

UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE.

Wheeler of CaliforniaAppealed
To Aid Movement.

Berkeley, Cal., June 16.—President Wheeler of the state university has been asked to lend his support to a movement for the adoption of a universal language. A delegation from Parisian scholars is in charge of the propaganda.

The delegation states in a letter to President Wheeler that in any case it does not specially advocate any one language, new or old. It proposes simply to unite all partisans of

an auxiliary to an expression of opinion to represent them and to arrive by an international agreement and a kind of arbitration, at a definite and universally accepted solution.

For this purpose it invites all learned bodies, all associations of business men or tourists, to express an agreement with the declaration and to elect delegates.

WILL PAY DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR.

San Francisco, Cal., June 16.—The 32nd Insurance companies that rejected the suggestion of a 75-cent tax on the dollar compromise put forward by 61 of their associates in the underwriters' bureau, have received two additions to

their number. The Insurance Company of North America and the Niagara of New York have announced that they will pay up dollar for dollar on their losses.

LINCOLN CABIN CENTER OF "HOME COMING" EXERCISES

Louisville, Ky., June 16.—The "home coming" exercises in Louisville today centered around the log cabin in which Abraham Lincoln was born, and which during the week has been standing in Central park.

Addressed by Adlai E. Stevenson, vice president of the United States, and

Henry Watterson were the features. Mr. Stevenson made the oration of the day, and after alluding eloquently to the hospitality shown during the week to the homecoming Kentuckians he dwelt upon the career of Abraham Lincoln, holding up his character and example as a model to all Americans for all time.

Mr. Watterson, who delivered the home coming oration on Wednesday, spoke but briefly today.

Although the home coming week is scheduled to continue over Sunday, many of the returned Kentuckians today turned their backs for the second time on their native state, and started for their present places of residence.

Thousands of people also left here on

the early trains for Frankfort to attend the ceremonies at the laying of the cornerstone of the new capitol.

DEL. INS. CO. WITHDRAWS.

San Francisco, June 16.—The exam-

iner says:

"The latest addition to the list of insurance companies that have decided to withdraw from business on the coast is the Delaware of Philadelphia."

The company is an old established concern. It was organized in Philadelphia in 1835. It has done business in California for a number of years. It announces that while it is the company's intention to adjust all losses, it

will not pay more than 75 cents on the dollar in any instance.

J. W. Brooks,

manager of the west-

ern department of the Delaware, is

here from Chicago, and is in charge

of affairs. He makes no concealment

of his company's intention to withdraw and discount losses.

PROF. LOUNSURY TO RETIRE.

Newhaven, Conn., June 16.—At the

end of the present college year, Prof.

Thomas B. Lounsbury of Yale will ter-

minate his active connection with the

university with a service of 35 years.

Prof. Lounsbury is one of the best

known of the Shefford scientific school

faculty, and has been at the head of

the department of English since 1871. He was graduated from Yale in 1859.

MILLIONAIRE FOUND DEAD.

Des Moines, Iowa, June 16.—Dr. T. J. Caldwell, a millionaire banker and physician, was found dead in bed in his hotel at Adel early this morning. Dr. Caldwell was prominent in Iowa politics, having represented his country in both the house and senate at different times. His wife is in Denver. Death was due to old age.

Try the King of Belishes—MOUNT CHOW CHOW. Your grocery man sell it.

Keith-O'Brien's Oxford Sale!



MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S OXFORDS, \$1.50 AND \$1.75. PRETTY LITTLE STYLES FOR YOUR GIRLS IN PATENTS, TANS, CANVASS AND KID.

Men's Furnishings.

Many men look to their wives, mothers or sisters to buy furnishings for them.

Not every man cares to visit a department store. The men's furnishings this week offer many inducements.

Complete new showing of beautiful neckwear—neat, pleasing patterns—the latest style-ideas.

New showing of shirts and half-hose.

New stock of valises and suit cases.

SUIT CASES AND GRIPS—Complete lines and special prices.

SUMMER SHIRTS—Beautiful new line. Pleated bosoms and plain negligee. Cuffs attached and detached. Regular \$1.50, for \$1.10

MEN'S BELTS—Proper widths for summer. Values up to \$1.00, for 45c

WASH TIES—Neck wear that can be laundered when soiled. Good assortments. Prices 25c and 50c

BLACK SATEEN SHIRT—Working Shirt—values \$1.25, for \$1.00

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS—White, hemstitched—four for 25c

On the Floor Below.

FRUIT JARS. Masons, Pints, 70c; Mason's Quarts, 80c; Mason's Two Quarts, \$1.15. Economy Fruit Jars. One Pint, \$1.00; One Quart, \$1.25.

Week of Monday, 18th, Free With Every \$1.00 Purchase A Good 6-Prong Hat Rack.

REMEMBER FREE.—

A Beautiful line of Hand Cut Vases Selling at Half Price.

Special 8 in. Cut Glass Bowl \$3.75

Near Cut Glass Ware, special one-third off.

A fine line of Glass Vases, 10c, 20c, 25c and 35c

Thin Shell Glasses, per doz 60c

Regular \$1.25-\$1.50 Brass Clocks Special 60c

All Brass and Art Bronze Bric-a-brac at Half Price.

A Good Home Spring Scale, \$1.50, now \$1.00

A Knife Board 15c now 5c

A Iron Holder, 15c now 8c

A Package Knife Polish, 20c now 5c

A Carving Knife and Fork, \$2.75, now \$1.05

A Carving Knife and Fork, 75c now 25c

A Picture Frame, Brass, \$1.35, now 75c

A Pair of Gold-plated Napkin Rings, 50c, now 25c

A Flour Bin (large), \$2.50, now \$1.50

A Tin Dipper, 10c, now 5c

A Wire Handle Stove Lifter, 20c now 10c

A Wine Handle Stove poker, 20c now 10c

A Chair seat Common size, 10c now 5c

A Pudding Mould 50c, now 25c

A Can of Floor Oil 50c, now 25c

Floor Wax, 25c, now 15c

A Knit Basket, 50c, now 25c

A Mixing Board, 50c, now 25c

A Curtain Stretcher, \$2.25, now \$1.75

Watch Our Windows Next Week In Household Goods—BIG SPECIALS.

No Greater Compliment Can Be Paid a Business House Than To Have It Said That You Can Depend Upon Its Goods and Work.

The Mid-Year Inventory is Near at Hand—Our Purpose is to Lower the Stock

Style emphasizes the Oxfords which we offer you. The newest shapes, perfect fitting and stunning effects are a few of the strong points. With few exceptions, every shoe in this house is included in this sale.

\$1. 95	Women's Oxfords—Hundreds of pairs in sample and broken lines of Oxfords in all stocks, worth \$3.50 to \$4.00.	\$3. 45
\$2. 95	Women's Oxfords—The snappiest, prettiest and most dainty French heel Oxfords, each mode worth \$3.50 to \$5. Also many styles in Cuban and Military heel.	\$1. 95

Every pair new spring lasts and styles.

During Oxford Sale Any pair of High Shoes in our stock at \$3.45, worth \$4.50. \$6. Any pair \$3.50 Shoes at \$2.95

Special Prices On Summer Suits.

Keith-O'Brien Suits are unique in many ways. The designs are original and exclusive. The styles are the best. The suits are made to fit perfectly and becomingly.

WHITE DUCK SUITS—Box and Eton styles; short jackets; gored skirts. This is a very natty suit and is priced particularly low \$6.50

DOTTED SWISS DRESS—Made with short sleeves; skirt trimmed with insertions of lace; waist and sleeves handsomely trimmed. Special price \$7.50

We are showing complete lines of dainty summer dresses in bobbinette, Swiss, French lawns embroidered linens. Prices run from \$8.75 to \$95.00

LINEN JACKET SUITS—A special price is made for Monday. The suits are shown in white, blue, pink and green. Eton and pony styles. Good quality of linen; trimmed with medallions and insertions of embroidery. Former prices \$16.50 and \$18.75 \$12.75

PRETTY LITTLE ETON SUIT—A very jaunty style, in white and blue duck; full skirt. Specially priced \$8.75

All cloth suits at half of their former prices.

Silks and Summer Weight Woolens

A Stirring Offer in the Dress Goods Aisle. The Entire Assortment of New Seasonable Materials at Less Than Half Price.

The entire assortment of new seasonable materials at less than half price. 75c Foulard Silk, 27-inch Nuns Veiling, 28-inch Satin striped Challies, 19-inch all silk pongee, 65c India Crape, 23-inch White Wash Silk, 23 and 27-inch Colored Indias, 65c Fancy Wash Silks. Per yard 33 cts

Our complete assortment of White and Black Suitings on sale. Values from \$1.25 to \$3.50. Special prices a yard 98c to \$1.25

Half-Price Remnant Sale Silk and Wool remnants; big assortment to select from.

MISSES', CHILDRENS' AND INFANTS' SLIPPERS, 50c TO \$1.95. BARGAINS FOR THE LITTLE FOLKS IN DAINTY STRAP AND PUMP EFFECTS.

Neckwear and Veilings.

An Unusual Sale To Run All Week.

The ladies are always interested in dainty neckwear.

The department has been preparing for this sale for some time.

The stock is new and complete, and the very newest ideas in neck dress are being shown.

The values are exceptional at the reduced prices.

All of our Lace Batiste and Embroidery Collars, including Linen Tailored styles, which sell regularly for 75 cents and \$1.00 each are reduced for Monday to 65c

Chiffon and sewing silk veilings in white, black and colors—regular 35c to \$1.00 per yard at HALF PRICES.

New Embroidery Turn over collars, 10c each, 3 for 25c

Handsome Showing of New Heavy Embroidery Turn over collars, 15c each, 2 for 25c

Turn Over Collars, in White Embroidery and plain Hemstitch, 5c each, 6 for 25c

Washable stock Collars in Linen, Embroidery and Lace. All the new ideas for summer. Regularly 25c each. Reduced from 50c and 50

10 PER CENT DISCOUNT on all collar and cuff sets. Shown in Linen, fine Lace and Embroidery. Suitable to be worn with suits of any kind.

Long Gloves.

On account of the unprecedented demand for long gloves the trade has been demoralized. And there is no hope. The demand is many times greater than the output of factories.

We have just received a shipment of 12 and 14 button black and white kid gloves, the only kind to be had for short sleeves. These will probably not last long as they are getting almost as scarce as long black silk gloves.

Should Disatisfaction Occur we earnestly invite the Customer to make the fact known to the Management.

Prices and Values are Never Misrepresented; Misstatements are not Tolerated.

Parasols.

We are showing an elegant stock of parasols. White linens are the most attractive. Many of them have embroidered edges, embroidered inserting, and the hand embroidered; plain white enameled handles.

A very pretty line of colored embroidered silk with novelty handles is shown.

Pongees with different colored dots and borders are very attractive.

The showing of colored umbrellas for rain or shine is a handsome one. Green, brown, blue, dark, red and plaid, princess handles. Prices \$2.50 to \$6.00.

Java rice powder—unusually good. Special 25c.

White hand bags are the latest idea. Kid, canvas or duck. 50 cents to \$1.95.

Pearl necklaces, popular for low neck waists—75 cent values for 35c.