

FOE OF THE "TIGER" TO TALK ON PEACE

Witherspoon Hall Audience Will Hear Jean Longuet's Challenge to Clemenceau

GRANDSON OF KARL MARX

Jean Longuet, former member of the French Chamber of Deputies, will speak on "France and the Movement for International Peace" at Witherspoon Hall tonight at a meeting arranged by the Jean Longuet Committee.

Members of the committee for the Philadelphia meeting are from Bryn Mawr College, the University of Pennsylvania, the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, the Young Democracy, the Council of Jewish Women and the Women's Trade Union League.

M. Longuet is the son of the Socialist pioneer, Charles Longuet, and grandson of Karl Marx. He has been in this country for some weeks, speaking in several cities on French socialism.

BUSINESS MEN ATTACK POOR TROLLEY SERVICE

Five Northeastern Section Organizations Want Routes 4 and 5 Restored. Five organizations in the northeastern section of the city were represented last night at a mass-meeting when residents of Teany, Wisconsin and Torresdale agreed to ask Thomas E. Mitten, president of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit, for better transportation facilities.

Protest was made against the discontinuance of the service on Routes 4 and 5 and the "poor and ineffective service" on Route 5. Because of the stopping of the service on Routes 4 and 5, they declared, the trolley riders have been compelled to pay two fares to reach points in Kensington to which they were formerly carried for one fare.

BAD MONEY BEING PASSED

Secret Service Chief Lays Counterfeits to Bootleggers. This city is being flooded with counterfeit five, ten and twenty dollar bills, according to William C. Houghton, chief of the Secret Service Bureau. He warns the public to look out for \$5 Italian Head notes, \$10 notes listed Ozone Park National Bank, and \$20 bank notes, listed Grand Rapids National Bank.

LIFE TERM TO MRS. HODELL

Mother and Daughter Sentenced for Murders in Michigan. White Cloud, Mich., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Alice Hudgins and her daughter, Media Hodell, were sentenced to life imprisonment at the Detroit House of Correction yesterday following their recent conviction of the murder of Mrs. Hodell's father-in-law of Mrs. Hodell, and Ronald Hodell, her husband.

LIQUOR AND STILL SEIZED

Prohibition Agents Raid Five Stores and Homes. Prohibition agents raided five places yesterday and seized a large amount of liquor and two stills. According to the agents, the following seizures were made: One gallon of liquor in the candy store of B. Denkski, Fairmount avenue near Twenty-third street; a forty-gallon still and a quantity of mash in the home of Philip Menz, 1445 North Alder street; a forty-gallon still and twelve barrels of mash in the home of A. Short, 1430 North Alder street; four gallons of liquor in the home of S. Berkowski, 2227 Brown street; three quarts of liquor in the cigar store of John Van Luck, 2221 Fairmount avenue.

Shore Hotelmen Meet in April. Atlantic City, Dec. 12.—Tentative dates for the annual spring exposition of the Avenue Hotel Association were selected at the monthly session held last night. April 10 to 25 were the dates selected and arrangements have been made to hold the affair on the Garden Pier.

Estey Service is as supreme as VICTROLAS AND VICTOR RECORDS. ESTEY COMPANY, Estey Hall, 17th & Walnut.

Victrolas Victor Records. Stern & Co. 712-714 Market St.

Whitman's TRIAL SIZE. Takes the edge off Fall Chills. A delicious drink full of food-value. Trial size, 10 cents.

One of Hoskins' Desks WILL MAKE A Practical Christmas Gift. Hoskins, 904-906 Chestnut Street.

The Christmas Book Store Full of Good Cheer. Which radiates to all corners of the earth, wherever a Book carries the Christmas message of friendship.

Mitchell Fletcher Co. Fancy Glace Fruits. Gift Boxes, \$1.15, \$2.25, \$3.25, \$5.25. Mince Meat in Jars, Park Farm Plum Pudding, Park Farm Fruit Cake.

Christmas Music by the Strawbridge & Clothier Chorus A Beautiful Way to Start a Christmas Shopping Day

JOHN WANAMAKER

It is with sincere sorrow that we record upon our page to-day the sad news of the passing of the eminent citizen and great merchant, whose business establishment has been contemporary with ours for more than half a century.

John Wanamaker was a man of distinguished attainments. No man of his time wielded a more far-reaching influence in elevating the tenets and practices of retail business.



His genius was the genius of individuality. His personality was given vivid expression through the great business founded and builded by him, and thus vividly impressed upon the entire retail world.

Strawbridge & Clothier

Axminster Rugs 9x12 Feet, Special \$29.75 and \$31.50

Only about 60 Rugs in this group, which because of minor irregularities in weave are at such low prices.

Also Small Axminster Rugs, size 36x63 inches, at \$5.75.

Extra - large Axminster Rugs, 9x5 and 11x12 feet - \$52.75. Slight defects in weave or matching are responsible for this low price - \$52.75.

Cocoa Door Mats will make useful Christmas gifts. About 1,000 of them here, in various sizes at interesting prices: 18x27 inches - \$1.45; 18x30 inches - \$1.85; 20x32 inches - \$2.25; 22x36 inches - \$2.75.

Gifts for Athletic Boys and Girls

Soccer Balls of pebble-grain leather, for boys or girls - \$1.25; of cowhide - \$5.00; others at \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Basket Balls of pebble-grain leather, full size - \$3.90; others at \$3.50 to \$15.00.

Rugby Foot Balls of pebble-grain leather - \$1.50; of cowhide - \$3.50; others at \$1.75 to \$9.00.

Boxing Gloves - \$3.50 to \$15. Punching Bags - \$3.50 to \$10.00.

Ball-bearing Roller Skates, Union Hardware make, for boys and girls - \$1.95.

Men Always Want Shirts

Especially when they are from Strawbridge & Clothier's, the Store to which men come to buy their own.

Fine-count percale, numerous color combinations - \$1.37. Of fine woven-stripe or plain white madras - \$1.55.

Of excellent fabrics, with fine silk stripes - \$2.15. Of fancy striped English broadcloth - \$5.00.

Of beautiful silk in scores of smart, distinctive, colorful patterns - \$5.00 to \$12.00.

Night Shirts, of outing flannel, \$1.15 to \$2.00. Pajamas, of warm outing flannel - \$1.65 to \$3.50.

Paisley Prints of Silk-and-Wool. Are foremost from a fashion standpoint. Colorings and designs are glorious. Not only are these new patterns going rapidly into gift boxes to be fashioned into frocks and blouses, but many are selecting Paisley Prints to make into scarfs and mufflers for gifts. Width 40 inches - \$3.00 to \$5.00 a yard.

Men's Initialed Handkerchiefs 35c. Or 3 for \$1.00. An attractive price for such desirable linen Handkerchiefs. All are neatly hemstitched and nicely initialed. Give them by the dozen, at \$4.00.

Boxing Gloves - \$3.50 to \$15. Punching Bags - \$3.50 to \$10.00. Ball-bearing Roller Skates, Union Hardware make, for boys and girls - \$1.95.

Women's Wool Dresses Special Value at \$18.50

An excellent opportunity for the many women who find they need an extra dress of this kind for a good, handy standby during the strenuous Holiday activities.

There are trim, well-tailored, good-looking models of Poiret twill, tricotine and serge, in navy blue and black, chiefly in the slender, straight-line styles, with the youthful round, collarless necklines. Some simply tucked, others embroidered or trimmed with novelty braid.

An Excellent Assortment of Wool and Silk Dresses at \$25.00

Canton crepe, chinchilla crepe and broche crepe in surplus blouse and straight-line models, black, brown or blue. Some are beautifully embroidered in unusual designs. Poiret twill Dresses with colored embroidery or braid for trimming; straight-line models in coat style, also surplus or basque effect. Navy blue and black - \$25.00.

Francis Bacon Player-Pianos \$550

Delivered in time for Christmas, the balance payable in monthly amounts.

Francis Bacon Pianos and Player-Pianos are widely known as the finest moderate priced instruments obtainable.

And now prices are lower than for years.

Upright Pianos - \$350.00, \$375.00 and \$400.00. Upright Player-Pianos - \$550.00, \$575.00 and \$600.00. Baby Grand Pianos - \$700.00. Reproducing Upright Pianos - \$900.00. Reproducing Grand Pianos - \$1600.00.

In addition to these, we are also exclusive representatives for the supreme Sohmer Pianos, Player-Pianos and Reproducing Pianos, as well as for Hazeltin Brothers' fine instruments.

That Boy Would Like a Raincoat. Indeed he would! And we have the best kinds for boys, arranged so that you can select quickly.

Raincoats at \$3.75. Black Rubber Raincoats: sizes 6 to 16 years - \$3.75.

Of black rubber, with tan jean back; 6 to 16 years - \$5. Tan Rubberized, belted; 6 to 14 years - \$6.00.

Whipcord Coats for rain or shine, excellent value - \$12.75. Black Rubber Hats - 75c. Tan Rubberized Rain Hats - \$1.00.

Men's Suits To-Measure, \$47.50 and \$55.00. Men who are particular about their clothes will find this Custom Tailoring Shop a good place in which to satisfy their needs.

Business Suits made-to-measure from an abundant range of suitings - \$47.50 and \$55.00.

Also a large collection of tweeds and homespuns for golf Suits, black and gray fabrics for Cutaway Coats to wear with striped trousers, white and black silk vestings for Evening Vests.

An order now will insure your getting the Clothes for Christmas.

Wall Paper at Half Price. Small lots of beautiful Wall Paper, each consisting of 10 pieces of side-wall paper, 6 pieces of ceiling paper and 18 yards of decoration. Included are stripes and florals for the bedroom, tapestries, shadow and figured striped patterns for the dining-room and hall.

Prices range from \$3.00 to \$7.00 a lot.

A small lot of Japanese Grass Cloth Paper - 50c a square yard.

In addition, all our present stocks of Wall Paper are reduced for a pre-Christmas clearance. Prices are very low.

Camel's-Hair Wool Sweater Sets Unusual, \$7.95. JUST THE GIFT FOR YOUNGSTERS, 2 TO 6.

Slip-on Sweater, Leggings, Cap and Mittens of tan camel's-hair wool. Roly poly youngsters look adorable in them, and they are just as warm and cozy as can be, ready for long play hours in wintry weather. Sweaters are belted, with a breast pocket and roll collar. Such Sets are usually much higher in price, but we secured these at a price concession - now \$7.95.

Continuing the Sale of Sample Coats from our own factory, including Top Coats of fancy mixed tweeds, in the overcoat styles - Dress Coats of fine Bolivia weaves in plain shades; and Plush Coats that closely resemble fur coats; in straight-line belted and wrap effects. Many handsome fur-collar Coats in the lot. An excellent variety of the best types of the season - \$25, \$35, \$40, \$50, \$65, \$75, \$100.

All in size 36, but many in the full easy effects adaptable to larger figures. The values are wonderful.

3000 Yards of Heavy Satin Canton Crepe \$3.50. A dress length of one of the season's smartest Silks is a gift to delight a woman. A heavy quality, beautiful in weave and texture, that falls in graceful drapery or slim straight lines in accord with fashion's whims. In black and smart shades. This is a rare opportunity, indeed, to secure Satin Canton Crepe of such excellence at \$3.50 a yard.

Christmas Concerts

BEGINNING at 9:30 every morning, until December 23, inclusive, the Strawbridge & Clothier Chorus will sing on the second floor.

Program To-morrow PROPHECY AND FULFILLMENT. A Christmas Cantata written especially for the Christmas concerts by Henry Hadley.

ELSIE LYONS COOK, Soprano. MARGUERITE CROWELL BARR, Contralto. JOHN OWENS, Tenor.

William S. Thunder at the Sohmer Grand Piano. Incidental Tableau by Members of the Store Family. (The above program will be broadcasted through our Radio Station.)

Give Her Aladdin Aluminum Ware

When presenting the housewife with aluminum ware for Christmas, be sure it is good, heavy and lasting - such is Aladdin Aluminum Ware.

Covered Cooking Kettles, four-quart size, with bail handle - \$2.00. Teakettles, four-quart size, of one piece - \$4.35.

Window Kettles, in four-quart size - \$2.25. Double Roasters, for those great, juicy roasts the family always enjoys over - \$3.95, \$4.95 and \$5.95.

1200 Yards of Linen Damask \$2.35. What a splendid gift this beautiful, firmly-woven, exclusively designed Linen Damask would make for the particular hostess. It is 70 inches wide and much below regular price - \$2.35 a yard.

Napkins to match, size 22x22 inches - \$6.00 a dozen. Hemstitched Humidor Linen Dinner Sets. In round or oval damask designs, and boxed. Cloth, 66x86 inches, with six Napkins, 20x30 inches - \$10.00 a set. Cloth, 66x86 inches, with six Napkins, 20x20 inches - \$12.00 a set.

Satin Damask Portieres, Special \$15. In fact, this price is one-third less than usual.

The Portieres are unusually handsome, and come in rich and two-tone shades of mulberry, blue, green, rose, brown and other desirable colorings. Full 50 inches wide and about 2 1/2 yards long. A splendid gift for the home - \$15.00 a pair.

Bedfurnishings. Practical gifts which any good housekeeper will welcome. Satin-finish white Marcellles Bed Spreads, double-bed size, 80x90 inches - \$5.00. White satin-finish Marcellles Bed Spreads with cut corners and scalloped edge, size 88x98 inches - \$8.50 each; Bed Spreads with Sham to match - \$12.50 a set.

S. & C. Sterling Pillow Cases, size 45x38 1/2 inches, hemstitched - 90c each. (Sheets and Bolster Cases to match.)

Fancy muslin Pillow Cases that are hand-drawn and hemstitched. Size 45x40 1/2 inches - \$1.35 each. (Sheets and Bolster Cases to match.)

Fine Muslin Pillow Cases with beautiful embroidered edges. Size 45x36 inches, \$2.50 a pair.

Children's Automobiles and Lots of Toys in The Christmas Toy Store. Toys and Toys, enough to bring Christmas happiness to every little boy and girl. And the first Christmas treat is to bring the children to this Easy-to-Get-to Toy Store and let them see Santa Claus and the wonderful Toys, Games and Dolls that will go into Christmas stockings before long.

Christmas Trees, big and little and middle size, too. Sparkling Christmas Tree Ornaments, 5c each, 50c a dozen; 10c each, \$1.00 a dozen. Others 15c, 20c and 25c each.

Have you seen Mutt and Jeff? They are the funniest, cleverest toys ever - \$1.25 each.

You can talk over the new Toy Telephone, \$1.00. Soldiers in regiments; Trains of all kinds; Wooden, Mechanical and Electric; Funny Face Blocks; Structo Toys, Friction Toys, Toy Typewriters, Toy Sewing Machines and Christy Mathewson's own Base Ball Game, among hundreds of Toys.

Most Every Boy Wants an Automobile. Roadsters and Racers and Sportsters that a fellow will be proud to ride in. Every size for boys of all ages - \$6.00, \$8.75, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$28.00, \$32.50, \$35.00, \$40.00, and a Limousine at \$80.00.

Special, an excellent model in Automobiles, \$5.00. Coaster Wagons, disc wheels and rubber tires, special value at \$9.25.

Dressed Lifelike Dolls, those lovely Soft Dolls, exceptional value - \$3.95.

NOTE - Santa Claus will talk over the Radio to-morrow night at 6:30.

