# Extensive Alterations



in and about our store within a few days makes it imperative for us to make extensive efforts to reduce our different lines of men's and boys' clothing.

Men's Straw Hats 331 % discount None reserved.

The entire fronts on Douglas and Fifteenth streets are to be taken out and replaced by others of great beauty and grandeur, besides many details of adornment and convenience on the inside. To overcome the annoyance and loss entailed from confusion, inconvenience, dust and dirt and general unpleasantness during the time the active work is going on we have decided to make some sweeping

Boys' and Children's Straw Hats 50 % discount None reserved.

cuts on broken lines, slow selling ones and other merchandise that unseasonable weather has left on our hands. Below we give a brief synopsis of some of the good things you can find while they last. Sale commenses tomorrow.

# 7()% Discount

## MEN'S CHANCES

Men's Blue Serge Sack Suits Single and double-breasted-sizes 39 to 44. \$10.00 Suits, now \*\*\*\* 6.70 \$12.50 Suits, now manus -- 8.35

Regular prices \$15.00 to \$32.00cut prices from ...10.00 to 21.35 Cassimeres and worsteds-Sizes 84 to 42.

Mens Black Clay Prince Alberts

Broken lines-Sizes 35 to 44.

Men's Black Clay Frock Suits  Fancy Pattern Scotch Cheviots \$20,00 Suits now .......13.35



## BOYS' CHANCES

Boys' Long Trouser Suits fancy cheviots and flannels. Regular prices \$7.50 to \$15.00discount prices ..... 5.65 to 11.25

Juvenile Sailors and double-breasted jacket and trouser suits, up to 16 years. 50 Percent Discount. Regular prices \$2.50 to \$8.50discount prices ...... 1.25 to 4.25

Children's Wash Pants 3 to 16 years-25c. Child's Knee Trousers 3 to 16 years

Regular prices, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50now ...... 40c, 50c, 75c Child's Blouses.

21 to 5 years-all sizes and colors-20 Percent Discount. Regular prices 50c to \$1.50discount prices, ..... 35c to 1 .15

Child's Wash Suits 24 to 12 years-Sailors, Russian Bloose, Kilt or Dresses -- 25 Percent Discount. Regular prices \$1.25 to \$6.00-

Child's Wool Suits Sailors, Norfolks and Russians. Child's double-breasted jackets and pant suits and three-piece single breasted suits and "stouts." So Percent Discount. Regular prices \$3.50 to \$8.00-

discount prices ..... 2.65 to 6,00

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R. S. WILCOX, Mgr.



No Danger of International Complications Arising Over Marous Island.

CLAIM MADE BY CAPTAIN ROSEHILL Filed on Island for Guano, but Title to Land is Not Considered Force-

> ful and Japanese May Come In.

report that international complications aragua, and report the situation at those may ensue between the United States and points by cable, then to sail for Colon, then Japan as a result of the Japanese taking possession of Marcus island, a small guano sland about 3,000 miles west of Honolulu, and which island is claimed by Captain A. A. Rosehill, an American citizen, an inspection of the government records of what are known as "guano islands" entries discloses the fact that in 1889 Captain Rosehill Marcus island and claimed the right to exploit it for guano.

The State department is not required by the law governing guano island entries to pass upon the sufficiency of any such claim as that made by Captain Rosehill. The department simply receives such notices for the purpose of record.

Another section of the law requires the claimant to a guano island to take out a nd, the purpose of which is to see that he does not charge an exorbitant price for the guane, that the island claimed by him did not belong to any other country and that he will vacate it when he has taken away the guano. There is no such a thing as a fee simple title for the island, the government merely affirms the right of the Claimant to take the guano.

Recently Captain Rosehill filed the nec-

essary bond in the treasury. The law requires a proclamation to be issued an-nouncing to the world the location of the guano plain, but this has not been done in the case at issue, nor has such proclamation been issued since the administration of Hamilton Fish in the state department. It is the general opinion that these guano titles are of extremely doubtful force, and it is the further opinion that it is ab- Fear the Imposition of a Prohibitive solutely necessary to maintain title that the laland claimed should be continuously occupied and explored for guano by the claimant, which does not appear to have been the case with Marcus island. Therefore if the Japanese are working the island as reported it is improbable that the United States government will interfere.

### BANK MAKES A TEST CASE Objects to Paying Tax to the Government on Its Undivided

Profits.

WASHINGTON, July 12.- The commisstoner of internal revenue has issued instructions suspending temporarily the collection of the taxes on undivided profits of national banks under the war revenue act. The banks fought the contention of the

government that undivided profits were part of the surplus of banks, and the Leather Manufacturers' National bank of New York brought suit against Collector Treat to prevent the collection of the tax. The circuit court decided in favor of the col-Previously it had been the understanding that if the court sustained the government the tax would be collected. Now, however, the bank in the test case

has appealed to the supreme court, and the acting commissioner today instructed Collector Treat to suspend collection until the return of Commissioner Yerkes, when general instructions will be issued to all col-

Chairman Griggs Coming West, of the democratic congressional campaign Jotus is the vessel which was fired on the west during the coming campaign, and captain, Meling, was killed.

UNITED STATES TO STAY OUT | he expects to go as far as the Pacific coast. Before making this general trip he will confer with party leaders and especially with Hon. Ben T. Cable, who will have charge of the democratic campaign for the entire country west of the Alleghanies.

> ORDER MARIETTA TO COLON Secretary Moody Sends Instructions to Commander Rodgers to Join Gunboat Machias.

WASHINGTON, July 12.-Secretary of the Navy Moody today cabled orders to Commander Rodgers of the gunboat Marietta, now at Cape Haytien, directing that vessel WASHINGTON, July 12 .- In regard to the to proceed to Bluefields and Greytown, Nicpoints by cable, then to sail for Colon, then to the isthmus of Panama and then join the gunboat Machias, directing it to proceed to

Cape Haytien when relieved by Marietta. The dispatch of Marietta to Nicaragua is a result of reports to the State department which indicate a state of unrest at the points named, and the officials deemed it desirable that the gunboat should stop at the ledged notice of the discovery by him of two towns on its voyage to the isthmus and look into the situation.

> HONOR WOOD WITH DINNER Veterans of Civil War Entertain General as Tribute to His Services in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The "Whippoorwill" club, an organization composed of to General Leonard Wood tonight as a tribute to his services in Cuba. The company went by steamer to Riverview, a resort on the Potomac, where they made merry until a late hour.

To Close Fair on Sunday. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The contract

made by the Louisiana Purchase exposition commission to keep the fair closed on Sunday, in compliance with the act creating the commission, was received at the Treasury department today. It was signed by fifty-four commissioners.

MERCHANTS BECOME ALARMED

Tariff on Porto Rican Coffee in France.

SAN JUAN, P. R., July 12.-The merchants here are alarmed at advices from France foreshadowing the possible imposition of o prohibitive tariff on Porto Rican coffee. The Chamber of Commerce has cabled to Washington, urging that action be taken in the matter, as France is the only foreign market open to Porto Rican coffee growers.

WASHINGTON, July 12 .- Officiale here express doubt that France would discriminate against Porto Rican coffee, as it would violate the favored nation clause of the exleting commercial treaty between the United States and France. The French government | ment are to be submitted to the action it is pointed out is very anxious to have the reciprocity treaty between the two countries ratified and this is cited by administration officials here as another reason why the alleged proposed discrimination is un-

Secretary Hitchcock, under whose juris diction the affairs of Porto Rico are placed, has received no advices on the subject.

REVOLUTIONISTS KEEP STILL Have Not Moved from Barrancas and Bolivar Since Killing of

Captain Meling.

SAN JUAN, P. R., July 12.-The Norwegian ateamer Jotun, from Port of Spain, island of Trinidad, July 7, has arrived here and reports that the Venezuelan revolutionlets had not moved from Barrancas and WASHINGTON, July 12.—Chairman Grigge Bolivar when the steamer left Trinidad. committee has decided to make a tour of by Venezuelan troops June 11, when her

Secretary Hitchoock Takes Vacation Before Passing on Reservation Matters.

NSPECTOR'S REPORT IS

Wyoming Delegation Secures Approprintions for Improvements at Forts McKenzie and D. A. Russell.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, July 12 .- (Special Tele gram.) - Secretary Hitchcock of the Interior department, speaking today of the report of Special Agent Churchill, who was sent to investigate the management of the Omaha and Winnebago agencies, stated that the report was so voluminous in character that it would take him some time to review all the evidence submitted and that therefore he would probably not reach a conclusion until after his return from his vacation. Mr. Hitchcock announced last week that he would take up and decide the long-standing controversy growing out of Agent Mathewson's management of the reservation and leasing of Indian lands to white persons. Mr. Hitchcock, however, finds it more of a task than he had anticipated and he will now take his time to reach a decision. This means, in all probability, that there will be no opinion forthcoming until the early fall and Mr. Mathewson will continue, as in the past, the big boss of the agency.

Through the efforts of Senator Warren and Representative Mondell of Wyoming

the War department has set aside out of the army appropriation bill \$175,000 for Fort McKenzie, which is to be expended this year. They also secured an appro-priation of \$225,000 for Fort D. A. Russell, which will put it into excellent condition. Mart Howe, assistant adjutant genera for the Department of Nebraska, Grand Army of the Republic, has written to the national encampment in the fall.

The comptroller of the currency has approved the application of the Newcastle State bank of Newcastle, Neb., to be converted into the First National bank of Newcastle, with a capital of \$25,000. Robert L. Miller of Sloux City, Leon G. Sutton of Clinton and Merton L. Fuller of Storm Lake, Ia., have been appointed observers, and W. G. Lynch of Sloux City, Ia., a messenger in the Weather bureau service.

Herbert H. Hodgeson of Huron, S. D. has been appointed assistant topographer in the geological survey. Root Goes to Oyster Bay.

WASHINGTON, July 12 .- Secretary Roo left Washington today to visit President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay. Several important matters pending in the War depart-

of the president. Fine sandy beach at Courtland. TOURIST CARS TO DENVER.

Via Burlington Route.

While the low rate of \$15 to Colorado and return is in effect the Burlington offers special tourist sleeper service, leaving Omaha 4:25 p. m., arriving in Denver at 7 'clock next morning. Tourist sleepers leave Omaha every day until July 14 and daily from August 2 to 15.

Rate for double berth, Omaha to Denver, \$1.50. The cars are cool, clean and comfortable.

Tickets, 1502 Farnam street. Shelifish, Courtland Beach cafe.

Negro Legally Hanged. BAINBRIDGE, Ga., July 12.—Joseph E. Sparks, colored, was hanged here today for the murder of his wife two months

Be a Feature of Fall Festivities.

from Deadwood to Omaha, the finish to be at the carnival grounds on Elighteenth street. The race will be under the auspices of the amusement committee of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben and is intended as an advertising feature for the carnival and Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben and is intended as an advertising feature for the carnival and midway.

It is now planned to have the riders leave Deadwood either September 21 or 22. The distance between Deadwood and Omaha by road is something over 600 miles and it is figured that the winning rider will cover the distance in twelve or even less days. No less than twelve riders will compete, several of them being women. The prizes to be awarded will be worth striving for. The conditions of the race are very simple. All entries must be western-bred horses. They may be bronchos, Indian ponies or thoroughbred race horses. The riders have the choice of mounts.

But one horse is to be ridden the entire distance. Before the race the brands, coloring and markings of the entries are to be taken and these will be sent to all railway stations enroute with instructions to station agents not to accept for transportation horses bearing the markings described, this being done to prevent riders from using the railway when their horses give out. The race will start from the front of the city hall in Deadwood. Mayor McDonald of that city being the starter, assisted by "Doc" Middleton, Jim Hartsell, Captain Seth Bullock of the Rough Riders and James Black, manager of Deadwood's theater. A pistol shot will start the picturesque cavalcade moving.

After leaving Deadwood the riders are at liberty to choose any route to Omaha they may care to take, there being no rule as to riding together the same route. Several well known frontier characters have already signified their willingness to make the ride. They are "Doc" Middleton, James Hartsell, formerly city marshal of Chadron and the crack revolver shot of the west; Billy Chadwick, the champion "broncho buster" of the Black Hills; Mexican Ed, with a local history as a roper and rider, and "The Cayuse Kild," a dare devil cowboy character. Two sisters, daughters of a Wyoming cattleman, will also make the ride.

OMAHA SUBURBS. Dandee.

Rev. Jenkins is the proud possessor of a Army of the Republic, has written to the committee on public comfort to reserve accommodations for a party of Lincoln patients, who desire to attend the national encampment in the fall.

Army of the Republic, has written to the new young son.

J. W. Marshall and J. W. Hamilton are patients, the form in the fall.

Mrs. J. B. Carmichael, who has been ill for several weeks, is somewhat better. Mr. Smith of the American Express com-pany is occupying the Barr house at pres-ent.

Rev. Trefs and family are living in the house of D. L. Johnson for the rest of the Mr. Anderson, residing at Forty-ninth and Davenport streets, has been quite ill, but is recovering rapidly now.

Mrs. Noah Perry left on Tuesday for Montelair, N. J., where her parents and sister live. She will be gone about a month.

month.

Mrs. Pindall of Hannibal, Mo., who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Rush, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Eva Parrotte Sweeney has returned home from her visit to Kansas City, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Clayton Holmes Goodrich, who will remain here for the summer.

Ernest Emerson returned home last week from a few days' visit at the home of his parents in Verdigris. parents in Verdigris.

Miss Jessie McDill returned from Lincoln last Monday morning, where she spent a few days visiting at her home.

Services will be heid today at the Methodist Episcopai church at the usual morning hour by the pastor, Rev. Luce.

Miss Lilly Steiger and sister returned home last week from Lincoln, where they spent a few days, including the Fourth, with friends.

The quarterly conference meeting of the Methodist Episcopal church of Benson and Monmouth Fark was held at Monmouth Park last Friday evening and was attended by the stewards of this place. On account of the new pews not arriv-ing in time the dedicatorial services of the Monmouth Park's new church will be held next Sunday, being postponed from a week The members of the Methodist church will give an ice cream social and entertainment by the young people at the Benson town hall next Wednesday evening. July 16.

July 16.

The drama, "The Heart of a Hero," will be repeated at the Benson town hall next Saturday evening, July 19. The dance to have been given two weeks ago will take place at the close of the play.

The Benson Juniors' base ball team played a game against the Young Men's

## TOO LONG TO INVESTIGATE COWBOY RACE FOR CARNIVAL Christian Association Working boys last Friday evening and won by a score of 18 to 2. The match came off on the Benson

One of the proposed features of the Ak-Sar-Ben carnival will be a cowboy race from Deadwood to Omean the finish to be Omaha Saturday Miss Hattie Johnson of Creston, Ia., is the guest of Miss Hilma Johnson the past week. Miss Lizzie Holtzman went to Ulysses, Neb., Friday to visit relatives for a few Mrs. Anna Palmateer of Tekamah was the guest of her niece, Mrs. F. D. Leach, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. G. J. Hunt and daughters Harriet and Julia left Monday for a month's visit on their ranch at Bridgeport, Nes.

Miss Ethel Breneman spent four days of the past week visiting relatives at Teka-mah, Neb., returning home Friday evening. Miss Bertha Kruger of Omaha spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of Mrs. S. P. Wailace, returning home Sunday even-Dave Myers of Langdon, Mo., has been here the past week visiting relatives. He also spent a few days visiting relatives at Tekamah.

W. O. Chandler and wife of Hancock, Is., visited Mrs. Chandler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor, the past week, returning home Wednesday. Mrs. Charles Purcell, son and daughter, who have been spending the past week visting Mrs. Purcell's parents in Iowa, re-turned home Friday afternoon. Rev. Cady, minister of the Presbyterian church at Calhoun, was a visitor here Fri-day evening, taking part in the exercises at the social held at the church.

Captain and Mrs. Reynolds had to post-pone their visit to the east for a few days on account of the illness of Mr. Hunt, su-perintendent of the Omaha Water com-Miss Gertle and Hattle Weber, who have been spending a couple of weeks here and at Omaha visiting friends and relatives, returned to their home at Wayne, Neb., Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah A. Taylor of Zanesville, O., who has been here the past two weeks visiting her son, L. A. Taylor, left for Hay Springs, Neb., Monday to visit another son, D. T. Taylor. The city council at its meeting Monday night passed a resolution granting the park board of Omaha the use of Main street to be paved and used until such a time as it is passed back to the city. Rural delivery route No. 2 was started the 1st of July out of Florence, with C. A. Purcell as carrier. This gives Florence two routes. No. 1 has been established a year now. Henry Johansen is carrier for

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chapman of Shelby, Mich., is at his mother's, Mrs. M. Chapman Mr. and Mrs. Chapman will probably make this their future home, as Mr. Chapman's health is not good in his former home in Michigan.

Jonathan lodge No. 226 installed its officers Saturday night. Deputy Grand Master George Reynolds of Omaha officiated, assisted by his staff, Noble Grand Thomas H. Walker, Vice Grand M. B. Potter, Treasurer James C. Kindred. Secretary Karl Foellmer. Refreshments were served to the installing staff and members present.

## ARCHBISHOP FEEHAN DEAD | ica in 1852, and continued in St. Louis, where he was soon ordained in the min-

After Lingering Illness Most Noted Catholie of the West Succumbs.

WAS HEAD OF IMPORTANT ARCHDIOCESE

Active Business of the Church Was Taken Off His Hands Several

Months Age by Father Muldoon.

CHICAGO, July 12 .- Archibishop Patrick Feehan, for twenty-two years in charge of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Chicago, died at 3 p. m. today, after a ong illness. For more than a year the archbishop had been in poor health. Much of his time had been passed in the quiet of his country home at Feehanville, and for months the active business of the years ago. In recent years Bishop Scanchurch had been off his hands. Some time the arduous duties of his office, Father P. J. Muldoon was appointed auxiliary bishop of Chicago. This position is not

in the line of succession and it does not

follow that Bishop Muldoon will take the

place of the archbishop. Most Rev. Patrick Augustine Feehan, metropolitan of Chicago, was the head of the richest archdiocese in the west and one of the richest and most important in America. He was elevated to the archepiscopacy in September, 1880, when its urisdiction covered 160 churches and 180 clergy. In addition to the churches the diocese is rich in charitable institutions, schools, hospitals and other religious houses, the prosperity of which, and of the whole diocese, indeed, may be attribborn August 29, 1829, at Killinnall, in those exalted virtues which appear in her oorn in scenes well calculated to inspire On the fields he romped in as a child thousands of his countrymen had been sac-He decided for an ecclesiastical career continue study for professorship, he listened more readily to an appeal from Archbishop Kenrick of the St. Louis archdiocese for young western missionaries. Joyfully young Feehan satied for Amer-

istry. He lived in St. Louis as priest, pastor and professor until 1865, when he was made bishop of Nashville. He passed through two epidemics of cholera, one at St. Louis and one at Nashville. death of Bishop Foley of Chicago Bishop Feehan was appointed in his stead and made archbishop. On coming into his office the archbishop found that the effects of the great fire, nine years previous, had not all been overcome and that many of the churches burned out in that terrible visitation had never been restored. This work he undertook, and how well he has succeeded the whole Catholic world knows. The health of the archbishop has been failing for several years past, and last winter a coadjutor bishop was appointed

detail work of the diocese. Right Rev. Richard Scannell, bishop of Omaha, and the deceased prelate were close personal friends, and were associates in the diocese of Nashville over thirty nell was frequently called to Chicago to ago, for the purpose of relieving him of assist his venerable friend in harmonizing discordant elements which disturbed the

to assist in the management of the vast

CHANGE AT BROWNELL HALL

Miss Burnham Goes to Wellesley and Miss Walker Comes Here from Chicago.

Miss Josephine Burnham, the scholarly head of the English department of Brownell Hall, has been invited to become a member of the faculty of Wellesley college. President Hagard passes by the graduates of Radeliffe, her nearest neighbor, and of other eastern colleges to seek a pupil of Prof. Herrick of the University uted to the wise administration of its of Chicago, and finds in Miss Burnham a executive head. Archbishop Feehan was most creditable pupil of the man whose method of instruction in English composi-County Tipperary, Ireland. His father, tion is interesting educators connected Patrick Feehan, was an ardent Roman with the English departments of our best Catholic and his mother was possessed of known preparatory schools and colleges. While Mise Burnham's loss is to be distinguished son. The archbishop was deeply deplored, Brownell Hall is to be congratulated upon having secured Miss love of his ancestral faith and his country. Piorence M. Walker, who has lately been granted a second degree by the University sands of his countrymen had been sac-rificed for their constancy to their faith. Miss Burnham left off with it. Miss Walker has had three years of work under early in life and his parents gave him the direction of Prof. Herrick, who speaks every facility. In his sixteenth year he in the highest praise of her attainments was sent to the seminary at Castlenock, as a scholar and teacher. She is a naand two years later commenced a course tive of Buffalo, N. Y., and brings to in theology and philosophy in St. Patrick's Brownell Hall ten years of successful excollege, Maynooth. Although advised to perience as a teacher—five in accredited public high schools, three in accredited preparatory schools for girls and two in LeRoy university.

Fine music at Courtland Beach.

## No Summer Bowel Troubles

Not for me! I'm safe from all of them and happy. The heat of summer causes organic matter everywhere to decay. All dead vegetable or animal matter rots if not kept on ice. All undigested food in the human body will ferment a hundred times as quickly in summer as in winter. Consequence-stomach, liver, bowels poisoned, thrown out of order-sour stomach, gases, colic, diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera, appendicitis, and in some regions yellow fever and the plague. Little children suffer terribly everywhere. What does good sense tell you to do? You can't keep the human body on ice, and the drinking of ice-cold drinks does more harm than good because it stops digestion and chills the internal organs. The proper thing is to keep all impure and unnecessary matter out of the body every day, not give it a chance to sour and decay in the stomach and bowels, and poison the blood and the whole body. In this way you will stop all hot, feverish conditions, and keep your insides cool and healthy. To do it, use a medicine that is not offensive to the taste and not harsh and violent in its action. There is only one safe system-cleaner to take in the summer time, because it will not cause diarrhoca or griping, and that is

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