ALL BEDLAM LOOSE.

Scenes on the Chicago Grain Exchange Like Those When Old Hutch Ruled the Roost.

THE BOARD AS A LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Ghosts of Keene, of New York, and Hutchinson Arise, Terrify and Cause a Mad Rush to Cover.

WHEAT TOUCHES 108 BEFORE RESTING.

The Excited Situation in Germany, of Course, Responsible for the Rise.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—No such excited scrambles have been seen in the Chicago wheat pit since "Old Hutch" ran his corner in that cereal in the fall of 1888, as were witnessed to-day. Outside dealers were as much at sea as the Chicago speculators. Hundreds of messages were received by commission men from clients in the country, inquiring, "what do you think of the market," but the blind could not lead the blind, so each one was allowed to grope for himself. The story is only barely indicated by the closing quotations, which show 6⅝ cents advance in wheat, 8 cents in rye and 2¾ cents in corn.

The excitement which characterized the trading yesterday was quadrupled at the opening to-day. December, which was being traded in at 99⅞c at 1:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, was wanted by hundreds of

BELLOWING BULLS AND ROARING BEARS

at from $1 01⅜ to $1 03¼ the moment the bell tapped for the opening of trade at 9:30 o'clock this morning. Business for about one minute was done on an enormous scale at from $1 03 to $1 03¾, and then for a matter of five minutes the crowd made a unanimous rush to sell, and the price tumbled to $1 01⅜.

Its stay at the latter point was short; the same unanimity which had for a few minutes been in favor of the selling side now changed, and it rose to $1 02, at which point sellers entirely withdrew until apparently crazy buyers had advanced their bids to $1 05. Some sales at that time were as high as $1 05¼ before it once more began to recede. The reaction following the latter bulge stopped when it had got down to $1 03¾.

The market acted exceedingly firm with an upward trend, reaching to 104½ and back again to 104 a few times, and then, as on the preceding bulge the entire piffull of perspiring, haggard and excited brokers yelled their bids, and as nothing but higher and still higher prices were wanted, bids of 105½, 107, and finally 108 were thundered simultaneously from 500 husky throats, with very little secured as the price shot up.

A PAUSE IN THE MAD RUSH.

There was a feeling that after such a panicky advance the worst was over for the shorts for this eventful day, at least. Comparative quiet succeeded, and the price once more began to sag, but short sellers had received such a cruel experience in the earlier stages that the only parties who offered stuff toward the close were those who had it previously bought.

Many of the most excited traders could not have given a coherent account of the cause of all the turmoil; but, sifted of the whirling clouds of dust which obscured everything except the fact that the market was in a tremendous state of nervous panic, the situation seemed to be this: Domestic and foreign markets were all feverishly higher; the short rye crop in Russia, the excitement in the German rye market over the Russian prohibition of rye exports, a report that the cereal crop of Austro-Hungary was heavily deficient, the shortage in the wheat crops of France and India, all pointed to a shortage in the world's breadstuffs. London was up 1 shilling on cargoes for prompt shipment, Liverpool was 1 penny to 2 pence higher and quoted strong and advancing.

KEENE CAUSES A PANIC.

Then a report was put in circulation that James P. Keene, of New York, backed by a big Eastern syndicate, was running a bull campaign in wheat. The memory of his last corner here in 1877-78, when he held wheat up in the neighborhood of $1 40 for a long time, came to the perspiring shorts as a frightful nightmare, and rather than take any chances, they ran to the nearest cover, regardless of the cost.

Early reports from New York, that foreigners were selling heavily, caused a change of sentiment. Wheat was thrown overboard in blocks, and the price broke as indicated above. This was near the opening. By the time $1 08 was reached the excited shouters began to lose their breath and to realize that the short Saturday session, ending at noon, was drawing to a close, and that it would be a good thing to even up trades in view of the intervening Sunday. During this process December declined to 53⅛c, gradually recovered and closed at $1 05⅞.

OLD HUTCH SCARES 'EM, TOO.

At various times during the day it was said that B. P. Hutchinson was again in the pit; that he had been right on wheat and corn for some time, and that he had made a lot of money and was giving the boys in the pit another taste of his tactics; that Pardridge, after his recent heavy fall, had again plucked up courage to enter the fray, and that he had been a heavy seller above 103. This would have been an exciting day for speculators in grain if even wheat had remained stationary.

It was thought by brokers on the Board of Trade that Friday was a busy day, but before to-day's session was over the preceding one had sunk into insignificance. It was one of the wildest days ever known on the floor. The bears were partially prepared for the great boom yesterday, but when the bulls took hold this morning and sent prices up with a frightful rush, the "short" element was simply dumfounded. The bears had said last night that $1 must be the climax; now let's jump in the morning and smash things. They did make any number of vigorous attempts to do this, but the final result was not very encouraging to them.

LIKE A LUNATIC ASYLUM.

From the visitors' gallery the wheat pit looked like an assemblage of dangerous lunatics. The men crowded together in a mass, discarded coats and hats, clawed each other like wild animals, while a constant and deafening roar, out of which no intelligible sound could be picked, rose to the lofty ceiling.

One remarkable thing is that there have been no failures. Everybody got through the Clearing House all right on Friday's business, but it isn't unlikely that as a result of to-day's wild work some unlucky dealers may "go broke."

One prominent wheat broker said this evening: "I can't pretend to predict what the future will bring forth. There are only 2,000,000 bushers in store here, but the past few days' dealings have spread over the three lines for from 7,000,000 to 8,000,000 bushels. The big selling is being done by foreign representatives in New York, and they appear to be ready to take every bushel that is offered. I think this flurry is due entirely to the condition of affairs abroad."

FIRST BLOOD FROM ST. LOUIS.

One Grain Failure Results, With Rumors of Others to Follow.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—The failure of John Thyson, an extensive operator on 'change, was announced after the close of the Exchange to-day. "I do not know how I stand," said Thyson. "The trouble with me was I had too many contracts on hand, and I fell in the gap. No, I am not short. This is only a suspension. When I find out how I stand the matter will be straightened out."

Thyson is one of the most prominent traders on the Exchange, and his failure and the big bulge may pull down a few others who are now on the ragged edge. Rumors are flying thick and fast that a number of other well-known firms were caught short in the bulge. So far none can be traced to any definite source.

GOTHAM IS WILD, TOO.

WALL STREET BROKERS WATCH THE GRAIN CROWD SWEAT.

Rye the Center of Excitement, Its Price Running Up to $1 12—Holders of That Cereal Refuse to Sell—The Wheat Pit Not Far Behind.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Wall street brokers stood aside to-day and watched the grain brokers on the Produce Exchange do the greatest and most exciting business since the days which were the forerunners of that eventful one when war was declared between Germany and France, now a little over 20 years ago. The day was short with the brokers on the Produce Exchange. The few demoralized bears were glad it was. Promptly at 12 o'clock the Exchange closes on Saturday.

Few could have told where prices for wheat, corn, and rye would have gone had the day lasted longer. At the first sound of the gong at 10 o'clock, pandemonium broke loose. The cables from Germany announced that the grain market of Berlin was greatly excited. Rye, it was announced in these cables, had jumped up in a most startling fashion. The inspiration was the favorable adherence in Russia on all sides to the ukase of the Czar prohibiting the exportation of rye. The cables further said that the reports from St. Petersburg were to the effect that in the provinces there was a failure of winter-sown cereals; that the prices for cattle were decreasing, and that peasents were selling their horses to procure food. The bourses of Paris, St. Petersburg, Vienna and Berlin were all reported to be greatly excited.

Rye on the New York Exchange several months ago was 65 cents a bushel. To-day the price was $1 12, and little or no rye was to be had. A few small sales were made on the basis of that price. But the few holders of rye were autocratic. They did not want to sell, and would not sell. Even the millers of rye flour withdrew from the market as sellers. So, also, did millers of wheat flour.

The wheat pit was a marvel of excitement. The cables from France, Germany and the United Kingdom all demonstrated the fullest interest in the excitement. The representatives of the foreigners on the Exchange bought and sold with high-handed liberality. It was a great speculative movement, based upon the actual needs of foreign countries. Nearly 12,000,000 bushels of wheat changed hands. The wires from Chicago were drawn taut with the rapid-purchasing orders. All hands bought. Some jumped in and realized recent profits.

GENERAL GORDON'S VIEW.

He Indorses the Proposed Reunion of Northern and Southern Veterans.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

MONTICELLO, ILL., Aug. 15.—General J. B. Gordon, the Commander in Chief of all the Confederate camps in the United States, has indorsed the proposed reunion of the survivors of the Northern and Southern armies in the following letter.

Colonel E. T. Lee, Monticello, Ill.

MY DEAR COLONEL—In view of my past efforts to promote every movement intended to bring the sections of our common country closer together, it is hardly necessary, I trust, for me to say that I am in entire sympathy with the proposed reunion of the Northern and Southern veterans at the World's Fair, to be held at Chicago. I trust that many thousands may meet and greet each other at the proposed gathering, and I am sure that good and only good can result from such a communion. With many thanks for your courteous reference to myself, and for the generous impulse which has given birth to this reunion, I am yours truly,

JOHN B. GORDON.

An Oil Man Fatally Injured.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

MORGANTOWN, Aug. 15.—Word has just reached town that Lewis Lemley, one of the most prominent farmers and oil operators in this county, fell from a haystack and received fatal internal injuries.

Grasshoppers in Beaver County.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

BEAVER FALLS, Aug. 15.—Farmers in town to-day report that grasshoppers are doing great damage to crops in Beaver county.

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1 barrel fancy St. Louis winter wheat	$6 25
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1 sack choice Amber flour	1 25
12 large cans mustard sardines	1 00
22 cans sardines in oil	1 00
8 cans finest French sardines	1 00
4 large oval cans mackerel in tomato sauce	1 00
10 lbs pure ground ginger	1 00
10 cans Columbia river salmon	1 00
6 large bottles English pickles	1 00
10 lbs pure ground pepper	1 00
24 lbs white sugar	1 00
3 dozen parlor matches (200's)	25
50 bars good scrubbing soap	1 00
30 bars white floating soap	1 00
30 bars 5-cent wax soap	1 00
28 lb bars German mottled soap	1 00
8 lbs prepared cocoanut	1 00
Thompson's root beer, 2 for	25
6 lbs 20-cent E. B. tea	1 00
5 lbs 25-cent tea	1 00
4 lbs 30-cent tea	1 00
3 lbs 40-cent tea	1 00
2 lbs English breakfast tea in fancy basket	50

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The Fourth, and the Last of the Season, of the Pennsylvania Railroad's Great Seashore Excursions

Has been fixed for Thursday, August 20, a time when the fishing is finest, the bathing best, and when the seaside presents its attractions in the best form for thorough enjoyment. To miss this trip, you surrender one of the most delightful experiences of the summer. You are offered a beautiful daylight ride over the Alleghenies, along the Juniata river, through beautiful, at this time of the year, Dauphin and Lancaster counties, by taking the special train leaving Union station at 8:30 A. M., on the above date; or you can take regular trains leaving at 4:30 and 8:10 P. M. The morning train will consist of Pullman parlor cars and this company's Eastlake coaches. The night trains will be composed of Pullman sleeping cars and coaches. The four points to which the special excursion tickets are available, at the very low rate of $10 for the round trip, good ten days from date of sale, being Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City or Ocean City, give you four of the choicest points on the Jersey coast. Tickets will also be sold from points east of Pittsburg at proportionately low rates. Tickets, seats in the parlor cars and berths in the sleeping cars can now be secured at the office, 110 Fifth avenue. Make a note of this that you may not miss it, as it is the last excursion of the season.

HUNTING A PANTHER.

Connecticut Farmers Go Gunning for a Big Marauding Beast.

IT HAS TERRORIZED A COUNTY.

Terrific Fight Between It and a Ferocious Bull It Attacked.

CARRIES OFF CALVES AND CHICKENS

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.)

DANBURY, Aug. 15.—A big panther is terrorizing the farmers in the neighborhood of Beaver Brook Mountain, and a hunting party has been organized and will start out to-night to capture the beast. It is a ferocious fellow, half as big as a calf and as active as a cat, and stops in a cave in the mountain, where it was tracked Tuesday by Henry Somers, who was in search of a lost calf. He found a lot of bones at the entrance to the cave and a part of the carcass of his lost calf. A big panther was killed over on the north side of the mountain last fall, and this one is believed to be one of its offspring or its mate.

The panther has grown very bold, and during the past two weeks it has been frequently seen prowling about the back yards and farm houses at the foot of the mountain, and last week a party of children who were picking berries on the mountain side met the animal in the woods, but they ran and screamed and the panther turned tail and disappeared.

ITS SCREAMS ARE AWFUL.

It has frightened several persons nearly out of their wits by its unearthly screams, but it seems to be a coward in the presence of human beings, for it has never attacked anybody. Wednesday at midnight John Griffing, who lives just at the foot of the mountain on the east side, was awakened by a commotion and the bellowing of a bull in a field about 100 yards from the house. There have been several cases of cattle-stealing in the neighborhood, and Farmer Griffing's first thought was that a thief had ventured into the field and was being killed by the bull, which is an ugly creature.

Awakening his hired man, he seized a club and hurried out. Instead of the thief he expected, he found the bull engaged in battle with a strange, cat-like animal. There was a new moon, and it was light enough to discern the animals across the field. Mr. Griffing sent the hired man back for a gun, while he crept stealthily forward under the shadow of the stone wall which enclosed the combatants. Then he.

WITNESSED A THRILLING SPECTACLE.

The bull had its adversary at bay and was endeavoring to catch the animal upon its horns. But the smaller animal sprang aside each time and the bull rushed by and turned and charged again, bellowing with rage at its disappointment. At length the big cat tired of such play and as the bull charged again it darted past, then turned, and, with a bound, landed squarely upon the bull's back. The bull, snorting and bellowing this time with pain as well as rage, dashed off across the field endeavoring all the while to shake off the burden. But the animal clung to its foe, sinking its claws into the bull's flesh at every step.

Just as the bull dashed toward Farmer Griffings' hiding place the man approached with the gun and the strange animal, catching sight of him, jumped from the bull's back and a moment later was gone in the darkness. The bull was terribly lacerated and had to be shot.

One night last week Mr. Somers, who discovered the panther's hiding place, went into his yard very late and the same strange animal darted away from the chicken coop, and, with a scream that awakened everybody in the house, cleared a clump of bushes higher than Mr. Somers' head and ran off in the direction of the mountains. A party of boys went up to the cave to-day and found a lot of bones of various large and small animals and a heap of chicken and turkey feathers and pieces of wood.

THREE BIG OIL WELLS.

THEIR TOTAL PRODUCTION OVER TEN THOUSAND BARRELS.

The McDonald Field Is the Richest in the Country—A Long Strip of Valuable Territory Developed—The Location of the Gushers and Other Good Wells.

The biggest oil field in the whole southwest district has at last been discovered. It is the much talked of McDonald field which is located on the Panhandle railroad 18½ miles southwest of Pittsburg. The town of McDonald is on the line separating Allegheny and Washington counties. Last evening at 6 o'clock there were three wells in this field doing over 150 barrels an hour each, or a total of more than 10,000 barrels a day. This amount is more than one-seventh of the daily average production for the month of July in New York Pennsylvania and the West Virginia fields.

The first of these wells is located on the Mevey farm and is owned by Guckert, Steel & Egbert. It reached the pay streak in the fifth sand Friday afternoon as reported in THE DISPATCH yesterday morning, and started off at over 150 barrels an hour. The next is the Wheeling Natural Gas Company's well, on the Cook lot, located within 200 feet of McDonald station. It got the pay in the fifth yesterday, and immediately started to flow out petroleum at 150-barrel an hour rate. About 4 o'clock yesterday the Royal Gas Company's "Jumbo" well, west of the slaughter house and over a mile southwest of the Mevey well, got a pay in the fifth, and is now probably the biggest well in the field.

The latter well had never been drilled to the fifth sand, as reported some time ago, and the fact that it came in so big last night was a surprise to the operators in the vicinity. The Mevey and the Jumbo wells are almost on a 45 degree line from northeast to southwest, while the Cook lot well is about a quarter of a mile east of this line. These wells develop an expanse of territory over a mile in length, and richer than any other streak so far discovered in the lower country at least. Continuing on to the northeast a couple of miles from the Mevey well, on the same line is Guffey, Murphy, Jennings & Co.'s well on the Mathews farm, which, for over a month, has averaged more than 1,000 barrels a day. Following up the same line two miles further to the northeast is the 30-barrel an hour well of the Forest Oil Company on the Wright farm, and then comes the McCurdy field proper. The well on the hotel lot, at McDonald, of Vankirk & Co. was flowing at the rate of 600 barrels a day last night, but when measured up it was found to be several feet short of the level in which the pay was reached in the Cook lot well. The latter is only a few hundred feet southwest of the hotel lot.

BEES AT A FUNERAL.

A Swarm of Them Attacks and Drives Away Mourners From the Grave.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

WEST CHESTER, PA., Aug. 15.—A swarm of bees created great consternation among a funeral party on Tuesday, in Union Hill Cemetery, near Kennett Square, this county, during the burial of Joseph Frey. At least 400 persons had gathered around the grave in which the body was to be interred. Just as the coffin was lowered a multiplied cry went up from the center of the crowd, and the whole ceremony was thrown into confusion.

A swarm of bees that had settled on a grave nearby, had been disturbed by some of the mourners, and they proceeded to wreak vengeance on the entire party. Dozens of persons were badly stung, and the greater part of the procession immediately dispersed and ran off for shelter. The services were cut short and the mourners retreated hastily.

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$5 BUYS Men's stylish and serviceable medium weight U. Cassimere Suits, in neat checks and broken plaids; were sold in June and July at $8 and $9.

$6 BUYS Men's very nobby and durable Cassimere Suits, all sizes; were sold in June and July at $10 and $11.

$8 BUYS Men's right handsome and stylish Cassimere and Cheviot Suits, in different popular patterns; were sold in June and July at $12 and $13.

$10 BUYS choice from 27 different and distinct lines of Men's fine Sack and Frock Suits; were sold in June and July at $15, $16 and $17.

$12 BUYS as fine and stylish a Suit as most any man will take pride in wearing—Cassimeres, Worsteds, Cheviots, etc.; were $19, $20, $21 and $22 in June.

A CUT IN BOYS' CLOTHING.

$3.50 BUYS Boys' elegantly embroidered or braided Jersey Suits, ages 4 to 10; sold during June and July at $4, $4 50 and $5.

$3.50 BUYS Boys' fine Short-Pant Dress Suits, made of strictly all-wool materials and gotten up in nobby styles; sizes 4 to 14; June and July prices were $5, $6 and $7.

$3.65 BUYS Children's lovely and exquisite Kilt Suits, in original designs and colorings, all different styles; were sold at $5, $6 and $7 during May and June.

75c BUYS choice of a beautiful line of one piece Wash Kilt Suits, in neat, pleasant patterns; original prices were $1 25, $1 50, $1 75 and $2.

39c BUYS Boys' good and substantial Knee Pants, sizes 14 to 19, in neat patterns, well made; reduced from 60c.

44c BUYS Boys' fancy pleated front and back Flannel Waists; reduced from 75c.

22c BUYS Boys' Domet Flannel Waists; good, serviceable, cool; reduced from 39c.

65c BUYS Boys' Madras Cloth Waists and Blouses, very stylish and comfortable; reduced from $1.

98c BUYS Boys' handsomely embroidered Little Lord Fauntleroy Waists, worth $1 35.

$4.50 BUYS Boys' nobby and substantial (long-pant) Suits, sizes 12 to 19; in stylish light and dark materials; June and July prices were $7 and $9.

$5.75 BUYS Boys' first-class Cassimere and Worsted (long-pant) Suits, sizes 12 to 19; June and July prices were $7 50 and $10.

SHOES REDUCED, TOO.

$4.98 BUYS MEN'S Best Grade Kangaroo Hand-sewed Shoes, in Lace and Congress; all styles of toes, both plain and tipped; all widths from B to E; our regular $6 Shoe.

$3.50 BUYS our best quality Men's Genuine Kangaroo Low-cut Shoes in Lace Oxfords and Southern Ties; all styles of toes, plain and tipped; reduced from $5.

$1.98 BUYS a solid, well-made Calfskin Shoe for Men, in Lace and Congress, plain and tipped toes; sizes 6 to 10; a shoe we never have sold less than $2 50.

$1.50 BUYS MEN'S Lace and Congress Shoes, plain and tipped; sizes 6 to 10; reduced from $1 75.

$1.25 BUYS LADIES' Hand-sewed, Turn-sole, Lace Oxfords, in common-sense, plain toes and opera toes, either tipped or plain, sizes 2½ to 7; all widths; former price $1 50.

$1.23 BUYS LADIES' Patent Leather Vamp, Hand-turned Oxfords, opera toes, with medium heels; C, D and E widths; sizes 2½ to 6; regular price $1 75.

75c BUYS LADIES' Dongola Kid Oxfords, Hand-sewed, Turn-soles, in opera and common-sense, plain toes and opera toe, with patent leather tips; all sizes; reduced from $1 25.

$1.25 BUYS LADIES' Fine Street Button Shoes, with glazed dongola vamps, cloth tops and patent leather tips, solid leather and well made in every particular; sizes 2½ to 7; reduced from $2 50.

$1.35 BUYS BOYS' Neat Shape, Solid Wearing Button and Lace Shoes; London toe tipped; sizes 3 to 5½; regular price $1 75.

$1.25 BUYS YOUTHS' London Tipped Button Shoes; neat shape and solid leather; sizes 11 to 2; marked down from $1 50.

$1.18 BUYS MISSES' Dongola Kid Button Shoes; worked button holes, spring heels; sizes 11 to 2; reduced from $1 50.

$1.30 BUYS MISSES' Tan Goat Button Shoes; spring heels; sizes 11 to 2; somewhat broken; regular price $1 50. Children's sizes in same, only 98c; reduced from $1 25.

RUBBER GARMENTS GET A RUB.

500 MEN'S Celebrated Goodyear make Rubber Coats, warranted waterproof, reduced from $3 to $2.

175 MEN'S Celebrated Mackintosh Coats, full length, handsome patterns, reduced from $15 to $7.

260 BOYS' first-class Rubber Coats reduced from $2 to $1 25.

A WHACK AT PANTS.

50c BUYS Men's Fancy Striped U. Worsted Pants; were sold in June and July at $1.

55c BUYS Men's Good Quality, Well-made Jeans Pants; were sold heretofore at 98c.

$1.75 BUYS Men's Fine Cassimere and Worsted Pants—all wool; were sold heretofore at $3.

$2.50 BUYS Men's Extra Quality, Tailor-made Dress Pants; were sold in June and July at $4.

$3 BUYS Choice From Ten Different Lines of Men's Fine Dress Pants; worth $4 50, $5 and $5 25.

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2,500 PAIRS Celebrated Guyot Suspenders, cool and comfortable, at 23c; were sold at 35c.

650 MEN'S Handsomely embroidered night shirts, cut full length and made of good muslin; were sold at 65c; now.....39c.

1,200 MEN'S Extra Quality muslin and fine linen bosom unlaundried white Dress Shirts, with patent inserted sleeves, regular price 75c; now.....45c.

950 MEN'S Celebrated Manhattan Dress Shirts—open front and back—extra quality muslin and finest linen, at only 98c; reduced from $1 50.

220 DOZEN Men's Fancy Border, Fast-color, Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—fine silk—at 39c each, or 3 for $1; worth 65c each.

175 DOZEN Men's Extra Large Size Hemstitched, All-White Silk Handkerchiefs at 22c; worth 60c.

300 DOZEN Men's Fast Color Fancy Border Linen Handkerchiefs at 10c, or 3 for 25c; worth 15c each.

125 DOZEN Men's Celebrated Eagle Brand Madras Cloth and Cheviot Outing or Negligee shirts at 85c; usually sold at $1 25.

500 LADIES' and Gentlemen's Laventine Silk Umbrellas, 26-inch size, with French horn handles, uniquely carved in eagle heads, at $2 50; worth $4.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAK AND SUIT PARLORS.

HERE, where hundreds upon hundreds of garments, instead of gracing the forms of the fair sex, are still left on our counters, our reductions are unusually severe. To make choosing easy we have arranged special racks (for Dresses) and counters (for Jackets) on which the garments are displayed in such a manner that you can see them all at a glance.

RACK No. 1:

500 LADIES' Fine Gingham Suits, in nearly 60 different styles, ranging in sizes from 32 to 42. The regular June and July prices of these goods were $5, $6 and $8. Now, however, $3 50 will buy your choice.

RACK No. 2:

LADIES' EXTRA Fine French Gingham and Challie Suits, in light and dark patterns, and made according to the very latest dictates of fashion—many being elaborately and tastefully trimmed with fine embroidery, ribbon and French plique. The regular June and July prices of these goods were $9, $10, $11 and $12. Now, however, $5 will buy your choice.

RACK No. 3:

35 (That's all.) LADIES' Fine India Silk Suits, in dark ground and light figures, sizes from 34 to 40 only. June and July prices were $18, $20 and $22. Now, however, $12 will buy your choice.

RACK No. 4:

325 Of the Favorite and Popular 2-Piece CHILDREN'S DRESSES, known as the "Binghampton," guaranteed strictly all-wool and to have been shrunken before made up. Colors warranted fast dye. These dresses are not only very nobby and stylish, but durable as well—the principal designs being the "Blouse," the "Sailor Collar" and the "Negligee." Sizes from 4 to 12 years. June and July prices were $4 50, $6 and $7 50. Now, however, $3 will buy your choice.

RACK No. 5:

300 CHILDREN'S Very Stylish Dresses, sizes 4 to 12, in all-wool materials, such as Scotch Plaids, Cashmeres, Tricots, Fine Flannels, English Reps and combination colorings, cut in one and two-piece styles. June and July prices of these garments were $4, $5 and $6. Now, however, $2 25 will buy your choice.

RACK No. 6:

THE BEST and Finest—they have not been exempt from this slashing slaughter of values. This proves it: 275 Children's highly fine and fashionable Dresses, 4 to 14 years, made of extra quality Cashmeres, Lamb's Wool, English Serges, French Challies and Fancy Plaids, and trimmed in a most artistic and elaborate manner. June and July prices of these lovely Dresses were $7, $8, $9 and $10. Now, however, $4 will take your choice.

OUR JACKET COUNTERS.

COUNTER No. 1:

400 LADIES' fine Jackets, vest front, reefer, blazer and tight-fitting styles, composed entirely of Odds and Ends, but in the main, including all sizes, from 32 to 42; colors are tan, blue, black, white and fancy stripes, also a few exquisite imported delicate shades which are slightly soiled. Regular June and July prices of these Jackets were $5, $6, $7, $8, $9 and $10. Now, however, $4 will buy your choice.

COUNTER No. 2:

650 LADIES' fine Jerseys, in black and all different colors, made plain or trimmed and braided in a fancy manner; guaranteed all wool; very convenient for both house and street wear. June and July figures were $2, $3, $4 and $5. Now, however, $1 will buy your choice.

COUNTER No. 3:

150 LADIES' beautifully Beaded Wraps, excellent styles; best quality cut beads; regularly woven and braided in the cloth; all black; high shoulders. June and July prices of goods ranged from $5 to $20. Present prices from $1 to $3.

COUNTER No. 4:

ABOUT 100 different styles and makes of Odds and Ends of Standard CORSETS, in all sizes and colors, including ecru, white, drab and black. June and July prices were 75c, $1 and $1 50. Now, however, 50c will buy your choice.

COUNTER No. 5:

LAST AND LEAST in size, but by no means least in importance, comes the Infants' Wear: 300 Infants' French Caps and Bonnets, in fine Lawn and Linen De Inde, cording or insertion, made in round backs and 3-piece Caps. June and July prices were 50c, 25c and 20c. Now, however, 10c will buy your choice.

On the same counter we display a lot of Infants' French Mull Caps, fine quality; were 75c, $1, $2 and up to $4, and go now at 50c for choice.

SPECIALTIES IN MILLINERY.

FLOWERS: A lot of Fancy Sprays and Bunches, all colors; were 25c, 50c, 75c and $1 25; NOW ONLY 10c.

Odds and Ends of Ladies' Untrimmed Hats, fine goods and desirable shapes; were sold from 50c to $3; NOW 10c; BUYS CHOICE.

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