

The Flood Tide of Fall Trade

HAS SET IN

It will increase in volume day by day. Already it ripples and eddies around the different sections of the store. DRESS GOODS, CLOAKS, WARM UNDERWEAR, BLANKETS, ETC., all begin to show signs of great activity. We are pleasing our patrons; no store can have a better advertisement than that. We are here for this purpose. Mark the well-beaten path that leads direct to our doors; note the people as they come and go. Ask them the reason why they make this store the base of their Dry Goods supplies. They will tell you they have full confidence in our merchandising methods. That's the secret of our success.

Dress Goods Specials

New Plaids 28 inches wide, just the thing for school dresses... 15c
 27-inch Arnold's Serge, new mannish effects, in all colors... 20c
 38-inch beautiful Worsted and Mohair Plaids at, special... 45c
 75c and 85c Mannish Suitings, 42 inches wide, in assorted colors; this week... 59c
 \$1.00 Tinted Cheviot, 52 inches wide, black, green, navy, royal and brown—a new cloth—special, this week... 79c
 \$1.50 Cravenetted Suiting, in new mannish effects, 56 inches wide special... \$1.35

JUST NOTE

That we are showing an excellent line of popular priced Children's Coats for the approaching Winter season. This embodies all the latest weaves of Cloaking made up in pretty and pleasing styles. Range of prices is from \$2.95 up to \$10.

LADIES' CLOAKS.

New arrivals of the latest and approved fashion as Empire, box back and semi-fitted back, with shawl coat or strapped collars, in 42 and 45-inch length. "A variety of leading materials and colors" Prices ranging from \$6.50 up to \$25.00



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BLANKETS.

10-4 cotton Blanket, in gray or tan, beautiful colored borders... 48c
 11-4 cotton Blanket, same as above 75c
 Other cotton Blankets—
 11-4 at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$2.00
 12-4 at... \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25
 Comforts, full sizes, at—
 \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00.
 Wool Blankets from ... \$3.25 to \$10
EIDER DOWNS.
 27-inch all colors and all wool... 35c
 36-inch, in plain, special... 45c
 36-inch in Crepe effects, special... 45c

Our Misses' shoes at \$1.50 & \$1.75 are full of style, durable and correctly formed to fit Misses' feet.

FRED SCHMIDT AND BRO.
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 LINCOLN, NEBRASKA.

We want to interview every man who expects to invest any money in fall shoes.

SEEKING WAY TO CRAWL OUT

Seventeen Indicted Packers Place Trust in Technical Objections

Chicago, Sept. 18.—By pleas in abatement, attorneys representing the seventeen packers and other persons indicted by the federal grand jury on a charge of conspiring to monopolize the meat business attacked the position of the government today. The attack was made against the impanelling of the jury; alleged improper service of a summons on John Murray, one of the jurors; unlawful secrecy at the time the jury was drawn from the box; unlawful

presence of a stenographer in the jury room during the hearing and the subsequent writing of the shorthand notes; that the indictment was returned in the eastern division of Illinois, although the jury which found the indictment was sitting in the northern division of the northern district.

The plea, which is very lengthy, was filed late this afternoon with District Attorney O. B. Morrison, after an all day's conference between Attorney John S. Miller, general counsel for the packers and a number of associate counsel in the case. There were no court proceedings, and the plea has not yet been properly filed

with the clerk of the district court, but this will be done tomorrow evening.

The main ground upon which the defendants stand in their plea, is the presence of John Murray on the jury. It is their claim that the jury was drawn from the box previous to March 3, at which time a law redistricting the northern district of Illinois went into effect. Previous to this Kankakee county was in the northern division of the northern district of Illinois. By the terms of the new law this county was placed in the eastern division of the northern district, and therefore not within the jurisdiction of the court. To sub-

stantiate the allegation that the jury was illegal and incompetent because of Murray's presence, it is declared in the plea that Murray was served on March 3, a few days after the enactment of the law moving Kankakee county from this division, by a deputy marshal of another division of the district.

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