If folks don't read your store

news every day, it's your fault.

THE OMAHA DAILY BEE

BITE ON RUBBER AS **BIGIGUNS SPIT FLAME** FROM WAR MONSTER

Men Aboard Dreadnought Carry Cotton in Ears as Salvo of Eighteen Discharged.

JUST ONE TOUCH DOES THE JOB

Button Pressed and All of Mighty Guns Shoot One Volley.

VESSEL IS SHAKEN SOMEWHAT

Glass Broken Despite the Precautions that Are Taken.

RIVADAVIA COMPLETES TRIALS

What is Said to Be Greatest Broadside Ever Delivered from Battleship Sent Out Over Atlantic Waters.

BOSTON, March 14.-Firing what was said to be the greatest salve of big guns ever discharged from a battleship, the Argentine dreadnounght Rivadavia today completed the trials demanded by the construction contract. Every requirement was fulfilled, its builders announced.

The salvo was delivered in one broadside. Twelve twelve-inch guns and six ten-inch guns were trained from the port side of the big sea fighter as it lay off Cape Cod. With the pressure of a single button the eighteen guns were discharged, sending as many heavy projectiles out over the waters of the Atlantic.

The dreadnought was shaken somewhat, glass was broken notwithstanding special copper shulters and minor fittings were displaced, but the structure of the battlestrain. The test was repeated without causing any unexpected damage.

Irrigation Experts to Study Underflow

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, March 15. - (Special partment to proceed to Kearney and ex- of America a great opportunity." amine fully into the causes contributing yields, especially as to alfalfa, in the last service.

is especially directed to ascertain whether gion. department investigations.

NOTED SUFFRAGIST AND SOCIALIST MEETS DEATH

NEW YORK, March 15.-Corrine Stubbe Brown, a widely known socialist and Grinnell Students woman suffragist and formerly a resident of Chicago, dled today at her home in this city from an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Brown was born in Chicago in 1840 and after being connected with the public schools of that city for many years became actively interested in politics. In 1901 she was elected a member of the executive board of the social demo-

She was one of the founders and leaders of the Social Economic club of Chicago, a member of the Woman's Feedral Labor union, and for a number of years serevd as president of the Illinois woman's alliance, an organization active in behalf of adequate factory regulation and compulsory education laws. In 1898 she was elected chairman of the industrial committee of the eGneral Feedration of Women's clubs. Much of her work was done in co-operation with Miss Jane Addams, whose close friend she was.

OWNER CHASES RUNAWAY

ANSELMO, Neb., March 15 .- (Special.) A team hitched to a buggy broke from their fastenings yesterday and took it into their heads to go home without a driver. They succeeded in getting well the way, but left the buggy itself strung

The Weather



Official record of temperature and pre-cipitation compared with the correspond-ing period of the last three years: 1914. 1812, 1912, 1911.

Women at First Methodist Ignore Request to Remove Headgear.

BISHOP OLDHAM IN PULPIT Tells of Condition of Females in

Asia and Explains that Their Lot is Always a Hard

One.

"Would the women kindly remove their

No, they would not. In spite of the politely worded hint that hais were an undesirable part of the NEARLY THREE HO atmosphere, many women at the First Methodist church Sunday morning re-

fused to take off their hats.

The millinery removal request appeared in two places in the program of services which were handed out to the congregation by the ushers. But for unexplained reasons the stickups, aigrettes and plumes continued to wave overhead throughout the sermon, while men craned their necks to catch a glimpse of the speaker, Rev. William F. Oldham, formerly Methodist missionary bishop Asia, who preached two sermons, one in the morning and the other in the even-

Most Remarkable Thing.

to women," said the bishop in his morning address on the subject, "The Poverty of the Christless Lands." He made his remarks concerning American women.

Addressing the women in the audience, 1: over charge, 77; right-of-way fences, the speaker said: "Crese men who sit etc., 8; excessive rates, 35;; train service, alongside of you-what voice have they 5; express service, 7; loss, damage or dein affairs? None at all. They merely make suggestions now and then."

Then, turning to the men, the bishop remarked: "The American woman has been lifted so high that you cannot associate with her without being lifted up

The Women of Asta.

Bishop Oldham's experience has been ship, it was said, stood firmly under the largely in the non-Christian countries of Asia, where he has done much missionary work. He told of the customs of During the discharges the men aboard those lands, emphasizing especially the had to carry rubber between their teeth shabby treatment accorded women there. and cotton in their ears to ease the jar He said that in one of his mission fields the annual expenditure for clothing for each woman averaged 72% cents. He pointed out that the poorest American women are extravagantly and richly dressed in comparison and said that real poverty is hardly known here, the selfstyled "poor" people being merely not quite so well off as some others.

"The deepest and most absolute poverty Telegram.)-Congressman Kinkaid of the from which there is no escape," the Sixth Nebraska district was informed to- bishop declared, is found in lands where day that H. C. Diesem, irrigation en- Christ is not known. But a different and gineer of North Platte in charge of irri- even worse poverty is that of the soul. gation investigations for Nebraska and The normal suffering of the women in South Dakota for the Agricultural de- heathen lands is especially acute, and its partment, has been ordered by the de- relief offers the forunate women and men

A big thank offering for the benefits to the lack of underflow along the Platte enjoyed here was made to the foreign valley resulting in diminishing crop missionary fund of the church at each

In the evening Bishop Oldham's topic Mr. Diesem, who is now in Washington, was "Realities and Unrealities in Reli-

the lack of water is due to drouth or to At the Commercial club this noon, the MISSOURI PACIFIC ROAD the uses of water for irrigation purposes bishop will discuss American relations to further up the Platte and report the out- the Phillippines, which islands were income of his investigation to Dr. S. For- cluded in his field of mission service. The tier, in charge of the drainage branch of Methodist ministers of the city will hear him at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at their building. He leaves for Kansas City tonight, while in the city, he is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Titus Lowe.

Meet College Head

The Omaha alumni and ex-students of ters at San Francisco. Grinnell college, held a reunion at the Young Men's Christian association last and daughter. Prof. Macy is head of the department of economics, and has written several books of scientific nature.

Prof. Macy addressed the ex-students, many of whom studied under him, and declared he was proud that so many Grinnell graduates were conducting successful business enterprises in this city. Miss trated with stereopticon views. A lunchcon was served at the reunion.

The reception committee consisted of James W. Munn to H. Smith, Council Bluffs; Fred Pinney G. C. Edgerly, W. H. Rhoades, E. F. Denison, E. M. Martin, Omaha.

TEAM IN AUTOMOBILE WHITE HOUSE SILENT AS TO WEDDING DATE

WASHINGTON, March 15.-Congratualong the way. The outfit belonged to the engagement of the president's Knights Templar, of which he was a G. W. Simms of near New Helena and he. Youngest daughter, Miss Eleanor Wil- member. He lived here for many years. when he found that his team had deserted son, and William G. McAdoo, secretary The body will be brought by special train him, hired an automobile and followed, of the treasury. Many of Miss Wil- from Chicago to Boone, and then to He found the buggy a few miles out of son's friends called in person to deliver Omaha. The funeral at Boone will take they got no oportunity to earn it. town and finally came across the horses their felicitations. standing quietly in the road. The White House The White House is silent as to just

when the wedding will take place, and what kind of ceremony it will be. It o'clock. is generally believed, however, that the marriage will be performed at the White House early in the summer. The belief is also that the wedding will be private though "Private" does not mean that it will not be an elaborate society func-The marriage of Miss Jessie Wilson to Francis Bowes Sayre was private but it was nevertheless attended by hundreds of guests from official and social

CROSSING BRIDGE. THREE ARE KILLED BY A TRAIN

CHICAGO, March 15.-Three unidenti-fied men were knocked off a bridge into the Desplaines river and killed today at River Grove, Ill., by a Chicago, Milwankee & St. Paul train. The men were in the middle of the bridge when they saw two trains about to cross the bridge in opposite directions. There was not room enough between the two tracks and they tried to crawl out to the ends of the ties. The locomotive of the train on that side of the bridge struck them and hurled the mangled bodies to the river, thirty-five feet below. The bodies were recovered later, but could not be

AND THE HATS ARE KEPT ON MANY COMPLAINTS TO RAIL COMMISSION

Sixth Annual Report Shows Large Number Filed with State Body for Last Year.

MANY MINOR WOES ADJUSTED

Thirty-Three Applications for Stock and Bonds Passed On

Challenges of Phys many action ation

ECHOES OF TELEPHONE HEARING

Charges that Company Was Favored Gone Into Exhaustively by

> Members of the Body.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15 .- (Special.) - The sixth annual report of the State Rallway ommission just published shows that "The most remarkable thing in this during the year there were 46 informal country is the amazingly high place given complaints filed with the commission covvering different matter which were lassified as follows:

Station facilities, 26; telephone service, \$1 d;scrimination, 6; crossing facilities, lay in transit, 36; car service, 45; stock yards, side tracks, sites, scales, etc., 28;

classification, 2; miscellaneous, 51. Disposition was made of 479 informal omplaints showing 263 satisfied; 38 insufficient information furnished and dismissed; 36 formal complaint necessary and dismissed; 47 no jurisdiction and dismissed and six opinion and order issued.

Many Minor Complaints. In addition to the foregoing there were a large number of minor troubles brought before the commission an adjujsted. Forty-two formal complaints were filed during the year listed as follows:

Telephone service, 6; excessive rates, 3; train service, 4; station and terminal facilities, 8; transfer switch, 5; car service, 2; stock yards facilities, scales, etc., 3 discrimination, 4; irrigation rates, 2 crossing facilities, 2; classification, free delivery of returned emties, 1; cor porate securities, 1.

been passed upon, 33 of thees being for stocks and bonds; 156 covering rates; four on train schedules; 25 milling, storing and reconsigning in transit and 103 covering service, weights and measures.

How Much Spent. Of the appropriation of \$21,840 for the 1913-14 biennium, for office help, but \$6,186 had been spent November 1, 1913, while of the \$15,000 appropriated for office expenses, but \$16,164 had been spent, which ncludes expenses of the engineering and blue sky departments. How this diffice (Continued on Page Two.)

CHANGES TRAFFIC OFFICIARY

ST. LOUIS, March 15.-(Special.)-J. M. Johnson, vice president, in charge of headquarters in the Omaha National bank traffic of the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain, Denver & Rio Grande and Western Pacific railways, announced today that H. M. Adams has been appointed general traffic manager of the Missouri Pacific and St. Louis Iron Mountain Southern lines with headquarters in St. Louis, and J. T. Hendricks appointed freight traffic manager of the Western Pacific railway, with headquar-

Mr. Hendricks has been general traffic manager of the Missouri Pacific and Iron last-hour bargains, the arrest of a few night in honor of Prof. Jessie Macy, who Mountain lines and Mr. Adams has been is visiting here accompanied by his wife freight traffic manager of the Denver Rio Grande and Western Pacific. Mr. Johnson also announced the ap-

pointment of W. I. Jones as assistant to the vice president in charge of traffic over all the four railway companies, vice M. C. Markham, assigned to other cuties. Mr. Jones has heretofore been assistant to the general traffic manager Macy gave a lecture on the college, illus. of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain, which office is abolished.

Be Buried Tuesday

lations poured in at the White House will be in Omaha, however, under the Workers of the World meeting. today because of the announcement of auspices of Mount Calvary Commandery. place Monday, and burial here will be in Forest Lawn cemetery Tuesday afternoon, the train being due to arrive at 2:30 of Siegel & Vogel today and was in

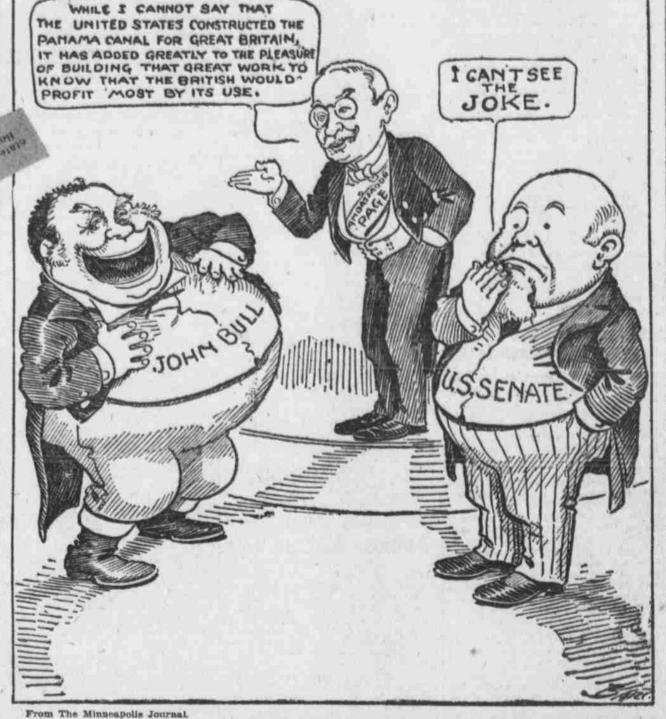
URGES BANK CONDUCTED IN THE CHICAGO SCHOOLS

CHICAGO, March 15.-A bank, which savings system recommended today by fer of bad securities, and the depositors Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of can rest assured that whatever is offered schools, is adopted. Officers will be with our sanction will be bona fide." elected by the children and they will work under a regular banking plan. The funds will be kept in some bank. The plan was proposed by Joseph R. Noel, vice president for Illinois of the savings bank section of the American

BODY OF SLAIN MAN IS IDENTIFIED AS PASTOR'S

HUNTSVILLE, Ark., March H .- The today as that of Rev. D. N. Keck, a Methodist minister of Huntaville. The minister presumably was shot from ambush last night while he was driving swallowed the button, as his appendix am not fitted for it and, second, because to his home. Rifle bullets struck him was treble its normal size and he was in I have other work in which I believe I in the neck and shoulders.

This Time It's the Yankee Can't See the Joke



During the year 221 applications have SIEGEL STORES ARE CLOSED Noted Priest Dead;

Most of 2,500 Men, Women and Children Promised Relief.

WHITE SLAVERS ON THE SCENE

Street Corner Orators Advise Departing Employes to Steal Bread if They Get No Chance to

Enra It.

NEW, YORK, March 15,-The Fourteenth street store and that of the Simpson Crawford company, properties of Henry Siegel and Frank E. Vogel, who are under indictment in connection with the failure of the Siegel private bank and mercantile enterprises here, closed their doors last night by order of the federal

ceivers and creditors. But for the assistance promised by other department stores and by charity workers and employment agencies, 2,500 men, women and children would have been thrown out of work. Most of these have been promised jobs on Monday, however, and others, it is expected, will find places before another week is out.

Incidents of Closing. Aisles crowded with patrons seeking shoplifters, the appearance of organizers of the Industrial Workers of the World, the reported presence of agents of questionable employment bureaus offering girls work and the hysterical weeping of women who had lost their savings in the

the closing of the stores. Printed lists of reputable employment agencies and respectable boarding houses were distributed among the women and zirls by social workers who had been informed of reports that white slave agents were mingling with the discharged workers.

Speech-making by Industrial Workers of the World was stopped by the police. Handbills bearing "A Call to the Unem-

street corner addresses to the departing employes advised them to steal bread if A committee representing the depositors in the Siegel bank called on the attorneys

formed that the partners had not pre pared a new offer of settlement, as the lepositors were told last night. "In view of the present turn the case has taken it would be impossible for us to make any offer," said Louis S. Levy of counsel. "We do not want to hold up will conducted by pupils, will be estab- the hopes of the depositors only to shatlished in every school in Chicago, if a ter them. We will not countenance the of-

MAN SWALLOWS RAILROAD "SAFETY FIRST" BUTTON

CHICAGO, March 15,-"Safety first said Harry Spieckerman, an office employe of the Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, as he placed one of the body of a man found lying in a road, and Spieckerman was taken to a hos- he said: ten mlies south of here, was identified pital where both the button and his appendex were removed.

a dangerous condition.

Paralysis is Cause

CHICAGO, March 15 .- Rev. Maurice J Dorney, a Chicago Catholic priest, whose name is familier on both sides of the URGES PRESSURE ON SOLONS Atlantic, died today at Mercy hospital, wheer his slater is one of the nuns in charge. Death was due to paralysis, following heart trouble which attacked him a few weeks ago. Archbishop Quigley was present at the bed side shortly before Father Dorney became unconscious.

EARTHQUAKE IN JAP ISLAND

Serious Earth Disturbance in Prefecture of Akita.

Volcano Asama-Yama, Ninety Miles Northwest of Nipponese Capital,

Reported to Be in Erup-

ouses destroyed. In the village of Kowabubi, which was ruined, there were many casualties. The volcano Asama-Yama, ninety miles northwest of Tokio, is in eruption

Pinchot Replies to Siegel bank were incidents that attended Humphrey's Charge

WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Gifford Pinchot gave out a statement today replying to recent accusations made by Representative Humphrey of Washington as to the former chief forester's attitude toward the acquisition of certain lands by the Santa Fe and Northern Pacific railroads. It reads in part:

Mr. Humphrey challenges me to say The funeral of James W. Miunn. assistant seenral passenger agent of the
Northwestern Railroad company, who
died at Chicago Thursday right, will
be held at Boone, Is., his boyhood home,
where the father and a son live. Burial
will be in Omaha, however, under the
auspices of Mount Calvary Commandery,
Knights Tempiar, of which he was a
member. He lived here for many years.

Handbills bearing "A Call to the Unemployed" to organize were distributed, inviting the cierks and shop girls to attend
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Identifies and Buries Wrong Man as Hubby

CHICAGO, March 15 .- Mrs. Sophie Niemann told the coroner today that as she had identified and buried the wrong man returned to the morgue. Mrs. Niemann series of entertainments being given by said she had been aided in making the the club. identification January 25 by four members of a lodge to which Niemann be- DIGGS PLEADS NOT GUILTY longed and had collected \$1,000 life insurance. She said her son had met Niemann in this city two nights ago.

TAFT REFUSES OFFER TO BECOME COLLEGE PRESIDENT

WILMINGTON, Del., March 15 .- Former President William H. Taft has declined an offer to become president of company's "safety first" buttons in his Delaware college, which position was ofmouth today. Then he swallowed the fered him at a salary of \$5,000 a year. button. It was attached to a brass pin in a letter to a trustee of the institution

"I am quite content with my position in New Haven, and I could not accept The surgeon asserted Spieckerman the presidency of any university or calwould have died in a month if he had not lege for two reasons, first, because I can do more good,"

THAW MAKES PUBLIC APPEAL

Asks People of New York State Call Halt on Prosecution.

Calls Attention to Resolution Introduced in Assembly by John B.

> Golden Relating to His Case.

CONCORD, N. H., March 15.-Harry K. Young Woman Says Thaw has addressed to the people of the state of New York, in whose name is being conducted the contest to return the slayer of Stanford White to the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane, an appeal to end the case against him. A statement of the case was tele court in response to a petition by re- NUMBER OF PEOPLE ARE DEAD graphed today by Thaw to newspapers and press associations, calling attention to resolutions which have been introduced in the New York assembly by John E. Golden, demanding that the prosecution be terminated.

Reviewing his two trials, Thaw set forth that of the twenty-six men con-TOKIO. March 15 .- A serious earthquake fined with film in the Tombs in 1996, occurred today in the prefecture of Akita, charged with homicide, twenty-three are Island of Hondo. A number of persons free today, and other men have escaped in the city of Akita were killed and many from Matteawan without being pursued. The statement concludes as follows: The statement concludes as follows:

I do not ask for sympathy, but only justice, which should be the inherent right of every man. For the deed committed, I ask no benevolents. It was done in a moment when sorrow wrecked my home and when I was forced to realise that the happiness of a lifetime, which after marriage should have been mine, was taken from me. The deed was committed; my family, those near and dear to me, publicly exposed to the closest scrutiny; my mother plunged into grief; and myself into a living death; the tortures of which I do not wish to relate.

grief; and myseif into a living death; the tortures of which I do not wish to relate.

I am now a man, my youth passed; my resources impaired. My parents' charities have been extensive; I myseif have assisted many in need. The future holds for me an opportunity to bring some peace and happiness to my sged mother, who in these eight years has known none, and who has spent her declining years in untold sorrow.

My agversary now seeks to place me in Matteawan—a living hell—to there spend the rest of my life, to never again take my place in my mother's home in her remaining years; and in respectful confidence, I now appeal to the citizens of New York in the power of their sovereignty to stop the prosecution and therefore ask that all people who believe that I have suffered years of punishment, commensurate with my deed, write the representatives of their own district at Albany before Wednesday to support and vote for these resolutions. vote for these resolutions.

Sidney Woolett Reads 'Tempest' Before Club

Sidney Woolett, a prominent interpreter of English poetry, whose home is in Boston read Shakespeare's "Tempest" before a large audience of members and as her husband, Herman Niemann, she their friends at the University club last would like to have the body dug up and evening. His appearance was one of a

TO CHARGE OF ASSAULT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15 -- Maury I Diggs, former state architect, already inder conviction on a white slave charge in connection with a Sacramento-to-Reno elopement has pleaded not guilty today in the superior court to a charge of assault preferred against him by Ida Pearring, a girl who swears she is but seventeen years old.

Walter Gilligan, Diggs' companion or the night of the alleged assault and acused by the Pearring girl of the same offense, also pleaded not guilty. Techni cal demurrers, interposed by counsel for both men, were overruled and both

trials were set for April 29. Both men are prisoners in the county jail, as neither has been able to furnish bonds since their arrest early in January.

ONE KILLED, THIRTY INJURED IN A WRECK ON OMAHA RAILROAD

Two Coaches of Train Leaving This City Saturday Morning Derailed in Minnesota.

CARS ROLL DOWN EMBANKMENT

One Stands Almost Upright, Throwing Passengers to One End.

MINNEAPOLIS WOMAN IS DEAD

Sidney Moier, Reported as Local Man. One of Those Hurt.

VICTIMS ARE TAKEN TO ST. PAUL

Every Available Ambulance Ready to Carry Them to Hospitals Upon Arrival in Northern City.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 15 .- One woman was killed and probably thirty other persons injured, several probably fatally, when two coaches of passenger train No. 4 on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad left the rails and rolled down an embankment at Mendota, Minn., last night. The first part of the train remained on the tracks and proceeded to St. Paul with the dead

The train, consisting of an engine, a baggage car and eight coaches, left Omaha for St. Paul at 7:45 o'clock this morning. After passing the station at Mendota, two coaches in the middle of the train broke from the other coaches and toppled over. One of them stood almost apright, throwing the passengers to the end of the coach. Hardly a passenger in this coach escaped injury. The fact that both coaches were steel probably saved a score of lives, rallroad men say.

A relief corps was formed and the inored passengers lifted through the windows and doors of the coaches. Many were severely cut about the head and body by broken glass. Every available ambulance met the train upon its arrival here and the injured were

Relief Corps Formed.

hurried to the different hospitals of the Road men differ as to the cause of the wreck, but the general opinion was that the ralls crumbled after the engine and first few coaches had passed. An im-

mediate investigation will be instituted according to railroad officials. The train was traveling less than thirty miles an hour, when the wreck ocurred.

Many of the injured were met by friends or relatives when the train arrived here and taken to homes and (Continued on Page Two.)

She is the Long-Lost Miss Dorothy Arnold

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 15.-A. Young woman who has been living here for mote than two years, under the name of Elia Evans, declared today that she was really Dorothy Arnold, who disappeared from New York in December, 1910, according to a story which the Examiner will publish tomorrow. The young woman, who was quoted as having asserted she was the New York society girl who disappeared from the

mained for a time in New York City and then went to Rochester. Bark Driven Ashore

home of her father, Prancis R. Arnold,

maintained secreey as to how she came

to California but declared that immed-

lately after she left her home, she re-

and Six Men Drown LONDON, March 15 .- The Swedish bark Prifolium was driven ashore on Land's End last night and Captain Olsen and four sallors were drowned. Six members

of the crew were saved. Storms along the coast did much damage during the night to small craft and vessels were wrecked in Queenstown and Liverpool harbors.

A Word About Spring Suits

Have you been reading the advertisements in The Bee about the new spring suits all ready for you to step into?

Have you noticed the adver-tisements of the tailors or dressmakers who are prepared to make your suit to order if you prefer buying it in that Way!

If you have not thought about your new suit, it is high time for you to begin thinking! The shopkeepers and tailors and dressmakers of this city are all ready to fill your order. They have been preparing for spring business for some time and they tell you through the columns of The Bee what they have to offer you.

Read their advertisements at once and make your selection while the stocks are at their freshest and before the worst of the rush is at hand.

A week of mild weather makes every woman hurry off to stock up her wardrobe. You know the warm days are coming—so be prepared for them when they get here. Save your-self the discomfort of haste by reading carefully The Bee's advertisements and making up your mind where and how you wish to place your order.