

Half Price Sale.

- \$5.00 Men's Light Wool Suits \$2.50
\$12.50 Blue Serge Suits \$7.50
\$12.50 Norfolk Summer Suits \$7.50
\$10.00 Black Clay, Diagonal Suits \$5.00
\$10.00 All Wool Lung Pants Suits \$5.00
\$15.00 Boy's Back Clay Diagonal Suits \$7.50
\$10.00 English Worsteds Suits \$10.00
\$10.00 Boys' Blue Suits \$2.00
\$6.00 Blue Knee Suits \$3.50
\$6.00 House Suits, Ages 3 to 8 \$3.00
Bathing Suits, Nightgown Shirts, Lake Thread Underwear, Boys Bathing Tights 10c and 15c.

John Ould & Co.

W. 1st and Bridge Sts.

MADE-TO-ORDER GLASSES

Eye glasses are not worn as an ornament, but they need not be the reverse. Ill fitting glasses are nearly always disfiguring...

Today, Any Day

Don't risk right in, ask for what you want. Particular taste calls for in jewelry and luxury, any brand, any make. If it is not in stock we will buy it for you, if you decide not to buy, our tender feelings won't be hurt.

Silk Opportunity

The season is approaching when we feel that it is to our advantage to dispose of certain lines of goods. To do this quickly it is necessary to make the price so low that it cannot be resisted, this we are doing with...

Foulard Silks.

Those that were cheap at \$5.00 and \$1.25 at 50c up. The lower grade \$1.00. There are not many of them.

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Special excursion to the Thousand Islands Sunday, July 13th, the New York Central will run one of its popular special excursions Oswego to Thousand Islands and return giving patrons special through fast train in each direction. Only \$2.00 for the round trip including the beautiful 50-mile ramble made by special steamer.

Delightful nights to rest and Perfect Days to Shop.

and most profitable at L. Robins' Jewelry Sale. Every dollar you invest returns double value. See what you can do in 1847 Rogers Bros' Ware and Elgin Watches. Dealers are taking advantage of the sale and why can't you?

L. ROBINS, 7 W. Bridge Street

AN APPEAL MADE.

Families Urged to Take Care of Fresh Air Children.

Remember the fresh air children who are to come to Oswego Saturday, July 26. This work needs your assistance. Take one or two children of whatever age, sex or religion you may wish and help to make this cause a better success because of your help. Last year 9,125 children were sent away for two weeks at a cost of almost \$10,000 and out of 30,000 mothers and children were taken for a trip on the Hudson and furnished with all the milk they could drink.

The railroad gives this work special cars and gives a rate for both children and attendants of one-fourth the regular fare which shows the railroad's interest in this work. Unless we do more than heretofore West and North of New York City many will not be able to get on account of the coal strike where many have always been taken. New York will be a more unhealthy place and hotter place this year than possible ever before on account of the great underground tunnel now being built in New York and because of the soft coal which is used.

If you take a little one or two from this great city you will enjoy it yourself and will do untold good to the child. All children are medically examined before leaving New York. Come my dear Christian friends, and help us in this great work that we may do good to these little ones from our great center and give them the air they so much need. Let the committee know as soon as possible how you will take.

FRANK TREADWELL, Second National Bank, H. J. KARINSKI, West Second Street, City.

A NEW DEPARTURE

Lackawanna Passengers Will Be Taken Down to the Arundell's Dock.

The Arundell will run her first excursion of the season to the Islands tomorrow and for the first time in the history of the Lackawanna railroad a passenger train will run through the tunnel and along Water Street to Cayuga for the accommodation of excursionists from Syracuse and other points along the Lackawanna railroad. Passengers will be transferred to smaller passenger cars at the corner of West Seventh and Utica Streets and they will be hurried to the foot of Cayuga Street. This special service will be given every Sunday during the season. The Arundell leaves at 8:45 o'clock.

The Berry Market. Today practically ended the strawberry season locally. The shipments to-day were light. Prices ranged from \$2 to \$2.25 for ordinary berries and from \$3 to \$3.75 for Atlantics.

A Base Ball Challenge. The Boys' Holy Name Society of St. Peter's parish, would like to play any ball team under fifteen after August 1st, 1902.

State League games yesterday: Myraux 6, Albany 1; Schenectady 11, Hon 2; Binghamton 9, Troy 7; A. J. & G to Utica 8.

Eastern League games yesterday: At Worcester, Rochester 1, Worcester 3; At Newark, Montreal 1, Newark 5; At Providence, Buffalo 3, Providence 2; At Jersey City, York 10, Jersey City 7.

Cleveland moved out of last place yesterday, giving that honorable position to Detroit.

HISTORIC MISSIONS.

ANCIENT LANDMARKS OF CALIFORNIA TO BE PRESERVED.

Rich in Tradition of the Early Civilization of the Coast—Monuments of the Pioneer Pilgrims—How the Old Structures Will Be Saved.

The historic old missions of California, relics of a picturesque past and monuments of the earliest civilization on the Pacific coast, are to be preserved. Steps have already been taken to repair them without destroying their color, grandeur or marbling the unique types of architecture which they represent.

The old structures are not to be rebuilt. They will merely be kept in their present condition because of their historic value and as reminders of the romantic epoch of American history for which they stood.

The work of saving the old missions, which are crumbling in decay and disappearing, is being carried on by the Landmarks club of southern California, whose aim is to preserve the pretty traditions that tell the story of the pioneers who inhabited that region long ago.

There is a great deal of romance woven about these now falling buildings, which once stood out as the most unique institutions of a wild and half civilized region. They represent the sacrifice of scores of human lives, to say nothing of the privation and suffering which the Jesuit and Franciscan fathers underwent in founding them and carrying on the terribly rigorous work for which they were intended. Round about the crumbling stone walls, dotted and marred by more than a century of exposure to wind and weather, surged the wild fighting and the hardships of those primitive days, as pictured through their weathered walls, so that their homes, their peaceful comfort and even their lives to the missionaries which they so persistently sacrificed.

The first mission was founded in southern California in 1769 by the pioneer priest, Father Junipero. A cross was erected as a temporary structure of



BELL TOWER, SAN GABRIEL MISSION.

and in a few days the bells that sum up the frightened Indians out of the forests were hung from a roughly built tower supported by two posts. It was the beginning of Father Junipero's memorable work among the natives of the Pacific coast, and when the father died in 1781 his institutions, consisting of substantial buildings and wonderful appointments for the time, had been established.

His grave, ornate and devoted, stands before his arrival at the coast and today his tomb is the only one of the many that has remained in its original position. The church and the adjacent buildings and the surrounding grounds are in a state of ruin and the ruins are being preserved as a national monument.

An incident is related of the first baptism attempted at the San Diego mission. The Indians had been prepared upon to bring an infant to receive the consecration, and preparations were made to carry out the ceremony with great pomp. Everything was ready, and Father Junipero had raised his hand to sprinkle the child's face when sudden terror got the better of the parents, and in the twinkling of an eye they snatched their babe from the arms of the priest and ran from the church. Tears streamed down Father Junipero's face, and he declared that only some unworthiness in himself could have produced such a disaster.

At 1790 the sixteen missionary padres drew over the spiritual leaders over 3,000 Indian converts, and by the close of the century there were eighteen missions, with forty padres and a neophyte population of 13,500. By 1846 the once prosperous missions had fallen in decay.

Some of these old missions have entirely disappeared, and others are beyond hope of rehabilitation. The more important and better built ones are in a fair state of preservation and with the aid of the Landmarks club will be preserved to posterity.

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This road possesses unusual advantages for tourists, as their direct connections and unrivaled electric lighted train service afford every convenience and comfort for those desiring to spend a pleasant vacation. If you intend making a trip this summer you should write George L. Williams, Commercial Agent, 200 Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N. Y., giving a brief outline of your plans. He will then fully advise you regarding rates, baggage and stop-over regulations, time of trains, and any desired information.

Housekeeper's Cheap Excursions to the West and North West via Chicago & North-Western Railway from Chicago, June 17, July 1-15, August 5-19, September 2-16 and October 7 and 21. Exceptionally low rates to a large number of points in Northern Wisconsin, Michigan, North-Western Iowa, Western Minnesota, Nebraska, North and South Dakota. Better own a farm. Start now. Send two cent stamp to W. B. Kniskern, 22 Fifth Avenue, Chicago, for copy of the "North-Western Home-seeker." Apply to your nearest ticket agent for particulars or address W. M. Burgard, 301 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. j10d1aw5w

Republican Caucus at Hannibal. (Special to the Times.) HANNIBAL, July 12.—At the Republican caucus held this afternoon the following delegates were elected: School—D. D. Metcalf, Jasper Hopper, J. B. Burt, H. H. Phillips, W. H. Brackett, Munroe Rockwood, Willard Wilber. Instructed for Young.

District J. W. Burt, E. S. Tallman, D. F. Acker, J. T. Farnham, Wm. Galt, Fred Carter, John Hallam. Instructed for Knapp, Stowell and Lewis.

County—Wm. H. Wilson, W. H. Brackett, Clinton Haws, Rufus Day, R. A. Powers, R. R. Knowlton, A. L. Eldridge.

A. S. Guthrie, candidate for Superintendent of Poor, was allowed to name the delegates, who were instructed to vote for Cook, Baker, Davis and Vowinkel.

Are Poisoning Dogs. The police have received over a dozen complaints from residents of the back end of the Fifth Ward who say that their dogs have been poisoned during the past ten days. Over fourteen valuable dogs have been poisoned by some unknown person or persons and the police are making an investigation.

Argument on Injunction. Corporation Counsel Hamilton and Judge Stowell are in Syracuse to-day where the injunction proceeding relative to the D., L. & W. Railroad tracks in Water Street is being argued before Justice Andrews.

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CHANGE OF RESIDENCE. Dr. Phelps has removed his office one stairway East, over Burden & Marsden's store. may12d2aw9w

