

Our Annual August Sale of Suits Saturday 8.30 A.M. \$6.75 and \$10.50

An Event Hundreds of Well-Dressed Women Look For. In keeping with our policy of a complete new stock of ready-to-wear apparel, twice each year we make a thorough clearance each August and January.

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There are no reservations. Every suit in stock goes, and every suit is from our regular stock. 49 Hand-Tailored Suits—Some plain tailored though mostly novelties in Shepherd Plaid, Green, Blue, Black and Tan, in Serges, Gabardines, Wool Poplins, Crepes and Moires; sold formerly, \$19.50 to \$35.00.

Saturday \$6.75 Saturday \$10.50

In addition 6 Wash Suits worth \$11.50 to \$19.50, Saturday, \$5.00—Because of the low prices asked we cannot make alterations or accept the return of these sale suits for credit.

Our Annual August LINEN SALE Commences Saturday at 8:30 A. M.

- SALE REAL MADEIRA PIECES \$22.50, 45-inch Round Lunch Cloths \$15.89 each \$25.00, 54-inch Round Lunch Cloths \$19.89 each \$15.00, 45-inch Round Lunch Cloths \$9.75 each

- ROLLER TOWELS, READY MADE. All 50c Heavy Crash Roller Towels 35c each All 65c Heavy Crash Roller Towels 50c each

- SALE TABLE CLOTHS. All \$2.25 Bleached Table Cloths \$1.75 each All \$4.50 Bleached Table Cloths \$2.89 each All \$6.75 Bleached Table Cloths \$4.50 each

LONG SILK GLOVE SALE, 69c A PAIR. 500 pairs, Long White Gloves, good quality on sale Saturday, at 69c a pair.

Thompson Belden & Co. HOWARD AND SIXTEENTH STREETS

Specials for Saturday in Men's Department

- SHIRT SALE—Saturday we will place on sale a line of men's high grade Coat Shirts in percales, madras and mercerized goods; these shirts come with laundered or soft cuffs; some with collar to match; all good patterns; special for Saturday 95c

Saturday Underwear Specials

- 12 1/2c Women's Gauze Vests, now 3 for 25c. 35c Lisle Vests, now 25c. 35c Women's Gauze Pants, lace trimmed, now 25c.

Toilet Articles

- White Ivory Combs, regular 50c and 75c value, special 15c. Powder Boxes With Puff, special 6c.

Seat of Austro-Servian Hostilities



Invasion of Balkan Kingdom Began at Mitrovicza, About Fifty Miles Northwest of Belgrade. Montenegro's Capital Was Removed Inland from Cetinje to Podgoritzza.

for nomination for congress made under misapprehension. Please reinstate as candidate for republican nomination Second district, T. W. BLACKBURN. At 4:45 the following telegram was received by the secretary of state from Omaha: I wish to withdraw my name as a candidate for the republican nomination for congress, Second district. Letter of confirmation follows.

KAISER DECLARES MARTIAL LAW IN GERMAN EMPIRE

(Continued from Page One.) (Continued from Page One.) anxious to see the latest dispatches, which, in many cases, were read out aloud to the public round about. Great processions paraded the streets, the demonstrators carrying banners and portraits of the emperor.

FINAL EFFORT TO STAY WAR TIDE IS NOW BEING MADE

(Continued from Page One.) public hope that a general war might be averted. The Stock exchange in London and the big provincial cities, as well as those on the continent, were closed owing to the breakdown of the credit system, which was made complete by the postponement of the Paris settlement. This, it was pointed out, would necessarily be followed by the failure of some fifty members of the London Stock exchange.

Their disposal to cross the Drina and advance twenty miles within Austrian territory. It is also argued that the announcement that 200,000 Austrian soldiers were on the march into Servia is practically incredible. It is said that Austria cannot have 200,000 men on the move in less than six weeks.

Americans visiting Europe received a shock today when it was announced that the sailing of the Emperor from Hamburg for New York had been cancelled owing to the unsettled situation. There was a rush to steamship offices to endeavor to book passages, but few or none were to be had as all the ships were filled to capacity until the middle of September.

London Exchange Closes. LONDON, July 31.—The London Stock exchange has been closed until further notice. The decision to close the exchange was taken by the committee at a meeting held this morning.

The committee also announced that the settlement due August 13 has been postponed until August 21, and that the consols settlement due August 6 has been put over until September.

Stocks which have yet to be delivered for the account just closed must, however, be paid for. The chief reason for the unprecedented action of the London Stock exchange committee was the fact that the system of credit had practically broken down and it was impossible to carry on business in the ordinary way.

while at the same time the continent continued to pour stock into London. Bankers here had been trying for days to get their customers to take up this attack but the impossibility of finding cash and the inability to sell the securities caused credit business automatically to cease and the closing of the exchange became necessary.

The street today was full of dealers and their clerks discussing the situation in a more or less mournful tone. The banking situation in London has become so abnormal that it is understood that the British cabinet at its meeting today discussed the possibility of taking measures to prevent a possible panic.

The Bank of England was today charging 10 per cent for weekly advances—an unprecedented rate. The rate of discount was raised to 8 per cent.

There has been nothing in the nature of a panic or a run, but officials have been quietly paying out gold and silver since the opening of the bank this morning.

Wall Street Exchange Closes. NEW YORK, July 31.—The New York Stock exchange was closed today on account of the European situation. The Consolidated Stock exchange and the New York curb market also ceased business.

This was followed immediately by announcements of the closing of exchanges in the other chief cities throughout the country.

This official announcement was made by the secretary of the Stock exchange. "The governing committee decided that the exchange be closed until further notice, and that all deliveries be suspended until further notice."

new government 20-franc and 5-franc bills. Department stores are doing only about half their usual business, owing to the lack of small change.

Stricter Censorship in Austria. VIENNA, July 31.—Popular enthusiasm in connection with the war against Serbia shows no signs of abatement. An appeal for Red Cross nurses today met with an immediate response from 1,000 women and girls belonging to all classes.

The police authorities have forbidden the publication of extra editions of the newspapers and even the regular editions have not been permitted to refer to the occupation of Belgrade, which is still not generally known. The Austrian plan of campaign, it is understood here, is to attack Serbia chiefly by way of Bosnia, while the armies on the Danube in the north simply occupy positions and remain temporarily inactive.

American Officers Recalled. GENEVA, Switzerland, July 31.—Several American naval officers on leave in Switzerland were recalled today on orders from Washington. The Swiss government has ordered a partial mobilization and the troops are ready to defend the neutrality of Swiss territory.

International Trains Suspended. BRUSSELS, Belgium, July 31.—The German Imperial railway administration today informed the management of the Belgian State railways officially that all international trains into Germany had been suspended.

Warlike Prince at Tennis During Crisis. It was at a meeting of bankers at the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. that the decision was reached. After a long discussion it was decided that the strain on credits might reach a dangerous degree if the exchanges were open. No definite period for the closing of the exchange has been set.

Stock exchanges have notified their offices not to make deliveries for received stock until further notice. William C. Van Antwerp, a governor of the exchange, said that it was the first time since 1873 that business had been suspended for a full day.

More Gold Sent to Europe. The movement of gold to Europe, which has reached unprecedented proportions during the last few days, was continued. The steamship St. Louis, which sailed for Europe today, carried the largest amount of gold ever taken from any port of the world on a single vessel. The total value of the cargo was \$1,025,000. The total on this movement of gold in five days aggregated \$45,485,000.

The New York Coffer exchange followed the lead of the stock exchanges and suspended business. At a special meeting of the board of governors of the Stock exchange President Noble was authorized to appoint a committee of five governors to make rulings regarding deliveries on the curb. Deliveries on the curb were suspended unless by mutual consent between the contracting parties.

Gold at Premium in Paris. PARIS, July 31.—Gold was at 1/2 per cent premium heretofore. English sovereigns were selling at 28 francs each, instead of the normal rate of slightly lower than 25 francs.

A cabinet council is to be called tomorrow to consider an extension of the term of payment for obligations falling due. The apprehensions of the smaller trader—people here have gone to such an extent that many of them refuse to take the

KENNEDY OUT, BLACKBURN IN

(Continued from Page One.) Wait my withdrawal as a candidate for the republican nomination for congress in this district. I do this for two reasons: First—"The condition of the health of my wife continues such that I cannot devote the time and attention to the campaign which is required. Second—"The success of our party in the forthcoming election is more to be desired than the satisfaction it would be to me to secure a nomination. If we both remain in the field we shall embarrass many mutual friends and a vigorous campaign might divide political forces which should be united. I think, therefore, that under the circumstances it would be wise for me to withdraw and permit you to make the campaign without opposition from me. Assuring you of my high personal regard and that I shall do what I can to bring about your election, I remain, etc.

About noon on Friday Mr. Kennedy wired to Mr. Blackburn as follows: OMAHA, Neb., July 31, 1914.—Hon. T. W. Blackburn, Care Andrew Dow, Elwood, Gosper County, Nebraska: Since you left Omaha, circumstances have arisen which constrain me to withdraw as a candidate for congress. If you recall your withdrawal, count on my support. You are certainly well qualified for the place. JOHN L. KENNEDY.

Blackburn Asks Reinstatement. Mr. Blackburn acted with his customary promptness and yesterday afternoon at 4:06 the secretary of state received the following telegram, sent from Elwood, Neb.: Request for withdrawal as candidate

PRACTICAL JOKE RESULTS IN ARREST OF TWO MEN

GRISWOLD, Ia., July 31.—(Special.)—As a result of a practical joke Len King, residing southeast of here, was badly burned with an acid. Mr. King has been working with the East Elliott company threshing machine, and while threshing for John Westerland it is alleged that Guy Rosencrans and George Halbert, two young men who are running the machine, saturated the top of the engine box, on which Mr. King was accustomed to sit, with an acid. Mr. King sat down on it and was terribly burned. The injured man made a trip to Red Oak, where he swore out a warrant for the arrest of the two young men.

WELL-TO-DO FARMER ENDS HIS LIFE BY SHOOTING

FAIRBURY, Neb., July 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Albert Wood, wealthy farmer, living near Diller, committed suicide today, by shooting. He had been acting queerly and it is thought he had been unbalanced by the heat. When his children returned from town, they found their father's lifeless body behind the barn and the shotgun lying beside it. Mr. Wood was 50 years old and rated wealthy and well liked by his neighbors.

North German Lloyd Holds Ships

NEW YORK, July 31.—The North German Lloyd steamship line announced today that none of its steamers would sail from New York until further notice.

Swamp anything in the "Swappers' column."

The Road to Economy Leads to Beaton's

- Tourist traveling toilet cases from 75c up to \$4.00. These are the most compact and convenient articles ever devised for the comfort of women while traveling. 75c and 85c Pure Rubber Bath Caps, all shades... 37c

Our photo supply department is complete in every respect and our prices will surely please you. 5c M. Q. Developer, Saturday special, 10 for... 25c

"FOLLOW THE BEATON PATH." BEATON DRUG CO. Fifteenth and Farnam

WARLIKE PRINCE AT TENNIS DURING CRISIS



CROWN PRINCE FREDERICK WILLIAM. BERLIN, July 31.—Fearing that the crown prince, Frederick William, might be carried away with war fever and commit some indiscretion that might embarrass Germany, should he stay in the capital during the present crisis, Emperor William has banished his heir to the tennis courts at Zeppelt. The prince has received orders to stay at Zeppelt playing tennis until the crisis has past.

FRY'S CUT PRICE SALE OF LOW CUTS HAS THEM ALL COMING! Never before have we had such a large response to one of our sales, and we have had many wonderful sales. But this year we are offering a larger selection of sizes and styles than ever before at About Half Price

For WOMEN Laird & Schober's patent and gun metal colonials. Cuban and Louis heels; \$6.00 values, now \$4.45. For MEN Johnson & Murphy's tan Russia, gun metal, kid and patent oxfords, \$6.50 values, now \$4.75.