# DEMOCRATS KEEP LEAD IN SENATE; HOUSE IS CLOSE

# SYSTEM OF ELECTION CRITICIZED BY PRESS ON DISCUSSING RESULT

New York Herald Takes Evening Ledger's View That All Women, if Any, Should Have Ballot

WORLD FOR DIRECT VOTE

Democratic Organ Calls Electoral College Menace to Political Security of Nation

NEW TORK. Nov. 10.—The New York Herald, in commenting today upon the reciection of President Wilson, mays that the result was decided by the women voters in California. The editorial continues:

"It is a national scandal that women should be allowed to vote in some States and not in others—that the selection of a President should be committed into the hands of women voters in one State, or group of States, when women in other States are desied the voting privilege."

(A view similar to the Herald's was taken by the Evening Ledden last Tuesday, election day, when this newspaper in an editorial unders the caption, "Think This Over," called woman suffrage a national issue. Remarking that the East in the past had urged reduction of the South's representation in the electoral college because of the disfranchisement of the southern negroes that editorial oited upon what ground the East could object when the woman suffrage West should ask reduction of the East's representation because of the disfranchisement of eastern women.)

Extracts from other New York editorials on the election result follow:

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the people voted directly for presidential
candidates, there would be no prolonged
uncertainty about election results."

Times—"It was altogether and purely an
American choice, made for American reanons upon considerations that concern our
affairs only."

World—"Again the American people have
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world—"Again the American people have received an impressive warning that the Electoral College is a menace to the political security of the United States."

Tribune: "It is relatively a minor thing whether the few hundred votes that will decide the electoral votes of California and Minnesota fall to Mr. Wilson or Mr. Hughea. The very fact that these great Republican States have been in doubt to this moment indicates the extent of the this moment indicates the extent of the failure of the Republican candidate and his party and not less clearly the amazing triumph of Mr. Wilson."

### BRITAIN 'UP IN AIR' ON U. S. ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT

### Wilson Assails by Some-Hughes Feared by Some

LONDON, Nov. 10,-London is in doubt. LONDON, Nov. 10.—London is in doubt. It is still withholding judgment on who won the American presidential election and is waiting anxiously for official returns. London thought it knew Wednesday morning when Reuter's flashed unqualifiedly that Hughes had been elected. But today Reuter's flashed unqualifiedly that Wilson had been re-elected. So the Evening News to be perfectly fair reproduced both Reuter flashes under the head: "Reuter Bays Both Elected."

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When the "news" that Hughes had been slected was printed President Wilson drew a few editorial hot-shots. One was "spineless idealist." Now that things are doubtful editorial opinion is suspended. Crowds have flocked around the bulletin boards since Tuesday.

geo Tuesday, Before the election all England, news-spers, officials and plain citizens, were interested to an almost unbelievable de-gree, but held aloof. There seemed to be a gentiemen's agreement not to take sides even in opinion in the domestic affairs of the United States.

"It isn't our affair; we have troubles enough of our own without mixing in with America's problem," seemed expressive of the public state of mind.

# TOTAL ELECTORAL VOTE, 531 NECESSARY TO A CHOICE, 266

	Hughes, Rep.	Wilson
Alabama		12
Arizona		3
Arkansas	** **	. 9
California		13
Colorado		6
Conecticut	7	
Delaware		
Florida		- 6
Georgia		14
Idaho		4
Illinois		
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Kentucky		13
Louisiana		10
Maine	1000	
Maryland		8
Massachusetts	18	
Michigan	15	
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Mississippi	** **	10
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Missouri	** **	4
Montana	** **	8
Nebraska	** **	3
Nevada	14	
New Jersey "New Hampshire	10	**
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New York		**
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THE RESERVE	243	272

Minnesota (12), Nev

## Popular Vote Analyzed

COMPARATIVE statistics of the respective values of the Wilson and the Hughes territory as shown in the returns are presented in the following tabulation:

States
Population . 42,826,366 49,145,900
Wealth . . . \$62,475,905 \$44,628,366
Plurality . . . 600,000 900,000 Plurality The President thus has a popular

plurality as well as a majority in the slectoral college. His plurality on the face of the returns is about

### WILSON'S LEAD NOT SHAKEN BY RETURNS

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taking steps to watch the official count. An taking steps to watch the official count. An error in tabulating from Los Angeles County yesterday announced by Registrar McAleer, which added 2000 to Hughes's total in that county, threw Democrats of Los Angeles into a furore of excitement. They announced they expected to keep a close watch while the official rechecking is in progress to guard against the possibility of a similar error.

Federal effects from San Francisco have also seized the ballot boxes in a number of precincts in Alameda County and are guard-

precincts in Alameda County and are guarding them, pending official tabulation.

Republican leaders who are ready to concede Wilson's plurality in the Golden State discussed also the possibility of a

eplit delegation from California in the elec-toral college.

### HUGHES LEADING WILSON IN WEST VIRGINIA BY 3149

WHEELING, W. Va., Nov. 10.—With 131 precincts in 1713 missing, Hughes was leading Wilson by 3149 early today. The count was Hugfies, 133,280; Wilson, 130,-131. Cornwell, Dem., Governor, is again leading Robinson, Rep., by 1358 votes with 135 precincts missing. Southern and western countles have sprung many surprises.

### MINNESOTA RESULT MAY HINGE ON SOLDIER VOTE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 10.—Charles E. Hughes has carried Minnesota by a plurality approaching 1000, with the vote of Minnesota militiamen on the Texas border not taken into consideration, according to the latest returns.

Nearly complete returns today gave the Republican nominee a lead which will be impossible for President Wilson to overcome except through the soldier vote. Two-thirds of the Minnesota guardsmen at Llano Grande voted for Wilson, according to Democratic reports from Brownsville. But Republican headquarters today claimed advices indicated that the militiamen had voted strongly for Hughes.

The result will not be known until the State canvassing board meets next Tuesday and opens the soldier ballots.

### M'ADOO CREDITS VICTORY TO PROGRESSIVE WEST

Has Purified the Fountain of Democracy, Cabinet Officer Says

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10 .- "The men and women of the progressive West have puri-fied the fountains of Democracy and strengthened popular government immeasurably by this victory," said Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo in a formal state-ment today. "The defeat of the sinister rces arrayed against the President will have a wholesome effect upon the future of America for generations to come," he

"This is a verdict for America and hu-manity; for the peace of justice, for democracy throughout the world."

### WILSON LEADS IN NEW MEXICO BY 1410, LATE RETURNS SHOW

SANTA FE. N. M., Nov. 10.—President Wilson has carried New Mexico, unless the 99 precincts yet to be heard from vote almost solidly for Hughes.

the public state of mind.

The newspapers with but few exceptions withheld opinion. The British tendency was probably toward Wilson. Its basis was in the belief that German officialdom was against him.

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99 precincts yet to be almost solidly for Hughes.

Wilson had a lend of 1410 at 7 a. m., and although Democratic lenders expected this to be cut down slightly in the final returns they were confident the missing 39 precincts can make no material change in the result.

The figures on 539 precincts out of 628 were:

Wilson, 32,406; Hughes, 30,996.

### NEW HAMPSHIRE FOR WILSON BY 239, DEMOCRATS CLAIM

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 10 .- Official re-CONCORD, N. H. Nov. 10 Concess returns as far received give New Hampshire to Wilson by 239. Unofficial returns from missing towns threw the State back to Hughes by 71, but a Democratic claim of missing towns threw the State back to Hughes by 71, but a Democratic claim of 135 Wilson votes in Ward 2 of Keene, not in the official tabulation, credits Wilson with a final plurality of 64. Secretary of State Edwin C. Bean said at 11 o'clock: "The official preidential vote for New Hampshire with eleven missing out of 294 voting districts, is Wilson, 42.284; Hughes, 42.045, Wilson's plurality, 229."

Sons of Revolution Elect Barratt At a meeting held at Hotel Stenton. Judge Norris S. Barratt was elected a vice or the Revolution, of which Richard Mc-call Cadwalader is president, in place of the Revolution, of which Richard Mc-call Cadwalader is president, in place of the late ex-Governor Samuel W. Penny-packer. As Mr. Pennypacker's resignation from the bench of Court of Common Pleas No. 2 resulted in the nomination and elec-tion by the people of Judge Barratt, this is the second time he has followed in his footsteps.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

IN MEMORIAM
RIETHMAYER.—In loving memory of MARY
RIETHMATER, died November 10, 1806.
RER CHILDREN.

DEATHS

LE PRUPE -Nov. 8. HANNAH ANN. widow of Henry Wittner Le Fevre, aged 28. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services Sun, 6:45 p. m., at residence of her sonin-law William B. Buchanan, 108 Chestaut at. Handonfield. N. J. Train leaving Broad Street Station at 11:30 will stop at Lemon Place. Burial service at Paradise Presbyterian Church at 1:30 p. m. int. Paradise. Lancaster County papers places copy.

MOSTELLEN -Nov. 9 MATTIE M. wife of Catherine 8. Rates. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services Mon. 2 p. m. 30 8. 40th at. Int. private. Friends may call Sus. war, between 7 and 8 c'occh.

McCollain -Esswenia Roath 10th, Willeriam on Second-day. Eleventa Month 18th, places on Second-day. Eleventa Month 18th, plates on Second-day. Eleventa Month 18th, plates on Second-day. Eleventa Month 18th, plates P. M. Services. Bames C. V. 10. Harmier V. Ramber.

# 'PERSIMMONS' FOR 3 DEMOCRATIC BOSSES

Murphy, Taggert and Roger Sullivan Will Face Lean Years for Losing State, It Is Believed

## TAMMANY IN DISGRACE

NEW YORK, Nov. 10 .- Woodrow Wilse has been elected President without the votof the heretofore supposedly indispensable States of New York, Indiana and Illino and their three Democratic leaders. domination is popularly accedited them in the title of "bosa" They are Charles F Murphy, of Tammany Hall; Tom Taggart, of Indiana, and Roger Sullivan, of Illinois.
Only one other President—a Republican—has ever been elected without the vote of New York. He was Rutherford B. Hayes.

and his election over Samuel J. Tilden in 1876 is the closest parallel in American political history to the close race of 1918. Politicians all over the country will await with interest the Administration's treatmen of the New York city, Illinois State and In-diana State Democratic organizations. The consensus of opinion today was that there were lean years ahead for all three so far as Federal patronage and recogni-tion by the Administration is concerned. It is generally believed that on Tammany Hall will fall the hardest blow-since from dawn of election day the President's friends had "a hunch" that the Murphyltes would snife Wilson. The tremendous city ma-jority which Tammany promised Wilson

### failed dismally to materialize NO ELECTION BETS PAID

Stakeholders Withholding Action Until Official Count of Presidential Race Is Taken

Stakeholders of election bets are with-olding payment of the wagers, awalting he outcome of the official count in doubtful

While the victory of Wilson is virtually assured, they say, no bets will be handed over until the loser concedes defeat. In the meantime hundreds of thousands of dollars are lying idle.

None of the men holding stakes on big bets paid with the premature announce ment of the Hughes victory on Tuesday night, but quite a number of small bets between friends were paid, with the resuit that Hughes followers who celebrated by detaching themselves from part of the bankroll that wasn't theirs started on a tour of the town this morning to cover their deficiencies.

No bets were recorded this morning, although Wilson backers offered as high as 5 to 1 late yesterday on his election before the returns from California were announced. A German walked into the Bellevue last night and offered to bet \$1000 in real money against \$10,000, or \$5000 against \$50,000 that Hughes would occupy the residential chair for the next four years presidential chair for the next four years. There were no takers. In contrast with reports from New York, where a theatrical promotor won \$16,000 on a long shot on Wilson on Tuesday night, there were no similar bets made here.

## A STUDY IN WHITE AND BLACK

Sam Smith, Colored, Up on Mutinous Charge for Ebonizing Snowy Ship Cabin

Sam Smith, colored (mostly black), was a fireman on the good ship Vera, Nor-wegian merchantman, playing of late be-ween Santa Marta, Columbia and Philadelphia. He was not a jolly sallor. Moreover, the was mutinous. And that was the crime charged against him when he was arraigned this morning before United States Commis stoner Long and ordered held in prison until the Royal Vice Consul of Norway or the Norwegian Government itself could do omething to make Sam behave on the

high seas October 27 Fireman Smith stood on the newly painted deck of the Vera and was watching the sun-kissed waves plash lazily against her sides when the chief officer.

Alex M. Larsen, came out of the cabin.

The chief officer remonstrated with Sam
for having his coal-blackened hands on the
side of the cabin, freshly painted white.

Whereupon Sam clasped the chief officer
by the shoulders and with his head attention. whereupon Sam clasped the chief officer by the shoulders, and with his head butted him in the face, knocking out a tooth and bruising the superior beficer generally. It was "mutiny on the high seas." And that is what Sam must pay for.

### NORTH DAKOTA CONCEDED TO PRESIDENT WILSON

FARGO, N. D., Nov. 10 .- North Dakota's five votes in the electoral college were con-ceded to President Wilson last night by William Lemke, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, when returns from all but \$2 precincts in the State gave the President a piurality of 1560 over Hughes.

# PLUMS' MAY BE UNRIPE | MINOR PARTIES HOLD BALANCE OF POWER IN

Republicans and Democrats to Be Powerless Without Aid of Socialist, Progressive, Prohibitionist, Protectionist and Independent

### WOMEN MAY HAVE SEATS

House of Representatives will actually rest with five Representatives affiliated with neither the Democratic nor the Republicans, on the face of returns available today.

The Republicans made such gains in the election Tuesday that the Democratic ma-jority in the House is out to the point where even the Speakership may be affected. Present returns indicate that the Repub-licans will have two more Representatives than the Democrats. The success or fall-ure of proposed legislation will, therefore, rest with the votes of a Socialist, a Prohibinist with Democratic leanings, a Pro tlantst Democrat, an Independent and

in addition, a woman and possibly two women may sit in the House for the first time in history. Miss Jeannette Rankin, Republican, of Montana, on latest returns apparently elected over Harry B. Mitch

is apparently elected over Harry B. Alten-ell, Republican.

The second woman is Mrs. Frances C.
Axtell, Democrat, who threatens to over-come the small lead of Congressman Hadley in the 2d district Following is the classification of the next House, based on returns gathered up to

The present House is as follows: 229 Independent ......

If Mr. Axtell wins the Republicans and the Democrats will be tied with 215 seats

A majority in the House is 218. It takes that many votes, therefore, to elect a speak-er and to enact legislation. Either big party, therefore, must get the good will of three of the five men aligned with smaller parties, before it can do business in its own way. And, incidentally, those five inde-pendents may be no more question marks than will the "first woman in the world" to e seated at Washington. Miss Rankin was chosen on a Republican ticket, but Demo-crats point out that "she's a woman, never-

The five men who, on present appearances, will be the balance of power—or "the Balkans of the House" as it was said here

C. H. Randall, Prohibitionist, California; V. P. Martin, Protectionist, Democrat, Joulsiana; Meyer London, Socialist, New York: Thomas V. Schall, Progressive, Min-nesota, and A. J. Fuller, Independent, Mas-

Randall has had a rather hybrid political career. He has been a Republican, a Pro-gressive and a Democrat. He ran on the Prohibition ticket Tuesday with the Demoratic indorsement Martin is the first man not a regular

ears. He is described as basically a Demorat, with a strong dash of protection.

Meyer London had a bitter fight and was re-elected by less than 200 votes. He has so far consistently kept away from any show of favoritism to Republicans or Dem-

the dyed-in-the-wool, refuse-to-die Progres-sives call themselves. He can be counted on to favor only the party that puts up

Senate will stand

Jail Term for Keeping Wife in Coop Arthur Williams, of 1229 Dupont street, Camden, must serve thirty days in the Camden County jall for making his wife, Camden County jail for making his wife. Mrs. Lucy Williams, spend a night in the Williams chicken coop. Before Judge Stackhouse this morning Mrs. Williams said her husband came home last night and locked her in the coop. She was more or less indignant about it and asked that he be punished with a short sentence.

# Woman Ends Life in Flames

cently gave evidence of mental weakness

# HOUSE, RETURNS SHOW

The balance of power in the next National

Progressive.

Republicans .... 216 Independents .... 5

oday-are:

Democrat to be elected in Louisiana in 25

Schall is an "unreconstructed rebel," as

on to favor only the party that puts up what he thinks is the most progressive legislation and the best man for speaker. Fuller is said to have grown his independent faith from the political emanations of former Democratic Governor Foss, of Massachusetts, who has frequently hopped from Republican to Democratic sides.

Complete returns from all States which elected Senators Tuesday indicate that the Senate will stood of the senators of the sen

Democrats, fifty-four. Republicans, forty-two. Total membership, ninety-six Democratic majority, twelve.

ALTOONA, Pa., Nov. 10,-Mrs. Kathery Mayer, forty-seven years old, committed suicide in peculiar manner today. Building a fire on the attic floor, she lay down in the blaze. Her body was burned to a crisp. Neighbors saw the smoke, called the fire-men and saved the house. Mrs. Mayer re-

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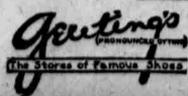
costs, these shoes will cut your shoe bills in half and permit natural growth of your child's foot with strong develop-

Exceptional Value in Patent Leather Dress Shoes for Girls

Beautiful patent with rich cloth tops—all on the Geuting health last—Children's, \$8: Misses, \$3.50 and Growing Girls, \$4.



Market for the



So. 11th

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Suits at \$15.00 Cheviot Suits, in black, navy blue, brown and plum color. Smart belted coat, with full collar, plush-trimmed.

Suits at \$16.50 Of gabardine, whipcord, diagonal and cheviot Suits, in attractive colors; belted coat, collar plain or velvet-trimmed.

Women's Velveteen Suits-\$30.00 to \$150.00 - Second Floor, Market Street

# Women's Dresses, Special at \$16.75

Unusually attractive Dresses, suitable for afternoon and street wear. Of silk-and-serge, in black, navy blue, a few in brown and gray. A good range of sizes—\$16.75. At \$18.75 to \$30 Dresses of

Dresses at \$13.75 Serge Dresses, in black, and-silk and serge-and-crepe Georgette, in black, navy blue, plum and brown; trimmed viriously with bead embroidery, wool em-broidery or braid. navy blue, brown and plum color. A smart model, in long-waisted effect; sash of selfmaterial, silk-faced collar in self-color.

Women's Silk Dresses-\$15.00 to \$110.00

Women's Dance Dresses-\$15.00 to \$65.00

# Things of Use and Beauty Among the Leather Goods

We could name a hundred different useful articles under the head Leather Goods, the assortment of which is now at its best. Most of these things will cost more when we re-order them—in fact, most of our prices should be higher now if fairly based on manufacturers' present prices. Perhaps you're thinking mainly of your own needs just now, but it is by no means too early to think of these for Christmas gifts also:

### FOR MEN

Long Wallets, Letter Cases, Three-fold Wallets, Fobs, Card Cases, Bill Books, Auto License or Pass Cases, Bill Folds, Pocket Books, Combination Purse and Bill Rell, His Pocket Cases, Dark Sats Roll, Hip Pocket Cases, Desk Sets, Traveling Slippers, Collar Bags, Pocket Toilet Cases, Tie Holders, Jewel or Stick Pin Boxes, Dress, ing Cases, Brief Cases, Medicine Cases, Shaving Pads, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Shoe Polishers.

# FOR WOMEN

Card Cases, Jewel Boxes, Pocket Books and Purses, Traveling Slip-pers, Watch Bracelets, Desk Sets, Sewing Bags and Baskets, Dressing Cases, Portfolios, Music Rolls, Bags, Folios, Leather Hand Bags, Leather Strap Books, Silk Hand Bags, Velvet Hand Bags, Gauze Fans, Feather Fans.

Gold and silver corners for Wallets and Pocket Books. → Aisles 8 and 9. Centre

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Lace Neckwear, 85c A special purchase of Imported Lace Collars and Sets, that every woman who appreciates good values will declare are remarkable. The Collars are in shawl and deepback effects, and in several very attractive patterns; some have cuffs to match. Separate Collars and Sets, at 85c.

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Sheer Collars, special-25c Organdie Collars, embroidered in everal different patterns. Crepe Collars-50c and \$1.00

Crepe Georgette Collars, in the deep-back style, some tucked, some Broadcloth Collars-\$1 to \$3 Square and round shapes, finished in different ways.

Alsles 11 and 12, Centre

# Ten Unusual Lots of Women's Coats All New, Up-to-Date and Under Price

Some are duplicates of favored models which we had in the remarkable Sale of last Saturday; some are special purchases-Coats made for to-morrow's selling; others have been taken from our regular stock and reduced. All sizes, and a great diversity of styles:

# Plush Coats—\$16.50 Of smooth-finish cheviot, in black and

# Coats of Mixtures—\$13.50

Cheviot Coats—\$16.50

Wool Velour Coats-\$18.00

# Wool Velour, in light shades, a few in plaid effects. Full-back model, with deep, square-cut collar; full-lined.

Wool Velour Coats—\$18.75 Wool Velour, in two-tone effect; deep, square-cut collar of plush, self-material cuffs; Coats, of wool velour and some diagonal effects, also some of silk velour; plain or fancy lining; trimmed with plush buttons.

## Wool Plush Coats—\$20.00 Of fancy mixtures, some in plaid and over-plaid effects. Full back, with side belts in at each side with belts; deep square-cut to hold in fullness; square-cut collar with collar with band of fur; lined yoke and sleeves.

Cloth Coats—\$21.50

Seal Plush Coats, with full back and loose front; collar closing well at the throat. of belts, deep, square-cut collar with band of fur; full-lined with peau de cygne. Wool Velour Coats-\$22.50

Of wool velour, in black, navy blue and navy blue; square-cut collar, with band of plush; all-around belt, and lined throughout. fur band; lined throughout with peau de cygne. (See sketch.)

Seal Plush Coats—\$25.00 Lustrous seal plush Coats, with collar of dyed opossum; rippling back, unbelted, and lined throughout.

Very Fine Coats—\$37.50

Coats in Our Regular Stock-Hundreds of Coats in scores of styles-Cheviot Coats, \$10.00 to \$20.00. Wool Velour Coats, \$20.00 to \$50.00—many of the higher-priced models fur-trimmed. Fancy Mixed Coats, \$12.00 to \$35.00. Seal Plush Coats, un-trimmed, \$20.00 to \$50; fur-trimmed, \$35.00 to \$65.00.

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Chiefly of white cotton voile, tailored, semi-tailored and trimmedscores and scores of lovely effects, and all sizes from 34 to 46 in the collection, at \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00. Also extra-size models, 42 to 54, from \$2.50 to \$3.50,

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# The Toys Give Notice That They Are Ready for the Children in

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The Dolls, dressed and undressed. Their houses, furniture and accessories. Toys that run by machinery, and Toys

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At \$20.00 Men's \$25.00

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tically all sizes.

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lars more.

A special purchase of Men's and Young Men's \$15.00 Cheviot Overcoats. In smart plaited-back and con-servative styles. At \$10.00 Cheviot Suits in neat Suits At \$15.00 A special purchase, together with some discontinued lines from stock. Worsteds and casaimeres. Worth \$18.00 and \$20.00.

At \$10.00 Cheviot Suits, in next Suits, and are worth two dollars more.

Strawbridge & Clothier

At \$12.50