

J.W. Robinson Company BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE So. Broadway, 235-237-239 So. Hill Street, 234-244

Sunday's papers will give particulars of this season's most important silk sale—new \$1 to \$1.50 fabrics at 75c. Some now on display in one of the Broadway windows.

Girls' Wash Dresses Third to Half Under Value (On Sale Saturday)

A recent purchase of a big manufacturer's sample line of children's and misses' wash dresses gives us a chance to offer you, almost at the beginning of their wearing season, the very, very latest style garments at a third to half less than we have been forced to charge for their duplicates.

Table listing dress prices: \$2.00 Dresses \$1.00, \$2.50 Dresses \$1.25, \$3.00 Dresses \$1.50, \$4.50 Dresses \$2.50, \$5.00 Dresses \$3.00, \$6.00 Dresses \$3.00, \$7.50 Dresses \$4.00, \$9.00 Dresses \$5.00, \$10.00 Dresses \$6.50, \$12.50 Dresses \$7.50, \$15.00 Dresses \$10.00

2 to 18-year sizes—the larger ones ideal for adult women who are not above the average stature. The assortment of materials includes linens in white, blues, pinks, Nile green, lavender, champagne and chateaucer red. Fancy flowered organdies. Gingham, madras and repps in every wanted coloring. Piques and Percales. Pongees and French Challies. Fancy Summer Serges. Some made in long waisted styles with full kilted skirts. Some Jumper effects. Russian Blouses. The immensely popular "Co-ed" and the Princess styles. Among the misses' sizes are many linen coat suits in leather shades, golden browns and natural color. The collection includes plenty in the "Junior" size which mothers usually find so hard to get. A few of the many styles on display today in one of the Broadway windows. On sale Saturday, not today.

Misses' Silk Dresses \$25

Uncommonly attractive garments of Pongee, Rajah, Louise, Foulard and Taffeta silks—mostly strictly tailored styles with overskirt effect—in 14, 16 and 18-year sizes. Exceptional values at \$25.

THE WAY OUT of a SOCIAL DILEMMA. Illustration of a woman in a social dilemma with a speech bubble saying 'Thank you, I'll come right over'.

GETTING a fourth hand for "bridge" is only one of a thousand social uses of the Telephone, and Telephone Service promotes sociability and good fellowship because it brings neighbors closer together. Your friends all live within talking distance.

It is the same with your out-of-town friends—the universal service of the Bell System makes them your neighbors, too. Your voice can reach all by means of the Bell Long Distance Service.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company. Every Bell Telephone is the Center of the System.

PRESBYTERIANS OPEN THEIR FIFTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

LEWISBURG, W. Va., May 19.—In an old stone church erected here in 1796, "by a few believers in God," so the corner stone reads, the Presbyterian Church in the United States convened today in its fiftieth general assembly.

Carbon Briquets

We beg to announce that, commencing July 1, next, we shall be in a position to supply Carbon Briquets to our consumers and the public. To those who have used this fuel no word of introduction is necessary, and for all others a fair trial will demonstrate that Carbon Briquets are the VERY BEST SOLID FUEL ON THE MARKET. The price will be most reasonable and will be announced later.

Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation 645 SOUTH HILL STREET Phones—Sunset Main 8920, Home 10003.

LAWYER QUESTIONS GLAVIS' VERACITY

Volunteers Statement That Former Special Agent Stamped Self as Prevaricator

HEARING WILL CLOSE TODAY

Attorney for Ballinger Says He Will at Once Conclude Controversy with Pinchot

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Ballinger-Pinchot investigation is likely to end tomorrow—so far, at least, as the taking of evidence is concerned. "The defense" practically had rested when the day's hearing ended, and Attorney Brandeis tonight said his side would consume but little time in the examination of witnesses in rebuttal.

Mr. Brandeis concluded his cross-examination of Oscar Lawler, assistant attorney general for the department of the interior and author of the now famous tentative draft for the president of a letter dismissing Special Agent L. R. Glavis. Commissioner Fred Dennett of the general land office also finished his testimony. E. T. Perkins, a Chicago officer of the reclamation service, was the last witness of the day.

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PHILANTHROPY BECOMING UNIFORM, SAYS JANE ADDAMS

Noted Worker Believes Life Value Is Being Raised

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—Jane Addams, head of the Hull House Settlement at Chicago, and president of the conference, in her address today expressed the opinion that philanthropists are developing greater uniformity in their aims, their studies and their methods of dispensing charity.

AERO CLUB INVITES THE PUBLIC TO BIG PICNIC

Will Give Exhibition Flights at the Motordrome May 29, and Interest Runs High

The public is invited to be the guest of the Aero club of California at its second annual picnic and dedicatory exercises to be held at the Los Angeles Motordrome Sunday, May 29.

SON BLAMES COMET: POLICE INVESTIGATE WOMAN'S DEATH

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The body of Mrs. Mary Troller, a middle-aged woman, was found hanging in the basement of her home today by her son. The face of the woman was badly bruised and the police are investigating as they suspect foul play and not suicide was the cause of her death.

BLASTED ROCK CAUSE OF SAN DIEGO COMET SCARE

SAN DIEGO, May 19.—There was a great scare on Dewey and Irving avenues this afternoon. A piece of rock was hurled by a blast through a window in the residence of W. W. Church and some practical joker regulated a report that the missile came from the tail of the aerial wanderer.

LONG BEACH NOTES

LONG BEACH, May 19.—A joint memorial service will be held by the G. A. R. and W. R. of this city Saturday night. Members of the G. A. R. and two members of the Relief corps have died here during the last year.

C. C. CLUB ENTERTAINED

POMONA, May 19.—The C. C. club was pleasantly entertained at dinner at the home of J. E. McComas in honor of the host's seventy-sixth birthday anniversary.

KILLED BY TRAIN

REDLANDS, May 19.—As a result of being struck by the swinging door of a refrigerator car, which threw him in front of a moving freight train, Frank Warner was killed here today.

REGRET KING'S DEATH

LONG BEACH, May 19.—At a meeting last night of the Sons of St. George chapters of condolence were ordered sent to the dowager queen of England and to King George V. The lodge last night elected new officers. William H. Evens was chosen president.

BUSINESS MEN DECLARE FOR WORLD-WIDE PEACE

Adopt Resolution Favoring an International Union and Arbitral Court

LAKE MOHONK, N. Y., May 19.—The Business Men's association of the Lake Mohonk conference of international arbitration, representing between fifty and sixty chambers of commerce in the United States and Canada, today adopted a resolution to be presented to the conference, as follows:

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MOROSCO'S BURBANK THEATER The Man on the Box BEGINNING MONDAY MATINEE—A SPECTACULAR PRODUCTION OF CALIFORNIA'S GREATEST DRAMA

The Rose of the Rancho Under the Personal Direction of Frederic LeBlanc. PRICES 25c, 50c, 75c. Matinee Saturday and Sunday, 10c, 25c, 50c.

HAMBURGER'S MAJESTIC THEATER ONLY ONE MORE WEEK Kolb & Dill in The Merry Widow and the Devil

Opheum Theatre Presenting always the best European and American Attractions. Cressy & Dayne, Lockwood & MacCarty, Lancon, Lucier Co., Walsh Lynch & Co.

Belasco Theatre FORTY-FIVE MINUTES FROM BROADWAY A host of pretty girls who can sing and dance and who do—all the newest song successes from the big Broadway shows—see acts full of life, color and merit.

THE SQUAW MAN Tuesday night's performance secured by Sons of St. George for the celebration of Empire day. Seats for "THE SQUAW MAN" are now on sale.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT, TOMORROW NIGHT—BIG MATINEE TOMORROW. CHARLES KING and his big company present Ralph Stuart's famous melodramatic comedy success, "By Right of Sword"

LOS ANGELES THEATRE VAUDEVILLE MATINEE TODAY—3 SHOWS NIGHTLY—Foster & Foster, Allen, Doane & Co., The Bernis, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCann, Melor & Mora, Harry Bacheler, The Laugh-O-Scope. Popular prices, 10c, 20c and 30c.

TEMPLE AUDITORIUM A lecture on Christian Science by Bicknell Young, C. S. B., of London, England, member of the board of lectureship of The Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., Sunday afternoon, May 22, 1910, at 3 o'clock. Admission free. No tickets required.

OLYMPIC THEATRE HOME OF HITS AND NOVELTIES. COOLEST THEATRE IN LOS ANGELES. Albin & Fargo offer IN GAY PARADE, with Gerald, Carter, Stainie, Hyde, Gold, McDermott, Brisbane, Banya and exceptional chorus. New faces, music, novelties, scenery. 10c, 20c, 25c.

BASEBALL—Pacific Coast League LOS ANGELES VS. VERNON, Tuesday, 17; Wednesday, 18; Thursday, 19; Saturday, 20. 2:30 p. m. Friday, 20; 3:30 p. m. and Sunday, 22, at 10:30 a. m., at Vernon park.

VERNON ARENA LEW POWELL vs. GEORGE MEMSIC, 25 Rounds. DICK ALLEN vs. JIM CAMERON, 20 Rounds. Four-round opening between Berry Hatton and Harry Dunn.

\$32,024 TOO BULKY FOR SAFE; THIEVES STEAL IT. Pay for Pennsylvania Railroad Men Stolen from Depot

OIL CITY, Pa., May 19.—Three packages of money containing \$32,024 were stolen from the Pennsylvania depot here at 3:30 o'clock this morning.

SUBMARINE MINES TO BE TESTED IN SAN DIEGO. SAN DIEGO, May 19.—Three submarine mines will be exploded in the harbor Friday in full view of Fort Rosecrans.

BIBLE SCHOOLS HELP TO UPLIFT WORLD, SAYS TAFT. Race Question Breaks Out at a Sunday School Meeting

'SINS THREATEN EXISTENCE OF NATION,' SAYS MINISTER. Declares 'Times Are Out of Joint' at Presbyterian Assembly

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 18.—"I cannot be a pessimist while God is in his heaven; but I declare to you that, discarded the muckrakers and the mock reformers as we will, the times are out of joint," said Rev. Dr. James M. Barkley of Detroit today in his sermon opening the 122d general assembly of the Presbyterian church.

FIRST DEGREE IS VERDICT. SPARKANE, Wash., May 19.—"Guilty of murder in the first degree" was the verdict returned at Colville, Wash., tonight in the case of George Peppon, on trial for poisoning his wife at Northport, Wash., August 29, 1908.