# Genuine Price Reductions

## on Sampeck Suits for Young Men, Men, Boys

The assortments for Saturday's selling are very complete and the price reductions such as to merit the consideration of careful buyers. :: :: :: :: :: ::

**At $10.00** Nobby tan and gray mixtures, in Sampeck models; suits which formerly sold for $15.00.

**At $12.00** Fancy cheviot suitings, in Scotchy effects, also blue cheviot, with chalk and shadow stripes; $18.00 values for $12.00.

**At $15.00** These are $20.00 and $22.50 values and include some very fine worsteds and vicunas, in gray, tan or olive shades.

**At $18.00** You may take your choice of many fine worsted suits, in gray or olive shades, with neat line stripes; $25.00 values, now $18.00.

Boys' Suits, 6 to 15 years, with two pairs of Knickerbockers that have been excellent sellers at $5.00—now reduced to..... **$3.75**

Boys' Suits with two pairs of Knickers, for ages 6 to 16 years, in handsome mixtures; former $6.50 and $7.50 values, at..... **$5.00**

For little fellows we have 38 sailor suits in sizes 8, 9 and 10 years, and 49 fancy overcoats in sizes 3 to 8 years. Suits and coats are our regular $5.00 lines. To close quick tomorrow.. **$2.45**

Mail Orders Filled

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S OWN STORE
BENSON AND THORNE CO.
1518-1520 Farnam Street.

Mail Orders Filled

Elite Cloak Co.
1317 FARNAM ST.

# Women's Apparel

## Saturday at Sensational Price Reductions

*A final clearance of women's high-grade Suits, Coats, Furs, etc., at prices that mean bargains to the economical garment buyer.*

## FINE SUITS

### At a Fraction of Former Values

Saturday we show the most extraordinary Suit values we have ever attempted.

88 Suits, formerly $25.00 and $30.00—on sale Saturday, at..... **$9.75**

93 Suits, formerly $30.00 and $35.00—on sale Saturday, at..... **$12.50**

61 Suits, formerly $35.00 and $40.00—on sale Saturday, at..... **$16.75**

47 Suits, formerly $45.00, $50.00, $55.00, $60.00 and up to $95.00—on sale Saturday, at..... **$19.75**

## FINE CLOAKS

### Reduced Below Actual Cost of Making

Choice of any Cloak in stock, formerly selling up to $25.00—Saturday, at..... **$9.75**

Choice of any Cloak in stock, formerly selling up to $35.00—Saturday, at..... **$14.75**

Choice of any Cloak in stock, regardless of former price—Saturday, at..... **$19.75**

## Dresses for Every Occasion

Of chiffon, broadcloth, serges, worsteds, silk poplins, fancy nets, etc.—formerly selling at $29.50, $35.00, $40.00 and $45.00; your choice of these dresses Saturday, at..... **$16.75**

$25.00 Dresses—on sale Saturday, at..... **$12.50**

$19.50 Dresses—on sale Saturday, at..... **$9.75**

## Final Clearance of Furs

Scores of odd pieces, in Mink, Jap Mink, Fox, Wolf, Squirrel, etc.—on sale at exactly half original prices Saturday.

Silk and Heatherbloom Petticoats, silk and cotton crepe Kimonos and silk and linen Waists—on sale Saturday at tempting prices.


# NO OLD STYLES IN THIS EVENT

### Latest Efforts of Master Designers Go at Trifling Figures.

### Skirt Store Reductions on Ladies' Suits and Coats Contradict Prevailing High Prices.

No matter what proportions foodstuffs may have gotten to, it is a fact nevertheless, that ladies' coats, suits, dresses, etc., are now within grasp of the popular sized purse.

Think of it! Commencing Saturday, The Skirt Store, at 322 North Sixteenth street, will offer 150 tastily made up and carefully finished coats for ladies at so trifling a price as $3.45 each.

And coats, mind you, that have sold until now for as much as $22.50 each. They're reduced to a mere suggestion of the cost of the material, just so that present stocks may be cleared and out of the way in time for spring arrivals of garments.

The Skirt Store will offer equally radical reductions on all ladies' suits too. Even in this age of strenuous mercantile events it is decidedly unusual to purchase suits that have sold up to $25.00 for a mere $7.50, is it not?

To make the day one of continual interest, The Skirt Store has also planned a novel "hour" sale.

This hour sale is to extend from 9 to 10 in the morning, and in the afternoon from 2 till 3, and during these intervals of time a lady may take choice of 50 dresses that have sold to as high as $10 each, for only $3.45.

That the "hour sale" will prove a spirited event goes without saying.

STYLES OF NOW.

MATERIALS STRICTLY IN VOGUE.

No old garments are offered in the selling to be inaugurated at The Skirt Store Saturday. For instance, in the lot of coats, one will find broadcloths, kerseys and coverts; some tailored; some in pleated effects; many being lined throughout with Skinner's satin.

Then, too, the suits offered so reasonably are in chic, new effects; coat suits in tight and semi-fitted models, some with long reveres to collars, and in such materials as chiffon, broadcloth, serge, wide wales, etc. Colors in this lot include charming grays, browns, blacks, nile greens, blues and rose, and the woman who gets here early will find a remarkably complete selection.

Suit sizes range from 32 to 46, with more of the larger sizes if anything.

**THE SKIRT STORE,**
**322 North 16th Street**


# Cigar Bargains AT BEATON'S

10c Tom Moore, boquet, 4 for .. **25¢**
$3.00 per box of 50.

10c La Preferencia, 4 for ..... **25¢**
$3.00 per box of 50.

10c Robert Burns, 4 for ..... **25¢**
$3.00 per box of 50.

15c Principe De Gales ..... **10¢**
$2.35 per box of 25.

15c McEleccion ..... **10¢**
$4.70 per box of 50.

15c La Verdad ..... **10¢**
Simon Bott & Co.

15c La Laverna ..... **10¢**
$2.35 per box of 25.

10c Don Marino ..... **5¢**
$1.25 per box of 25.

10c El Contento ..... **5¢**
$1.25 per box of 25.

10c Palmer House ..... **5¢**
$1.25 per box of 25.

5c Owl, 3 for ..... **10¢**

5c Henry George, 3 for ..... **10¢**

5c Old Guard, 3 for ..... **10¢**

**Beaton Drug Co.**
**15th and Farnam Sts.**


quests coming from business men and clerks.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 21.—A meat strike has been organized in Greater Pittsburg. Thousands of affiliated members of the Iron City Trades council are awaiting word from their leaders before putting into effect a meat boycott resolution adopted by the council last night. Youngstown, O.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Sharon, Pa., and other nearby cities have actively joined in the crusade.

**PROTEST FROM STOCK MEN**

**Colorado Association Says Boycott Will Hurt Producers.**

DENVER, Jan. 21.—The growing movement to boycott meat has aroused stockmen of the west to a protest that the effect of the boycott will injure the stockmen rather than the packers.

Tonight directors of the Western Stock Show association, composed of 500 western stockmen and business men interested in live stock production, adopted resolutions which say in part:

We condemn this movement as calculated to discourage an increased production of meat animals. We believe that stockmen and farmers of the United States should be given every incentive for increased production rather than discouragement. The present prices of meat are caused by the increased demand due to the growing population of the country, and the low prices that have heretofore prevailed are responsible for the failure of the producer to keep pace with the increase in population.

We call the attention of the public to the fact that, on the production of live stock, in a large measure depends the fertility of our soil, and consequently, the production of agricultural crops.

With the increase of our population it is the duty of every patriotic citizen to encourage agriculture in every possible way. We assert that the present prices for meats are not unduly high as compared with the advance in price on all food products.

The present movement to boycott the use of meat food is popularly supposed to be aimed at the packer, but in reality it is a blow at the stockman and farmer and is calculated to decrease production rather than materially to reduce prices.


**Only one "BROMO QUININE."**

That is Laxative Bromo Quinine. Look for the signature of E. W. Grove. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.


## LITTLE HOPE FOR PEACE IN EASTERN TRACTION ROW

**Power to Call Strike in Philadelphia Placed in Hand of C. O. Pratt.**

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Although more than 6,000 motorman and conductors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company voted last Tuesday in favor of a strike, the men are still at their posts today and all the lines of the company are running on their usual schedules. C. O. Pratt, who has been authorized by the executive committees of both the local and national bodies to give the word which will put the proposed strike into effect, is still holding back, hoping that the threatened trouble may yet be averted. Pratt said today:

"The men's grievances will be settled by arbitration. If the officials of the company and the members of the union fail to agree on any individual who can arbitrate the differences, the people will have to be the umpire."

The last communication received by the union men from the company holds little hope for a peaceful ending of the trouble. The men, who assert that the company is not carrying out the agreement reached at the end of the strike last June and charge that they are being discriminated against in favor of men of a new rival organization, asked the corporation to arbitrate the grievances. In answer to this proposition the company under yesterday's date made the following reply:

"The agreement of June 5, 1909, provides a method for the adjustment of grievances and we see no reason why there should be a change in this method, especially since the company has not refused and does not now refuse to meet your committee."


**Extraordinary Sale Saturday.**

Over 400 women's new suits and coats—worth up to $35.00—on sale Saturday for $7.50. Parisian Cloak Co., 113 South 18th St. See ad, Page Three.


**Internal Revenue Increasing.**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Internal revenue receipts for the current fiscal year continue to show a marked increase over the fiscal year ended June 30, 1909. The increase in receipts for the six months ended December 30, over the six months of the previous year was $8,718,007.

See the Parisian Cloak Co.' add—page 3.

## TOWNS MUST HAVE ARMORIES

### Iowa's Adjutant General Gives His Ultimatum.

### HARMON CHOSEN BY HAWKEYES

**Des Moines Democrats Have Secured Ohioan to Speak at Annual Banquet—New Y. M. C. A. Building.**

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Adjutant General Logan today ordered Creston, Knoxville, Centerville, Estherville, Newton and Cherokee to provide armories for their National Guard companies or armory rent will be withheld. If this order is not complied with within a certain time the companies will be mustered out.

Proudfoot, Bird & Rawson secured the contract for plans for the new Des Moines Y. M. C. A. building today. The cost of the building will be $225,000.

Prominent democrats have announced Judson Harmon of Ohio as a speaker at the annual democratic banquet, held in Des Moines April 2.

**Cownie Not Candidate.**

John Cownie, chairman of the State Board of Control, announced today that he was not a candidate for congressman from the Second Iowa district, to succeed Albert J. Dawson, who has announced that he will not be a candidate. Mr. Cownie's home is in the district, and he was immediately brought out by some of the papers as a prominent candidate for the position. Mr. Cownie stated positively that he was not a candidate for either state or national office.

His reason for this statement is that his term as a member of the State Board of Control does not end until May, possibly until the meeting of the next legislature, and that until the end of his term of office his time and energies belong to the state. He is not willing to give a part of this time to the pushing of a campaign, and will give the state all of his services until the end of his term.

Mr. Cownie has been a member of the Board of Control for twelve years. Governor Carroll would not appoint him at the last session of the legislature, but failed to have another man appointed. If the appointment had been made Mr. Cownie's term would end the last day of April, but the law does not define the exact condition existing at this time and authorities are divided whether the incumbent continues to hold the office or the governor has the right of appointment.

**Brigham After Place.**

Edward D. Brigham, formerly state labor commissioner, announced his candidacy for a place as councilman on the Des Moines commission today. Mr. Brigham was formerly a railroad engineer, has lived in Des Moines for years and has been prominent in political affairs all of that time. He will make the race as a labor candidate, making the fourth man in the race on this platform.

**Investigate Trust Charges.**

In spite of reincorporation and changes in their articles supposed to change the trust features, disliked by County Attorney Guthrie, the latter announced today that the Iowa Marble and Monument Dealers' association would have little time to eliminate the trust features of their agreement before he commenced prosecutions under the state anti-trust laws.

Under his direction also the Polk county grand jury commenced an investigation of charges that there is a grocers' trust in this city and that secret understandings exist which result in all of the grocers charging the same amounts for foodstuffs. All the prominent grocers of the city have been called before this body to explain why prices of certain articles are the same all over the city. The witnesses have been before the jury for two days.

**Harness Workers Meet.**

Harness workers from all over the state met today to consider ways and means of raising the wages paid in the harness shops of the state. The move is made by the manufacturers, who realize that with the present high cost of living the wages will not support a man and family.

**Indiana Men Coming.**

A number of representative Indiana men will visit Des Moines during the coming week to investigate the conditions of city government in the city and also to promote the best interests of Hoozierdom. The party will reach Des Moines Monday morning, traveling in a special car, and will remain here for three days. They will be entertained in the city by the Greater Des Moines committee. The personnel of the company follows:

James P. Goodrich, formerly state chairman of Indiana; W. M. Miller, editor of the Lafayette Courier of Lafayette; Wallace B. Campbell, secretary Federation of Commercial Clubs of Indiana; Edgar A. Perkins, editor the Union, Indiana Federation of Labor; F. A. Miller, editor South Bend Tribune; Hugh Dougherty, president Marion Trust company, Indianapolis; George B. Lockwood, editor Marion Chronicle; E. H. Harris, editor, and Mr. Bernhardt, associate editor, of the Palladium, of Richmond, Ind.; Mr. Gleason, representing Collier's Weekly and a staff representative of the Indianapolis Star.

## Pardon from State as Wedding Gift

### Remarkable Circumstances Surround Marriage of Couple to Head Volunteers in Lincoln.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan 21.—(Special.)—When Miss Fern Howard becomes the wife of Harry C. Hill at Hiawatha temple, Sixth and Wabasha streets, St. Paul, next Tuesday night, she will receive from Major General Edward Fielding of the Volunteers of America a document such as no American bride was ever before presented with on her wedding night. This document is an absolute pardon from the state of Minnesota, removing the probation under which she has enjoyed her freedom since last July, and permitting her to leave the state.

For almost the entire twenty-one years of her life this pretty little daughter of St. Paul has been the distraction of all city and state authorities, who have struggled to conquer her apparent incorrigibility. Next Wednesday, after nearly a year of work in the city missions as a teacher and pupil, she will go with her husband for the first time beyond the confines of Minnesota to Lincoln, Neb., where the newly wedded couple will have charge of the Volunteers' temple.

This little Volunteer girl was born of parents who kept ever on the seamy side of life. She lived very little at home during her girlhood, but stayed with a family named Porter. She was there one night with her mother, and, upon returning home, they met her father. He attacked her mother with a butcher knife during an ensuing quarrel. Fern crept noiselessly from an adjoining room, grabbed her father's wrist, wrenched the knife from him and plunged it deep into his breast. For four weeks her father hovered between life and death. As for Fern she had now been initiated into the records of the police.

This was March 19, 1907. May 29 following she pleaded guilty to second degree assault, was sentenced to the St. Cloud reformatory, and sentence was suspended upon her promise to be good. She, however, drifted back among her old associates and January 3, 1908, the court revoked the suspension of sentence and she was taken to St. Cloud, where she became the most incorrigible of its inmates, so much so that she was removed to the women's quarters in the state penitentiary at Stillwater.

Captain Tim Murphy of the Volunteers of America prison headquarters became interested in her and after several months as a pupil secured for her a parole last July, upon provision that she should not visit her parents.

She became a worker in St. Paul, where she met Harry C. Hill, lieutenant on Captain Murphy's personal staff. They fell in love.

Upon representations of the Volunteers of America, the state pardon board agreed January 10 last to grant Fern a full and complete pardon on the night of her marriage.

On the night of the marriage each of the young parties to the ceremony will receive the commissions of captains.

**Iowa Wins from Luther.**

DECORAH, Ia., Jan. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Luther's bad luck around the basket cost it the game with the University of Iowa on the local floor last night. Iowa played strong in the first half, the score at the end of that period being 3 to 11 in favor of the visitors. Luther then braced and the last half score was 8 to 12 in favor of Luther. The final score was 19 to 15 in favor of Iowa.


AMUSEMENTS.

**AUDITORIUM**

Matinee and Night Only

**Wednesday, Jan. 26**

Wm. Morris (Inc.) Presents the World-Famous Scotch Comedian and Entertainer,

**Harry Lauder**

With a Company of Celebrated Associate Players and

**JULIAN ELTINGE**

And Special Lauder Orchestra.

Seats on sale Monday, Jan. 24, 9 a. m. Prices 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. Can be reserved by telegraph from out of town with money order or check.

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**FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS**
The place to invest NOW while prices are LOW. Write at once, stating how much you want and for what purposes to INFORMATION AGENT.
J. B. Southworth, jr, Fayetteville Ark.

**$30 Suits to Order $15.00**

*On Sale Saturday, January 22nd*

This sale will be a hummer. 100 nice patterns to offer at $15.00. 110 nice patterns to offer at $20.00. Every suit and overcoat will be finely lined and trimmed. We guarantee good workmanship and a perfect fit. Come early Saturday.

*MacCarthy-Wilson Tailoring Co.*
*304-306 South 16th Street*

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TONIGHT—MAT. TODAY, All Seats 25c
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Capacity at every performance of ROBIE'S
"KNICKERBOCKERS"
EXTRAVAGANZA AND VAUDEVILLE
Ladies' dime matinee daily at 2:15.
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**ROLLER SKATING**
ALL THIS WEEK
BIG MASQUERADE FRIDAY NIGHT
Admission, 10c. Skates, 20c.

**MUSICIANS MASK CARNIVAL**
—Auditorium—
Monday, Jan. 24th.