Merry Del Val Faction to Switch to New Member of Sacred College if Leader Fails to Win.

Rome, Jan. 27.-With the body the late Pope Benedict laid away beneath the flagstones of St. Peters. he interest of the sacred college and the Vatican household turned today to the election of his successor. conclave has been called for February 2 to choose the new pontiff.

The question of a rapprochaent between the church ad the Italian government enters into the election,

29 Favor Benedict's Policy. Twenty-nine cardinals, headed b Cardinal Gasparri, the camerlengo or acting head of the church, are to favor continuance of Benedict's policy, which was understood to have been directed toward C. F. Story Appointed a resumption of relatious with the quirinal; 20 members of the sacred college are thought to be just as strongly opposed, while nine are classified as neutral.

while Cardinal Gasparri and Cardinal Archpriest Merry Del Val, respectively, leaders of the peace party and the irreconcilables, are acknowledged by their supporters to have edged by their supporters to have little chance of being elected.

voting for their leader on the first derstood, will switch to Cardinal Northeast Nebraska Editors ballot as a test of strength, it is un ber of the sacred college stationed in Rome. Laurenti presided for many years over the Roman Catholic world

Cardinal Van Rossum of Holland is most prominently mentioned as a neutral candidate should a deadlock he reached in the conclave. He is 67 years of age and was raised to the purple by Pius X in 1911. Women to Be Present.

For the first time in history wonen will be permitted to be present in the quarters occupied by the con-clave. They are Sisters of Mercy, who will preside over the destinies of the cardinals' kitchens, which heretofore have been supervised by

## Farmers Are Saved by Practice of Economy

with retail prices, there is no question but that the storm is over. About 10 per cent of the popula tion of Geneva consists of retired This condition leads to pretty thorough understanding of the agricultural problem. It also en-

courages by force of example money saying habits that are scarcely dreamed of in urban places. One of the practices being spread through the influence, of the retired farmers is that of

home meat Business men and their employes have found it profitable to buy a hog or two from the country and hire some farm hand who is living about town for the winter to turn them into pork. Meat Keeps Nicely.

In cold weather the meat keeps nicely, and some even can a part of from farmers with large supplies. A railroad man tells of buying a hind quarter of beef at 12 cents a pound.

A good many milk cows are kept in the country towns. Some house-wives churn their own butter from this milk, while other families find profitable to sell the milk to their neighbors and buy butter at the

Such are the ways in which the country back of Omaha is economizing. A good deal of the waste of marketing and transporting products back and forth is being eliminated. The message of these people to the business men to the eastward is that 1922 is going to be a good year for the efficient industries of the nation. Agriculture, through co-operation, thrift and common sense, is doing its share to restore normal pros-perity. All it expects is that the business, transportation, financial and manufacturing interests meet it

Superior Minister Will

Address South Dakota Uni Superior, Neb., Jan. 27.-(Special.) Rev. A. H. Eggleston of the First Presbyterian church has been invited to address the student body of the University of South Dakota February 23. Rev. Mr. Eggleston was recommended by the national committee on armaments of Washington for this address. His subject will be "Limitation of Armaments."

Blue Springs Farm Home Is Destroyed by Fire

Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The farm home of S. B. Syers of this city, located east of Blue Springs and occupied by Ray Boherer and family, was destroyed be fire of unknown origin. Some of the household goods were saved. The loss is placed at \$4,000, partially covered by insurance.

Union Pacific Stops Ice Harvest at Gothenburg

Gothenburg, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—After they had harvested 12,862 tons of ice, the 73 men working on Lake Gothenburg were thrown out of jobs because of the destruction of the Union Pacific ice Houses at Junction City, Kan. The

houses were burned. Per Colds. Grip or Influenza and as a Preventive, take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets. The senuine, bears the signature of E. W. Grove. (Be sure you get BROMO.) 36 Adv.

## Death Calls Famous Newspaper Woman

New York, Jan. 27. — Nellie Bly. newspaper woman, who achieved fame by a spectacular trip around the world in record time, died of

pneumonia today at St. Marks hos-pital. Nellie Bly's trip around the world was made for the New York World to prove the possi-bility of Jules Verne's imagina-

tive story "Around he World in Eighty Days,

death she was a member of the staff contribution was received from Mc. of the New York Evening Journal. Castillini, one of the delegates from In private life, Nellie Bly was Mrs. the United States. Elizabeth C. Seaman,

Pierce, Neb., Jan. 27 .- (Special.)-The attitude of the American cardinals—O'Connell of Boston and Dougherty of Philadelphia—is unknown at the Vatican, but the opinknown at the Vatican, but the opin-ton is expressed that, unless a com-

Mr. Story was born in Pierce county and educated in the Pierce public schools. For a number of The candidate of the Gasparri for the Edwards-Bradiord Lumber of while Merry Del Val's faction, after pot here for the Edwards-Bradiord Lumber company. Deputy to Mr. Story has

Hold Meeting at Norfolk Norfolk, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special Telegram.) — About 45 editors are here attending the annual meeting of the Northeast Nebraska Editorial association. New officers will be elected Saturday. A banquet was held Friday night at which Edgar Howard of Columbus, Gene Huse of Norfolk and P. F. O'Gara were among the speakers.

Chroring the ordinance establishing an electric light rate ranging from 8 to 12½ cents a kilowatt.

The following were named defendants: Mayor Charles E. Carter; councilmen, John B. Greer, George S. Leininger, Everett M. Black, Albert H. Durell, Ben F. Purvis and Clarence J. McClelland; city clerk, W. L. Abel and city attorney, James

#### Chappell Checker Players

Defeat Lodgepole Team Lodgepole, Neb., Jan. 27. — (Special.—In a checker tournament with 10 men on a team, Chappell players wen 53 of 100 games, and Lodgepole players, 35. Twelve games were a

## Fire Department Organized

Lodgepole, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—The American Legion post in co-operation with the village board has organized a volunteer fire department. The town is at present without adequate fire protection.

#### Drastic Action Is Taken in Gretna to Halt Wave of Crime

Gretna, Neb., Jan. 27 .- (Special.) -There will be no more thuggery ing law, is a fivestock raiser and or skullduggery in Gretna if local farmer.

citizens can prevent it. every night. All of the citizens have volunteered to take their turns at police duty. Every night finds two

the beef for summer use. Many of Officials say results justify the a movie show. The candy became February 10, on the question, "Rethose who do not hire their own new plan for no crimes have been lodged in his throat and only the solved. That the organized movement maker buy fresh beef and pork reported since it was inaugurated 10 timely arrival of a city physician ment for a closed shop should receive

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Worth to \$7.50.

A limited quantity of smart styled Pumps and Oxfords, representing

broken lines from our reg-

ular stock. If you can be

fitted the values are ex-

Salesmen to serve you who take a

keen interest in pleasing you.

traordinary.

## Eamon De Valera **Named President** of Irish League

New Organization Formed at Paris Conference to Establish Executive Council in Dublin.

By The Associated Press. Paris, Jan. 27.—The entire time of the last session of the world congress of the Irish race today was devoted to a discussion of details connected Sent went Verne more than seven to a discussion of details connected days better, finishing the circuit in a little more than 72½ days.

In later years she devoted most president of the new organization. In later years she devoted most president of the new organization, of her activities to solving the heart naming other officers and deciding problems of young women who to establish a central executive counsought advice through her newspa-cil in Dublin, the congress adjourned. per column. At the time of her A pledge of \$20,000 as an American death she was a member of the staff contribution was received from Mr.

Mr. De Valera took the presidency upon condition that his election be unanimous and without political significance. The Americans, who Pierce County Clerk took a prominent part in the discussions throughout the congress, arc represented on the central executive council, the duty of which will be to co-ordinate the national organiza-

tions of the various countries.

Prof. MacNeill was elected vice

mayor and councilmen, were made American delegation, addressed the defendants in a petition for an in-junction filed in federal court in native of this city, but for many Omaha yesterday in protest against years has been a missionary to Japthe electric light and power rate

The Nebraska Gas and Electric company is plaintiff. The petition seeks to have the city enjoined from it has accomplished, and things enforcing the ordinance establishing

## McCook Speeds Up Plans

for Junior High School McCook, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Architect George Berling-hoff of Lincoln, after consultation here with the McCook board of education, has promised to have comby Legion at Lodgepole

gepole, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Speboard expects in five weeks to be able to let the contract and begin work very shortly after. The building will cost approximately \$100,000.

## Filley Lawyer Files for

Congress in Fourth District sonal filing as a republican candidate for congress in the Fourth district. the present contract, Mr. Crocker, in addition to practic-

Night watchmen patrol the streets Butterscotch Candy Nearly

Causes Death of Lincoln Boy police duty. Every night finds two men, one business man and one When Lyle Johnson 12, of this city. "lay" citizen, keeping watch over the swallowed a piece of butterscotch sleeping village.

Officials say results justify the a movie show. The candy became February 10, on the question, "Re-

1519-21 TERZBERG . "Style Without Extravagance"

Emphatically! Here Is Omaha's

Greatest Footwear Sale

Values that will hold you spellbound. Any woman who

contemplates the purchase of new Footwear should come

direct to Hersbergs. Styles of the minute, priced so low as to make this the only sale worth while.

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\$8.00 and \$10 Values

Eighteen distinct styles in

Fancy Pumps and Oxfords scheduled for clearance in

this unusual sale. Styles enough to satisfy every taste, all sizes.

Gold and Silver Party Slippers

ONE-THIRD OFF

This includes six lines from our regular stock. The very

Herzbergs-Mezzanine Floor.

newest creations are represented

## Compensation Awards Made Injured Workers

Lincoln, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—
Compensation Commissioner Kennedy has made two awards to injured workmen in the western part of the state. Thomas J. Adams was in the employ of the Freight Express company when he was hurt at North Platte by being august in a life state. Platte by being caught in a life shaft. He is to receive \$15 a week to-gether with \$7.50 a week for waiting time from January 21 to April 1, 1921. He is also to submit to medi-

cal treatment to be paid for by the employer. The \$15 per week is to be paid as long as he is disabled.

Earl E. Sharp, who was injured November 7, 1919, while in the employ of the Great Western Sugar company at Gering, will also receive \$15 a week. His back was wrenched in an accident and last February a in an accident and last February a tubercular condition of the spine de-veloped. He is to submit to treatment and compensation is to con-tinue as long as he is disabled.

## Red Willow County Man

Is Freed of Murder Charge McCook, Neb., Jan. 27 .- (Special.) The first chapter in Red Willow county's somewhat famous murder case came to a close when District Judge Eldred took the case against Martin Morris, charged with being accessory and conspiring in the mur-der of his brother-in-law, Pearl P. Turner, out of the hands of the jury and discharged the prisoner on the grounds that sufficient evidence had not been produced by the state. The case of George Morris, another brother-in-law, charged with the murder of Turner, will probably be taken to Hitchcock county on change of venue.

#### Gothenburg Men's Club

Hears Talk on Conference Gothenburg, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Dr. William Axling, who attended the Washington disarmament conference as an advisor of the a recent ordinance passed to regulate an, and is well acquainted with far eastern questions. In his eyes the conference is a decided success, despite the many dissensions. To prove this he outlined a multitude of things

#### which it will accomplish. Lincoln Sheep Feeder

Makes Good Profit on Lambs Councilmen, John B. Greer, George S. Leininger, Everett M. Black, Albert H. Durell, Ben F. Purvis and Clarence J. McClelland; city clerk, W. L. Abel and city attorney, James H. Kemp.

A shipment of fat lambs, consisting of 479 head, were brought to the Omaha market by John Bauer of Lincoln, who received the top price of \$13.15 a hundred. The lambs were bought here early last November for feeders at \$7,50 a hundred and weighed an average of 52 pounds. When sold they averaged pounds. When sold they averaged 75 pounds. The lambs were placed in the feed lots and developed as rapidly as possible on a feed of alfalfa and corn. Mr. Bauer said he was highly pleased with the gains and profit made.

#### **Cuming County Doctors** Dispense With Public Nurse

West Point, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The Cuming County Medical society at its annual meeting here elected the following officers: Dr. T. D. Thompson, president; Dr. W. L. Crosby, vice president, and Dr. F. J. Kotlar, secre-Lincoln, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—At-torney Lloyd Crocker of Filley sent Secretary of State Amsberry his per-services of the county nurse will be dispensed with at the termination of

## Geneva Debating Team Is

Named for Gresham Meet Geneva, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.) The official debating team of the High school is composed of Alton Corbitt, George Kochler, Howard Hamilton and Donald Warner, They the support of public opinion.

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Regular \$10 Values.

Ten styles selected from

our regular lines to be

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treme low price. You'll

wonder how such footwear can be sold for \$7.

Shopping in the forenoon will permit

you to avoid the crowds of a Saturday

# Thompson, Belben & Ca.

# The Month End January Sales Offer Many Special Inducements

Purchases charged Saturday will be carried forward to March first statements

## January Linen Sales End In Three Days

Saturday a Half-Price Sale of slightly soiled and rumpled fancy linens, bed spreads, towels, colored luncheon cloths and napkins.

65c H. S. Huck Towels, damask borders, 33c. 50c H. S. Huck Towels, damask borders, 25c. \$1.50 large f'cy bordered Turkish Towels, 75c. 65c large fancy bordered Turkish Towels, 33c. \$10.00 Bed Sets, single bed size, \$5.00 \$ 8.75 Bed Spreads, single bed size, \$4.38 \$17.50 Bed Spreads, double bed size, \$8.75 Thirteen-Piece Madeira Luncheon Sets-\$13.75 Sets, \$6.88 \$15.00 Sets, \$7.50

\$20.00 Sets, \$10.00 \$45.00 twenty-five piece Madeira Sets, \$22.50 \$25.00 54-inch Madeira Lunch Cloths, \$12.50 \$45.00 Venetian Lace Bed Spreads, \$22.50

## Corset Clearance

Models formerly priced up to \$18.00

\$4.98 \$2.98

Models formerly priced up to \$5.75

This sale includes all odd corsets regardless of make or former price. Some slightly soiled, but the majority entirely perfect. Also a line we are discontinuing in batiste, coutil and brocades. Sizes are slightly incomplete.

## Values You'll Appreciate

Corset Section-Second Floor

## Children's Winter Coats for Less Than One Half Price

Ten, twelve and fourteenyear sizes.

\$20.00 and \$21.50 coats for \$9.50 \$25.00 coats, \$11.50 \$30.00 coats, \$14.00 \$34.50 coats, \$15.00

Second Floor

## Sale of Gloves

Kayser's "duplex" fabric gloves, two-clasp style in sand and mastic, \$2 quality for 98c.

A two-clasp children's kid glove in tan-regularly \$1.25. Saturday, 79c a pair.

## Cotton Blankets Regularly \$4 for \$2.98 a Pair

Large 70x84-inch cotton blankets, white with colored borders. A good weight and quality.

Second Floor

## Saturday Toilet Goods Specials

Odd pieces of "ivory" toilet articles for 49c. Jergen's almond lotion for only 25c.

Rubber cushion hair brushes with extra stiff bristles, 79c.

Pepsodent tooth paste, 39c. Hind's honey and almond cream, 39c.

Woodbury's soap, 19c. Trailing Arbutus talcum (glass bottle), 19c. Creme Oil soap for 61/4c

Haskin's hard water castile soap, 61/4c a cake.

Kohinoor snaps, regularly 5c a card, now two cards for 5c.

## Heavy Outing Flannels 25c a yard

A good selection of striped patterns, inches wide, specially priced for 25c a yard.

#### Women's Wool Hosiery Reduced

Odd pairs of fine woolen hose and silk mixtures, attractive hand - clocked styles; formerly priced up to \$6; Saturday, \$3 a pr.

Plain wool hose and fancy ribbed styles; formerly priced up to \$3; Saturday, \$1.79 a pair. \$1.50 black wool hose, \$1 a pair.

## Glove Silk Vests and Camisoles

\$2.50 Vests, \$1.89 Round neck or bodice top style of fine glove silk.

Camisoles, \$1.98 Flesh colored glove silk with lace trimmings. Camisoles sold up to \$4.50.

Second Floor

#### Motor Robes and Steamer Rugs Half Price

All-wool robes, stock dyed (will not fade.) A very desirable assortment of patterns and colors.

\$20.00 robes, \$10.00 \$14.00 robes, \$7.00 \$11.00 robes, \$6.50 \$7.00 robes, \$3.50 \$9.50 robes, \$4.00

Still lower prices on desire merchandise of dependable qua will feature Saturday's sell

## Three More Days of Ou January Fur Sale Natural Muskrat Coats

\$270 40-inch models, with large

shawl collar and bell cuffs \$135.00 \$230 Marmot Coat-40-inch, \$170 Marmot Coat-40-inch, \$450 Jap Mink Coat-40-inch,

\$450 Nutria Coat-40-inch.

\$115.00 \$ 87.50 \$225.00 \$250.00

# Hudson Seal Coats

Fashioned of rich, full-furred skins, trimmed with luxurious collars and cuffs of natural marten (skunk).

\$550 36-inch model, \$275 \$600 40-inch model, \$295 \$675 40-inch model, \$345

## Month End Clearance Blouses—Sweaters—Negligees

Blouses formerly priced to \$10.50 will be on sale for \$1

About one hundred and fifty blouses of Georette, Canton Crepe, and Voile. Also flannel middies. The majority are slightly soiled and

Sizes from 34 to 46. All sales final.

\$6.95 to \$15.00 Wool Sweaters will sell Saturday for \$4.95

About eighty all wool-Tuxedo, two-in-one, and sports styles. All sales final.

Eight \$45.00 Negligees, \$19.75

tive sort, in pink and blue. All sales final. Apparel Sales Saturday Coats, Dresses, and Suits priced for immediate

disposal in order to have space for Spring

Lovely padded negligees of the most distinc-

## Seasonable Pumps Saturday \$4.85

Fashions, now arriving.

Pumps and strap slippers of brown and black suede and kid, one and two strap styles with Louis heels. Sizes are slightly incomplete.

These have sold up to \$12.00

## Exceptional Values in Silks and Dress Goods

The best of qualities for remarkably low prices

For only \$1.69 a yard—Short lengths of fine crepe de chines, satin crepes, and taffetas; choice materials.

42-inch all silk chiffon velvet, \$7.50 quality, \$4.95-Navy, taupe, henna, jade, and a small yardage of black. Finest silk duvetyns for the same price as the

velvets-All silk duvetyns in shades of navy, brown, jade, cherry, gold, and black. Lingerie silks for \$1.25 a yard—A table of

crepes and satins that have sold up to \$2.00.

## These Woolen Savings

\$5.50 Tricotine for \$3.95 a yard

An unusually fine all wool quality, 54 in. wide.

\$3 French Serge for \$1.95 a yard 54-inch, all wool. \$2.95 a yard for Skirtings worth \$3.75 and \$4.00 Prunella and velour weaves in novelty stripes and plaids, 54 inches wide.

Wool Coatings priced below cost 54-inch materials.