Mr. Frederic Bancroft, of Washington, has been appointed to a professorial lectureship in the department of history of the University of Chicago for the winter quarter.

In his address on Founders' day at Lehigh university on October 3, Mr. John H. Converse, of Philadelphia, spoke of the educational work done by Asa Gray in establishing the university.—The Critic, New York.

Prof. Basil L. Gildersleeve, of Johns Hopkins university, celebrated his sixty-second birthday and the close of his twentieth year at the university on October 23. The students presented him with an address of congratulation.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.

Demonstration That Eastern Oysters Can Be Propagated Here.

Eugene, Or., Nov. 4.—Great excitement has prevailed here among the students for several days, the all-absorbing topic being politics. The university suspended operations on election day and all of the students—some on one side, some on another—took part in the election. When the returns began to arrive last night groups of studens were to be seen around the McKinley headquarters, some talking very earnestly, others blowing fog horns and others shouting. The young lady students took a very active part in the demonstration.

The try-out game between the first and second teams of the university took place last Saturday afternoon. The game was very interesting, but the first team was too much for the second team. The line-up was as follows: First team—Gilleland, center; Smith, left guard; Day, right guard; Eastland, right tackle; Stewart, left tackle; McClanahan, quarterback; Templeton, right half; Bishop, left half; Davidson, fullback; Coleman, left end; Travis, right end. The second team line-up: Farrington, center; Edmunson, left guard Ankeny, right guard; Davis, right half; Whittlesey, left half; Bellinger, fullback; Case, quarterback; Gorrell, right end; Watkins, left end; McArthur, right tackle; Howell, left tackle.

The novel feature of the game was that it was officered by young ladies. Miss Floy Watkins acted as timekeeper, Miss Theresa Friendly acted as umpire, Miss Blanche Straight acted as referee and Miss Henrietta Lauer and Miss Minnie McClain acted as lines women. The game was won by the first team, with a score of 20 to 4.

The football schedule for the season is as follows: U. of O. vs. Agricultural College, at Eugene, November 7; U. of O. vs. Agricultural College, at Corvallis, November 14; winner vs. Salem (Willamette University), at Eugene, November 21. This last game will decide the championship of Oregon. U. of O. vs. "Multnomahs," at Portland Thanksgiving, November 26; U. of O. vs. University of Washington, November 28.

Professor F. L. Washburne, of the department of biology, who has been testing the waters of this coast as to their adaptability to the Eastern oyster, has sent in his report to the effect that they can be propagated on this coast. As a result of this report the authorities at Washington City have shipped a carload of oysters to this coast to be distributed to the various favorable spots named by him in his report. Professor Washburne has been asked by the fish commissioner to assist in placing the oysters and he will take his departure for the coast in a few days.

Professor McAllister gave a very interesting paper on the origin of meteorites before the academy of science October 31.

Dr. Friedel, professor of physics, has changed the dormitory heating plant from a hot water system to steam heat. He estimates that 100 cords of wood will be saved by the change.

The department of physics is the scene of a great deal of activity. Professor Friedel has the boys at work making apparatus for the laboratory, making repairs about the building, etc. Twelve students are registered in electrical engineering.

A great many students are in training for the annual hand ball tournament, which takes place immediately after the football season is over.

Halloween was observed in an appropriate manner. Gates and other movables were carried from the remote parts of the city and deposited about the doors of the university. No serious damage was done.

Professor Hawthorne's class in experimental psychology is very large. The professor took lectures under Professor Stanley Hall at Worcester last summer, and many students are availing themselves of the excellent opportunity of studying that science under Professor Hawthorne.

PORTLAND UNIVERSITY.

Position in Singapore Secured by a Graduate of 1896.

University Park, Portland, Or., Oct. 30.—Mr. John H. Whitaker, an alumnus of Portland university, class of 1896, has received the appointment of instructor in the Methodist Episcopal Anglo-Chinese school of Singapore, Malaysia. Mr. Whitaker was an exceedingly bright student. His friends expect the best of things in his new field to be achieved by him.

A large number of our young men took part in the great Republican parade Saturady last.

A pleasing feature in connection with chapel services in the morning is the march of the students. The precision of step to the music of the piano is attractive to the eye of the beholder.

A large class in Bible literature has been organized under the direction of the professor of English literature, Prof. Hoadley.

Miss De Forest is conducting the young ladies' Bible class.

A students' Republican club has been formed. There will be no school on election day, as all generally request a holiday. The Portland university football team will play with the Multnomah on next Saturday afternoon.

New students are coming into the school each week.

Some of the students will go home to vote.

Three pianos are in use in West hall to accommodate the students in instrumental music.

A series of college revival meetings will be held this week. The meetings begin with signs of promise. Dean Van Scoy will co-operate with Pastor Glass in the conduct of the meetings.

Dr. Hines, of the school of theology, is supplying a pulpit at Hood River. He was away week before last attending a district conference.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer is a welcome daily visitor to our reading room.

An interesting feature in connection with the class in general history, taught by Prof. Hoadley, is the weekly presentation of theses on historical themes and the drawing of maps illustrative of the lessons.

The flag of West hall was unfurled on election day. The school discontinued recitations and all were busy in the election and things pertaining to it. Some of our students went home to vote. The result of the election has been waited for with painful anxiety, but when the tidings of victory came the majority, including teachers and students, felt a strange joy, unknown in defeat. Portland university is proud of the fact that Oregon stands for an honest dollar. Many of the students were up all night to analyze election returns.

A picture of the university students and faculty was taken last Wednesday morning.

Mr. J. H. Whitaker writes the Courant respecting Portland university: "I have always been proud of the spot on which my alma mater stands, and have sought its equal at Boston, Harvard, Swift's, University of Michigan, Chicago, Stanford, University of the Pacific, Puget Sound, University of Washington and the various colleges of Oregon, but never found it till reaching the Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill."

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Student Watchers at the Polls in San Francisco.

Berkeley, Nov. 4.—Your correspondent is so sleepy from having been up all last night with 299 other college men, engaged in insuring a fair count of votes in San Francisco, that he feels even more than usually unfit for writing either a long or a lively letter. And enough has happened in the week past to warrant both.

Well, to begin with, we won the Reliance-California football game yesterday. It was one of the most exciting of the season. The Berkeley men were very much down in the mouth at the end of the first half, for the score stood 10-0 in favor of the athletic club men; and when the half was called the ball was rushing down through a weak spot in our line in a way to bring to you visions upon visions of goose eggs. But California has always shone at her best in an uphill game, so that, outweighed though they were, her men picked themselves up in the second half and put a sixteen instead of a zero opposite the ten of the Reliance.

So far as I have been able to ascertain, the plan of using students as watchers at the ballot counting was highly successful. Hon. Frank Powers, of the Republican state central committee, was the organizer of the scheme, and carried it through in behalf of that body, so that every precinct in San Francisco had a "watch," privileged to be at the table with the officials. Corporals were appointed for every four or five precincts, who reported progress each in his own territory every half hour to the captain of his assembly district. Over every five or six of the fifteen captains there was a major, who was responsible in turn to Col. Powers. No "scraps" were invited by the students, and very few were offered by "the push." Indeed, Chief of Police Crowley says it was the most orderly election in the history of San Francisco. But the most interesting thing to us is that a great political organization has voluntarily come to our two great universities and asked the men there to help them in seeing the sacredness of the ballot upheld. It is gratifying indeed when those who ought in the future to be the leaders in civic life are requested to show the commonwealth that more than students only, they are her men; that even though unmatured, they are none the less her strong and upright and fearless citizens.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

Novel Organization Called "Josh House Corporation."

Stanford University, Nov. 5.—The election is over and the university has settled down to the routine work after a holiday and a day of excitement. On the 4th there were not many who went to work all prepared, for most had been up the night before in Encina gymnasium, where a committee from the student body had made arrangements for receiving the returns direct from Western Union wires.

Many of the college men, about 150, went from here the morning of the 3d to San Francisco to co-operate with 150 from the University of California in the various election booths to see that a fair count was kept. There was a payment of $5 per man, together with his expenses, so as many as could availed themselves of the opportunity to go. They did their work well and the verdict of all was that it was a hard-earned wage that they received. The Republican state central committee inaugurated the scheme for purity in politics and for an impartial supervision of the election returns.

Now football, as ever, occupies all minds. During the last week the 'varsity has played three outside games, defeating Reliance Athletic Club, in two games, and being defeated by the Olympic Athletic Club. Next Saturday Stanford and Berkeley freshmen come together, and Stanford's hopes have been somewhat bolstered up by the showing made by Scoville, left half back, and a new player. He belongs to what is probably the youngest and most unique organization in the university, and he well carries out its principle, which is to have every member make his mark in the college. Scoville at football is looked upon as a most promising member, and in studies he is far above the average. Another of the members of the "Josh House Corporation," as they call themselves, leads the art classes, another the literary department and is a constant contributor to the Sequoia, the literary magazine; another is best at zoology, and another is first in chemistry. The professors who know the articles of confederation of this club think it a good thing—and that the scheme should be pushed along.

IDAHO STATE NORMAL.

Literary Societies and Football—Climate of Lewiston.

Lewiston, Idaho, Nov. 3.—The enrollment of the normal school has exceeded expectations. It is now near the hundred mark and growing daily. The character of the students thus far received speaks well for the schools of Idaho and Eastern Washington.

President Knepper spent a week recently in Couer d'Alene City in the Kootenai County Teachers' Institute. The institute was in every way a success and promises of splendid material for the new normal were abundant.

The normal has three literary societies. The Excelsior and the Clionian meet every Friday afternoon. The membership of the school is about equally divided between these two. The Normal Society includes all the students and meets once a month in the evening. The work of this society is of a more general character than that of the other two and is intended to bring the school into close relationship with the general public. At the last meeting Prof. Mathes delivered an eloquent address, which was greatly enjoyed.

The normal is too young to boast much of its football team, but the boys are rapidly falling into line. While they are putting themselves in working condition the young men of the city have kindly volunteered to maintain the good name of Lewiston and its normal school. This they will do in their meeting with a team from the State university and also from the Pullman agricultural college this week and next.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO.

Enrollment Over Two Hundred—Illustrated Lectures.

Moscow, Idaho, Nov. 5.—The class of 1898 has elected Miss Ollie McConnell president, and adopted deep red and white as the class colors.

President Gault spoke briefly at the Wednesday morning assembly on the lessons furnished by a presidential election, illustrating the temper of the American people.

The rhetorical work for the collegiate classes is being assigned. The freshmen will be under the supervision of Prof. Cushman.

A magic lantern has been purchased for the use of the institution. Sufficient slides have been secured so that two illustrated lectures on historical subjects can be given by Prof. Henderson, and one on art by Miss Bowman.

The enrollment is now 203.

Popular in the West.

Many amusing theories are still being advanced to explain the many unexpected results of the election. The majorities in the state were unexpected by the managers of either of the two parties. McKinley's wonderful majority in the popular vote upsets any record heretofore made. The East was apparently as unanimous for him as the people of this city and state are in claiming Rainier Beer to be the best beer made and sold on the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Johns and family, of Green Lake, left for Quincy, Ill., Monday, where they intend to reside permanently.

THE HERB MOON. A fantasia by John Oliver Hobbes. New York: Frederick A Stokes Company. Seattle: Lowman & Hanford. $1.25.

"A fantasia" strikes the keynote of this last charming little book of John Oliver Hobbes. Even the title whose quaintness arouses the first interrogation in the mind of the reader gives a foretaste of the whimsicalities to be met in this fantastical but clever little story. John Oliver Hobbes always impresses one as a thorough woman of the world, who can deal with the world on its own terms. She is capricious, paradoxical, often cynical. But underneath the epigrammatic terseness and audacious drollery of her pages one divines a substratum of right feeling about many things in life which too many novels are disposed to treat with cant phrases, under the pretense that they are standing up for good morals and good taste. Still, as one reads one cannot help feeling that in Rose Arden, the plain, somber, kind little woman with her colorless environment, her life burdened with care and trouble, but with a keen moral sense and strength of will which prevents her deviating from the narrow path of duty, the author has sought to give a direct contrast to the character and personality of Violet in "The Gods, Some Mortals and Lord Wickenham." For certainly no heroines could be more dissimilar, physically and morally, than these two. In this last story, while its situations seem enveloped in an atmosphere of improbability, yet all the time the purest principles of life are kept in sight, and the characters are brought through most surprising situations to a happy and honorable conclusion. Is it not possible that the author in this whimsical but stainless tale has endeavored to prevent the antithesis of the novel which preceded it? It almost seems as if the character of Rose was created in atonement for that beautiful but immoral heroine who presents so strong a contrast to her.

Rose, at the time the story opens, is described as a fatigued looking woman, with a frail, slight body and a face refined but irregular in feature, with a settled expression of melancholy. It was only when she laughed, which was seldom, that one caught sight of the pretty liveliness of her mien, which must have made her an attractive girl before the expression of intense sorrow cast its shadow over her face. She seemed about five and thirty, although she was in fact seven years younger. Rose was 19 at the time of her marriage to a husband who loved her after his brutal fashion. He was often intoxicated, churlish and ill-tempered, but he had brief intervals, when he would be lovingly penitent, read sentimental poetry to her and buy flowers or take her to the theater.

After eight months of this trying life comes sunstroke, followed by all the horrors of insanity. He was pronounced incurable and placed in an asylum. And Rose, before her twentieth birthday, found herself in the terrible position of a young wife, with no one to protect her, with no right to accept affection, with no right to bestow it, and with a craving for companionship so compelling that in stifling it she broke her heart. When her only brother left Oxford she went with him to a quiet, little English town, where they took up their abode in a farmhouse. The brother, Edward Banish, pursued his musical studies and was organist of the village church, while Rose contributed to their slender income by doing art embroidery. Louis Robsart, a good looking, well educated young man, for whom the brother had formed an attachment, was living in Ottley when they came there, and it seemed quite natural that they should all live together. It is the old story of young hearts, propinquity and congenial tastes. Just three months had gone by when Robsart suddenly tells Rose that he loves her. This declaration comes like a shock, which awakens her from the blissful, drifting, unthinking existence of the past weeks. Now she knew what it all meant. It was all wrong; they could never again have that intimate companionship, that indefinable happiness which came from simply being together.

Then begins a life of repression, wherein the lovers succeed in living under the same roof-tree, outwardly bold and pastionless to one another. Each conscious that they are beloved, but never giving voice or expression to their love, the brother with his warm friendship for Bobsart and his selfish exacting affection for Rose never suspecting the true state of affairs. Susan, the apple-cheeked hand-maiden, looks after the hero and heroine through their curious courtship, keeping the house in which the trio live. She is the most endearing domestic that fiction has given us since Stockton's Pomona, in "Rudder Grange." She is lovable, and she is funny. She it is who gives the book its title. "For there is nothing so wearing as the herb moon," she observes to Rose Arden, when the latter is ruefully standing between a husband in the mad house and a lover whom she is in duty bound to forget until death releases her. Then follows the explanation of this unfamiliar astronomical-sentimental phenomenon." "Aye; that's my name for one of these long courtships. Adam and I did all our courting in a fortnight; that's why we are so happy. This walking out with each other year in and year out till all your nerve is gone and you are sick with talking, was never to my taste, nor to my mother's before me. 'Tisn't natural, and I am all for nature, I am." Three years go by, and the "herb moon" keeps steadily in its orbit, showing no sign of waning or eclipse. Through Susan, Rose learns that Robsart has refused a great advancement in his position—none other than manager in the works in which he is now only a clerk. This appalls her, and she at once divines that it was because it would take him away from her, as the position would necessitate his removal to the distant town of Landerston. She feels that she must not retard his life; that were she absent her brother and Robsart could go together to Landerston. So, with a breaking heart, in anguish of soul, she goes up to London without taking leave either of her brother or Robsart. She goes directly to a Mrs. Harrowby, the one rich person in the world who takes an interest in her welfare. She receives her with open arms, and installs her at once as companion.

In Mrs. Harrowby the author gives her wayward fancy full rein, some of the most vivacious and epigrammatic pages of the book being in this connection. One cannot repress the feeling that John Oliver Hobbes herself revels in Mrs. Harrowby's audacious and iconoclastic speeches, and that the exploiting of the oddities of her characters in this species of mental gymnastics is quite as much for her own amusement as for that of her readers. But this impression passes, and admiration comes for Mrs. Harrowby as time proves that her flippant and audacious talk is rooted deep in common sense, kindness of heart and rectitude. She it is who proves to be the good genius of the book, making secure the happiness of Rose and her brother.

The deserted and disconsolate Robsart, in a fit of pique, enlists, and his departure for India takes place just as the insane husband dies. The faithful Susan takes it upon herself to inform him, so she writes, adding the following postscript: "I suppose you have heard our sad news. Mrs. Arden's husband has been mercifully took away after a heavy meal. Will send particulars in my next." "I thought that would do for a hint," she says to Rose, in telling her of the letter, adding: "I told him because I knew you wouldn't."

I do not wish to spoil the interest of these fascinating pages for the reader. One must read to appreciate this brilliant little book, wherein are mingled with the touch of an artist knowledge, sympathy and imagination, and through which runs a thread of humor which often rises into keenest wit.

THE STORY OF BOHEMIA. By C. Edmund Maurice. New York: G. P. Putnams Sons. Seattle: The Calvert Book Co. $1.50.

"The Story of Bohemia" is the forty-fifth volume in the "Story of the Nations Series." The author, Mr. C. E. Maurice, has for a number of years been a resident of Prague, where he has had every advantage to make a careful study of his subject, in which he has been assisted by many Bohemian professors and scholars. As the writer says in his preface, "Few countries have been more strangely misunderstood by the average Englishman than Bohemia has been. The mischievous blunder of some fifteenth century Frenchman, who confused the gypsies who had just arrived in France with the nation which was just then startling Europe by its resistance to the forces of the empire, has left a deeper mark on the imagination of most of our countrymen than the martyrdom of Huss or even the sufferings of our own Princess Elizabeth. Even the worst "Bohemian," which has been incorporated into the vocabularly of slang, Mr. Maurice contends, has hindered the study of the real country which it misrepresents. It has been the aim of the author to counteract some of the impressions about this misunderstood country.

The story of Bohemia begins from the earliest period of Bohemian history, 885, and is taken almost down to the present time. The earliest traditions which extend back long before the introduction of Christianity, the poems which embody the earliest pictures of Bohemian life, and the legends and myths so dear to the hearts of the people, which in every land precede the period when the actual history begins, are by Mr. Maurice most picturesquely related.

He then proceeds to a most interesting account of the history of its struggles, invasions and conquests with various countries. The influence of its Teutonic invaders, its religion and its literature, and the final overthrow of its constitutional and municipal liberty and national independence. All is most interestingly and clearly told.

The book is profusely illustrated, contains a map of Bohemia and Moravia, has a complete index, as well as a table of contents arranged in epochs. Altogether it will not prove to be the least valuable of this interesting series which narrates in such graphic and readable form the history of the prominent nations of the world.

MAGAZINE NOTES.

The November Century fulfills the expectations of its admirers. Gen. Horace Porter's series of articles on "Campaigning with Grant" are begun this month. Gen. Porter was an aide on Gen. Grant's staff and a close friend of his chief, and the diary which he kept through the war is the basis of the present articles. The paper begins with his first meeting with the great commander at the headquarters of Gen. George H. Thomas in October, 1863. The article is fully illustrated, the most notable being a very good likeness of Grant taken in 1865. The leader in the magazine is by Ernest Ingersoll, "Election Day in New York," a graphic and illustrated article, which will not have lost its interest even if the campaign is over. One of the most notable articles of the number is "The Olympic Games of 1896," by their founder, Baron Pierre de Coubertin, now president of the international committee. It is superbly illustrated by Castaigne. "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," by Dr. G. Weir Mitchell, the leading serial feature of the Century for 1897, begins with this number. It is a novel of the American revolution, and purports of the autobiography of its hero, an officer on Washington's staff. Social life in Philadelphia at the time of the revolution is interestingly depicted, and the characters include Washington, Franklin, Lafayette and many others prominent in history. It is illustrated by Howard Pyle. Next in interest is Marion Crawford's new novel, "A Rose of Yesterday," which also has its first installment this month. It is a story of modern life in Europe, with American characters, and will run through several numbers. Among other articles in this "feast of good things" which the Century holds out this month are: "Why the Confederacy Failed," by Duncan Ross; "An Object Lesson in Municipal Government," on Birmingham, by G. F. Parker. A sonnet by T. Bailey Aldrich on "Santo Domingo." "The Chinese in New York," by Helen F. Clark. Several short stories, poems and the departments. Mention must also be made of the frontispiece, "The Shrimp Seller," engraved by Timothy Cole, from the painting by Hogarth. This engraving is the first of a series of the old English masters made by Cole. Mr. Cole has taken up this work in the same spirit with which he reproduced "The Old Italian" and "The Old Dutch Masters," and some of the finest examples of English art will follow this the coming year.

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Harper's Magazine for November is a most attractive number. Its frontispiece is a picture of Washington and Nelly Custis, drawn by Howard Pyle. Poulteney Bigelow's much-talked-of series of papers on the "White Man's Africa" begins in this issue. It is principally introductory, placing the reader in touch with the environment. But it gives a novel view of Jameson's raid, which presents both the English and Boer side of the episode. A second installment of "The Martian" continues Du Maurier's delightful picture of schoolboy life in Paris, with which the story opens. "The President of the United States" is Prof. Wordron Wilson's sixth paper on "Washington," and completes this popular scholarly life of the Father of his Country. "Literary Landmarks of Florence," by Laurence Hutton, is a charmingly interesting account of one of the most interesting cities of Europe. It has nine illustrations by F. V. Du Mond. "The Cuckoos" and the "Outwitted Cowbird," by the late William Hamilton Gibson, presents an attractive story of bird life, with characteristic illustrations by the author. Prof. Francis N. Thorpe contributes a timely and important study of American political tendencies, under the title, "The Dominant Idea of American Democracy." This number is rich in short stories. Thomas Janvier has a quaintly humorous tale of Provence, illustrated by Gibson, entitled "The Fish of M. Quissord." There are stories by Octave Thanet, John Kendrick Bangs and Mrs. Alexander. Poems, the Editor's Drawer, etc., make up the remainder of this interesting number.

A Neat Publication.

The Calvert Publishing Company, of Seattle, has gained quite a triumph in producing "The Flower That Grew in the Sand, and Other Short Stories," by Ella Higginson, Washington's leading woman of letters. The book is a delightful production, typographically neat and especially attractive. The book is cloth bound, and the cover is exceptionally pretty, being beautifully lithographed in colors of striking effects. Altogether the work speaks well for the efforts of the local publishers who have placed it before the public. "The Flower That Grew in the Sand" will be reviewed later in the Post-Intelligencer's book corner.

Calendars for 1897.

Calendars for the new year are already beginning to appear, and are even more elaborate and artistic than ever. Lowman & Hanford have received from the Frederick A. Stokes Company, of New York, a number of exquisite calendar designs. The calendar of violets is beautifully gotten up with fac similes of water colors by Henrietta D. La Fraik, and the calendar of the wheel is quite as unique, with water color sketches of the bicyclist in many lands, executed by Eugene Grivaz.

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10 pieces All-Wool English Serge, 40 inches wide, in navy and black only, 29c yard.

40 pieces New All-Wool and Silk and Wool Fancy Dress Goods, in the very latest styles for winter wear, special at 39c yard or $3.00 for full pattern of 8 yards.

10 pieces All-Wool Bicycle Suitings, 42 inches wide, in mixtures of gray, tan, green and brown, very special value, 39c yard.

10 pieces Fine All-Wool French Serge, 45 inches wide, in navy and black only, special, 39c yard.

10 pieces Fine All-Wool French Serge, 50 inches wide, in navy and black, 50c yard.

Chenille Portieres.

Customers who have been waiting for the arrival of these goods are hereby notified that the stock is now full and complete.

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25 (last lot to be offered this season) Heavy Black Boucle Double Capes, upper cape trimmed with braid and fur, only $3.75 each.

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100 Ladies' Paragon Frame English Gloria Silk Umbrellas, in endless variety of natural loop and twist handles, $1 each.

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Women's Underwear.

SPECIAL TOMORROW.

100 dozen Women's Heavy Fleece-lined Cotton Underwear Vests and Pants, vests with silk front, silk crochet neck and pearl buttons, all sizes, only 25c garment.

50 dozen Women's Natural Wool Finish Random Vests and Pants, heavy winter weight, vests in small sizes only, pants in all sizes, regular price 50c, at 25c garment.

25 dozen Women's Camel's Hair Wool Underwear, in all sizes, heavy winter weight, extraordinary value, at 50c garment.

50 dozen Women's Natural Wool Underwear, all sizes, fine quality, special, 75c garment.

50 dozen Women's Fine All-Wool Heavy Natural Winter Underwear, $1.00 garment.

Children's Underwear.

We carry at all times and all seasons the largest stock of Children's Underwear in the city, at fully 25 per cent. below prevailing prices.

Children's Camel's-Hair Cotton Underwear, heavy weight, from 5c up.

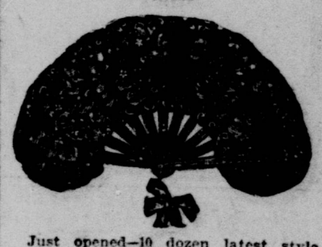
Children's Natural Gray heavy Cotton Underwear from 8c up.

Children's Heavy Natural Wool Underwear, starting at 15c, rising 5c a size.

Children's Heavy Fleece-lined Cotton Ribbed Underwear, in all sizes from 10c up.

Infants' Knit All-Wool Saxony Undershirts, at 25c, 35c and 50c each.

Fans.



Just opened—10 dozen latest style Feather Fans, Tinsel Tipped, in all evening shades, cream, Tuscan, tule, sky, cardinal, etc., very handsome, only 25c each.

Children's Small Paradise Fans, 25c each.

Novelties in Paper and Gauze Fans at extraordinary low prices, 25c, 39c and 50c each.

Garters.

SPECIAL TOMORROW.

50 dozen Ladies' Fancy Ruffled Elastic Garters, with handsome buckles, only 10c pair.

50 dozen Ladies' Fine Silk Elastic Garters, in all colors, very handsomely put up, each pair in separate box, 25c pair.

Purses and Pocketbooks.

50 dozen Leather Pocketbooks, all leather lined, with metal tipped corners or plain with new handkerchief pocket, extraordinary value at 25c each.

25 dozen real Seal Pocketbooks, in great variety of styles, special at 50c each.

Important Trade Notice.

We have just opened forty cases of dolls, our entire direct importation order for the holiday season, and ask the attention of all merchants to the line, as we are in a position to make them as close figures for spot cash as any jobbing house in the country. Dolls to retail from 5c to $10 each.

The People's Popular Dry Goods House.

Cloak Department.

NEW JACKETS.

200 Garments received by [illegible] from New York on Friday, [illegible] dred more due in tomorrow, [illegible] fore look for another week of [illegible] ordinary cloak selling.

50 new Rough Boucle Jackets, [illegible] tin front, high collar, $5 each.

50 new Sponged Beaver [illegible] handsomely braided front and [illegible] $5.98 each.

50 new Boucle Jackets, Melton [illegible] box front, front and back [illegible] ered with strips of broadcloth, [illegible] each.

50 new Boucle Jackets, in all [illegible] green and black, and brown and [illegible] mixtures, velvet collar, new [illegible] best value in the country, at $7.50.

25 tan Covert Cloth Jackets, [illegible] stylish and dressy, the best [illegible] ments in the stock, half silk lined, [illegible] all silk lined through, $7.50 and [illegible]

Plush Capes.

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES.

The demand for these goods has been the largest in our experience. [illegible] before have garments so dressy and stylish been offered at such reasonable prices. You must see them to [illegible] fully appreciate their worth. [illegible] orders for them have come to us from all over the state.

Plush Capes, handsomely embroidered with jet, silk lined throughout, [illegible]

Plush Capes, extra full sweep, [illegible] silver fur trimming, silk lined throughout, $5.98 each.

Plush Capes, extra full sweep, [illegible] somely embroidered in silk and jet, [illegible] lined, $7.98 each.

Plush Capes, 200 inch sweep, [illegible] fur trimming on collar, and [illegible] and jet embroidered, $9 each.

Plush Capes, special length, [illegible] broidered, the handsomest [illegible] ever sold for the money, $10.

Note—All these garments are [illegible] from the best quality of Satin [illegible] Plush, and are warranted [illegible]

New Wrappers.

100 dozen new Fleece Black [illegible] ette Wrappers, all sizes, [illegible] 98c each.

Full line of this season's [illegible] Flannelette Wrappers, at [illegible] $1.00 and $1.98 each.

Fraser & Wilson