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Opposite Courthouse

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REAL SHOE MAKERS  
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## Grand Clearance of 2,750 Pairs of Ladies' and Men's Low Shoes

Women's  
\$2.50 to \$4.00

Colonials,  
Oxfords,  
Pumps,  
Strap Sandals,

**\$1.95**

Gray, White,  
Bronze,  
Champagne,  
Patent,  
Dull Kid.  
All sizes.



For Friday and Saturday.  
Open Friday Evening 'til 10.  
Men's  
\$2.50 to \$4.00  
Oxfords,  
**\$1.95**  
PAIR  
Tan Calf,  
Patent Colt,  
Dull Kid,  
English and  
Button.  
Leather or  
Rubber Soles.  
All sizes.

Men's  
\$2.50 to \$4.00  
Oxfords,  
**\$1.95**

Tan Calf,  
Patent Colt,  
Dull Kid,  
English and  
Button.  
Leather or  
Rubber Soles.  
All sizes.

Women's Low Shoes—  
short lots of former \$2 to  
\$4 values. Clean - Up  
Price, per  
pair ..... **\$1.00**

Men's heavy tan and  
black grain work shoes.  
Double full soles. \$2.50  
values  
at ..... **\$1.95**

Girls' White  
Shoes and Pumps .. **98c**  
Clean-up of all former \$1.50 and \$1.75  
grades. Good styles. All sizes to 2.

Child's Bare-  
Foot Sandals ..... **49c**  
Former 69c and 79c values. Good, strong  
tan leather. Solid soles. Sizes to 2.

Boys' \$2.00  
Dress Shoes ... **\$1.50**  
Patent and dull leather; button or lace mod-  
els. Sizes to 5 1/2. Good values.

Girls' Shoes  
and Pumps ..... **\$1.00**  
500 pairs of Shoes and Mary Jane Pumps.  
\$1.50 and \$2.00 values. Sizes to 2.

75c Tennis  
Oxfords at ..... **49c**  
For men, women, boys and girls. Good rub-  
ber soles. All sizes. Former 75c values.

Boys' Sturdy  
Calf Shoes ..... **98c**  
Sizes to 13 1/4. Stout soles and uppers.  
Blucher. Actual \$1.50 values.

Girls' White  
Canvas Oxfords .... **69c**  
Palm Beach and white canvas. Rubber  
soles. All sizes. Former \$1.25 values.

Tan Scuffer  
Oxfords Now ..... **98c**  
For boys and girls. Strong rawhide soles.  
Sizes to 2. Actual \$1.50 values.

Boys' Black  
Scouting Shoes ..... **98c**  
Special for Friday and Saturday. All sizes.  
Former \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2 values.

## August Furniture Sale

This is just one of the many real big money-saving values to be seen on our floors this month.



**August Price, \$40.00**

A Regular \$50.00 value, for \$40.00

This buffet is full quartered oak, polished, 54 inches long, 24 inches in depth, base has plank top, very massive and of Colonial design. A real money-saver.

A visit to our store this month will convince you of the superior advantages enjoyed by those who make it a rule to shop uptown. This store will observe the regular Friday half holiday this month. Store will be open all day and evening Saturdays.

## BROWN & CO.

1217 and 1219 North Third Street

The Big Uptown Home Furnishers

### HUGHES ENTERS NORTH DAKOTA

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the other this evening at Fargo where the Hughes party will spend the night.

Charles E. Hughes, replying to Secretary Redfield's telegram denying that E. Dana Durand was forced out of office as director of the census, yesterday read to a large audience at Minneapolis a letter from Mr. Durand in which the former director said that he had told Secretary Redfield he would resign but wanted to remain and that Redfield replied that the administration had decided on a change.

Mr. Hughes went into detail as to the charge he made in Detroit that the administration had made a "raid upon the Civil Service of the United States," and concluded as follows: "We must have higher standards than those of this administration. This administration, with loud professions of devotion to Civil Service reform has not been true to the standards of the administration which I believe the American people desire to see enforced."

In his Minneapolis speech Mr. Hughes said, in part: "In my speech in Detroit I took occasion to refer to the fact that in a very important bureau, the Bureau of Census, an eminent statistician, a man of conspicuous expertness and fitness for the place, had been retired and a man had been appointed in his place without qualifications for that important technical work. You must know how important that Census Bureau is. In the proper collation of those statistics is furnished the opportunity for many investigators to detect important tendencies in our life. It is work that must be done expertly."

"Now, my statement that E. Dana Durand was retired, as I said, in effect, and his place given to a politician, has been challenged by Secretary Redfield. Secretary Redfield telegraphs me that I was greatly misinformed. He says: 'Durand was not removed or retired, but resigned voluntarily unasked. I was glad to endorse him for his present employment.'"

Create a Vacancy  
"E. Dana Durand happens to be a professor in the University of Minnesota, and I am going to read the letter which he has written me in respect to this matter. He says:

"Inasmuch as the truth of your statement with regard to change in the directorship of the census has been challenged, I think it is only fair to you that I should make this statement: My resignation as director was distinctly a forced resignation."  
"At the first conversation I had with Secretary Redfield on the subject, I told him that I would of course resign whenever he desired, but that I hoped I might be permitted to remain as I was much interested in the work and considered myself reasonably qualified, especially by reason of the experience already gained in the position. He at once told me that the administration had decided that it wanted to make a change—I believe 'to create a vacancy there' were the words used. The next I heard about the press that the name of my successor had been sent to the Senate. I thereupon wrote out my resignation. I prefer not to be quoted, but if you consider it necessary, you are at liberty to do so."  
"But I stand by the statement which I thought I made, which I now make, that there was in that year, ending about April, 1916, one hundred and four of these executive exemptions; that sixty-two of these were made against the advice of the Civil Service Commission, and twenty of them without requesting the judgment of the commission."

### Women to Plaster Nation With Million Hughes Signs

Washington, Aug. 10.—A million billboards calling upon voters to support Hughes, and that Wilson, will be the contribution of the Congressional Union for Women Suffrage to the campaign this year, according to an announcement made last night.

## NEWS OF STEELTON

### CRIME WAVE HITS BOROUGH; 1 SHOT

Fight Over Woman Sends Man to Hospital; Two Are Robbed

A series of three crimes in which valuables were taken or injury done to the person, and several minor infractions of the peace have kept the borough police on the jump for the last 36 hours.

The most serious case occurred this morning at 522 Iron alley, when in an alleged fight over a woman, Charles Brown, colored, aged 35 years, was shot in the chest near the heart and he is now said to be in a serious condition at the Harrisburg Hospital. Brown's assailant whose name he refuses to divulge, made his escape and to noon had not been captured.

A holdup in which the victim was knocked unconscious and relieved of \$36 was reported to the police last night. The victim was Ivan Kirin, residing at 160 Frederick street and his assailants are said to have been three colored men, who after securing the man's purse, made their escape.

Another robbery occurred on the same section of Frederick street yesterday when Woodson Rock, colored, while sleeping had a purse containing \$18 removed from an inside breast pocket. Late yesterday afternoon a colored man named Obercash, was arrested by Constable Gibb, charged with the theft.

George Shutter Hurt.—George Shutter was slightly injured yesterday when the team he was driving was struck by an automobile truck owned by Russ Brothers, ice cream manufacturers. The accident occurred on the road between the Elliott-Fisher Company plant and the borough. Joseph Brinton, who was also in the wagon, escaped injury.

Steel Production Lessens.—In spite of the hot weather during the month of July the production of steel at the local plant was about 10 per cent. less than that of June, an exceptionally heavy month.

Now On Border.—Kenneth Vanier, a former resident of Cottage Hill, employed by the Packard Motor Company, has been sent to Eagle Pass, Texas, where he will have charge of one of the trucks furnished by that company for the government.

### PRICES PREVENT BIG IRON SALES

Higher Quotations Affect Market; Heat Lessens Production; Foreign Buying

In its weekly review of the steel trades to-day the Iron Age says: Following the statement by the leading producer one week ago that it had raised the price of steel bars \$2 a ton, or to 2.60c., Pittsburgh, the same interest has announced similar advances in wire products and in contract plates and structural shapes.

In a slow market—from the domestic standpoint—these advances have given little stimulus to buying. Manufacturing consumers of steel are facing smaller demand for their products, in view of high prices. Implement makers count on a 25 per cent. falling off in their sales and possibly more. They contend that bars should be reduced rather than advanced.

It is understood that recent contracts for bars for Europe provide that the full tonnage must be taken out, if not in bars, then in plates, shapes or other products. A noncancellation proviso has also been inserted in certain contracts with buyers at home.

The greater part of the forgings and bars required for the large shell contracts recently placed with five important companies—amounting to nearly \$100,000,000—has been bought, but Europe is still asking for steel for this year's delivery, which few mills are able to take on. Two large Eastern interests are in the position of having to reserve capacity for Government orders of which there is no definite assurance as yet.

Mills in Pittsburgh, Chicago and intervening districts report maximum losses in output from the excessive heat of the past week. The falling off in production of one Chicago mill has been as high as 1000 tons a day. In spite of the curtailment of shipments on this account in July, a reduction in Steel Corporation orders in the month has been indicated.

Railroad buying has been in a rut for weeks and promised car inquiries are withheld. For the Havana Railway a 5000-ton rail order has been taken at Chicago and 10,000 tons more for Cuba is wanted. A consider-

### "Brownatone" Tints Your Hair In a Minute

Preferred to Slow Acting Dyes.



The straightest road and the shortest cut to the certainty of an attractive and beautiful appearance is the use of "Brownatone" Hair Stain. This preparation will instantly change gray, streaked or faded hair to rich golden brown, medium, dark brown or black—just as you wish. Just comb brush it, into your hair. Impossible of detection, will not rub or wash off, and needs retouching only as the hair grows out. "Brownatone" hair stain is far superior to "dyes," and is absolutely harmless in every way. Sold by druggists, in two sizes, 25c and \$1.00. If you are offered a substitute, save annoyance by refusing it and ordering "Brownatone" direct from the makers. Insist on "Brownatone" at your hair-dresser's. A trial bottle and interesting booklet will be mailed for 10 cents. Mention shade desired. Address The Kenton Pharmaceutical Co., 872 E. Pike St., Covington, Ky. Sold and guaranteed in Harrisburg by Clark's Medicine Stores, 300 Market St., 301 Broad St., and other leading dealers.

able British rail inquiry is also reported.

The structural outlook is not promising, and after six weeks of light business fabricating companies are reselling some of their steel. There are reports both of work going ahead because the realization of lower steel prices may be a good while delayed and of projects laid aside because the expected reductions have not come.

Miss Rahn Wins.—The popularity contest which has been running in the borough since July 17 to decide who is the most popular girl, ended yesterday. According to the official count made, Miss Evelyn Rahn won first prize of either a gold watch or a diamond ring. Miss Beatrice O'Donnell won second prize, a silk umbrella.

All Entries In.—All entries for the interplayground track and field meet to be held on the Cottage Hill athletic field to-morrow afternoon have been filed and all arrangements have been completed.

## \$12.50 BUY A WATCH ON THE Claster Save A Watch Plan \$12.50

Buying a watch on the Claster "Save a Watch Plan" makes it possible for every individual to own a high-grade, reliable watch. For the small sum of 25 cents you start making your weekly investments.

As a special inducement, we are offering the following watch on our "Easy" plan, for \$12.50:

20-Year Gold Filled Case, fitted with 11 jewel Illinois movement, cut expansion balance, breguet hairspring, micrometer regulator, exposed winding wheels. Cases are made by the Dueber Watch Case Co., makers of high grade, gold filled and solid gold cases, "The World's Best."

Every watch carefully tested and regulated in case. These watches are best suited to the needs of the young business man or woman. The best of service at a minimum of cost.

A small amount saved each week secures a beautiful diamond

### CLASTER'S SAVE A DIAMOND PLAN

Proved wonderfully successful last year and will be more popular than ever this year. A large number have already arranged to save for one of our diamonds—specially selected and priced very low for those who take advantage of our easy "Save a Diamond Plan." A number of those who saved a diamond last year have arranged to save another of double value by turning in those they have already saved at their full value and saving an equal amount this year. Bear in mind you can turn in the diamond you save on a larger one any time at the full price you pay for it.

**THE DIAMONDS WE OFFER**  
Are extraordinary values. We selected them especially for those who avail themselves of this opportunity.  
They Are Extra Large—Pure White  
Perfectly Cut and Very Brilliant.  
Call and see them and you will enroll at once.  
Note—This is not an "installment" proposition. You get same low price by this plan that you would get if you paid cash in a lump sum.  
Save a Little Every Week and Wear a Diamond

OUR EASY PLAN			
1st week 25c	2nd week 50c	3rd week 50c	4th week 75c
5th week 75c	6th week 75c	7th week \$1.00	8th week \$1.00
9th week \$1.00	10th week \$1.00	11th week \$1.25	12th week \$1.25
13th week \$1.25	14th week \$1.25	FINAL WEEK.	

## \$12.50 H. C. CLASTER \$12.50

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302 Market St. I N. Third St.

Store Open Friday Evenings—Closed Saturday  
Afternoon and Night

\$1.00 a pair. Open all day Friday Closing At 1:00 P. M. Saturday \$1.00 a pair.

## 20th Century Shoe Company

7 South Market Square

On Sale all day Friday and on Saturday, until 1.00 P. M. Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, worth \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 at \$1.00 per pair.

—all summer footwear reduced.

\$1.00 a pair. \$1.00 a pair.