ELECTRIC COMPANY VICTIM OF ATTACK

Maryland House of Delegates Passes Bill to Reduce Fares.

BIG "CY" CUMMINGS LEADER IN FIGHT

Large Reduction Threatened on All Lines Leading Out of Washington.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 18 .- The in terests of the Washington Railway and Electric Company are in danger from attacks made upon it in the Maryland Legislature by the delegations of both Montgomery and Prince George counties through bills reducing the fares on different suburban lines.

Already Vice President George H. Harries has paid a visit to Annapolis, and means have been taken to have the company's interests protected. The claim is made that if legislation now before the Maryland lawmakers is passed the suburban lines will be crippled, and the construction of proposed new lines absolutely stopped.

Last evening the house of delegates passed with only one dissenting vote the bill of delegate Cummings which will have the effect of reducing the fare between Washington and Rockville over the electric line from 20 to

The action of the House was a marked triumph for big delegate "Cy" as the bill had come to the House with a strong adverse report from the Committee on Corporations. Cummings' speech in favor of the bill won over even a majority of the committee which had submitted the report.

This was not the only triumph of the huge Montgomerian during the evening as he beat out his colleagues when they submitted a favorable report on the bill to incorporate Chevy Chase, his home town. Cummings claimed that he had not been given proper consideration by his three colleagues and at his request consideration of the bill was postponed

consideration of the bill was postponed until Friday.
Besides the bill affecting the Washington and Rockville line there is a measure fathered by the Prince George members which will compel a large reduction of fares on all electric lines running out of Washington and through Prince George county. It is this bill in particular which has stirred up the authorities of the Washington Railway and Electric Company and was behind the visit of General Harries to Annapolis.

SITE FOR BUILDINGS

Will Erect Stores and Apartments on Brightwood Park Property.

Melvin H. Herriman, the local builder, has just purchased a large lot embracing the entire triangular block of ground at the intersection of Georgia and Illi-nois avenues and Kennedy street in the Brightwood Park subdivision, which he proposes to improve with store building and apartments. The sale was made for Diller B. Groff

by Willige, Gibbs & Daniel, real estate brokers. The lot in question is designated as No. 800. The property extends for several hundred feet along Georgia avenue, and for a similar distance fac-ing Illinois avenue, with a shallow di-

ing Illinois avenue, with a shallow dimension along Kennedy street.

Mr. Herriman has commissioned A. H. Beers, the architect, to prepare plans and specifications for the proposed buildings. This improvement will constitute a material addition to the locality, which has been noted for its building activity within the past year, the Modern Building Corporation having erected twenty-one residences along the opposite side of Illinois avenue, occupying the entire frontage from Jefferson to Kennedy street.

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Applications have already been received by Willige, Gibbs & Daniel, who will handle the buildings, for the rental of the stores and apartments as soon as completed by Mr. Herriman, and it is expected they will be occupied at once when finished.

COMMANDER JOHNSON BACK Commander Johnson, of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., has returned from Atlantic City, where he arranged for headquarters for the department at the national encampment next September. He says he secured excellent quarters and feels confident that the encampment will be a success.

\$1.25 to Baltimore and Return saturdays and Sundays via Pennsylvania Raliroad. Tickets good returning until Sunday night. All regular trains except "Congressional Limited."—Advt.

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Special Reserve ou would never hear any kicks about poor whiskey

Monticello is more than merely straight pure whiskey, it is honest whiskey. Both the day it is made and the day it is bottled is put on every bottle. If you want good whiskey-whiskey you can proudly offer your friends who know good whiskey, ask for Monticello Rye. It is aged in wood and bottled at the distillery.

"It's all whiskey" You will not be disappointed in Monticello. Take our word for it. Every cafe sells it.

MONTICELLO DISTILLING CO. Distillery No. 1. District of Maryland,

\$1.50 Umbrellas for 98c

Pity to ruin new dress finery by getting caught in a shower without an umbrella. Secure a really good umbrella tomorrow at a low price, and you'll always have protection at hand.

These umbrellas have covers of American taffeta, tape edges and are in sizes for men or women.

Handles are plain or fancy effects such as abony sticks, silver or gold trimmed, gun metal, natural wood

in the lot tomorrow at 98c-1st floor-bargain

OPEN UNTIL 9 P. M. TOMORROW

Ribbons

For trimming Easter hats 19c

Rose bushes, 10c; dinner sets, \$3.98; curtain stretchers, 79c; wash tubs, 59c; rice boilers, 19c; 26 other cut prices

\$10.00 Dinner sets of fine plain white syracuse chi-na, 100-piece com-bination breakfast, linner and tea ser-rice, thin trans-parent china and iainty shapes. This set will have to be seen to be appre-ciated... \$3.98

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49c Rice or Milk bollers of seamless granite iron with long handle and cover, 2-pt. 19c

\$1.19 Preserving &Kettles of seamless wrought steel with pure white enamel inside and black enamel outside, 15-quart 59c



\$1.49 Ham Boilers of seamless granite iron with strong riveted handles, fam-69c 25c Wilson patent gas stove bread toasters, to a sts four slices and steeps tea or boils coffee at same time. 15c

25c



39c Water Pails of extra heavy 3-coated galv. iron with riveted han-dles and strong bot-toms. 14-01



\$1.39

19c



hampers in square shape and of full grade willow, strong wooden bottom and attach-

plain white syra-cuse china, com-prising 18 pieces; six breakfast plates six tea cups

3/2c 49c



Holland Rose Bushes, all two-year-old hardy field

year-old hardy field grown plants that are equal in all respects to those sold by florists at four and five times the price asked by us. Planted now and given proper and careful attention, will bloom this summer. All of the popular and desrable varieties are included.



19c Gas Globes of extra grade crystal glass in handsome shapes and dainty cut glass patterns, make patterns, make patterns, make patterns, make brilliant loc Holland Rose Bushes, all two-year-old hardy field

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Wool.
Swift's Pride
Washing Powder.
Swift's Pride
Laundry Soap.
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Brooke's Crystal
Star.
Ouart, bottle of

\$1.49 ************

Samples of 25c and 39c Spring Neckwear at 17c

TAILORED STOCKS of linen. RABATS of all lace, combination lace-and-mull. ASCOTS-tied and untied of linen or PK. LINEN EMBROIDERED COL-ARS, choice of 3 heights, scal-oped edge. Usual 25c 101c untities Choice to 111c LARS, choice of 3 heights, scal-

PERSIAN SILK TIES, in narnow windsor effects. 25c 1st fleor-S Kann, Sons & Co. PERSIAN R U C H I NG 8—the very latest fold effects combined with chiffon. 250 Ruching section at yard...

Latest Style Belts at Special Prices

SILK ELASTIC BELTS, in all olors, assorted buckles, special

PARISIAN ELASTIC BELTS,

Half price for a special lot Imported Hand Bags

Only one of a style.

Chance to choose from a larger assortment of styles than you'll have again soon. These bags are in the high colors to match the prevailing shades of suit fabrics. Some lined with chamols, others with silk. Bags are fitted with fancy card case and purse. Some have mirror and powder case and purse.

In the lot are both the solid metal frames and the leather covered frames, single and double strap handles. These are regular \$5.00 Bags.

Seven of the biggest values in waists we've advertised in months

These seven lots represent purchase made during the last five days. The values are certainly extraordinary. The waists are the productions of noted makers and represent the very latest style tendencies. The sale should not be overlooked by any woman.—2nd floor.

\$4.50 black chiffon taffeta silk waists

\$4.50 fancy cream and white net waists at .

All of excellent quality Brussels net in a variety of styles. One of particular excellence is trimmed with rows of wide embroidery insertion. Another is in the "side effect" with narrow lace ruffle and medallions. All slike lined. All slikes.

50 sample waists of fine 22 00 black taffeta silk, choice \$3.00

All size 36. Worth up to \$6.95 each. Just one of a kind.

\$7.50 silk Jersey waists, \$3.95 Only a small lot. Sizes 36 to 40. Good shades-reseda, gray,

\$6.00 striped taffeta waists, \$3.95

Black striped, blue striped and gray striped effects. Made with the side-pleated ruffle and tucked front and back.

\$7.50 French messaline waists

These waists are all made of fine imported silk, with handsomely braided yoke to match. They have trimmed blouse, fancy sleeves, and are very dressy. All sizes in Reseda, navy, gray, and black.

\$7.50 net and lace dressy waists at .

We have these waists in both net and lace in cream and white. Made in the "side effects," with lace ruffle and fancy yokes. All of them lined with excellent quality silk. All sizes.

Vastly Becoming are the \$10, \$12.50 & \$15

Not only are the new trimmed hats very pretty, but all are exclusive models. Milliners have surely exerted every effort this spring to make the hats more beautiful than ever before.

So many different shapes, too, that one is sure to find some one of them that is vastly becoming.

The tendency this season is for hats to flare either in front, side, or

The hats at \$10, \$12.50, and \$15 are of satin braids, chips, leghorns, hemps, and other braids. Some have brims faced with black lace or vet. Quite a few have crowns entirely of flowers. Vetvet and other ribbons, The tendency this season is for hats to flare either in front, side, or three-quarter front.

Then the Turban has many admirers and this is shown in many variations together with feathery effects are charmingly used.

Altogether we feel sure yo u will make a right selection if the Easter hat is selected from either of the above prices.

GENEVA CREAM

Geneva Cream is made by our own candy expert, vanilla flavor, and filled with nuts. We know it is good, and you will, too, after tasting it. Special Saturday at 23c lb.

EASTER JELLY EGGS, special lb. 10c MARSHALLOW EGGS, plain or chocolate covered, doz. 10c

\$25 In Gold Contest For Best Name For Our 35c Homemade Candies Closes March 25th - - - HURRY.

The name you suggest is just as liable to earn the \$5 in gold prize as any other. Get blank from candy section, fill it in, and deposit it in ballot box before March 25. We've over 100 different kinds of home-made candles at 35c lb—and all are good. See the display tomorrow.

TOMORROW ONLY This coupon and 10c

Entitles you to one 25c size Sanitol tooth powder, paste, or liquid. FREE-a sample of EVERSWEET with every purchase

MUNYON'S Witch Hazel Soap, special. Sc COSMOS Buttermilk Soap. 5c KIRK'S Juvenile Soap, regular-ly 17c, special. 10c SANO Liquid Green Soap, regu-larly 25c, for. 19c

larly 25c, for CLEAN-HAND POWDER, a IMPERIAL VIOLET TALCUM, regularly 15c. Special for one 5c LABLACHE Face Powder, all CORYLOPSIS Face Powder,

PEROXIDE CREAM, 25c stze, special15c for 35c
IMPORTED Tooth Brushes,
15c, 19c kinds, for 10c
HAIR BRUSHES, soild backs,
special 49c
VIOLET AMMONIA, quart bottle special 10c ABSORBENT COTTON, pound packages.
BORAX. pound packages....
PAPIER POUDRE Powder

Linen drawnwork scarts or shams 75c

Worth a fourth more The scarfs are for buffets or dress-ers and are 18 by 54 in., with elabo-rate crawn-work embellishment and finished all around with hemstitched

nem,
The Shams or covers are 50 inches,
with drawn-work designs and hemstitched hems.
Third floor—Art section. 39c to 75c fancy beltings

25c belt length Beautiful new styles. Just a special "pick-up" lot at way below regular worth.

Included are elastic beltings, silver or gold ground with embossed colored flowers; plain gold or silver; also fancy effects in plain gold, silver, white-and-gold, white-and-silver, and over 25 other styles.

All at the one price-25c beit length.

Ist floor-End of Trimming section. 1st floor-End of Trimming section.

Spring reefers and hats

for "wee" children

(Infants' Section.)

The latest and cutest styles in children's spring reefers you ever saw are here.

COTTON PONGEE REEFERS. with inserts of light blue on \$3.00 collar and cuffs, brass buttons SILK PONGEE COATS, 3 styles, plain or braided collar and cuffs; sizes 2 to 5 years, some with \$5.00 pockets. Choice.....

HEEFERS, in checks and stripes, with inlaid velvet collar and cuffs, finished metal \$3.00 2nd floor-S. Kann, Sons & Co

BLUE BRILLIANTINE REEF-ERS, finished with white PK ERS, finished with white PK collar and cuffs with Pt. \$4.50 Venice lace edge.......... BLUE BRILLIANTINE REEF-ERS, with white PK collar and cuffs, finished with hand \$5.00 WHITE MILAN STRAW HATS,

\$1.00

Charlotte russe in egg or bouillon china cups, 5c each Really delicious

JELLY and CREAM filled Doughnuts, special doz..... 150 CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS and
Cream Puffs, doz. 50c, each...

LAYER CAKES, including chocolate, orange, vanilla and cocoanut. Choice.

POUND, Citron, Walnut, or Fruit Cake, ib.

Milled vellum writing paper, a pound, 10c

An excellent quality paper, in white and blue, tomorow, loc a pound. Envelopes to match, a package, Sc. First floor-Stationery Dept.