The Millinery Opening Eminently Successful

—It was no surprise to us to be greeted by the crowds that have visited our Millinery department up to this writing. Washington looks for our millinery openings with an enthusiasm rarely displayed in things mercantile.

—Continues the rest of this week.

—The department is a setting for the rarest gems in Millinery it'll be your pleasure to see. Our representatives abroad and in New York have full power to send us the best to be bought—and they exercise their prerogatives fully.

Opening Prices Throughout The House.

Yesterday's list is as good as fresh news for tomorrow. The stocks are plentiful and the prices remain down during the opening days. We supplement them with more for tomorrow:

Flowers and Hat Trimmings.

49c. Tuscan Straw Net for hat trimmings..... 25c.
Black and Colored Straw Braid for..... 5c.
Large bunches of Hyacinths, all shades..... 19c.
Cherries, 3 dozen in bunch..... 39c.
Natural Grapes, per bunch..... 75c.
Chiffon Quilling in black and white..... 12c.
Malines, in black, white and all new shades, 27 inches wide, used for making hats. Regularly 25c., where you will find it. Our price..... 18c.
Hobbs' Chiffon in black and white, 48 inches wide, used for making hats. Regularly 75c.yd. Special. 59c.

Gloves.

Ladies' 2-clasp Fine Quality Kid Gloves, in black, white, mode, tan and gray, new spring shades. A quality we guarantee $1 values. Tried on for..... 69c.
Silk Taffeta Gloves, in black, tan, mode and gray. Worth 39c. For..... 25c.

Hosiery.

One lot of Ladies' Sample Hose, in plain and dropstitch, new spring effects, in fancy lisle and cotton polka dots, stripes and boot patterns. Regularly 25c. to 39c. For..... 19c.
Fine Black Lisle Lace Hose, double knee and toe. 50c. kind. For..... 39c.

Dress Skirts.

A beautiful Dress Skirt in ladies' cloth and Venetian, with taffeta silk accordion-pleated ruffle—handsomely appliqued. Special..... $11.98

Shirt Waists.

An aggregation of 69c. and 75c. Shirt Waists—all this season's styles—a big variety of colors and patterns..... 44c.

Ribbon Specials.

A large tableful of 35c., 45c. and 50c. Ribbons, in all silk, consisting of glace taffeta, satin gros grain, plaid stripes and new fancy ribbons, 4 and 4½ inches wide, at..... 19c.
A large tableful of All-silk Ribbons, 3½ and 4 inches wide, suitable for children's hats. Taffeta and fancy spring effects. Regularly 19c. and 25c. qualities. Special at..... 12½c.
Satin-back Velvet Ribbon, in black, 2½ and 3 inches wide. 30c. kind, for..... 19c.
Several hundred pieces of All-silk Plaid, Hemstitched, Double-face and Satin Taffeta Ribbons, in black, white and all the new shades. Regular 49c. and 59c. qualities. Special..... 25c.

Jewelry Dept.

Edna May Belts, with 5 medallions, for..... 98c.
Rhinestone Shell Back Combs for..... 25c.
Imported Rhinestone Buckles, worth up to $3, for..... 98c.

Purchase of Silk Waists.

$7.50, $9, $10 & $12 Waists, $5.89.

A magnificent assortment of Silk Waists that we were fortunate enough to buy at a bargain price and be able to offer you the best value in Silk Waists ever offered in Washington. All new—this season's goods.

Waists in taffeta, surah, satin, peau de sole, including Waists handsomely corded, hemstitched and braided; some with white vest fronts, some bolero effects, in black, navy, new blue, old rose, Nile green, cerise, turquoise, white and pastel shades, also many fancy effects. Not one in the lot worth less than $7.50—many were $12. Choice..... $5.89

BON MARCHE, 314-316-318 7th St.
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Children's Wearables at the Men's Store.

Choice Line
Spring Top Coats
For Men.

The choicest assortment of the newest and best styles Boys' and Children's Clothing is to be found here. Not a garment but is strictly reliable, is of the very latest fashion and is fully guaranteed. And as our prices are less than any other store in town asks for similar qualities you can readily see why so many discriminating buyers are having us clothe their boys.

All-wool Vestie, Brownie and Sailor Suits, in plain blue serge and cheviot and neat patterns of tweeds and homespuns; well made, perfect fitting. The usual $4.00 grade for..... $2.98

Boys' Double-breasted Blouse Suits, in serge, cheviot and neat checks and plaids. Also the new Oxford mixtures. $5.00 values for..... $3.48

Boys' TOP COATS; all wool; fast-color tan covert cloth; stylish and well tailored; good Italian lining; silk velvet collar. $5.00 everywhere. Only..... $3.98

25 dozen more of those All-wool Short Pants, sizes 4 to 16 years, in neat quiet patterns and plain blue cheviot, 75c. value. For..... 48c.

Junior Shirts for little men, sizes 5 to 12 years, neat patterns, perfect fitting..... 50c.

50 dozen more of those famous 15c. White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, the best handkerchief value in town. 4 for 25c., or one for..... 7c.

The best 15c. Hose you ever saw, double heels and toes, colors are red, blue, black and tan, only..... 9c.

25 dozen of the best 75c. Percale Shirts, new effects, up and down stripes, the correct fashion, detachable cuffs, a perfect fitting shirt. Only..... 59c.

Men's Spring Neckwear, new colors and designs, in Tecks, Puffs, Imperials, Batwings, Four-in-Hands. Everybody's 35c. grade. For..... 25c.

Chery & Moran Co.,
The Men's Store, 811 Penna. Ave.
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WON BY LIGHT INFANTRY.

The Basket Ball Team of the Corcoran Cadets Defeated.

The Washington Light Infantry basket ball team lined up against the Corcoran Cadet Corps last night for the last time. The game was witnessed by a large crowd and proved to be an exciting contest. The result was: W. L. I., 8; C. C. C., 2.

The two teams for some time past have been fierce rivals and the opportunity for the two soldier companies to line up against each other arrived last night. It was a hotly-contested game from start to finish and several scrimmages took place during the evening. Unfortunately, Burnett of the Infantry and Heffner of the Corcorans came together unexpectedly just before the sounding of the bell for the first half, Burnett receiving an ugly cut beneath his eye. His injuries were dressed at the Emergency Hospital. Both players were ruled out of the game by the umpires for rough playing. Later on Burgess of the Infantry team was injured in a lively mix-up, necessitating his retirement from the game. His place was taken by Gates. The game at the end of the first half stood 4 to 0 in favor of the Infantry, and they maintained their lead throughout the second half. Their opponents put up a game fight, but could not overcome the points scored by the Infantry. Several of the former Carroll Institute players took part in last night's game, divided on both teams.

The star playing of the evening was done by Taylor, Loftus and Kendall, while the honors for the Corcorans were equally divided among Moriarty, Brick and Heffner. McQuade and Walters took Burnett and Heffner's positions upon their retirement from the game.

The line-up:

C. C.	Positions.	W. L. I.
Zell	Right forward	Kendall
Pierson	Left forward	Loftus
Brick	Enemy's goal	Burnett, McQuade
Boulay	Home goal	Shreve
Waple	Center	Taylor
Heffner, Walters	Right back	Burgess, Gates
Moriarty	Left back	Lynch

Final score—W. L. I., 8; Corcoran Cadets, 2. Field goals—Kendall, 1; Loftus, 2; Brick, 1. Free throws—Shreeve, 2. Time of halves—20 minutes. Umpires—C. J. Mueller and George Hildreth. Referee—J. C. Crupper. Timer—R. Jose. Scorer—R. Jose.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has been in use for half a century. Some families have used it for three generations, and it is today the standard cough remedy of this country.

Struck by an Electric Car.

A cab in charge of John Chun of No. 419 19th street northwest was struck by an electric car at 14th and Q streets about 7 o'clock last night. The driver was thrown from his seat to the pavement, but was not badly hurt. The cab was slightly damaged.

IN EASTERN LEAGUE

Admission of Baltimore and Washington Decided Upon.

PRES. POWERS PLEASED WITH CIRCUIT

Promises as Good Ball as Has Been Seen in the Past.

CURRENT SPORTING NEWS

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

NEW YORK, March 22.—When the Eastern League assembles this afternoon in the Fifth Avenue Hotel it will be with Washington and Baltimore as members of the organization. It has been decided that these cities shall become Eastern League territory for the time being, and Pat Powers, the president of the organization, feels that he will have a circuit for the coming year that will be strong and a money maker. The clubs are paired off very well. There are two good cities in Canada—Toronto and Montreal—with Rochester and Syracuse in New York, Baltimore and Washington in the southern section and Worcester and Providence in New England. All of these cities have done well in the past, and the standard of ball maintained has been excellent. It is believed that the accession of Baltimore and Washington to the circuit will give the sport a lively boom through all the cities composing it. Hartford and Springfield have, of course, dropped out. This means in all probability that the interests of the Washington club will be looked after by Tom Burns, former manager of the Chicago team.

President Powers was asked what arrangement had been made in regard to players for Washington. "I can't go into all the detail," said he, "because it would disclose some plans that must necessarily be kept secret for a time. I will say this: That the Washington club will have some excellent players, and I think we shall be able to show Washington enthusiasts just as good and just as exciting ball as has been seen in the past, if our arrangements go through as planned. There will be plenty of players on the market, and the Eastern League will have its share of the best. We have received assurances to that effect."

At today's meeting it is expected that the club owners in the league will discuss all the ways and means in regard to Washington and Baltimore. President Powers has everything so well along that he will probably be able to offer the delegates a schedule before the meeting adjourns.

Will Not Go to St. Louis.

John J. McGraw and Wilbert Robinson are very much annoyed by the persistent statements in the papers that they will weaken in their determination not to go to St. Louis and make a graceful retreat from the position they have taken in the matter. McGraw said yesterday:

"I wish you would say for me that we are not going to St. Louis. We will play in New York or Philadelphia if the league will make arrangements to that effect, but we positively will not go to St. Louis.

"We have had no conversation with President Frank Robison of the St. Louis club, on the subject except this: When he came here some days ago and met us at Mr. Hanlon's house he asked us if we would go and we said we would not. Mr. Robison then asked us not to make a final decision at that time, but to think it over during the night and meet him at the Hotel Rennert next day. We did think it over and came to no different conclusion, so we sent a note to Mr. Robison the next day saying that it would be useless to confer with him again, as our resolution could not be shaken. That was the extent of our negotiations with Mr. Robison, and all statements to the effect that we are going with him are false."

Brooklyn Club's Bargain Counter.

Col. John I. Rogers of the Philadelphia Base Ball Club has received the names of eleven players from the Brooklyn club, any of whom the Brooklyn management will release to the Philadelphia club at a price to be agreed upon. These are Hill, Yeager, Donovan, Harris, Anderson, Crisham, Lachance, Fultz, Smith, Brodie and McKenna. No price was set on any player. Col. Rogers sent the list to Manager Shettsline at Charlotte, N. C., where the team is training.

HIGH SCHOOL BASE BALL.

Candidates for the Central Team Had First Practice Yesterday.

Preparations at the Central High School for the coming base ball season have begun. Training has been considerably retarded by the unseasonable weather, but the sunshine of the past two days has made practice possible.

The first regular practice by candidates for the Central team was taken yesterday, when aspirants for the battery and infield positions were tested. They included Captain Stakely, W. C. Shepard, Jacobsen and Warman from last year's team, and Taylor, Eastman, Pritchett, Chase, Tindall, Troup, L. G. Shepard, Clemens, Buell and Yoder, new candidates.

Beside these Brush and Purcell from the team of '99 and Mayer, Duryee, Brown, Bristol and Young will try for outfield positions.

It is intended to give the team practice every school day on the school grounds, and the use of the Georgetown College campus has been obtained for Saturday mornings. For the present the infield and outfield candidates will be trained in practically two squads, and after awhile two teams will be selected from among all the players.

The season is scheduled to open a week from Saturday, March 31, when a trip will be taken to College station, Md., for a game with the Maryland Agricultural College.

The following Saturday, April 7, the team will go to Ellicott City, Md., to play Rock Hill College. Others games arranged to date are: Georgetown Preparatory School, at Georgetown, Tuesday, April 10; Episcopal High School, on its own grounds, three miles from Alexandria, Wednesday, April 18; Gallaudet College (three games), at Kendall Green, Friday, April 27; Tuesday, May 8, and Wednesday, May 16; Georgetown Preparatory School, Tuesday, May 22; Rockville Academy, at Rockville, Md., Wednesday, May 30, Decoration day (two games).

Other games are being discussed with the Georgetown University reserves, Young Men's Christian Association and Rockville Academy, besides the regular series of inter-High School championship games, dates for which have not yet been arranged.

OLSEN DEFEATS ROEBER.

Former's Weight Too Much for the Latter's Strength and Skill.

Bech Olsen, who already carries the wrestling championship of Denmark and Germany in his belt, added a new scalp to his string at the Madison Square Garden, New York, last night, when he made quick work of Ernest Roeber, erstwhile champion of America. The betting stood 3 to 1 in favor of the foreigner before the match, his greater weight being considered too much of a handicap for Roeber's known skill to overcome.

Roeber won the first bout, scoring a fall in 25 minutes and 25 seconds. In the second bout Olsen, after a terrific struggle, threw Roeber to the floor. He was carried in a fainting condition to his corner, and the doctors refused to permit him to continue.

The third bout went to Olsen by default. Olsen looked big enough to eat Roeber. Bob Fitzsimmons was one of Roeber's seconds. The men shook hands at 9:50 o'clock. Olsen appeared to be very nervous. The Dane secured a wrist hold, which Roeber broke in twenty seconds. Both then secured wrist locks, but neither held on for more than a minute. Roeber finally got a strangle hold, and with a back lock threw Olsen to the floor on all fours. Then Roeber tried to get a half Nelson, but failed, as the big fellow sprang to his feet. After some fiddling Roeber dropped to the mat purposely. Olsen secured a three-quarter Nelson on Roeber, but Ernest broke away from it by spinning. Roeber then floored his man and attempted a half Nelson, which was broken after a few seconds' work and both men struggled to their feet.

With the Dane again on the mat Roeber winked at his seconds and smiled confidently. His carelessness caused him to very nearly fall into a strangle hold, out of which he spun. Roeber's hands became dyed with the blood which flowed from the Dane's nose, and he repeatedly wiped them on the mat so that he might get a good hold. Roeber attained an arm and neck hold, which pinned Olsen with right shoulder and hip to the floor. There seemed to be no escape for the big fellow, as Roeber, still maintaining his hold, repeatedly jumped a foot into the air, landing each time on the Dane's body and left shoulder with terrific force. Olsen broke the hold only to fall a victim on the other side, Roeber securing a half Nelson, which slowly but surely forced the bigger man to succumb, and Roeber gained the first fall in 24 minutes 25 seconds.

Roeber left the ring for a rub down during the ten-minute intermission, but Olsen remained in the ring and was attended to there by his seconds.

Opening the second round the preliminary play was brief. Olsen attempted to gain a neck lock, which Roeber easily evaded. The Dane gained a neck lock, which Roeber successfully broke, and Olsen followed with an arm and neck hold, which put Roeber in jeopardy. The German was being slowly pushed over, the Dane bearing down on him, but to the surprise of the Dane's followers Roeber wriggled out of the hold. Roeber then took the offensive, making repeated efforts to get a body hold on the big man so as to throw him down, and he was finally successful. He secured one arm hold, and tried to get a half Nelson on the right side. The Dane worked himself out of the difficulty and took up the work. This did not last more than five seconds, as Roeber suddenly jumped for his man and endeavored to obtain a neck hold to throw the Dane over his head from his shoulder. The Dane came right back, and after grappling the German with a front body hold picked Roeber up and threw him on his back to the floor with great force. The Dane then fell on top of his man with his full weight and, having the right shoulder pinned, it became but a question of a few seconds when Roeber should succumb. The referee tapped Olsen on the back, signifying that the Dane had gained a fall. Time, 14 minutes 30 seconds.

Roeber lay on his back and had to be carried in a limp condition to his corner, where two doctors were summoned to attend the German, who seemed to be injured severely.

Roeber claimed to have sustained a fractured rib on the right side. The doctors who examined him said that he might be internally injured, but that no ribs were broken. They refused to permit him to continue the bout. Olsen was therefore declared the winner, while Roeber sat in his corner crying like a child.

Bob Fitzsimmons then jumped into the ring and, while admitting Roeber's defeat, challenged the Dane on behalf of the German for another match for $1,000.

"Hecht's Greater Stores." "Hecht's Greater Stores."

What do we mean by "Hour Sales?"

Can it be possible that there is a single man or woman who does not understand that every Friday this store, beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning (and sometimes at 8), starts the selling of merchandise considerably less than actual value for 60 minutes at a clip? If there is, we trust that this is sufficient explanation.

In tomorrow's "sales" only the quickest-selling and most desirable "stuffs" are offered, and we need hardly tell you that the prices are extraordinarily low.

Anything will be "charged" that you desire and satisfactory terms will be arranged.

9 to 10.

Boys' best Merrimac percale shirt waists—25c. sort..... 9½c.
Yard-wide bleached muslin remnants—instead of 9c. and 8c., for..... 2⅞c.
Yard-wide extra fine quality of Silesias in mill remnants—in lengths from 2 to 10 yards—10c. to 10c. quality..... 5⅞c.
Boys' plain blue and fancy cheviot golf caps, with patent fastening, instead of 39c., for..... 19c.
Children's ribbed hose, in all sizes and full seamless, the same hose which sell for 12½c. pair, for..... 6½c.
Handsome and stylish shell side combs for..... 3c.
Infants' flannel skirts, made with double bands, for..... 25c.
Infants' bootees, in all colors, for..... 8c.
Pretty Japanese matting mats, in best colors and patterns, for this hour 17⅞c.
Water-proof felt window shades, in all colors, complete with fixtures, for this hour..... 7⅞c.
The very best tan and black shoe polish, which sells at 15c., for..... 2½c.
Infants' dongola shoes, in sizes 2 to 5, which are sold usually for 30c., for. 15c.
Lot of children's untrimmed hats, in rough, mixed and fancy straws of all colors, instead of 89c., for..... 49c.
Men's plain and fancy suspenders, the sort which sell for 15c., for this hour... 5c.

10 to 11.

Ladies' fast black hose, full seamless, all sizes..... 6½c.
1,500 yards of handsome ribbon, taffeta, moire and satin face, the 19c. and 25c. values, for..... 9½c.
Valenciennes edgings, which sell for 25c. a dozen yards, for this hour..... 12c.
20 shades in children's Tam O'Shanters, which were bought to sell at 79c., for this hour..... 49c.
Infants' long and short dresses, of good quality cambric, trimmed with embroidery, for..... 25c.
Child's fine white aprons, trimmed tastefully, for this hour..... 25c.
Full double-bed size bedspreads, in best patterns, instead of 98c., to go for 49c.
Extra heavy floor linoleum, in good lengths; 2 yards wide; usual sort which sells up to 75c. square yard; for..... 33c.
36-inch wide curtain scrim, in most desirable patterns; 6c. sort; for..... 2⅞c.
Children's dongola spring heel shoes; sizes 5 to 8; instead of 40c. pair, for.. 25c.
Ladies' dongola lace shoes; sizes 3 to 5½; instead of $1.25, for..... 75c.
A maker's samples of tooth brushes, which sell at 15c. to 25c. each, to go on sale this hour at..... 5c.
Lot of sprays and bunches of violets, forget-me-nots, clover, roses, foliage, etc., instead of 33c., for..... 12½c.
Men's fast black, gray and brown mixed half hose, the regular 10c. hose, for..... 4½c.
Ladies' cheviot serge skirts, in a variety of colors, with the new pleat backs; full cut, well made skirts, for.... $1.98
Little boys' washable Galatea cloth suits; the wearing time of which is now close at hand; the same sort which will sell for 59c. later, for..... 25c.
40-inch black, navy and garnet mohair, instead of 39c. yard, for..... 25c.
Bleached "Pearl" sheeting, the extra round thread sort, which sells at wholesale just now for 21c., for..... 16½c.
All-silk figured satin damasse and satin-striped all-silk Chinas, 22 inches wide, in such pretty shades as white, cream, lavender, pink, cardinal, cerise, orange, lemon, violet, national blue, &c., will make up into handsome spring waists; the 59c. sort, hence not more than one pattern to any buyer, for.... 29c.

11 to 12.

White wash Habutai silks, for confirmation dresses or summer costumes, positively all silk and worth 40c. yard at wholesale today, to go for..... 29c.
Black Swiss taffeta silks; a rich, lustrous quality; all silk and soft and desirable; instead of 59c., for..... 39c.
French all-wool flannels, in all street and evening shades; you cannot duplicate them elsewhere for less than 59c., for. 39c.
Leather finger purses, with silver initials, for..... 39c.
Ladies' stylish turn-over collars of fine edgings..... 9c.
Torchon laces and insertings; 2 to 4 inches wide; best of patterns, for... 3½c.
Ladies', misses' and children's ribbed vests and pants..... 9c.

11 to 12.

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Boys' all-wool knee pants; some with double seats and knees; the usual 50c. pants, for..... 39c.
A large lot of ladies' handsome taffeta silk waists, in black and all the best spring shades; tucked, corded and hemstitched fronts; the most stylish waists to be had, and if bought in the regular way would sell for $8 and $10; to go for..... $4.49
Boys' topcoats of covert and black cheviots; nobby, stylish garments for little fellows from 3 to 16 years; garments which sell for as much as $7, for..... $2.98
Boys' percale blouse waists, with deep ruffle down front and around edge of collar, for..... 25c.
Lot of ladies' cheviot serge and cheviot tailor-made suits, in double-breasted and fly-front effects, with skirts having the new box-pleat backs and both skirt and jackets thoroughly made and finished; for this hour..... $7.50
Lot of boys' percale shirts; perfectly fast colors; some with collars and some without; sizes 12 to 14; sold originally for 59c.; for this hour..... 39c.
Men's natural and merino undershirts; only the shirts are in all sizes; sold for 50c.; to go for..... 29c.
Lot of ladies' and misses' walking hats, trimmed with buckles, velvet band and quill; worth $1.49; for..... 79c.
Lot of little boys' spring heel shoes, in sizes 9 to 13; also lot of misses' dongola shoes, in sizes 11½ to 2; the best 98c. values; for..... 65c.
Lot of ladies' oxfords, in tan and black; in sizes 2½ to 4; instead of $1.50 to go for..... 69c.
Best quality Yale holland window shades, in all colors, complete with fixtures, for..... 19c.
36-inch dotted and figured Swiss, in handsome patterns, which sells usually at 15c. yard, for..... 9⅞c.
White applique bureau scarfs and shams, in the most beautiful patterns, instead of 30c., for..... 14c.
10 styles of ladies' muslin gowns, none of which are worth less than 69c., to go for..... 39c.

1 to 2.

Lot of infants' long and short coats, made of good Bedford cord and well trimmed, for..... $1.98
Lot of ladies' corsets—long, medium and short, of sateen, coutil and the ventilated sort, all sizes, for..... 39c.
Extra heavy stair or runner oilcloth, in the newest patterns and colorings, the 10c. sort, for..... 6⅞c.
All-wool ingrain carpet remnants, in handsome colors and patterns, suitable for rugs, instead of 75c., for..... 21c.
Sprays of six roses, foliage, chrysanthemums, daisies, corn flowers, lilies of the valley, &c., instead of 49c., for..... 29c.
Men's black mercerized silk half hose, which everywhere sell for 25c. pair, for..... 12½c.
Men's ties, in all the latest shapes, the usual 39c. sort, for this hour.... 19c.
Ladies' black and blue cheviot serge skirts, with fronts trimmed with appliqued taffeta and braid, with box pleat back, for this hour..... $2.98
Lot of ladies' all-wool plaid camel's hair and novelty plaid dress skirts, with pleated backs; some of them cost us $5; to close them out quickly to go for..... $2.98
Ladies' broadcloth, homespun and Venetian tailor-made suits; in "Eton," tight-fitting, double-breasted and fly-front effects; with silk-lined jackets and box-pleat skirts; the most stylish suits possible to buy at any price, and certainly the most thoroughly tailored garments; suits for which you'll have to pay $16 and $18 for; this hour..... $12.50
Boys' double-breasted suits, in two different patterns; well made, strongly reinforced suits; which sell for $2 usually; for this hour tomorrow..... $1.19
Odd lot of yard-wide percalines; the quality which sells at 10c. yard; will be closed out at..... 5c.
Liberty silks and mousselines, in all the new spring colors and black; instead of 69c. a yard; for..... 49c.
Children's ribbed hose, in sizes 5 to 9½; slightly imperfect, but not enough to hurt the wear of them and cannot be noticed; instead of 25c., for..... 10c.
Sterling silver hearts, in six styles, for..... 9c.
Lot of boys' all-wool suits, in vestie styles from 3 to 8 years, and in double-breasted styles from 8 to 16 years; the best suits possible to buy for $4; this hour.... $2.98

2 to 3.

Suits of imported cheviot, serges, broadcloths, Venetians and the like, in black and the most wanted shades; with jackets in all the most fashionable effects; with well-fitting box-pleated skirts. Some of these suits are lined throughout with taffeta silk and heavily appliqued; you may be able to buy equal stylishness elsewhere for $28, but not for less. The assortment at this price is extraordinary, hence the choice is splendid for..... $19.98
Twenty styles of ladies' new veilings—plain and dotted, for this hour..... 10c.
Boys' Merrimac percale shirt waists, in assortment of fast color patterns, instead of 25c., for this hour..... 9½c.
Another lot of ladies' mended gloves will be put on sale this hour at 49c. In all colors, including black, and you can scarcely find the mended place. These are gloves which retailers tried on over their counters, and because they ripped at some seam sent them back to the maker, who mended them in his factory, and now sells them to us so that we can offer them for less than one-third their value..... 49c.
Ladies' satin stock collars, in all colors..... 9c.
Black figured satin duchesse, in the most beautiful designs, for handsome skirts, instead of 59c., for..... 39c.
Double-warp all-silk surah silks, in desirable street and evening shades, instead of 49c. yard, for..... 29c.
Yard-wide black satin Jacquards, which are so splendidly adapted for ladies' separate skirts and dresses, the 50c. quality, for. 25c.
Splendid assortment of check apron ginghams for..... 3⅞c.
Ladies' black brilliantine skirts; full-width, well-made skirts, with new backs, and worth $3, for..... $1.98
Lot of ladies' and men's ties, which we formerly sold for 15c., will be closed out this hour for..... 5c.
Lot of men's and boys' linen collars, such as every men's store sells at 15c.—for this hour..... 2c.
Lot of ladies', misses' and children's untrimmed hats, in fancy, rough, neapolitan and chip straws, in all colors and black, which are 89c. values—for..... 49c.
Carter's ink and pure gum mucilage for this hour will be sold for..... 3c.
Extra Heavy Linoleum Mats, in best tile patterns, worth 40c., for..... 29c.
Pretty Japanese matting mats in best colors and designs, for this hour.. 17⅞c.

3 to 4.

Ladies' good quality muslin drawers, finished with deep hem and tucks, for..... 93¾c.
Little girl's all-wool cloth reefers in red, navy and cadet; in sizes 3 to 6 years, for..... 98c.
Piano and mantel lambrequins of handsome art drapery; fringed all around; instead of 35c., for..... 19c.
Pretty oak-finish go-carts, such as you'll see selling about town for $4, to go for..... $2.49
Ladies' and misses' fashionable trimmed hats and bonnets; trimmed with the newest materials, chiffons, malines, fruits, feathers and ribbons and silks; for which you'll have to pay others $7.98; here this hour tomorrow for..... $4.98

4 to 5.

Lot of ladies', misses' and children's hats and bonnets; trimmed with chiffons, malines, fruits, feathers and ribbons and silks; for which you'll have to pay others $7.98; here this hour tomorrow for..... $4.98

Hecht and Company,
513-515 Seventh Street.

Hecht's Greater Stores.

Special sale tomorrow

Men's $8.50 top coats, $5.

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RACING STEWARDS UPHELD.

An Important Decision Rendered Defining Their Authority.

At St. Louis yesterday the application of Willis S. Cassidy, the St. Louis millionaire turfman, for an order restraining the St. Louis Fair Association and its board of stewards from enforcing the ruling denying him admission to its club house and grounds during the season of 1899, was denied by Judge Taity of the St. Louis circuit court. Mr. Cassidy was ruled off the track for transgressing the American racing rules by making bets on behalf of jockeys. The decision is of great importance to racing men and lovers of sport. It settles a question which has been widely debated in racing circles, and indicates just how far a board of stewards may go in the regulation of the racing on and the attendance at its courses. The case is similar to one in which Riley Grannan figured several years ago.

Coming Race Meeting at Chicago.

The Chicago Jockey Club is planning a revival of the Chicago Derby, to be run at the Hawthorne track on the opening day of the summer meeting. An official announcement for the big stake has not yet been made, but will probably appear within a short time. Added money to the amount of $5,000 was formerly given, and it is expected the value for this year will come close to $7,000. The conditions are such that the stake will probably draw the entries of many horses now scheduled in the American Derby.

Jeffries to Meet Three.

James J. Jeffries, through his manager's representative, E. C. Cook, has contracted to meet three men in one night in Chicago April 5. The champion's three opponents have not been definitely selected, but it is practically settled that Jack McCormack and Ed. Dunkhorst will be two of them. Jim Barnes has been mentioned as the other. Jeffries will leave California at once for Chicago and prepare for the bouts.

Beckwith Knocked Out.

Jack McDonough of St. Paul knocked out Lon Beckwith, colored, of Cleveland, in the third round of what was to have been a 25-round bout before the Chemung County Athletic Club at Elmira last night. The fighting was fast from the first sound of the gong.

Capitol Hill Branch.

A Capitol Hill branch for receiving Star advertisements has been established at Dobyn's Pharmacy, corner 2d street and Pennsylvania avenue southeast. Classified advertisements will be received there at regular rates.

Mrs. Matchett's Plea for Divorce.

On the ground that her husband deserted her the 14th of August, 1897, Sadie V. Matchett has petitioned the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to grant her a divorce from Harry B. Matchett. When last heard from, says Mrs. Matchett, her husband was at Cape Nome, Alaska.

No Heart Too Bad to Be Cured.

Testimony could be piled high in commendation of the wonderful cures wrought by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. No case stands against this great remedy where it did not relieve the most acute heart sufferings inside of thirty minutes. It attacks the disease in an instant after being taken. Sold by F. S. WILLIAMS, 9th and F sts.; EDMONDS & WILLIAMS, 3d and Pa. ave. 36