



Special Features in Boys' and Girls' Apparel for Tuesday's Spring Opening Displays

For months our expert buyers have been carefully selecting the hundreds of handsome garments which you'll find all ready for you to choose from tomorrow. Each section is brilliant with fresh new merchandise, impressing one more forcibly than ever that this is the one store in Omaha which is amply prepared to outfit young folks completely in tasty, stylish and reasonably priced apparel.

Boys' Washable Suits

The season is now at hand when several Wash Suits are a very necessary part of the small boy's outfit. We have selected a large and pleasing variety of the neatest and smartest styles which the Manhattan Wash Suit Co. of New York has ever produced. These clever little suits come in both white and colored linen, repp and chambray. They are economical, dressy and serviceable.

Russian Suits for ages 1 to 6 years—\$1.50. \$2.00. \$2.50. \$3.00. \$3.50.
Sailor Suits for ages 5 to 9 years—\$2.00. \$2.50. \$3.00. \$3.50.

Boys' Serge Suits

In navy blue, brown and dark red and rich snappy mixtures offer a wide selection from which to choose the boys' early spring clothes. Either Russian or Sailor styles. The pleasing styles splendid workmanship and long service especially commends our boys' clothing to every parent.

Prices—\$3.75. \$5.00. \$6.00 and \$7.50.

For larger boys, English Norfolk, in fine, smooth, blue serges and lively mixtures of tan or gray are exceedingly popular with young chaps and the modest prices make it a pleasure to outfit the young fellows here.

Prices—\$5.00. \$6.50. \$7.50. \$8.50 and \$10.00.

Right at this in-between season every boy should have a Top Coat and we are prepared to supply just the style and fabric which will please him most. Blue serges, tan covers and smooth gray worsteds are some of the new fabrics. Special values at \$3.50. \$5.00. \$6.00 and \$7.50.

Cleverly Fashioned Dresses and Coats for Girls

Mothers who carefully consider the cost attendant to making the girls' dresses at home find that it is much cheaper to purchase them here. The newest and prettiest styles are now ready. For play, school or outing there is an abundant showing of fresh new wash dresses of percales, plain chambrays and gingham in dainty colors of tan, pink or blue in many pretty patterns—also a number of beautiful soft tone plaids. Every little dress is handsomely styled and trimmed. Sizes 8 to 14 years.

Prices—\$1.25. \$1.50. \$1.95. \$2.25. \$2.50 and \$3.50.

For "dress-up" occasions one may select from a very complete showing contributed by Wm. Fels of New York. French Repp, French Linen and Wexford cloth frocks with trimmings of Irish crochet lace, embroidery and hand embroidered designs—finished with fancy collars and cuffs. Many styles have the new plain skirt. New shades of tan, pink, navy, rose, leather, blue and white. Sizes 8 to 14 years.

Prices—\$3.95. \$4.50. \$5.75. \$6.50. \$7.50. \$8.75 and \$10.00.

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Prices—\$2.95. \$3.75. \$4.50. \$5.00. \$6.50 up to \$15.00.

Girls' Coats show many decided innovations in design, color combinations and trimmings. From the firm of E. J. Wile & Co., New York, we have selected the most varied and complete collection of smart and clever styles we have ever shown. Especial attention is drawn to the Little Major coat, a handsome model exclusively shown by us. Materials are serges in plain colors, tweeds, black and white checks, covers and hopsacks. Norfolk, 3/4 and full length models. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Prices—\$5.00. \$6.75. \$7.50. \$8.75. \$9.75. \$12. \$13.50. \$15. "The College Blazer" in school colors—ages 8 to 18. \$6.00.

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COMMISSION TOURS STATE

Iowa Liability Board Finds Little Interest in Des Moines.

MORE HEARINGS THIS WEEK

State Commission to Investigate the Schools Finds Little Done to Advance Rural Instruction in State of Iowa.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
DES MOINES, Ia., April 1.—(Special.)—The Iowa commission to prepare a bill for a new law in Iowa for employers' liability and workmen's compensation has just closed a tour of the state for a week, holding meetings in the large cities for the purpose of hearing from all persons who are interested in any way in the proposed legislation. The meetings have been uniformly good. The only place in the state where there was indifference to the subject is in Des Moines, where the commercial books have been busy with other things. At nearly all the meetings there have appeared representatives of the employer and employees and they have discussed frankly their views as to what should be done.

The commission will continue this week in having hearings and later will get busy in preparation of a report on what is being done in other states. The report will be a comprehensive review of the entire subject with suggestions as to possible features of legislation that would be better than any yet devised.

Inquiry into School Needs.

The commission appointed by the state superintendent to inquire into the needs of the schools of the state is busy gathering information that may be of value to the legislature. The first line of inquiry is to be as to conditions in the rural schools, for it is universally admitted that practically no progress has been made in the rural schools of the state in recent years beyond what has been done through consolidation and grading. The inquiry will also extend to methods of educating the teachers, and what can be done for better work in the grade schools of the cities and towns.

The state tax commission is also conducting an inquiry as to what can be done to improve the tax system of the state. From these three commissions the next legislature will receive a bill of work that will keep it busy the entire session.

Condition of Iowa Scales.

Not more than twenty-five sets of scales out of 1,224 sets tested by the state food and dairy department showed any signs of being fixed to cheat the customer, says W. B. Barney, state food and dairy commissioner.

Of a total of 1,224 sets of scales tested by the department, 271 were found inaccurate.

Questioning the accuracy of the figures of Prof. Stewart of Iowa City, state superintendent of weights and measures, Mr. Barney made an investigation of the scale records to prove the percentage of inaccurate scales if not as high as Mr. Stewart reported.

Mr. Barney says most of the inaccuracy in the scales is caused because of worn out apparatus, and many times because of the cheapness of the scales. He said the "break" is against the merchant almost as often as it is in favor of the merchant.

Dog Show for Des Moines.

Entries for a dog show have been made here to the number of about 300 and it will open on Thursday next in the Coliseum. A number of dogs have been entered from Chicago and several from eastern states. It will be held under the auspices of a newly formed kennel club and be the first formal dog show in the state. Arrangements have been made for another similar exhibition at the state fair in September.

Will Go to Battlefield.

Many surviving members of the Iowa Hornet's Nest brigade will leave Monday evening for Pittsburg Landing, Tenn., to take part in the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Shiloh.

Governor B. F. Carroll and Mrs. Carroll, Colonel David J. Palmer, Captain V. P. Twombly and Captain E. B. Soper will head the party that leaves Des Moines Monday evening for the south.

Railroads Have Coal.

The railroads doing business in Iowa are reported to have sufficient coal on hand to last them at least a month and in case of necessity they can get along for a longer period. They have been preparing for some months for the inevitable shutdown of the coal mines, which has now started. The manufacturers who use large quantities of coal have also stored a great deal and will not be put to any inconvenience. The small consumers are likely to suffer most from the failure to keep the mines in operation.

Gives Himself Up.

After James Thompson, whose home is in Haver, Mass., a suburb of Boston, has spent six months in Des Moines, his conscience did not feel at ease for jumping a parole bond. He gave himself up to the police today and said that he wanted to be sent home. He says he was convicted of beating his wife.

Boy Found Shot.

FAIRFIELD, Ia., April 1.—The body of Olla Yost, aged 18, who lived near Libertyville, Ia., was found along the tracks here today. There was a large bullet wound in the side. Neither the weapon or the young man's clothing could be found. Coroner Gummer and Sheriff Campbell are investigating.

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COAL MINERS SUSPEND WORK

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his office today after the conference with the mine owners at Cleveland. That the soft coal miners will vote almost unanimously in favor of the new wage proposition on April 19 was Mr. White's prediction.

Southwestern Men Stay at Work.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 1.—Whatever may be the final outcome of the efforts of the coal miners and operators of the southwest to agree on a new contract for the ensuing two years there will be no suspension of operations before May 1. This is in accordance with a continuation clause of the agreement of two years ago and representatives of both the operators and miners said today that it would be respected.

Police Captain Indicted.

OTTUMWA, Ia., April 1.—Night Police Captain Matt Mier was indicted by the Wapello county grand jury today on charges of bootlegging. Captain Mier says it is a "frameup" by political enemies. Ten others also were indicted on bootlegging charges.

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Bandits Arrested in Streets of Paris

PARIS, April 1.—Several bandits armed with revolvers unsuccessfully tried to rob a messenger of the Bank of France carrying \$200,000 in a crowded street in the center of Paris today. They were arrested.

Clayton Convention.

ELKADER, Ia., April 1.—The Clayton county republicans today selected delegates to the state and district conventions favorable to President Taft, but resolutions and instructions were voted down.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart responds to the charm and sweetness of a baby's voice, because nature intended her for motherhood. But even the loving nature of a mother shrinks from the ordeal because such a time is usually a period of suffering and danger. Women who use Mother's Friend are saved much discomfort and suffering, and their systems, being thoroughly prepared by this great remedy, are in a healthy condition to meet the time with the least possible suffering and danger. Mother's Friend is recommended only for the relief and comfort of expectant mothers; it is in no sense a remedy for various ills, but its many years of success, and the thousands of endorsements received from women who have used it are a guarantee of the benefit to be derived from its use. This remedy does not accomplish wonders but simply assists nature to perfect its work. Mother's Friend always nausea, prevents caking of the breasts, and in every way contributes to strong, healthy motherhood. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers. BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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HOW TO SUCCEED

wanted to go toward the coast was overruled.
The rise in the Elkhor river yesterday came down from around Wisner and Deemer, tore out all of the new work and carried away about 200 feet of the old grade in the west end of town. Men from Omaha and the country west were gathered up and sent out. They worked all day and last night.
Last night the Northwestern handled its passengers to northern Nebraska and a large number of those of the Union Pacific. Stub trains were run up to Arlington, where after walking about 200 yards the passengers were transferred to trains backed down from Fremont. The same method was pursued with reference to passengers coming this way.
Monday the Burlington was the only road that was handling Omaha passengers into Lincoln. It was running its trains over the Missouri Pacific to Louisville and getting them onto its own lines at Oread. However, it was serving the towns between Omaha and Nello, just this side of the Platte, and the towns between Lincoln and Ashland by running stub trains.
Only One Line Intact.
The Missouri Pacific is the only road west of the Missouri river that has maintained uninterrupted service out and in Omaha continuously since the beginning of the flood. This road has a bridge over the Platte at La Platte, and unlike the other bridges this one held, though there were times when the grade on either side was badly washed, but not sufficient to prevent trains passing over it.
While all of the roads expect to resume regular passenger service very shortly, it will probably be the last of the present week before freight trains will move with any degree of regularity. As a result it is anticipated that considerable inconvenience will be experienced in some of the towns in the flood-stricken districts. However, there is not going to be any suffering on account of lack of food supplies, as all of the lines out from Omaha have issued orders to take provisions on passenger trains as soon as they are running.
Fremont to Act Quickly.
A report comes from Fremont that along the Platte river the low farm lands were badly damaged by the strong current and floating ice and in places covered from six inches to a foot with sand. Damages to bridges and roads in Dodge county may reach \$25,000. A special meeting of the county board is ordered for tomorrow and the state will be asked to help to replace the longer bridges. A part of the dike built by a drainage district to cut the water off from the north channel is gone and the channel which runs across Fremont island, looks like a permanent one. The levee also built by the drainage district extending along the old north bank west of town was only washed out a little in one place and was a big pain to the city. There is likely to be strenuous opposition to spending any more money on the dike.