

# FITZGERALD DRY GOODS CO.

1028-1029 O St.

Lincoln, Nebr.

For the benefit of visitors to the city next week we have decided to continue our sale of dress patterns, with linings free, for one more week. Also great reductions will be made on all articles in our Cloak Department.

**Do Not Fail To Investigate These Bargains.**



Our line of furs has not its equal in the city. We are offering everything desirable in capes, jackets, collarettes and muffs. These garments are made up in all the best furs and combinations of furs and for style they are latest productions from foreign and eastern markets.



In ladies', misses' and children's jackets we are showing all of the newest styles in smooth and rough cloths, trimmed and untrimmed, lined and unlined, and at prices that cannot be quoted by any house west of Chicago. Everything desired in plain and fancy capes may be had here.

## DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

To every purchaser of a dress pattern amounting to \$2.98 and over will be given the necessary lining. Do not forget. With every dress pattern, black or colored, purchased of us, and amounting to \$2.98 and over, will receive linings free of charge.

**\$2.98 A PATTERN.**  
7 yards all wool check novelty, all wool Scotch suiting, Jamestown, canvas cloths, all wool cashmere and serges, worth 50c a yard..... \$3.50  
Lining..... \$1.05

**ALL FOR \$2.98 \$4.55**

**\$3.43 A PATTERN.**  
In this line we have novel suitings worth up to 65c, Jamestown suiting worth 55c, striped chevots worth 65c; 7 yards of any of the above, with linings free, real value..... \$4.90 to \$5.60  
**YOUR CHOICE \$3.43.**

**\$3.98 A PATTERN.**  
Paris novelties worth 95c a yard. Figured black and plain serges worth 75c a yard. Your choice with lining for..... \$3.98

**\$4.98 A PATTERN.**  
Imported novelty pattern dress, all the new fall weaves and colorings. There is a very large assortment to choose from, worth from \$5.75 to \$7.50. You can get them with linings for..... \$4.98

## BLACK SILK DRESS PATTERNS

The linings which we give with silk patterns consist of:

5 yards percaline, 20c a yard.....	\$1.00
2 yards best silk, 20c a yard.....	.40
1 3/4 yard corduroy, 75c a yard.....	.25
1 1/2 yards canvas, 20c a yard.....	.30
	<b>\$1.95</b>

**\$9.98 A PATTERN.**  
12 yards black satin Rhadame, 24 inches wide, pure silk, worth \$1 a yard. Pattern worth \$13.95 at..... \$9.98

**\$1.85 A PATTERN.**  
12 yards black satin Duchesse, 24 inches wide, all pure silk, worth \$1.15 a yard, pattern worth \$15.75, at..... \$11.85  
**\$12.95 A PATTERN.**  
12 yards heavy black Peau de Soie, 22 inches wide, pure silk, pattern worth \$18.15 at..... \$12.95

**MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION**

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out going far from Denver. The club women of Denver will join the visitors upon this excursion, which occupies a day, with dinner at a mining town in the hills. Other routes will be left to visitors' own choosing, very cheap rates prevailing throughout the State. Never was such interest felt by the women of the West in any event of the kind, and never will there be such an opportunity for the women of every section to learn to know each other."

The growing importance of the club movement among women is shown by the many references to it in the leading publications of the day. The current

number of Lippincott's contains an excellent review of this subject by Emily Tohnman from the organization of the General Federation in 1889 to the present time. The whole trend of the article shows that while clubs originate in the desire for general culture, in the broadening of the mental horizon, an interest in questions of a more practical nature is sure to be aroused, and literary topics soon become secondary to those affecting the community at large. Many libraries have been started in country towns, and much attention given to the subject of education. Kindergartens have been established, school-rooms decorated with pictures of a high order, and women

placed upon school boards. "Other clubs have been interested in village improvements, in planting shade-trees, cleaning streets, and laying out sidewalks. An enterprising club in Florida has fenced and improved the town park, driven a public well, lighted the streets with electricity, and planted more than a hundred shade-trees." Hospitals have been opened and training schools for nurses. The study of current events has led to a greater interest not only in municipal affairs but in state legislation and already some much needed reforms have been accomplished through the influence of clubs. "To create a healthy public spirit" seems to be the mission

of the club woman of today, and in this altruistic movement she will still have time to preserve her own love of art and literature.

A late issue of the Club Woman, which is a paper that approaches near to the official organ of the national federation, since the demise of the Lotus, has the following to say in regard to the western woman: "Not but what the element of conservatism is a good thing in a club. Without it the over-zealous would doubtless rush to extremes and bring the club movement into disrepute in certain quarters. I doubt if our Western sisters know the full terrors of