. 7 1/2 yards 36 inches wide 3 1/2 yards 54 inches wide, or 1 1/2 yards of cravenet 90 inches wide.

Price, 15 Cents

41 CHALL, LOS ANGELES. Pattern Department.

Name Address No. 2824. Size Present this coupon.

A paper pattern of this garment can be obtained by filling in above order and directing it to The Herald's pattern department. It will be sent post paid, within three days, on receipt of price.

Coulter Dry Goods Company

225-227-229 South Broadway 224-226-228 South Hill Street

Undermuslin Sale Continues

Undermuslins of rare excellence at the usual cost of commonplace sorts—that's the story in a nutshell. And that this city's discriminating women appreciate the fact is proven by tremendous sales.

Drawers Reduced Corset Covers for Less

50c drawers now 25c 75c drawers now 50c \$1.50 drawers now \$1.15 \$1.75 drawers now \$1.35 \$2.25 drawers now \$1.75

35c corset covers now 25c 75c corset covers now 50c \$1.00 corset covers now 75c \$1.50 corset covers now \$1.25 \$3.50 corset covers now \$3.00

Underskirts, Chemises, Short Skirts and French lingerie are offered at like price-cuts during this sale—and such varieties in all lines!

Handkerchief Offering Men's Pajamas

The oft-est-asked-for kinds of handkerchiefs—fine Shamrock quality, with hand-embroidered script initials—are buyable for 20c each—six for a dollar.

Extra quality pajamas of outing flannel at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50; of madras, \$1.50 to \$4.00.

January Sale of Black Silks

Thoroughly dependable qualities—no old stock. Duplicates of nearly every sort are shown in other stores at 20 per cent to 33 per cent more. The reason is not hard to find. We went direct to the mills months ago, and placed orders for large quantities, getting liberal discounts from prices even THEN in force.

Stylish Suits Reduced

The Coulter Garment Store never before presented a better array of suits, skirts and furs at prices averaging anywhere nearly as much under actual worth.

But the policy of this house calls for a searching clearance of all winter wearables, be the loss what it may.

SUIT \$45.00, WAS \$72.50—Material, a handsome English plaid; style, tight fitting coat, showing liv-ender broadcloth vest; collar and cuffs of a harmonizing shade of red velvet; full circular skirt.

SUIT \$35.00, WAS \$62.50—Material, blue Panama; style, Eton jacket, with fine lace revers; heavily corded with dark blue taffeta; full gored skirt, gored like jacket.

SUIT \$25.50, WAS \$150.00—Material, panne velvet in plum shade; style, three-quarter coat, beautifully braided, over vest of baby Irish lace; pleated skirt, showing braiding above hem.

SUIT \$45.00, WAS \$77.50—Material, Parsifal blue broadcloth; style, elaborate Eton jacket; black silk braided trimmed; light blue velvet collar, outlined with white broadcloth and edged with black braid; circular skirt, having pleated panel front and back.

SUIT \$47.50, WAS \$87.50—Material, tony green and white check; style, short fitted jacket, silk braided over vest of white Marcelline; full circular skirt, with fancy stitched strap trimming above hem.

SUIT \$25.00, WAS \$47.50—Material, light weight green mixed zibeline; style, short jacket, form fitting; Persian braid trimmed; full cluster pleated skirt.

Furs 1-3 to 1-2 Off Skirts Greatly Reduced

When furs are reduced at ANY season of the year it's wise to buy, for fur styles change very little from one season to another. Even our most elegant pieces are now cut a third or more.

Handsome plain cloths, checks and mixtures, in current styles, whose duplicates brought \$5.00 and \$6.50, now \$2.50; skirts worth \$6.50, \$7.50 and up to \$10.00, now \$5.00; shawls worth \$8.00 to \$15.00, now \$7.50, handsomely tailored garments, every one of them.

Two Cases Fine Old Wine

Freight Paid to Any Point in the United States for only \$9.00

C. F. A. Last 129 and 131 North Main Street Los Angeles

BUY BEACH PROPERTY Be sure to get one of the beautiful 2 1/2 acre beach property Santa Monica Tract lots, \$400 and up; \$50 cash balance in small monthly payments.

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Thus the refusal of the council to take any action on the mayor's board of public works may have the effect of delaying street improvements.

The contention is raised that according to the charter amendment the councilmanic boards of works automatically lost all control of public improvements at the beginning of the year when the

amendment declares the appointment of the mayor's board of works become effective. The city attorney refuses to give a definite opinion on the question, but admits that such a contention might be upheld by the courts.

Woman Accidentally Shot In a drunken row between Mrs. Annie McNally of 229 New Hill street and a Slavonian, whose name is not known, the woman was shot in the right leg by the accidental discharge of a gun which the Slavonian was handling. The woman was removed to the receiving hospital, where her wounds were dressed.

Public Spirit "What objection have you," asked the railway magnate, "to our abolishing the deadheads? You never travel on passes, do you?" "No, sir," answered the Philadelphian, "but how many people do you suppose will visit our town if they have to pay railroad fare to get there?"

Today You Can Buy POND'S EXTRACT THE OLD FAMILY DOCTOR THE MEDICINE CHEST

Shoes at Almost Your Own Price at the Mammoth Shoe House 519 So. Broadway

More Than \$10,000 Worth on Sale—Better Get There Early

If you are thinking of buying shoes, or will need them within the next three or four months, our advice would be to look over the offerings at the Mammoth, 519 South Broadway, today.

\$10,000 worth of new, clean, up-to-date shoes will be placed on sale. The reputation of the old reliable Mammoth is a sure guarantee of splendid bargains.

Whenver they put out a bargain you can bank on the genuineness of the offer. Some of the styles to be offered you will ordinarily pay three times the price asked at this sale.

You will find women's shoes, oxfords and slippers and a lot of men's slippers that formerly sold at \$1.50 to \$2.25—a few as low as \$3. Another prominent bargain in women's shoes is the \$2.45 lot. Here are \$3.50 and \$4.00 values—very latest "up-to-snuff" styles, dependable wearing leathers, heavy and light soles.

Men's shoes at \$1.45, \$1.95, \$2.45, \$3.45, that insure a genuine saving of from \$1 to \$3 on every pair. Children's shoes at half the usual price—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.19, \$1.25—a price for every purpose and a shoe for every purpose.

These school days the youngsters wear out shoe leather fast and here is the opportunity to save a goodly sum on each pair.

BUY A PIANO On Our Easy Payment Plan Metropolitan Music Co. 324 W. Fifth St.

Inner Harbor Tract Lots \$200 to \$500. BUTTERS & PAUL INVESTMENT CO., 215 E. Ocean Ave., Long Beach.

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