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Oestreicher's.
51 Patton Avenue.

JACKETS.
We are displaying an exceptionally strong line of English-Kersey Jackets in Black, Tan, Blue, Brown and Cashmere. The best tailored goods to be found, they are worth \$14; our special price is only **\$10.00.**
We are showing Jackets from \$3 to \$28.

DRESS GOODS.
In Dress Goods we are showing the latest colorings and weaves. Our range of Broadcloths is from \$1.00 to \$3.50 the yard.
A full line Venetian Homespuns and Chevots.
SPECIAL LOT.
A special lot of 45-Inch Chevot in Royal Albert and Black, a regular 75c. article, for Monday and Tuesday, the yard at **50c.**

BLANKETS AND COMFORTABLES.
This weather makes one think of warm Bed Clothing. We are showing Blankets and Comforters in all grades and sizes from 50c. each up. The manufacturers of the best North Carolina made \$4.00, blankets shipped us by mistake 100 pairs instead of 50 pairs; this being more than we can store of one kind, and rather than pay return freight, the manufacturer made us an allowance. This enables us to offer the entire one hundred pairs for Monday and Tuesday at pair **\$3.25.**
None will be sold after Tuesday for this price.

Millinery Department.
Our Millinery Department offers all Pattern Hats at just half regular price. In this department we are showing fine lines of Bird's Wings, Feathers, Tips and ornaments at astonishingly low prices.

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The Genuine Columbus Buggy Company's Vehicles.....
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Treatment for: **NERVOUS, RHEUMATIC and OTHER DISEASES.**
Special:
THURE BRANDT MASSAGE FOR FEMALE DISEASES; ALSO FACE MASSAGE.
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BLINDNESS CURED
ON MONTFORD AVE
None are so blind as those who won't see. Every lady that saw my outfit of Perfection Cake Pans (bottom out), Meat and Fowl Roasters, Egg Poachers, Cake Spoons, Sifters, Chopping Knives, Pastry Boards, Combination Dippers and Egg Beaters on yesterday gave me an order for from four to six pieces. Remember I take orders for these goods at factory prices and deliver them to you without extra charge, just as I do Rascine Hoisery and Ruffled, Net and Lace Curtains. I will be pleased to call at your home at any time, show my samples and price the same. Respectfully,
E. L. BROWN.
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NO GAINS FOR GOEBEL
Majority for Taylor Probably Not Less Than Seven Thousand.
Blackburn Continues, However, to Make Claims.
Contest May Find Its Way Into Legislature.
Union of Forces to Keep Goebel from Sealing the State.
Nash's Plurality in Ohio is More Than Fifty Thousand.

THE FUSION MAJORITY IN NEBRASKA WILL EXCEED 17,000—
SHAW WON BY 60,000 IN IOWA—
WELLINGTON, WHO FOUGHT LOWNDES IN MARYLAND, JOYFUL OVER THE DEMOCRATIC VICTORY THERE.

Lexington, Nov. 8.—Both sides continue to claim the state tonight. The chairman of the republican state committee claims the state for Taylor by 8,000, while Chairman Blackburn, of the democratic committee, claims it for Goebel by 3,000 to 4,000. Last night his claim was 25,000. The republicans also claim a working majority in the next legislature on joint ballot, which means the repeal of the Goebel election law and the election of a republican senator. Bradley is the leading candidate for the latter place.
Governor Bradley and Senator Deboe have become friends, which means that the governor will make friends with Taylor, thus reuniting the republican party. Ex-confederates and the Brown democrats have sent a message to Bradley commending him on his stand against fraud. This greeting means that the ex-confederates and Brownites are ready to go any length to prevent Goebel from stealing the state. Should the Goebelites begin to throw out any republican districts every legal means will be invoked by the republicans to nullify their acts.
WHAT THE RETURNS SHOW.
Louisville, Nov. 8.—Although the polls closed thirty-six hours ago, the election is as much in doubt as ever. It will take an official count to decide who wins on the face of the returns, and then in all possibility the legislature will be called upon to render a final decision. There are still 300 precincts, or nearly one-sixth of the state, to hear from.
The official returns thus far show a plurality for Goebel of 3,887. The precincts unheard from include many in the eleventh district, which are heavily republican, and many scattered precincts in democratic counties. All reports received from the Eleventh district thus far show heavy republican gains. The district generally gives a republican majority of fourteen to sixteen thousand. The returns received from the district give Taylor a plurality of 11,148, so it will be seen that 5,000 more may be reasonably expected.
GOEBEL'S CLAIMS.
A telegram from Goebel to the Times this afternoon stated that he was surely elected by 7,000 and the democrats had a working majority in the legislature. If the election is thrown into the legislature it is by no means certain that Goebel will be declared elected, as a number of "holdover" democrats are opposed to Goebel.
DEBOE SAYS TAYLOR BY 15,000.
Both sides are busy preparing for the contest. Every violator of the election law will be vigorously prosecuted. Senator Deboe tonight said he estimated that Taylor was elected by 15,000, and emphatically declared that if the democrats attempted to count him out some of them would get shot and the election commissioners hanged.

NASH'S VICTORY IN OHIO.
LATEST RETURNS GIVE HIM 51,000 PLURALITY—LARGE STATE VOTE.
Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—The latest returns received by the republican state committee from eighty-eight counties, compiled by chairmen of county committees, show that Nash received aggregate pluralities in 57 counties of 65,608 and McLean aggregate pluralities in 31 counties of 33,949, leaving Nash a net plurality in the state of 51,659. The legislature is also republic-

can, the house standing 62 republicans, 44 democrats, with four districts in doubt. The senate stands 18 republicans, 11 democrats, with two districts in doubt.
The returns also indicate that the total vote of the state will be about \$25,000, the largest ever polled at a gubernatorial election, and the largest in the history of the state with the single exception of '96 Jones's vote which approximated 100,000. The democrats concede that the republicans have carried the state.

NEBRASKA'S FUSION MAJORITY.
WILL EXCEED 17,000—ATTRIBUTED TO BRYAN.
Omaha, Nov. 8.—The fusion majority will exceed seventeen thousand. This is certain, although less than half the complete county returns from the state are in eight. The total vote of the state will aggregate 211,000. This is a falling-off of seven thousand as compared with '96. A full report cannot be expected before tomorrow night. The chairman of the democratic committee, discussing the result, said it was clearly a popular movement in the interest of Bryan. Democrats all agree in declaring that the verdict is repudiation, so far as the state is concerned, of the expansion policy of McKinley.

LOWNDES' DEFEAT IN MARYLAND.
SMITH'S MAJORITY 12,000—WELLINGTON JOYFUL.
Baltimore, Nov. 8.—As the returns are coming in they show a steady increase in the majority of Smith, democrat, for governor. It is evident the republicans have carried only seven out of 23 counties and Smith's majority will reach 12,000. Lowndes' plurality in the state four years ago was 18,767. Compared with the congressional election last year the democratic plurality in Baltimore shows a gain of nearly 8,000 and the democratic gains in the counties seem to be at least 10,000. In Baltimore the democrats elected the entire city ticket, including two senators and eighteen members of the house of delegates. Judge Schmucker, republican, is elected to the court of appeals. He was opposed by Taylor, independent democrat. Schmucker received 48,997 votes against 25,000 for Taylor.

Much difficulty is being experienced in obtaining complete returns from the various counties, but the best information obtainable indicates that Smith has carried the state by at least 12,000 plurality. The senate will consist of 15 democrats and 11 republicans, and the house of 68 democrats and 21 republicans. The most satisfied man for the state is Senator Wellington, former political partner of Governor Lowndes.

SHAW'S BIG MAJORITY IN IOWA.
Des Moines, Nov. 8.—Nearly complete returns show that Shaw, republican, for governor, will have sixty thousand plurality over White, fusionist. The legislature will stand: Senate, republicans, 35; democrats 15; house of representatives, republicans, 83; democrats, 17. The general opinion is that Gear will be re-elected to the senate.

RESULT IN MASSACHUSETTS.
Boston, Nov. 8.—The latest revised election returns show a plurality for Crane, republican, of 65,062. His vote is 168,896. Paine, democrat, received 103,314. Paine's vote falls six thousand below the ante-election estimates. The senate will stand: Republicans, 16; democrats, 7; social democrats, 2; independents, 2. This is a net gain for the democrats of four. The socialist gain throughout the state was considerable. Boston went democratic by 6,246 plurality. A noteworthy fact was the running slightly of Bates, republican, for lieutenant governor. It is believed that the republican anti-imperialists voted for Paine, democrat, for governor, and voted the rest of the republican ticket straight.

NEW YORK'S RETURNS
New York, Nov. 8.—Revised returns from every county in New York state show that the next assembly will stand 93 republicans and 57 democrats, but there is likely to be one more assemblyman to be taken from the democratic column and added to the republican in the second district of Queens county, where it has been discovered that all the ballots of the republican candidate had not been credited to him.
DEWEY'S WEDDING DAY.
Washington, Nov. 8. Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen will be married at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. The ceremony will take place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Washington McLean. Archbishop Keane will perform the ceremony. After the wedding breakfast the couple will leave on a wedding tour.
VANDERBILT WILL PROBATE.
New York, Nov. 8.—The will and codicils of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt was admitted to probate today. No objection was made. There is no statement in the papers touching the value of the estate.
To cure Depression of Spirits, Falling of the Womb and Weakness of Back, usual to change of Life, take Simmons Squaw Vine Wine or Tablets.

STILL NO NEWS FROM GEN. WHITE

Buller's Despatch of Tuesday Was Only a Press Telegram and Not Official.
London, Nov. 8.—There is still no direct news from Gen. White in reference to the fighting at Lady Smith on November 2 and 3, or as to subsequent events. The war office explains that Buller's despatch of Tuesday was a press telegram from Lady Smith, which was mistakenly regarded as official. It is announced that Gen. White had sent a despatch at the same time but that the pigeon or runner carrying it had come to grief. It is noteworthy that none of the reiterated reports of slaughter and capture emanated from Lady Smith.
London, Nov. 8.—The pause in the Boer attack on Lady Smith probably is due to the fact that more heavy guns are on the way from Johannesburg. General Joubert has a clear fortnight before he need fear an invasion. He may possibly develop an unexpected strength of artillery, but, as Sir Edward Grey said in his Saturday speech, which was favorably received by both political parties, the Boers are putting forth their full might under the most favorable conditions, whereas the strength the British can put forward is not yet brought into the field.
If they fail to crush General White, what chance have they of crushing General Buller? Even their heavy guns, in which they placed their confidence, as yet have failed to effect their original purpose of enabling them to sweep through Natal to Durban, annihilating the British troops on the way.

PRINCETON TIGERS DEFEAT NORTH CAROLINA
A Very One-Sided Game of Football—Chapel Hill Team Was Crippled.
Princeton, Nov. 8.—The Tigers disposed of the North Carolina university eleven easily this afternoon by the impressive score of 30 to 0. Captain Ward sent in his best for the first half, but the sturdy Tigers took only 15 minutes to roll up 18 points with their smashing mass plays and during the rest of the game substitutes were given a chance.
The visitors' line was every bit as heavy as Princeton's. Several times Princeton was forced to surrender the ball on downs, twice on the visitors' three yard line. But a try at either end, with well formed interference, seldom failed to net the required distance, and the Tiger's offensive play was replete with end rushes.
On aggressive work the southerners were noticeably weak and were never within striking distance of Princeton's goal. The Tigers in the second half put in a practically new team, composed of substitutes, but the second raters managed to completely outplay the tired southerners.
The defeat of the North Carolina team is due to a great extent, no doubt, to the absence of three of her best men from the game. The captain has been expelled from the university and two other mainstays of the team are injured, one of them quite seriously.

BOERS WILL ACCEPT DEFEAT.
In an interesting letter in the Telegraph Bennett Burleigh gives an account of some of his experiences in Pretoria and elsewhere before the opening of the war. He investigated the charges of the Boers' cruelty to refugees, and asserts that they can be proved to the hilt.
The most interesting point, however, is his assertion that the Boers will quietly and decently accept the arbitration of battle, and that when the war goes against them they will settle down to their ordinary life. Mr. Burleigh thus contradicts Attorney General Smuts' declaration that Ireland would be a peaceful country compared to what the Transvaal would be under English rule; that it would be a hell on earth; that shooting affrays and general unrest would be constant, and that only the biggest armies could maintain it as an English dependency.

KAISER AS PEACEMAKER IN TRANSVAAL TROUBLE


Report That He Will Act—To Insist on French Right's in China.
Paris, Nov. 8.—It is believed in political circles that today's interview between the kaiser and the czar at Potsdam may lead to friendly intervention of the powers in the Transvaal, with the kaiser acting as peace-maker on the occasion of his approaching visit to England.
The general opinion here is that England's hand can be seen in France's difficulties in China. The report is confirmed that Russian warships have been ordered to join the French eastern squadron for the purpose of compelling a recognition of French rights in China.

GOVERNOR NUNEZ ARRIVES AT HAVANA

The Cuban Paper is Pessimistic About Freedom.
Havana, Nov. 8.—General Nunze, appointed civil governor of Havana to succeed Rivera, removed, arrived today from the United States and had an interview with Governor General Brooke. Brooke subsequently stated that Nunze had said that he accepted the office because he thought it was the duty of all good Cubans to help the United States carry out its mission. The Nuevopais today points out that the treaty of Paris makes no mention of the independence of Cuba and declares this omission is positive proof that the freedom of Cuba is not intended.

THE UNITED STATES AND THE PARTITION OF CHINA

No "Secret Treaty" Possible—Our Rights to be Protected.
Washington, Nov. 8.—The government authorities are growing impatient at the persistence of the reports circulated concerning its attitude on the question of the partition of China. It is emphatically denied by Hay that a secret treaty between England, the United States and China has been arranged to preserve the integrity of China and maintain the "open door." Secretary Hay declared that under the constitution a secret treaty with foreign powers is impossible. To be binding, the senate must ratify all treaties. In official circles it is learned that the only interest the United States can have in the partition of China is the preservation of American trade rights. Assurances that a virtually amount to pledges have been secured from Germany, France and Russia that whatever the results of the desires of those countries in China the rights of the United States will not be interfered with.


TONGS? OR GLASSES?
Rufus Choate, the greatest lawyer orator, having arrived at old-sighted age, like many others, did not wish to use glasses. A certain judge, before whom appeared quite often, observing how Mr. Choate held his MSS. at arm's length and then read with difficulty, said: "Mr. Choate, I would advise you to get one or two things, either a pair of tongs, or a pair of glasses." Which will YOU have? Examination Free.
BAKER & CO.
Scientific Refracting Opticians,
45 PATTON AVENUE.

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Troops Sent in the Rear of His Position to Prevent His Escape.
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MAGNETIC HEALING.

The Vito Magnetic Sanitarium company opened on the 7th inst. Free treatment for the next five days according to the Weltner non-medical science. Consultation free. Office, room 5, 41 South Main street, Asheville, N. C. Prof. R. P. Hall, healer in chief.

THE YELLOW FEVER.

Key West, Nov. 8.—One new case of yellow fever was reported today; no deaths. Miami reports eight new cases; no deaths.
J. F. Hayes & Co. have moved their stock of general merchandise from 42 North Main to 27 North Main, where they are prepared to welcome old and new customers with a materially increased line of dress goods and shoes.
For indigestion, Grant's Digestive Cordial.

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