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# FESTIVAL OF FALL FASHIONS

Browning, King & Co., OPENING.



## Men's Fall Suits

The attractive styles and patterns shown here this season are without rivals. Everything from the latest checks and mixtures is shown at \$8, \$10, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.00 and \$25.00—made up like any tailor makes them, to fit and to wear with the very best. But our \$15 suit is the one we are proud of—\$15 includes every known fabric—every conceivable style—frocks, sacks, all the latest colorings—the par excellence of suit making..... **\$15.00**

## Fall Overcoats

The opening will show all the latest styles in covert cloths and chevriots in shades to match the suit. Special attention will be given to our all wool English covert cloth top coat, which is made up in the newest and most approved pattern of modern coat making—double silk stitched—Italian lined, silk button holes—all that \$18 top coats require. **\$12.50**  
Opening day price will be **\$10.00**

## Winter Overcoats

There's usually not much to be said about beauty when it comes to winter overcoats—but for that very reason our tailors have exerted themselves on winter overcoats—to make them so perfectly perfect that it is a pleasure to wear them—a time to be looked forward to when you will be really well dressed. They fit nicely—they are warm—they are fashionable—they price at \$10, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00. A special inducement offer comes out in our new Meltons, Kerseys, and Irish Frizos. Overcoats at..... **\$10.00**

## Men's Furnishings

With capacity beyond the reach of competition—with styles only held by those who want the best—it is hardly possible to make comparison with our Furnishing Goods Department—but we don't deny our right to make low prices. Men's Tan Colored All Wool Underwear, medium weight for fall wear, fashioned seams, heavy pearl buttons—drawers gusseted—75c a garment—\$1.50 a suit. These are extra special values. **B. K. & Co.'s Collars and Cuffs**—In the latest styles. Collars 10c, Cuffs 20c. Latest Novelties in Neckwear at 50c up. **House Jackets**—Probably no house—certainly none here—carries such an inexhaustive line of House Jackets as we do. All the varied styles at all the popular prices. It will be worth your while to look at them.

## A Personal Invitation.

On October 6, Wednesday, today, from 9 a. m. till 10 p. m. we shall make a special exhibition of our new patterns and styles in fall clothing and furnishings.

We shall be ready then to show you what has been engaging all the energies of our factory for the past six months; for it is important for you to remember that we make all the clothing that we sell. That is why the name of Browning, King & Co., on the hanger of a coat means so much as to the quality of a garment. We don't turn out anything that we are not ready to stand by with an unquestionable guarantee. On the occasion of this

## Grand Opening Today

From 9 a. m. till 10 at night

we shall be very glad to see all of our friends and particularly YOU. We shall have music for the general enjoyment, and the store will be beautifully decorated with flowers and foliage plants. We shall give away handsome souvenirs of the occasion. No one need stay away for fear of being importuned to buy something. We shall be only too well pleased if you will come and make yourselves at home and look over our fall and winter stocks in both the men's and boys' and children's departments. Our furnishings department deserves a special word. We don't know of another one like it, where the goods are all of the highest quality and selected with the most careful judgment and exacting good taste. We shall have some especial "bargains" to offer on this particular occasion, although we count it as a sufficient inducement to any purchaser of clothing that we always give a full dollar's worth for every dollar expended here. If it be true that every one wants the best—either the best that he can afford or the best there is—we don't happen to know where else he is as sure of getting it as here.

## Children's Suits

The great second floor is full to overflowing with the latest and best. To get every mother out all we have to do is to tell them about it. **Brown Mixed Brownie Suits**—All wool, trimmed with narrow brown braid—trousers lined up front and made with patent waist bands—sizes 3 to 8 years. Regular price \$4.00 **\$2.50**  
Opening sale price.....

## Navy Blue, Double Breasted 2 Piece Suits

All wool, fast colors—made with heavy serge lining and sewed with silk—trousers lined up front and made with patent waist bands, and seams all taped—sizes 7 to 16 years. Regular price \$4.00. **\$2.50**  
Opening Sale Price.....

## Nobby Plaid Scotch Cheviot 2-piece Suits

Double breasted—all wool—box back and serge lined—trousers made with double sewed seams and lined over front, sizes 8 to 15 years. Regular price \$7.00. **\$4.00**  
Opening Sale Price.....

## Boys' Navy Blue and Black Long Pants Suits

Single and double breasted, all wool, silk sewed, serge lined—in fact a nobby, dressy suit, sizes 14 to 18 years. Regular price \$9.00. **\$6.50**  
Opening Sale Price.....

**Our New Yorkshire Reofer**—made in all wool navy blue chinchilla, with ulster collar and detachable shoulder caps—cape trimmed with southeas and Heron's brand. This is an exclusive novelty with us. Sizes 3 to 7 years. Regular price \$8.00. **Opening Sale Price..... \$3.50**

## A Special Line of Knee Trousers in Mixed Chevriots

All wool, patent bands and lined over front— **50c**  
**\$1.00 Qualities at.....**

## Men's Hats

We most cordially invite you to call and examine our new fall line of Hats and Caps for Men, Boys and Children. We are showing a very large and most exclusive line of new fall novelties.

## Our Special Feature a \$2.50 Hat

We are positively selling the best \$2.50 stiff hat in the world (you can't touch them elsewhere for less than 50c to \$1.00 more).

We have the new **Yacht and Harvard Caps**, patent leather visors, in all colors, price 50c.

BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S HATS SECOND FLOOR.

In this department we are showing all the newest and natty designs in bonnets for big and little ones, at prices to suit a ll.

## Suits to Order

New samples of the latest weaves in cloths will be gladly shown by our salesmen—either for fall suitings or overcoatings. The popularity of this making to measure department is evidenced by the fact that our force is continually increasing to meet the demands of our customers. The great saving in price, the perfect fit, the style and finish all operate to gain us more and constant friends in our strictly honest clothing business.

## Mention of Umbrellas

Gloria Umbrellas, paragon frames, cover to match—elegant handles in all the popular woods on sale **\$1.00** at the opening day at—  
The same styles in Taffeta Silks at \$1.50

## Men's Trousers

It takes so little to make a new suit look newer—buy the ordinary kind of a suit—then buy an extra pair of pants—and there you are—We are sure to please you in trousers, for we can show you them from \$2.50 up, that include all that's desirable in fabric, in style or in finish, made up in our own usual tailor made style—and—always your money back when you want it.

## Men's Mackintoshes

At our opening sale we offer a choice of a lot of \$10 mackintoshes, box coat style, light and dark shades, all the newest shapes, as a special attraction at **\$5.00**  
Just to have people see what we have and to find out that although its always first class it need not necessarily be high priced—you'll like them **\$5.00** at.....

## South Omaha News.

Nothing has been done as yet about the Twenty-fourth street fire hall matter. Dan Hannon, the owner of the property, claims that under his contract he can collect rent from the city for the use of the premises until December 22. The sum of \$35 a month is now being paid for the rent of the building, but \$40 was to have been charged in the contract recommended by the fire and water committee which Mayor Enos vetoed. In case the contract was entered into the fire department was to have the whole building, the upstairs to be used for sleeping rooms, a workshop, bathroom, etc. Hannon says that he is willing to rent the downstairs and three rooms upstairs for \$35, the price now paid, provided a contract is entered into, but the city cannot have the entire second floor for the sum mentioned. Mayor Enos laughs at Hannon's statement that his contract holds until December 22. He says that Hannon violated the contract when he moved the building. During the progress of removal the department was compelled to vacate and this vacation, the mayor claims, ended any contract which might exist. Further, the building was moved without permission from the city council. Mayor Enos claims that his veto stands, although the council postponed action on it until the next meeting. He says that when a veto is read it must either be sustained or rejected, and that postponement is an acceptance. According to the executive \$35 a month is a reasonable rent for the building and he will not consent to paying any more for it. On the other hand he says a first-class brick fire hall will be built for a rental of \$50 a month, with room for the hook and ladder truck and four horses. This

includes living rooms, a bath room, sleeping apartment for five men, etc. Several propositions have been made to erect a building for fire department purposes, but the most reasonable one is from B. E. Wilcox, whose offer is for \$50 a month with a three years' contract.

## Waiting on the Injunction.

Work on the gas mains which are being laid on N street was stopped yesterday on account of an injunction obtained by J. C. Sharp. Pipes had been laid on N street from Twentieth to Twenty-fourth street and tunnels were to have been dug under the car tracks when the work was stopped. In speaking about the injunction yesterday afternoon Mayor Enos said: "The street has been left in a bad condition by the stopping of the work, but I suppose the gas company will protect its excavations, and in case the ordinance is knocked out will restore the street to its former condition. If the ordinance granting a franchise to the gas company is not good we will pass one that is. I think the ordinance is all right and am satisfied that it will hold. However, if an error has been made, it can be remedied by passing a new ordinance. From what I can learn I am satisfied that people here want to see gas. Not because they have any complaint against the electric light company, but because they appear to think that the city is now large enough to have both kinds of light." There was so much fuss over the passage of the gas ordinance that some of the members of the council do not feel that another franchise will be granted in a hurry should the ordinance now on the books be declared illegal.

## Want the Boulevard Wider.

Residents of the east side are preparing to register a complaint with the county commissioners on account of the narrowing of the Thirtieth street boulevard between M and O streets. It is claimed that the top of the roadway has been narrowed ten feet between the streets mentioned. The boulevard is

ninety-eight feet wide, with the exception spoken of, where it is less than ninety feet. County Commissioner Hoyer says that the change was made in the interest of economy and will not materially affect the boulevard. It is difficult, it is asserted, to obtain sufficient earth between M and O streets and a long haul is necessary. In order to save expense the change has been made. A petition is to be presented to the commissioners asking that the street be graded the full width.

## Council Without a Quorum.

Another attempt was made last evening to hold a special meeting of the city council to amend the building ordinance. Only two members, Schultz and Caldwell, were present when the roll was called and an adjournment was taken until 6 o'clock this evening. Schultz suggested that the mayor use the police force if necessary to compel the attendance of members tonight. Mayor Enos said that he would have the chief of police notify each member some time during the day, and that if members failed to attend he would send an officer after them. Frank Pivonka is anxious to go ahead with his galvanizing iron building, but he can do nothing until the building laws are modified so as to permit such structures being erected inside the fire limits.

## Condition of the New Levy.

City Clerk Carpenter has just issued a statement showing the amount of warrants drawn on the 1897 levy up to August 31. There is available on the 1897 levy the sum of \$65,545.57, and up to the close of business August 31 warrants to the amount of \$10,570.77 had been drawn. This left a balance on the books of the clerk of \$54,974.80. A large amount of this money has been expended for needed street repairs and improvements. Crossoaks have been laid in nearly all portions of the city and the street commissioner has been kept busy ever since the 1897 levy was available. The bulk of this

work is now done and the draft on the treasury from this source will now be lessened.

## Copper Fount Explodes.

While Henry Briscoe, a porter employed by C. A. Melcher, was engaged in charging a copper fount yesterday with carbolic acid gas from a drum the fount exploded. The fount was being charged in the cellar, and when it exploded it was thrown against the ceiling, doing some damage. Then it fell onto a large iron sink and broke a large piece out. Briscoe managed to escape injury, but just how he did was a miracle almost, as pieces of the fount, the sink and ceiling timbers were thrown about promiscuously.

## Maile City Gossip.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hurley, Twenty-seventh and K streets. Dr. Stabaugh reports a case of diphtheria in the family of A. Furst, Twenty-eighth and T streets. Mrs. Carrie Peck has returned from Montpelier, Vt., where she spent the summer visiting relatives. J. P. Cobey has applied for a permit to erect a \$500 cottage on N street, near Twenty-second street. The funeral of Annie Lazarowicz, Twenty-eighth and I streets, will be held today. Interment at St. Mary's cemetery. This evening the session of the First Presbyterian church will meet and elect delegates to the fall session of the synod, which meets in Omaha, October 13. The contractors will commence work on the Twenty-fifth street grading this morning. A start being made at Twenty-fifth and I streets, where there is a five-foot cut. TO CURE A BOLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

## LUETGERT DEFENSE RESTS

Put Two Witnesses Testify During the Day's Session.

DEFENDANT NOT ALLOWED TO TAKE STAND

Sausage Maker is Disappointed, but His Lawyers Decide the Matter—Mrs. Charles Talks About Rings.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—The defense in the famous Luetgert trial rested its case today after two witnesses had testified. Luetgert did not go on the witness stand in his own defense, yielding to the advice of his attorneys, but the disappointment to him was great. He has declared for months that he must tell his story to the jury. Luetgert's counsel feared to put him on the stand and he accepted the situation with a frown. The first witness called today was Henry J. Cox of the United States weather bureau. Mr. Cox came with charts and data to prove that the night of May 1, 1897, was cloudy in Chicago and vicinity. This was to counteract the testimony of witnesses who had sworn that they had stood across the street at 11 o'clock the night of May 1 and seen Luetgert and his wife walking toward the sausage factory. The first witness called after the consultation of Luetgert and his attorneys was Mrs. Mary Charles, wife of William Charles, Luetgert's business partner. Mrs. Charles

said that on several occasions Mrs. Luetgert had said to her "I am going away. My husband has failed in business and people will now point their fingers at me and say, 'She is the wife of the sausage maker who failed.' I cannot stand that." On May 1 the witness said she saw Mrs. Luetgert for the last time. It was about 11 o'clock in the morning. "Mrs. Luetgert again said she was going away and repeated that she could not stand the disgrace the failure had brought on her family. 'She turned away and I never saw her again,' concluded the witness. A dramatic scene followed. It had been agreed that Luetgert had offered an explanation of every accusation of the prosecution except the rings found in the middle vat in which the body of Mrs. Luetgert is alleged to have been disintegrated. The rings found in the vat were stuck together when disintegrated according to the story of Policeman Dean, who found them. Experts who examined them said the rings were glued together by human flesh. In one of these rings were engraved the letters "L. L."—the initials of Mrs. Louise Luetgert. The theory of the prosecution was that they had dropped from the dissolved fingers of Mrs. Luetgert in the vat, and were glued together by flesh tissues. The defense offered no explanation of these rings until the last moment. It was the climax of the sausage-maker's story. NOT MRS. LUETGERT'S RINGS. "Did you ever see Mrs. Luetgert wear rings?" asked Attorney Phalen after Mrs. Charles had finished telling about the missing woman's threats to leave home. "I have," replied the witness. "How many?" "She wore two." "Were they gold rings?" "They were." "You saw them often?" "Yes, very often." "Describe them—can you?" "Both were plain gold rings, nearly equal in size—as to the width, I mean. One of

them, I am sure—perhaps both—contained Mrs. Luetgert's initials." "Did you ever see this ring I now hold?" "It was one of the rings found in the vat. People in the court room stood up and craned their necks with breathless interest while the witness examined the ring. The big court room was hushed as the crowd of spectators stretched their ears to catch the reply of Mrs. Charles. "No, sir, I never saw that ring before," she finally answered. "It is narrower than either of those Mrs. Luetgert wore." The other ring was handed to her and the witness gazed at it for sometime. "This ring is about the size of one of the rings she wore," said Mrs. Charles, finally, "but I cannot tell—I do not think it is one of them." State's Attorney Deneen questioned the witness sharply. He asked her why she did not tell this story to the police or to Justice Kersten so long ago. She replied that she had told it to Luetgert's attorneys and was not asked to tell it again. Fred Miller, a nephew of Luetgert, who had worked for the latter in the grocery department of his sausage factory, testified that he had the watch of Mrs. Luetgert. He produced it upon the witness stand. The witness said that Mrs. Luetgert gave it to him to carry, saying she feared Luetgert would take away from her, as he scolded about her having so much jewelry, when, as a matter of fact, her watch and rings were all the jewelry she had. The unexpected cessation of the evidence of the defense found the prosecution unprepared to go on with its rebuttal. Court was adjourned until tomorrow morning. State's Attorney Deneen said today he would put on eighty witnesses in rebuttal and that ten of them would be from Kenosha, Wis., where it was said by witnesses Mrs. Luetgert was seen May 3, 4 and 5. Druggists know Dr. Davis' Anti-Headache is best of all headache remedies.