

spring from below the knee. Some women wear tights under their gowns, no petticoat at all, and have soft ruffles of China silk sewn in the gown up to the knee. But this is scarcely a Gaiety idea, and does not appeal to me; neither do petticoats of silk please me. They never seem thoroughly clean. A garment that comes into such close and intimate contact with the filth of the street even under the most favorable circumstances, should be on equally intimate terms with soap, water and a washtub. Fashions may come and fashions may go on the petticoat subject, but the material should always be white, and be washable.

The storm developed a number of new things in furs and togs for bad weather. Among them was a very smart coat in waterproof driving cloth.

It was long, reaching the feet all about, and was cut with a loose front, double breasted, buttoned with huge white pearl buttons, loose back—"box back" the girl that wore it called it—lapped seams, velvet collar, a shade darker, and pockets galore that buttoned with small white pearl buttons.

Another storm coat that I rather liked was red, bright red. It sounds queer, but it looked really awfully well when I met it on the Avenue the other day hurrying through the snow like a bright gleam lost from a ruby. I did not know the woman who was inside of it, and only had a brief glance, but I got this impression; it was a mackintosh, a red mackintosh made in two pieces. The skirt was plain, the coat had a rather deep yoke, and from the yoke it fell in box plaits nearly to the knee, front and back. There was a black velvet collar, a good deal of machine stitching and several pockets. The idea of skirt and coat being separate is an exceedingly good one for walking in bad weather, for to pick up one's skirts when one is wearing a long coat is a maddening proposition that one never accomplishes gracefully or successfully.

Cub bear victorines, with long stole ends, are being worn. Paris told us that the long stole ends would not be worn this year, but many of the smart women are beginning to show an inclination to turn a deaf ear to Paris occasionally. Cub bear, like the quality of mercy, is twice blessed, for besides being smart it is comparatively inexpensive. Mrs. Royal Carrol is wearing one of the victorines with long stole ends in Russian sable, and looks stunning in it.

I went to the Dog Show, the other day, at what-used-to-be Berry's though the name Pet Dog Show almost kept me away—it was so suggestive of the wretched little beasts in glass houses that they considerably put out of one's way in the gallery at the Real Dog Show.

It was not a very smart affair, nor did

# The Nebraska Sanitarium.

Located at College View, Nebr., offers the following inducements to the tired and suffering public who are seeking Health, Rest and Comfort:—

**T**HE institution is situated on an elevated site, overlooking the city of Lincoln, which lies three miles to the northwest, and with which it is connected by an electric street railway.

One of the most healthy locations between the Mississippi River and the Rocky Mountains.

A well regulated institution for the treatment of all chronic diseases.

Water of unusual purity.  
Baths of every description, including the *Electric-light* bath.

For circulars giving rates and further information, address,

**NEBRASKA SANITARIUM,**  
COLLEGE VIEW, NEBRASKA.

Scientifically classified dietary.  
Laboratory of hygiene for bacteriological and microscopical investigation.  
Stomach fluids analyzed for dyspeptics.

Aseptic operating rooms and surgical wards.

Four physicians, well-trained, with large experience in sanitarium medical work.

Trained nurses of both sexes.  
Skillful attention given to the treatment of

Diseases of the Stomach and Digestive System.

Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, and Lungs.

Diseases peculiar to women.

Best of advantages for the treatment of all forms of chronic diseases. Incurable and offensive patients not received.

This institution also has recently opened a city branch office and treatment rooms in the Halter block, southeast corner 13th and P streets, Lincoln.

A fine new electric light bath cabinet in city office rooms.

I see many good gowns. Mrs. Theodore Frelinghuysen had a rather nice gown of black velvet and a long sable boa. But she did not look chic, because of the smallness of her hat and the general skimpy look the arrangement of the hair gave her.

Clara Randolph looked pretty in the face, but she inclines too much toward embonpoint to wear a coat of Persian lamb successfully. Mrs. Walter Watrous wore one of the smartest gowns I have seen this season. It was in violet broadcloth; it had a polonaise effect outlined in huge rings of the same cloth, machine stitched; smaller rings were scattered at intervals all over the polonaise and it had big revers of Chinchilla. With this gown Mrs. Watrous wore a toque of velvet and big clumps of violets.

I went to the opera Tuesday night; but I went to a supper afterwards and I am too tired and sleepy to write about what I saw there.

—Our—

## FALL SHOES

—of—

**\$3 and \$3.50**

ARE THE BEST

Try them.

**WEBSTER & ROGERS**

1043 O Street.

**FLETCHER'S**  
Bulk Home Made Mince Meat  
Absolutely Pure.

**FLETCHER'S GROCERY**

229 SOUTH NINTH STREET.

PHONE 497.

## THE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MUSIC

(Directly Opposite the Campus.)

Is the most thoroughly equipped Conservatory in the west. It offers the most complete courses in all branches of music. Special attention given to the training of children. Fall term began September 5. Pupils may enter at any time. Send for catalogue.

WILLARD KIMBALL, DIRECTOR.

**DR. C. A. SHOEMAKER,**

Private Hospital

Special attention given to all DISEASES OF WOMEN.  
Every Convenience for Pelvic and Abdominal Surgery.

Turkish, Electric and Massage Baths for ladies. The Swedish Movements, in their most recent developments, by the trained masseuse in charge.

Graduate Nurse in attendance. Corner Eleventh and K Streets.

**J. H. TRENHOLM.**

Hello 738.

930 P Street.

Pays highest prices for good second hand furniture and stoves and will give you in exchange anything new for your old.

Don't forget that the freshest fruits and vegetables are the healthiest, especially at this time of the year. Always to be had at

**C. M. SEITZ**  
**GOOD LUCK GROCERY**  
TELEPHONE 626, 1107 O STREET.



BE GOOD TO YOUR HOME—BUY A  
NEW LINCOLN STEEL RANGE

and please your dear wife and family. Warranted the most perfect cooking stove made. We use the very best cold rolled patent leveled steel, and line every Range with asbestos and steel, which makes it impossible to set fire to your floor. They are handsome, attractive, up-to-date in pattern and design, full nickel trimmed, will burn any kind of fuel will last a lifetime. Made on honor, sold on merit. This is why we call them the "BEST ON EARTH." If your dealer does not handle them he makes a great mistake. Write to us and we will provide a way for you to buy one at a reasonable price.

**BUCKSTAFF BROS. MFG. CO.**  
LINCOLN, NEB., MAKERS.

Patronize home industry. Made in Nebraska. We refer you to State Officers, Banks and Express companies of Lincoln, and thousands using our Ranges. Special attention given hotel and restaurant outfits.