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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1911.

SENSATION AT INVESTIGATION

WITNESS AT LORIMER INQUIRY TESTIFIES WHITE'S CONFESSION WAS BLACK-MAIL PLOT.

\$150,000 WAS ASKED

President of Illinois Federation of Labor Named As One of Conspirators.
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STRANGE SPIRIT OVER AUDIENCE

STILLNESS BECOMES MARVED IN MOMENT OF DECISION AT REVIVAL MEETING.

THE UNPARDONABLE SINS

Stirring Sermon Meets With Response and Many Are Converted.
A deathlike stillness prevailed at the Han revival last night. Those who have heard talk of a deep conviction of sin, saw for themselves a most remarkable illustration of the prevailing power of God over a large audience of people. Differing in this respect from any previous night, the audience did not need to be divided before the power of God fell, as has been true up to date.

McNAMARAS WILL KEEP SILENT

DECLARE THEY WILL REFUSE TO GIVE FEDERAL GRAND JURY INFORMATION CONCERNING CONSPIRACY.

ORDEAL STARTS TODAY

Attorneys for McNamaras Advise them to Use Their Own Judgment Concerning Disclosures.
Los Angeles, Dec. 7.—John J. McNamara told his jailor today that under no circumstances would he give the federal grand jury information about the alleged dynamiting conspiracy. It is understood that James B. will also refuse such information.

WHO GETS THE DIFFERENCE?

CONSUMER PAYS DOLLAR FOR FOOD; THE FARMER GETS FIFTY CENTS.

SEC. WILSON IS STUMPED

His Report, However, Explains Some of the Results of Agricultural Department's Work.
Washington, Dec. 6.—"The consumer pays a dollar for food; the farmer gets less than fifty cents of it. Who gets the rest?"
That is a question which Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture harked today in his annual report. The Secretary does not attempt to answer it. He does explain in some detail the results of an investigation into the effect of cold storage on the wholesomeness and cost of food. His investigation leads him to recommend publicity for the amount of food in cold storage, just as the Department now gives publicity to the condition of crops from month to month.

DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS

The jury in the Mapes case returned a verdict this afternoon awarding the plaintiff \$575 damages from the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad.

The case of A. E. Maves et al vs. the Fort Worth and Denver Railway Company, a suit for damages, in which the plaintiff claim by reason of defendant building a house within forty feet of plaintiffs dwelling house, they are damaged in the sum of \$5,000, continued over from yesterday, is on trial today.

The regular jury summoned for this week, except those engaged in the case of E. A. Maves vs. the Fort Worth and Denver Railway Company, has been discharged.

The case of G. T. Boyd et al vs. Dr. J. F. Reed et al, a suit for damages, is set for Monday, December 11th.

On account of the district court being in session, Judge Felner continued his juvenile cases until Saturday morning.

Two drunks plead guilty in the justice court this morning.

A NEW CURE FOR THE LIQUOR HABIT

Special to The Times.
San Antonio, Dec. 7.—Dr. J. W. Kennedy, a practitioner of San Antonio, is using his knowledge of surgery to effect reformations. Some time ago he began operating to cure the liquor habit, making an incision just above the naval and rearranging some of the internal organs to permit freer passage of food through the stomach and prevent inflammation of the organs. Within the last year he has performed more than fifty of these operations, practically all of them on confirmed drunkards and in nearly every case the patient not only has survived the operation but has been cured of his taste for strong drink.

OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK MARKET

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 7.—Cattle receipts today were 800 head. The market was strong. Prime steers brought \$5.45. Calves were strong and tops brought \$6.50.

AWAIT REPORT OF THE TARIFF BOARD

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—The House Ways and Means committee has indefinitely postponed action on the Payne tariff bill for the report of the permanent tariff board.

MURDER MYSTERY AT HOUSTON

Houston, Dec. 7.—The tangled affair of the fatal shooting of Mrs. C. K. Smith at her home on Harrisburg road last Saturday night continues. C. K. Smith, her husband, is in jail, suffering from pistol wounds, and charged with the killing, while Lloyd Whitman, aged nineteen, is at the home of his brother-in-law, recovering from wounds received at the same time. Smith accuses Whitman with the killing while the latter alleges Smith killed his wife and wounded him. Smith's small daughter alleges Whitman was the first to fire. Smith is a well known contractor, and Whitman is well connected.

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NEW PASTOR OF 1ST M. E. CHURCH

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Houston, Texas, Dec. 7.—E. J. Hodge, while cutting onions with a butcher knife last night, slipped and fell, the knife penetrating his body and almost instantly killed him.

VETERAN CONTRACTOR DIED LAST NIGHT

T. J. Boyd, a contractor and builder died at his home in this city, 1415 11th street last night at 12 o'clock, aged about 60 years.

BELIEVE WOMAN WAS MURDERED

By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 7.—Coroners held this morning that Mrs. Maud Tatum was killed by a blow and choking in a room over a saloon here Monday night. Sam Lucas, a bartender, is charged with the killing. The woman leaves three children in Dallas.

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WITNERS MAKES STATEMENT

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The Thursday Sewing Club met this afternoon with Mrs. MacDowell at her new home in Floral Heights.

The Unity Club will meet with Mrs. J. A. Kemp, 1100 Indiana avenue at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon instead of Friday on account of the meeting.

Miss Lena Gardner was hostess to the What Next Club at her home on Tenth street Tuesday afternoon when every member now at home was in attendance. This club has a novel and pleasing custom of writing letters at its regular sessions to its members and other girl friends who are attending college or are out of the city; All the absent members were remembered at the session last Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Gates charmingly entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home, 1006 Broad street Tuesday afternoon. The color scheme was pink and white and these colors were carried out in the refreshments as well as the decorations. The prize a handsome embroidered towel went to Mrs. Little. The club meets next with Mrs. Wade Hampton in the Jollie Apartments. The following were present Tuesday: Mesdames Marchman, Shepherd, Little, May, Wood, Jones, Hampton, Scruggs, Duke, Coats, Sherman Myles, Mrs. H. G. Smith, Inge, Smith Sherrod, Craven, McGregor, Fontaine, Blair and Miss Dent.

The double wedding of Miss Frances Lyssaght and Mr. Will Francis and Miss Margaret Lyssaght and Mr. Montagu Staniforth Jr. of Wichita Falls took place Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the Broadway Baptist church. Rev. J. R. Jester, pastor of the church, performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Francis have gone for their bridal trip to Colorado, Utah and California, and upon their return will make their home in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Staniforth will spend their honeymoon in New Orleans, later sailing to Cuba. They will be located in Wichita Falls. —Fort Worth Record.

Human Hearts.

"Human Hearts" will be the attraction at the Wichita Theatre, Saturday night.

The story of "Human Hearts" is one of love, pathos, and devotion, skillfully intermingled and yet serious and sublime as the theme may be, the play contains many laughable scenes and situations controlled by the quaint characters of Tom Mason the tramp, and Moose, the faithful old negro, who bring out a smile or a good hearty laugh just at the right time when some pathetic scene or line of the play is about to bring out handkerchiefs from many in the audience and the childish logic of little Grace Logan brings a tear one moment, and a smile the next. It is such a play as "Human Hearts" that are the most successful and seemingly will live forever. A complete production is carried for the piece, the scenery being handsome and striking in appearance making a befitting frame for the author's story. It is promised that the production will be first class in every respect. Its simple story, with its fine character contrasts, have made it a play replete with those elements, which establish popular success, leaving a most pleasing impression at its conclusion. It is plays of this kind that best please the general public and that is why "Human Hearts" has always been such a great success and will always be in popular demand.

"Rip Van Winkle."

Once upon a time—and all the things really worth hearing about happened once upon a time—the village of Falling Water reared its red shingled roofs upon a slope of the Catskill Mountains. That was in the long gone days when the Dutch patrons held title to the shores of the lordly Hudson, and now you would seek in vain for a single brief or tile of the village of Falling Water. The same mighty despot, Time, who crumbled the palaces of Tyre and Babylon to dust, swept away the cottages of the peaceful burghers and gave back the site of their homes to the vines and wild flowers. Of the dwellers in Falling Water the name of but one has come down to us—Rip Van Winkle. It was not because of his talents that oblivion spared him. A simple-hearted, good-natured idler, he was the life of the village. The children loved him, and when tired of romping with them, he found less innocent but equally devoted companions in the top room of the inn. He was fond of his glass and was Rip; and in time that fondness cost him everything but the love of his daughter, Meemie, and the friendship of her sweetheart, young Hendrick Vedder. His wife, Gretchen—but had you known his wife, Gretchen you might have understood why Rip spent his days loafing at the inn, playing with the children or wandering through the pathless mountains. Meemie with his flintlock on his

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shoulder and his dog, Schneider at his heels.

All day the smoke from a hundred chimneys drifted above the roofs of Falling Water and all day the clatter of Gretchen Van Winkle's scolding rose higher than the smoke. She was a sorry scold, this Gretchen. Whenever Rip came home under the benign influence of Holland Schanpps or English ale, and these occasions were frequent, a lecture from Gretchen inevitably sobered him and induced him to swear off. Nobody ever swore off with more facility than Rip. To renounce liquor forever was a regular part of his daily routine—almost as regular as his weakness in daily taking too much of it. So things were not well with the Van Winkle household and Rip at last found himself completely in the power of Hendrick Von Beekman, the village money lender. One stormy night Rip returned from the inn after a particularly jolly drinking bout with his cronies, and though the thunder was booming across the Catskill, Gretchen's remarks to her erring husband could be distinctly heard by the neighbors despite the turmoil of the elements. Again Rip swore off, and again, with the aid of a friendly bottle concealed in his wallet he broke his oft repeated pledge. Gretchen, in the storm of rage that rivaled the fury of the storm that side, threw open the cottage door and ordered Rip out of it, never to return. With a farewell kiss to Meemie he went. Again with his gun and faithful dog he entered the mountain forest and sought a bed beneath the ancient pines, whose sheltering boughs had been his only shelter from the skies on many another night.

Up the lower slopes went Rip, climbing the moss-grown rocks and fording the howling torrents until he reached the highest levels where no foot but his own had ever been. Yet he was not alone in the night. A little grey figure garbed in the quaint dress of an earlier century tolled upward after him. Upon its shoulder it bore a cask bound with strangely graven hoops and silently it followed the rain-drenched and repentant Rip until Rip turned and saw it. Ever ready to aid a being in distress Rip shouldered the strange creature's burden and volunteered to carry it to its destination. Higher they went until they stood upon the highest peak of the Catskills and there Rip came upon a company of unearthly men, dressed like his mysterious guide, and like him, strangely silent. Although Rip did not suspect it, these men were not of this world. They were the shades of Hendrick Hudson and his crew and he had intruded upon a ghostly revel. Undaunted by their awesome exterior Rip accepted a draught from the cask that he had borne up the mountain, and as he drained the last drop of the enchanted liquor the spectral crew faded from his vision and a dreamless slumber stole upon him. For twenty years Rip slept. A new King came to the throne of England and a new nation sprang to life while the years sped unheeded above the sleeper's head. In the village of Falling Water they numbered Rip among the dead and Gretchen and Meemie mourned him.

One bright spring day Rip Van Winkle opened his eyes again, and when he saw his wrinkled hands and the rusty gun beside him he could not understand. His strange friends had overcome him with strong liquor, and stolen his flint lock, and dressed him in rags—it was a fine joke, but what would Gretchen say to it. The hills were the same, but as he limped down them Rip noted that the village had strangely grown over night and when he came to the gate he noted a dog nor a child knew him. Surprised he looked surprised, until he met

Gretchen again and found her a gray-haired woman who was now the wife of Hendrick Von Beekman. The twenty years had been only a night for Rip but during them his old friends had died, all who knew him had forgotten him, his daughter Meemie had grown to womanhood and plighted her truth with Hendrick Vedder, and Rip's home had tumbled to a heap of ruins. A white-haired and bewildered outcast, they were about to drive him from the village, when Gretchen without recognizing him offered him the shelter of her new home. And there Rip's troubles ended. His daughter Meemie identified him as her father and Hendrick returned from sea in time to prevent Hendrick from robbing Rip of his only remaining property. So the curtains fell on Rip with his wife and child beside him as he gives his old, familiar toast, "Here's your good health and your family's—may they all live long and prosper!" Advance seats will be on sale at O. F. Marchman's Drug Store.

KINGHT TEMPLARS GIVE BANQUET

One of the most pleasant and sociable affairs to take place in this city for some time was the banquet given last night by the Knight Templars, honoring visiting Sir Knights. The banquet was served in the basement of the Kemp and Kell building by the ladies of the Civic League and covers were laid for sixty guests. Neatly printed menu cards were placed at each place with red and white carnations pinned to them. During the serving of the elegant four-course luncheon music was furnished by a string band.

At the conclusion of the banquet toasts were called for and a number responded among them being Sir Knights Hawkins, Shivers, Wist, Parker, Youngblood and McCulloch of Vernon, and Carrigan, Richolt and Thatcher of this city, all of whom were unstinted of their praise of the ladies composing the Civic League, who had made the banquet such an exceptionally pleasant affair for all. For the Civic League, its president, made a most fitting and beautiful response, concluding her remarks with a poem which came to her as an inspiration of the evening.

Returning to the lodge room after the banquet the Sir Knights resumed the work of giving the Templar degrees to the eight candidates, finishing their work at 1 a. m., and after thanking the Sir Knights of Vernon for their assistance in conferring the degrees and extending a standing invitation to pay the Wichita Falls commandery a visit at any time, good-byes were said and the visitors took their departure for their home on the northbound Fort Worth & Denver.

Sir Knights R. L. Lyon of Frederick and J. W. Hill of Greenville, were also among the list of visitors. The membership roll of Wichita Falls commandery, U. D. is as follows:

Guest Whitaker, J. A. Avis, F. P. Avis, J. C. A. Guest, R. E. Orr, L. M. Harbin, J. W. Stone, T. C. Thatcher, E. F. Bloom, C. E. Minnick, H. Lawler, R. C. Smith, A. S. Fontaine, G. E. Moore, R. P. Webb, G. D. Anderson, W. Lee Moore, Otto Stehlik, J. P. Holt, T. L. Toland, J. A. Richolt, E. P. Walsh, P. P. Langford, J. A. Kemp, J. W. Carithers, A. F. Kerr, S. H. Burside, A. D. Magner, L. Mackechny, M. H. Barwise, J. O. Smith, Frank Collier, W. A. McCarty, I. H. Roberts, T. D. Howard, Wm. Hucaby, S. G. Helm, Ed J. Gardner, W. E. Cobb, W. I. Corlett, V. E. Stampff, F. W. Tibbets, W. W. Gardner, Ed Carver, C. B. Fuller, E. W. Morgan, L. C. Hincley, H. G. Karrenbrock, A. E. Anderson, S. E. Trevathan, J. M. Bland and A. H. Carrigan.

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" with Charlotte Walker as June, has arranged for an extension of time at Philadelphia.

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Fruit Cake Recipe

Sugar, 1 quart; flour, 1 quart; butter, 1 pound; eggs, 1 dozen; raisins, 4 pounds; currants, 2 pounds; citron 1/2 pound; orange peel, 1/4 pound; lemon peel, 1/4 pound; figs, 1 pound; almonds, 1 pound; black molasses, 1 cup; cold coffee 1 cup; dates, 1 pound; crystallized pineapple, 1 pound; pecans, 1 cup; allspice, 1 teaspoonful; cinnamon, 1 teaspoonful; cloves, 1 teaspoonful; brandy or wine, 1 cup; soda, 1 teaspoonful in the coffee; flour, reserve 1 1/2 cups to flour fruit with. Steam 2 or 4 hours, then bake in moderate oven 1/2 hour.

The above recipe makes one extra large cake. We also have crystallized pineapple, crystallized cherries, crystallized citron, crystallized lemon peel, crystallized orange peel, imported Smyrna figs, imported dates, pecan meats, walnut meats, almond meats.

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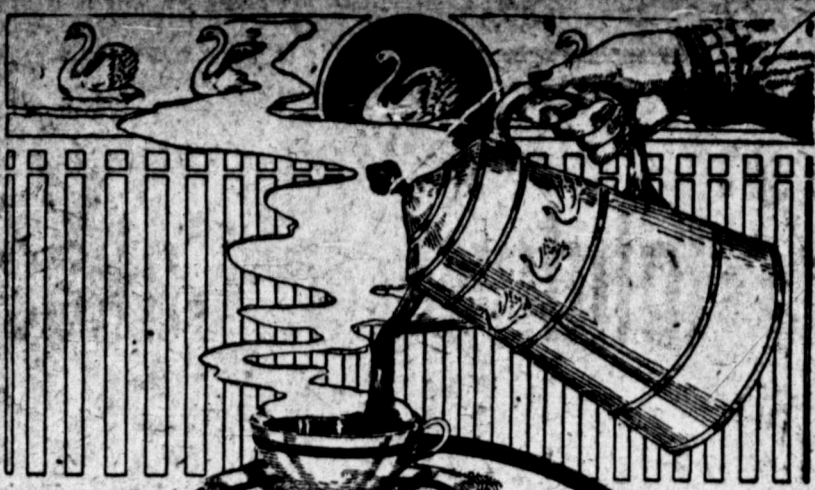
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Looks Like Unfair Competition.

President Taft will be happy if his forthcoming message gets as much attention as the message from the ex-president got last week.—Boston Globe.

Worth While Kissing Archie.

A Delaware man chortles that he is being kissed all the time because the girls think he is Taft, but we bet he resembles Archie Butt.—Washington Post.



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THE SURRENDER OF GENERAL LEE

It is now common for certain newspapers in speaking of the character of Davis and Lee to mention the refusal of Grant to take the sword of Lee at Appomattox, when in fact no such thing occurred. Col. Marshall, who since the war blind and who died several years ago in Richmond, Va., was on that occasion Lee's private secretary and has written a book on the army of Northern Virginia. He says that Lee after retreating from Richmond had received several communications from General Grant asking him to surrender, the last of which he said all he asked was for them to lay down their arms and return to homes until exchange, the officers to retain their side arms and officers and men to keep their private property, and suggested to Gen. Lee that they meet at a certain place between their lines to sign these terms of surrender, which Lee accepted, and accompanied by Col. Marshall, they met Gen. Grant and staff at the McLean house, near Appomattox court house, where Col. Marshall drew up the writings that were afterwards signed by the respective commanders. Col. Marshall says when they met they saluted each other and commenced a pleasant conversation, Grant apologizing to Lee for not having on his dress uniform, as it was destined at that point on the march. Lee remarked that he had appeared in full dress uniform, Col. Marshall says that nothing was said about Lee's sword, and that it was never offered by Lee to Grant, as it would have been very foolish to have offered his sword, when Grant had written, when he asked Lee's surrender, that the officers should retain their side arms, and any one who will read Grant's memoirs will find that he says nothing about Lee offering his sword, and if any such a thing had occurred he certainly would have mentioned it. A great many believe the surrender of Lee to Grant took place under an apple tree. Col. Marshall says that Lee was near an old apple tree when the courier accompanied by the federal flag of truce came up to him with the last communications from Grant to Lee, when Lee immediately left, in company with his private secretary, Col. Marshall, to meet Grant at the place designated, and in the meantime Gen. Lee sent a courier to Gen. Gordon to cease firing, as terms of a surrender had been agreed upon. Col. Marshall says after the surrender some dispute arose about the horses, as the confederates owned the horses, while the federal army did not own their saddle horses. When Grant was informed about it he said let them have their horses as they will need them for their spring plowing. It was certainly very magnanimous in Grant to treat Lee and his little army as he did on that occasion, but Lee's little band of old veterans would not have agreed to unconditional surrender on the 9th day of April, 1865, had not Grant agreed to treat them as he did. Gen. Gordon, of Georgia, who was one of Lee's most trusted generals on that occasion, says that he and his men were going out that morning through the federal lines of a courier from Lee had not said cease firing, but it would have been useless shedding of blood as Lee's army was exhausted. From this his last order after his surrender:

HEADQUARTERS ARMY VA.
General Order April 9, 1865
No. 9.

After four years of arduous service marked by unsurpassed courage and fortitude the army of Northern Virginia has been compelled to yield to overwhelming numbers and resources. I need not tell the brave survivors of the many hard fought battles, who have remained steadfast to the last, that I have consented to this result not from any distrust of them, but feeling that valor and devotion could accomplish nothing that would compensate for the loss that must have attended the continuance of the contest. I determined to avoid the useless sacrifice of those whose past service has endeared them to their countrymen. By the agreement of the

terms officers and men will return to their homes and remain there until exchanged. You will take with you the satisfaction that proceeds from the consciousness of duty faithfully performed, and I earnestly pray that a merciful God will extend to you his blessing and protection. With an increasing admiration of your constancy and devotion to your country and a grateful remembrance of your kind and generous consideration for myself, I bid you all an affectionate farewell.

R. E. LEE, Gen.

BETTER IRRIGATION LAWS ARE URGED

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Urging broader and better state irrigation laws and more efficient administrative systems to stimulate the progress of irrigation, Samuel Fortier, chief of irrigation investigations, Office of Experiment Stations, of the United States, Department of Agriculture, today addressed the delegates to the Irrigation Congress now in session here. "In many states of the West," he declared, "progress in irrigation is being retarded and costly investments rendered insecure by the lack of proper legislation on the part of the state legislatures. The Western states, through their respective legislatures must get behind the irrigation bond."

The theme of Mr. Fortier's address was "The Present Stage of Irrigation Development and a Forecast of the Future." He reviewed briefly the wonderful results that had been accomplished through irrigation; how it had enhanced the value of land and built up enduring commonwealths. "Irrigated agriculture," he asserted, "lies at the foundation of much of the material prosperity of the West. Through the agency of water wisely used, deserts are converted into productive fields and orchards and flocks and herds and prospective ties take the place of wild animals and an uncivilized race."

Mr. Fortier said that there are many classes and nationalities now to be found in Western America. "The census of 1910 of the 17 states and territories lying west of the Missouri river," he said, "showed a population of nearly 16½ million, an increase of 42 per cent in ten years, a significant fact, when compared with the rate of increase throughout the remaining 31 states, which was only 17 per cent. However, Mr. Fortier did not attribute this remarkable rush across the continent to the irrigation of desert lands. He said that the dry farming districts of late have attracted thousands of settlers.

The money invested in irrigation works was then referred to by the speaker. According to the census figures for 1910, this amounted to almost \$305,000,000, not including the expenses incurred by the farmer in installing head ditches and laterals and preparing his land for irrigation. With these added expenses, Mr. Fortier declared the capital invested in irrigation work would reach approximately \$400,000,000. "Large as this sum may appear," continued Mr. Fortier, "it is yet small when compared with the wealth created by the water which such works have provided. If one reckons the cost of irrigation works in millions, he should use billions as a unit to reckon the value created by water which they furnish."

Mr. Fortier spoke briefly of the agencies which have been instrumental in irrigation development; of the lands irrigated and farms established and the improvement in irrigation practice.

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Col. F. E. Boothby, three times mayor of Portland, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of Maine.

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The Boston young man who has reached the age of 31 and has never yet been kissed comes to Texas and forms the acquaintance of the man who says he ran away from his Arkansas home at the age of 19 because his parents insisted that he should wear pants.

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ANYTHING TO BEAT WILSON.
 The following is from the Sioux City (Iowa) Tribune:
 Democratic politics is assuming the aspect of "anything to beat Woodrow Wilson." Eight months in advance of the national convention it is evident that every artifice known to politics will be employed by big business and its agents in the Democratic party to prevent the nomination of the progressive governor of New Jersey. Already the tactics which will be used to accomplish this result have been disclosed.

It is the ancient "favorite son" game. Local and sectional pride are to be appealed to in an effort to elect delegates who can be handled for a reactionary candidate in the national convention. In any contest where men are elected for a "favorite son" as against Wilson, the very fact that they have lent themselves to an anti-Wilson movement will be a guaranty that they can be voted as desired by those who would foist on the party some other candidate satisfactory to Wall Street.

Big business is vitally interested in the selection of the Democratic nominee because of the general belief that President-Taft, even if renominated, can not be re-elected. The New York Sun, faithful mirror of Wall Street's views, shows that it is under no delusion as to his failure on his present trip to win back the lost confidence of the Republican rank and file.

The possibility, therefore, that a Democrat will be elected, renders it certain that privilege interests, which are fighting for life, will resort to every known means to control the Democratic nomination. Governor Wilson, of all Democratic possibilities, is the one man whom they wish to keep out of the presidential chair. If he is to win the nomination, it will be because public sentiment shall be able to force his nomination.

MR. DARROW AND HIS CLIENTS.

The Chronicle is impressed with the belief, and believes the public is likewise impressed, that Mr. Clarence S. Darrow, leading counsel for the defense in the McNamara case, has come out of the trial without anything to his credit, because he transcended the uttermost limits of professional duty and propriety.

How far a lawyer is justified in going in defense of a client he knows to

be guilty has been debated almost since there was a lawyer, and it is, as a technical question, as far from settlement as it was at the beginning. Apart from every question relating to professional ethics and professional duty, the general mass of the laity have an instinctive conception, and a correct one, concerning the subject.

No man expects a lawyer to betray the confidence of his client and "give him away," nor is it expected that he will go out and hunt up or point out evidence against him; but when, outside of the statements of his client and by reason of the legal testimony against him, he is convinced of his

guilt, the lawyer has no moral right to try to get a biased jury, or to suppress evidence, or corrupt a jury, or suborn testimony, or arouse a sentiment against conviction by appeals to popular or class prejudice.

Mr. Darrow has been for weeks asserting that his clients were the victims of a capitalistic conspiracy, and that he would prove beyond a doubt that the building was destroyed by an explosion of gas, and that his clients had no connection with it; but when the state of California had built up an impregnable wall, over which there was no escape, and after peaceable, law-abiding laboring men and union men all over this great nation had poured thousands if not hundreds of thousands of dollars into his pocket, he rises, before the state has introduced a word of testimony, and even before a jury has been impaneled, and confesses that his clients are guilty of the atrocious acts charged against them and by the preparations of which they have done the cause of organized labor almost irreparable harm.

Furthermore, he says there was no criminal intent, but it was meant only to give the Times a scare.

He further says that for a week, or at least for several days, he has been expecting a confession (evidently a public confession is meant, because he says his clients had told him the whole story), yet all the time he has fought to get a jury that would acquit deliberate, double-dyed murderers.

When Mr. Darrow was seeking to get a fair jury and to see that the case was legally proved within the limits of professional duty and propriety. When he sought to inflame the public mind by appeals to labor against capital, and to keep up strife so as to acquit men who in the name of union labor had committed a crime against every laboring man and betrayed their confidence, just so Mr. Darrow abused it and profited by the abuse.

When a lawyer sees that the charge against his client is legally proved, that no evidence is extorted from him or improper evidence is used against him; that he has had the benefit of all legal testimony; and that he has a fair and impartial trial and is given the benefit of every reasonable doubt of his guilt, he has done his fullest duty; and when he transcends these limits the lawyer transgresses on the rights of society and is an enemy to the highest interests.—Houston Chronicle.

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being that there was more hope for him when he was entering by the back door; for at least, there was some shame then.
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- WANTED**—A white girl to cook and do general housework. Apply at Mrs. C. W. Snider, 1512 10th street. 177-31c
- WANTED**—Woman for general housework. Good position to right party. Call at 2401 9th street or phone 414. 177-31c
- FOR RENT—ROOMS**
- FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished bed room; 708 Travis. 176-15c
- FOR RENT**—Two unfurnished rooms with lights and gas, 704 Travis. 174-15c
- FOR RENT**—Very desirable furnished rooms; all modern conveniences, 909 7th street. 177-45c
- FOR RENT**—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 408 Scott avenue. 177-41p
- FOR RENT**—Best modern housekeeping rooms, close in; \$3.50 per week for two rooms. Phone 220. 175-61p
- FOR RENT**—2 furnished housekeeping and one bed room; modern. Good locality, 907 Travis. 174-45c
- FOR RENT**—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping. Apply at 502 Lamar. 178-61p
- FOR RENT**—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1402 Scott. 164-45c
- FOR RENT**—Furnished bed rooms, 704 Travis. 141-15c
- FOR RENT—**
- FOR RENT**—Two four-room houses. Enquire of Dr. Nelson. Phone 636. 166-15c
- FARM-TO-RENT**—3/4 miles from city, 175 acres in cultivation; 5 room house, good water, good land; third and fourth rent. F. M. Hull, 1816 11th street. 174-45c
- FOR RENT**—Store formerly occupied by Leeds Woolen Mills, 800 Ohio. Apply on premises. 149-15c
- FOR RENT**—8 room furnished house, with bath and gas; desirable for rooming house; close in. Phone 216. 144-15c
- FOR RENT**—Four and five room houses; \$12.50 to \$20.00 per month. See B. Corraline. 48-15c
- FOR RENT**—Five room house on 1008 Indiana; gas, bath and cistern. Apply 1408 Travis. 178-25c

FARMERS: Stop at the Peters Wagon Yard. Your stock will have the best of care. Horses boarded reasonable. Feed of all kinds. F. M. Tidwell. 167-15c

LOST

LOST—One winter lap robe, black on one side and flowered on other. Return to J. S. Fore and receive reward. 274-25p

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

December 7.

1799—Washington delivered his last address to Congress.

1813—First general assembly of the Territory of Missouri met in St. Louis.

1835—First railway in Germany opened to traffic.

1853—Statue of Marshal Ney inaugurated on the spot where he was executed in Paris.

1902—Thomas B. Reed, ex-Speaker of the house of representatives, died in Washington, D. C. Born in Portland, Me., Oct. 18, 1839.

Aber is Wanted for Desertion.

Sheriff R. L. Randolph received a telegram today from government officials in Washington conveying the information that Lawrence J. Aber, the man who when arrested here a few days ago charged with a minor offense, and who admitted to the officers who were taking him to jail that he was a deserter from the army and a fugitive from justice, was really wanted by the government, and according to the description which the telegram contained of the man wanted, the Sheriff Randolph is certain that the right person is in custody.

A reward of fifty dollars will be paid by the government to those who accomplished the arrest of Aber, and Sheriff Randolph will leave with him in a few days for Norfolk, Va., and will turn him over to army officials there.

Aber says that he is tired of being constantly on the alert in order to keep from being arrested, and that he will be glad to return to the army, and is sorry that he ever left it. He enlisted from a small town in Oklahoma about eight years ago, and has served continuously since until last May, when he deserted in Galveston and has been a fugitive ever since.

Dr. Brown, Dentist, Room 305, Kemp & Kell Building, Phone 578.

Pictures make nice Christmas gifts. See them at P. S. TULLIS.

Tullis will put your window glass in on short notice. Phone 178. 175-15c

Those "Systems" Seldom Ever Win. Champ Clark says he has it all figured out that the democrats "can't" lose. Fortunately political battles are not won by arithmetic.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

Had to Get It Out Some Way.

When Roosevelt said he would not talk, he evidently considered that the promise didn't bar him from writing.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Let Us Ask the

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What are you doing about your gifts for

Xmas

Will you wait till the day before you have to have your gift and then come and expect to get what you want?

IF

you do, I'm afraid you will be disappointed.

WE

are laying back goods each day for delivery when you call. A small deposit now will insure you of the goods when you want them.

We are ever ready to serve you and have plenty of help waiting for you.

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LANGSTON ON THE STAND

(Continued from page 1)

suspicion, tried for the life and sentenced to life imprisonment for a crime which he did not commit."

Stopping for a moment, the man said: "Have you seen any of my folks? I wish you would let them know that I am in here. I want to see my little baby and my brother; it has been a long time since I have seen them. Of course, it is too bad for my mother to come to town today, but maybe my brother can come."

Langston then asked several questions concerning his folks and whether or not they would be in town soon. He asked for Mr. Gough, one of the men who testified at the trial of Mr. Langston last week before County Judge J. L. Young, in which he was being tried for insanity. He wanted to know what had been done with his furniture and other belongings, stating that he preferred for his mother to take charge of the things. Especially did Mr. Langston ask about the baby's clothes and expressed the desire that his mother also take charge of them.

WICHITA COUNTY RESIDENT SUICIDES

Special to The Times.

The Times received a dispatch from Roswell, New Mexico this afternoon saying that L. A. Keel of this place had committed suicide there by swallowing carbolic acid. The dispatch did not state further particulars.

A man named L. A. Keel has been living on rural route 4 about four miles from the city. There is no telephone at the residence and The Times was unable to communicate with the family this afternoon.

By Associated Press.

Roswell, N. M., Dec. 7.—Disparaged from recent financial reverses and domestic troubles with his father, L. A. Keel, who came here two weeks ago from Wichita Falls, committed suicide this morning, swallowing an ounce of carbolic acid, in the Roswell Trading Company yards, where he was working. Louie Keel, a brother and manager of the yards, was the first to get to him but he made no statement as he went into convulsions, dying in twenty minutes. His father is now on the road to locate her. Keel threw the bottle behind a trunk in his room after drinking its contents.

DIRECTORS OF RETAIL MERCHANTS MEET

The Retail Merchants Association held a meeting this evening at the Chamber of Commerce room.

The question of having the rating book printed came up and the secretary was ordered to have it printed, a motion carried that the work be given to the lowest bidder.

The association agreed to continue the contract made with the Retail Clerks Association last year for the ensuing year.

A motion carried that C. M. Miller be elected a director of the association. Mr. Miller's name was added to the list of directors.

The question of each merchant furnishing names for the rating book, came up for discussion and it was the sense of the meeting that each member be required to furnish the information for the book.

URGED AS REVERSIBLE ERROR.

Case Involves Adjourning of Court Trying Legal Option Charge to Hear Prohibition Speech.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 6.—The adjourning of court during a criminal trial, where the defendant is charged with violating the local option statute to hear a prohibition speech is urged as a reversible error. A State Senator made the speech and most of the jury heard him. The Assistant Attorney General confesses error. It remains to be seen if the court will accept the confession and reverse the case, which is a most interesting one.

Senator Lattimore of Fort Worth, Senator from the Thirtieth Texas District, is a well-known and ardent advocate of State-wide prohibition, and his speeches were much in demand in the campaign of the past summer. This is what the attorney for appellant, in the appeal of Elus Rigby vs. the state, has had written into the document before the court of criminal appeals, which will be submitted Dec. 13, an appeal from the sentence of \$50 fine and thirty days' imprisonment meted out to Rigby July 17 last by a jury in the Nacogdoches County Court at Nacogdoches, on conviction of the charge of violating the local option laws in that town.

See Kell, Perkins & Cravens for all kinds of insurance. Phone 694. Ground floor, Kemp & Kell Building. 53-15c

Wiggs & Boly, veterinary surgeons, office Exchange livery stable. Phone 83; residence phone 430. 175-12c

Removal Sale

I WILL move my stock of Groceries from my present stand, 609 7th Street, to 611 8th Street, in the new Ward building, and expect to be in my new place of business January 1st. From now until that time all goods in the house will be sold at Reduced Prices—a few of the prices quoted below will show the reduction we have made through our whole stock.

These Prices are for Cash Only—

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| 15 lbs. Cane Sugar (\$1.00 worth to each customer) | \$1 00 | 10-lb. Palls Fancy Table Syrup | \$2 25 |
| 20 lbs. Navy Beans | \$1 00 | Per case 6 Palls | 30c |
| Pint bottles Lyndon Catsup | 20c | 5-lb. Palls Cane Syrup | 30c |
| 3-lb Cans Lyndon Sweet Pickle Peaches | 25c | 10-lb. Palls Cane Syrup | 55c |
| 3 Packages Jell-O | 25c | 10-lb. Cans Old Man's Maple Syrup | \$1 25 |
| 1-lb. Cans Pink Salmon | 10c | 2 1/2-lb. Cans Old Man's Fruit Syrup | 35c |
| 1-lb. Cans Lyndon Red Salmon | 20c | 5-lb. Cans Bishops Fruit Syrup | 45c |
| 3 Cans No. 3 Hominy | 25c | 2 1/2-lb. Cans Bishops Fruit Syrup | 25c |
| 5 Cans No. 3 Pie Peaches | 55c | First Pick Corn, per can | 10c |
| 2 Cans No. 2 Charm Oysters | 35c | Lyndon Corn, 5 cans | 55c |
| 3 Cans No. 1 Alamo Chile | 25c | Giant Lye, 4 cans | 25c |
| Keg Keweenaw | 85c | Hippo Wash Powder, 7 packages | 25c |
| 25c bottle Bishops Chile Sauce, 2 bottles | 35c | Star Napha Wash Powder, 7 packages | 25c |
| 10-lb Palls Fancy Table Syrup | 40c | Lenox Soap, 8 bars | 25c |

I. A. FARRIS, The Groceryman

News From the Oil Fields

Building Derrick Near Lawton.

Lawton, Okla., Dec. 7.—The first nail which marks the commencement of activities in Comanche county oil and gas fields by the Comanche County Oil & Gas Co., was driven yesterday afternoon by four rig builders who arrived at noon from Electra, Texas. The derrick is being built on the farm of J. A. Kuntz, which is just 4 and one half miles west of Lawton from South Boundary.

The carpenters say that they can complete the derrick by the end of this week and it will then be ready for the machinery, drill, etc., which have not yet arrived. This, however, is expected to arrive within the next two or three days and in fact will be on the ground before needed. All arrangements for water have been made and when once started off the company will be able to sink a well 1500 feet deep without unnecessary delay.

The latest improved rotary drill has been purchased and the very best equipment will be used throughout. Crude oil will be shipped to Lawton to be used in the engine.

The derrick regulation size, will be 82 feet high. The first actual drilling will commence probably the first part of next week.

Clint Wood Has Good Well.

The "Indiana" well owned by Clint Woods and associates, and located southeast of the main pool has been drilled into the 1040 foot sand and is reported to be good for better than 250 barrels. This well was drilled to the shallow sand about four or five months ago when it was owned by the Electra Oil & Gas Co., an Indiana company which later sold their tract and well to Mr. Wood.

The Corsicana Petroleum Company is drilling in Woodruff and Putnam No. 13. There is a splendid showing in this hole.

The new water system is now in operation in the oil field and for the first time since operations were started there, the water supply is sufficient for all needs.


A sixteen hundred barrel water tank is being erected at the edge of town, from whence pure and wholesome water will be distributed to the towns people by wagons.

Wanted. Every man woman and child to see our line of pictures and frames, calendars and novelties.

P. S. TULLIS. 175-15c.

We have just received the largest line of Blanke-Weincker box candles ever brought to the city. They are in all the favorite confections—the most delicious on the market. V. B. Stampff. 164-15c

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CALL AND GET IT

That isn't a joke by any means, it's real. The fact is that lots of people come to buy "some meat" they don't know just what they want but feel they ought to have something meaty.

The very sight of my meat department, so clean, neat and orderly very soon develops an appetite for some special cut—sometimes for two or three varieties.

That's why I say if you want a meat appetite call at my meat department and you can get it quickly without charge while the meat to satisfy that appetite will cost you only a fair price. Meat appetites are delivered too, for when you phone your order and get the meat in your kitchen it will make you still hungrier—just to see and to smell it cooking will make your mouth water.

My meat cutter is an expert at meat suggestions; if you want any, either in person or over the phone.

Plenty of poultry ready to dress to your order.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Roy C. Priebe left this morning for Goodnight, where he will engage in farming.

But It Did Not Affect His Feet. The severe cold afflicting the president was probably contracted from the chilly wave insurging over the country.—Pittsburg Sun.

Wants It to Talk Through. Bob LaFollette has ordered a stylish new hat of his own design. It is in the shape of a phonograph.—Washington Post.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. R. L. Ligon of Byers is in the city on business today.

Rev. Bulgrin was up from Bowman on business today.

Dan Tiffney arrived here this afternoon from Electra, to attend court.

F. D. Woodruff, mayor of Electra, arrived last night on business.

George Davis left this afternoon for Electra on business.

Alex Simmonds, deputy sheriff at Electra, is here attending court.

Mrs. E. E. Brown has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Stron at Denison.

Mrs. C. C. Huff left this afternoon for Dallas, where she goes to visit friends for a few days.

Doc Randall left this morning for Burkburnett in an automobile on business.

J. W. Harris, a real estate man and prominent citizen from Archer City, is here on business.

Will H. Francis, and bride passed through here this afternoon enroute to California and other points, where they will spend their honeymoon.

C. W. Snider, cashier of the City National Bank, returned this afternoon from a short business trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. A. N. Richardson, and daughter Mrs. J. U. O'Donohoe left this afternoon for their home in Electra, after remaining here for several days visiting friends.

Mrs. J. W. Roling, and daughter, Miss Marie Tinsley, arrived this afternoon from their home in Fort Worth, and will spend several days in the city.

City Attorney Fred Householder returned this afternoon from Henrietta, where he has been on legal business.

Sid Stanforth returned today from Fort Worth, where he has been for several days, and was present at the wedding of his brother, which event occurred yesterday.

Miss Jewel Kemp returned this afternoon from Austin, where for the last several days she has been as the guest of Miss Willie May Kell, who is a student in the University of Texas there.

Walter Henning, a prominent oil man, and an official of the Pierce-Fordyce Company, arrived here today from St. Louis, and left for Electra on business.

Miss Mary Mitchell, after spending several days here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Huff on Brook street, left this afternoon for Fort Worth, where she will visit friends for a few days before returning to her home in Dallas.

Frank Kell, vice president and general manager of the Wichita Falls Route, returned this afternoon from a trip of inspection along the extension above Hammon.

Miss Carrie Kell, after spending a week or ten days in Austin, where she went to witness the Thanksgiving football game between Oklahoma State University and the University of Texas, and also to visit her sister, Miss Willie May, arrived home this afternoon, and reports having had a splendid time.

Watch For Christmas

FOR OPENING OF OUR New Theatre

ON Indiana Between 7th and 8th WREN and BERRY Proprietors.

Local News Brevities

Dr. Du Val, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.

Charles Quastrom of the Friberg neighborhood is in the city. Mr. Quastrom says the rainfall in his section is about the same as here. The moisture is encouraging to the farmers who have a good stand of wheat, though many in his neighborhood did not sow at the proper time.

FREAR-BRIN FURNITURE CO. Undertakers and Embalmers **JESSE DOLMAN** (Graduate Licensed embalmer in charge.) Day 'phone 136. Night 'phone 665-518

J. M. Cole, district deputy of the Knights and Ladies of Honor, has on display a large photograph in Alex Kahn's window, showing a view of the first encampment of the order at Indianapolis, Indiana. This encampment was under the command of Major General J. DeLong, and shows that the ladies largely dominated the scene.

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Hear the Four Halls, at the Westland if you want something nice in music. 174-4f

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A negro named Owens, working on the government building, fell from a scaffold this afternoon and struck his head upon the stone door step, cutting a severe gash from which the blood flowed freely. A doctor was called to dress his wounds, which though painful will not prove serious.

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G. C. Patterson of the Wichita Falls Horse and Mule Market returned yesterday from a business trip in Southern Texas.

We especially invite the city people who wish to give dinner parties to call 880, the Westland. 171-17c

Election Notice. Modern Woodmen of America annual election of officers at Camp Meeting tonight. Let every member be present. 178-17c **E. G. COOK, Clerk.**

Fruit Cake. I have just made 100 pounds of pure fruit cake for the holiday trade. It is made from my old reliable recipe, which has a wide reputation. It sells for 40 cents a pound. V. E. Stampfl. 164-17c

We pride ourselves on up-to-date wall paper and best wall paper hangers. 175-17c. **P. S. TULLIS.**

All members of Local Union 977 Carpenters and Joiners of America are earnestly requested to be present at our next regular meeting, Dec. 11, at 7:30 o'clock 1911. Business of importance. **W. H. RICHMOND, Rec. Sec.** 177-47c

Notice. We make picture frames all sizes, large stock of moldings to select from. 175-17c. **P. S. TULLIS.**

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Full and complete line, such as Bill of Sale, Mech. Lien Contract, Trans. of Vendor's Lien, Release of Mort. or Deed of Trust Leases, Quit Claim Deed, Deed of Trust, Special Warranty Deed, Power Attorney, Warranty Deed, single and joint acknowledgement, Also Oil and Gas leases.

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| Lot 2—\$18.50 Ladies' Suits One week only | \$14 80 | | | Lot 7—\$29.50 Ladies' Suits One week only | \$23 60 |
| Lot 3—\$20.00 Ladies' Suits One week only | \$15 95 | | | Lot 8—\$35.00 Ladies' Suits One week only | \$27 95 |
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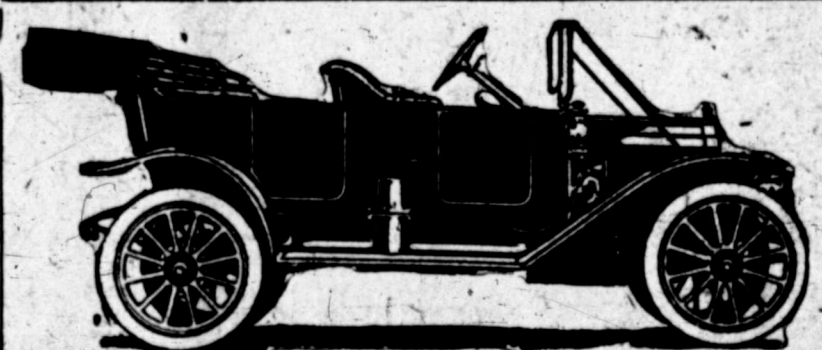
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We are now delivering the coffee on the Name Contest. If you have not submitted your name have it ready and give it to the delivery man when he delivers the coffee. One name for each pound and be sure and sign your name.

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52 YEARS BEHIND PRISON WALLS

JOHN WARREN NOW ASKING CONNECTICUT PARDON BOARD FOR FREEDOM.

IS A MODEL PRISONER

Convicted of Murder in 1859—Prisoner is Now 72 Years Old—Has Never Attempted Escape.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 7.—Among the thirty-six convicts at the State prison at Wethersfield whose applications for parole or pardon will be considered by the State Board of Pardons when that board meets here next Tuesday, is John Warren, the oldest inmate of the prison, who has spent fifty-two years of his life in that penal institution.

The history of Warren's crime is rather unusual. In the early summer of 1859 John P. Warren, then only 21 years old, and his 18-year-old wife lived on a small farm in Willington, a little town in Tolland county, in the northeastern part of Connecticut.

Warren sprang at her, threw her down and held her head under water until his wife was dead. Just what fury or passion animated Warren and prompted him to commit the cold-blooded and apparently unprovoked crime, has never been ascertained.

After a preliminary hearing Warren's case was set for the September term of the Tolland county superior court. On the night of Wednesday, August 10, of that year, while confined in the Tolland county jail, Warren managed to obtain possession of a big butcher knife with which he attacked jailor George Griggs.

The trial of Warren was short. The prisoner pleaded guilty and his attorney confined himself to a strong appeal for the life of his client. The appeal was successful and Warren was sentenced to imprisonment for life. From the very beginning of his term in the state prison at Wethersfield Warren was a model prisoner.

After a number of years the warden, who placed unusual trust in Warren, relaxed the rigor of the prison rules to a great extent so far as Warren was concerned. The prisoner was made gardener and for many years he took excellent care of the flower garden of the prison and of the grounds surrounding the official residence of the warden.

When the present warden, Garvin, came to Wethersfield prison about fourteen years ago, he continued to allow to Warren the privileges which the former warden had granted him and not only retained him as gardener but also placed him in charge of the furnace of the warden's residence and made him a sort of general helper about the house.

For many years Warren had the privilege of passing unchallenged through the prison gates and frequently he spends all day outside of the prison in the pursuit of his garden work, but never did he make an attempt to escape or to violate in any way the confidence which the warden of the institution had placed in him.

fect upon Warren's physical and mental condition. Although he is now more than 72 years of age, he is still active and energetic and looks scarcely more than fifty.

In case the Board of Pardons should release Warren, his two younger brothers of Willimantic and his nephews and cousins, all people of excellent standing in their respective communities, are prepared to take care of the old man, who, unless his health should unexpectedly fail, seems fully able to take care of himself for some years to come.

NEW FAST FREIGHT SERVICE ON KATY

Effective December 1, the Katy began the operation of two fast freight trains from the North to Texas points that will carry Katy Flyer freight and high class merchandise, delivering freight in Texas from St. Louis in 48 hours and from Kansas City to Texas in 29 hours.

Though the roadbed of the Katy from St. Louis to Houston has been in good condition for years, being ballasted and laid with heavy steel, in many instances it has been placed in better shape by thousands of crescent ties being laid, with more ballast, and on several divisions heavier steel.

With the roadbed improvement, the line from Denison to San Antonio and several branches have been strung with dispatchers' telephones, making the movement of trains more speedy by using the telephone.

Altogether, the many improvements have made it possible for the Katy to operate the fast freight trains over the lines with the greatest of safety and speed. The new fast trains will carry solid package car shipments for several Texas cities, while some of the cars will be loaded for Ray yards at Denison, where they are opened and the freight assorted and reloaded for Texas cities.

The trains north of Denison will be handled by regular train crews, but south of this city they will be handled by men in the "chain gang" service. J. W. Harvey and James Carpenter, conductors, with crews, have been assigned to No. 401, while Jack Quinn and J. R. McKee and crews have been assigned to No. 403.

Fast freight No. 401 will leave St. Louis for Texas daily at 7 p. m., arriving in Denison the second day at 7:30 p. m., making the trip in 48 hours and 30 minutes. This train will leave Denison at 9:45 p. m., arriving in Fort Worth at 5 a. m., Waco 12:35 p. m., Austin 11:50 p. m., San Antonio and Houston at 5:30 a. m.

In order that the high class merchandise and Katy Flyer freight may reach Dallas early, a fast train will be operated over the Dallas and Denison division from Denison, leaving each night, making connections with the fast trains from the north. This train will arrive in Dallas at 5 a. m., delivering freight to Dallas as early as it is delivered in Denison.

No. 403, the second fast freight, will leave St. Louis daily at 10:30 p. m. This train will arrive in Denison at 12:15 a. m., the second morning out of St. Louis. At Parsons, Kan., No. 403 will make direct connections with a fast freight from Kansas City, carrying high class freight and merchandise to and through Texas. The trains will be run 20 per cent light of their regular tonnage in order that the fast schedules may be maintained. This train will carry package cars for Dallas, Fort Worth, Temple, Waco and San Antonio, besides freight for other Texas points that will be worked at Ray. Upon the arrival of 403 in Ray, the cars that have to be reworked will

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A GIGANTIC DOLL SALE

More than 500 to Select From See Big Display in Main Aisle

SALE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 8 O'CLOCK TOMORROW MORNING AND WILL CONTINUE THROUGH THE WEEK

Sensational values, every one of them. Bisque heads, many with side curls, jointed bodies, real shoes and stockings. Every one a fine type, up-to-date in style and extraordinary values at the prices.

Table listing doll sale items and prices: All 25c Dolls selling at each during this sale 20c, All 30c and 35c Dolls selling at each during this sale 25c, All 50c Dolls selling at each during this sale 43c, All 65c Dolls selling at each during this sale 50c, All \$1.00 Dolls selling at each during this sale 85c, All \$1.25 Dolls selling at each during this sale \$1 00, All \$1.50 Dolls selling at each during this sale \$1 19.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, Ribbons, Men's Hosiery, Men's Ties, and in fact many other articles suitable for gifts, here and ready for your selection.

Pay Us a Visit This Week PENNINGTON'S The Big Busy Store

The First National Bank OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Capital, \$100,000.00 Surplus and Profits, \$105,000.00

COMBINED RESOURCES, THREE-FOURTHS ONE MILLION DOLLARS

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Anderson & Patterson REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE AGENTS

Suffrage Baby Show in Chicago. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 7.—The Illinois Equal Suffrage Association opened a three days' fair at the Hotel La Salle today just to refute the time-honored assertions that the woman suffragist does not make a good wife and mother. To prove they can raise children there is a large gallery of photographs showing suffragists with large families and to show their prowess as cooks

the advocates of woman's right to the ballot box may be seen roasting turkeys, mixing salads and baking pies and cakes. As a result of man's curtailment of the suffrage cause.

Sale Positively Begins

Saturday, December 9th and lasts till
Saturday night, December 23, 1911

SEMI-ANNUAL

CLEARANCE

BARNARD

EXTRA SPECIAL IN LADIES' CORSETS.
We are closing out the American Beauty Corsets. We have a complete line of styles and sizes; all \$1.00 values **65c**

LADIES' GINGHAM PETTICOATS AT CLEARANCE SALE PRICES.
\$1.25 values; Clearance Sale Price **98c**
\$1.50 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$1 23**
\$1.75 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$1 45**

LADIES' TAFFETA SILK PETTICOATS.
\$2.98 values; Sale Price **\$2 63**
\$5.00 values; Sale Price **\$3 98**

WHITE QUILTS.

Boarding and rooming houses will do well to make their purchases in this line at these prices.

\$1.25 White Quilt; Sale Price **98c**
\$1.50 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$1 23**
\$1.75 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$1 40**
\$2.00 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$1 69**
\$2.50 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$1 98**
\$3.00 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$2 63**
\$3.50 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$2 98**
\$4.00 White Quilt; Sale Price **\$3 49**

MEN'S HATS.

All \$6.00 Men's Hats **\$5 00**
All \$5.00 Men's Hats **\$4 00**
All \$3.00 Men's Hats **\$2 50**
All \$2.00 Men's Hats **\$1 50**
All \$1.50 Men's Hats **\$1 25**

PLAIN AND FANCY TAILORED SUITS.
Every suit is this season's choicest styles and are made of the latest and most popular fabrics, such as French Serges, Fancy Sibelines, Fancy Mixtures, Broadcloths, Etc., black and prominent colors.

\$13.50 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$10 15**
\$15.00 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$11 25**
\$17.50 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$13 15**
\$22.50 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$17 90**
\$25.00 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$18 75**
\$27.50 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$20 65**
\$32.50 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$24 40**
\$35.00 values; Clearance Sale Price **\$26 25**

SHEETING

10-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting
Sale Price **22c**
9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting
Sale Price **20c**

SPECIAL OFFERINGS IN SILK SECTION

\$1.50 yard wide black Taffeta
Sale Price **\$1 23**
\$1.25 yard wide black Taffeta
Sale Price **98c**
\$1.00 yard wide black Taffeta
Sale Price **73c**
\$1.00 Messaline, 27 inches wide, solid colors,
Sale Price **83c**
50c Wash Silks, all colors
Sale Price **43c**

CLEARANCE SALE OF STAPLES.

Space and time prevent us quoting prices on all staples.
Hope yard wide Bleached Domestic
Sale Price **7c**
8 1-3c. yard wide Brown Domestic
Sale Price **6c**
Our Advertiser, yard wide Bleached Domestic
Sale Price **7 1/2c**
12 1/2c Red Seal Gingham
Sale Price **10c**
8 1-3c Apron Gingham
Sale Price **8c**
7 1/2c Apron Gingham
Sale Price **6c**
10c Outing Flannels
Sale Price **8c**

CLEARANCE SALE OF LADIES' SKIRTS.

\$20.00 Ladies Skirts
Sale Price **\$15 00**
\$15.00 Ladies' Skirts
Sale Price **\$11 25**
\$10.00 Ladies' Skirts
Sale Price **\$7 50**
\$7.50 Ladies' Skirts
Sale Price **\$5 65**
\$5.00 Ladies' Skirts
Sale Price **\$3 75**

EXTRA SPECIAL—One lot Ladies' Skirts at one half price.

LADIES' ONE PIECE DRESSES AND EVENING GOWNS.

Extraordinary offerings of high class garments, selected from the leading manufacturers. This is beyond a doubt the most unusual opportunity to secure fine hand tailored and dressy one piece dresses.

\$10.00 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$6 67**
\$12.50 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$8 34**
\$15.00 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$10 00**
\$22.50 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$15 00**
\$25.00 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$16 67**
\$27.50 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$18 34**
\$30.00 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$20 00**
\$35.00 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$23 34**
\$37.50 Ladies' Tailored Dresses
Clearance Sale Price **\$25 00**
\$37 50 Clearance Sale Price \$28 10

GENUINE IMPORTED JAPANESE KIMONOS.

We are showing a beautiful line of high class Silk Kimonos in this sale at greatly reduced prices.

A GENERAL CLEAN UP SALE OF LADIES' TAILORED WAISTS.

One lot Ladies' Tailored Waists, all sizes at one half price.

CLEARANCE SALE LADIES' COATS.

Compare our prices with all others, then come and see their excellent style and beauty. All the new reversible effects with shawl and sailor collar, pretty mixtures in gray, brown and etc. All sizes from Misses 14 to Ladies' 42 at greatly reduced prices.

CLEARANCE SALE OF CHILDREN'S COATS.

\$2.00 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$1 35**
\$2.50 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$1 65**
\$3.00 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$2 00**
\$3.50 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$2 35**
\$4.00 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$2 65**
\$5.00 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$3 35**
\$6.50 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$4 35**
\$8.50 Coats
Clearance Sale Price **\$6 65**

The Great Semi-Annual

Will Commence Saturday Morning,
Continue up to and including Saturday

The Barnard Store holds just two Clearing Sales during the year, however, because of the financial condition and the fact that we are to hold our Winter Sale right now, and thereby give Christmas business policy with us to make these sales all they are advertised. The possible for the class of merchandise we handle, and the goods are every article that leaves our store. The merchandise are offered quality, style and workmanship, and we are sure there is no better to every article in the store, and the reduction will be 10 to 50%

LADIES' UNDERWEAR.
Ladies' 25c Vests and Pants
Sale Price **21c**
35c Vest and Pants
Sale Price **29c**
50c Vest and Pants
Sale Price **43c**

SILK HEAD SCARFS.
50c values **30c**
75c values **63c**
\$1.00 values **89c**
\$2.50 values **\$1 98**
\$3.50 values **\$2 98**

This Sale Will Astonishingly Offer
the greatest opportunity to purchase first-class merchandise that will come to you Holiday Goods

LACE CURTAINS.
A large line of Lace Curtains in white and ecru, values from \$1.00 to \$56.00, will be sold at just half price.

REMNANTS.
A lot of Remnants in all classes of piece goods, at one half the regular price.

MEN'S NECKWEAR.
One lot 50c Four-in-hand Ties **39c**
One lot 50c value Four-in-H and Ties **25c**
Just received a big lot Ties in Fancy Christmas boxes, 75c values **63c**

HOSE.
50c Silk Hose; Sale Price **43c**
25c Iron Clad Half Hose **20c**
15c Hose **11c**
10c Hose; Sale Price **7c**

C. J. BARNARD & CO.

Corner Seventh Street
and Indiana Avenue
WICHITA

BARNARD'S CLEARANCE SALE

Store Closed Friday

In order to price the goods for the Semi-Annual Clearance Sale, The C. J. Barnard & Company Store will be closed all day, Friday, December 8th

SEMI-ANNUAL

Annual Clearance Sale

Monday morning, December 9th, and Tuesday, Saturday, December 23rd

Sales during the year, usually in July and January. This year, because of the fact we are carrying an extra large stock, we have decided to give Christmas buyers the advantage of the sale prices. It is a privilege. The prices are reduced to the very lowest point possible. The goods are sold with the same guarantee that goes with our regular merchandise. The merchandise we are offering has been selected with great care, both for quality and price. There is no better in North Texas. The sale price will apply to all goods. It will be from 10 to 50 per cent off the regular retail price.

CLEARANCE SALE OF TABLE LINENS.

| | |
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| 25c value | |
| 58 inches wide | 19c |
| 40c value | |
| 64 inches wide | 33c |
| 50c value | |
| 62 inches wide | 43c |
| 75c value | |
| 70 inches wide | 63c |
| \$1.00 value | |
| 70 inches wide | 89c |
| \$1.25 value | |
| 70 inches wide | 98c |
| \$1.50 value | |
| 70 inches wide | \$1 23 |
| \$2.50 value | |
| 72 inches wide | \$1 98 |

CLEARANCE SALE CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

Made of good Gingham, Percales and Galatea Cloths; one half price.

LADIES' SHOES AT CLEARANCE SALE PRICE.

A splendid showing of the season's newest styles in Ladies' Footwear, in all the newest shapes and lasts, button and lace at CHALLENGE SALE PRICES.

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| \$1.75 and \$2.00 Ladies' Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 45 |
| \$2.50 Ladies' Shoes in all leathers | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 00 |
| One lot Ladies' tan velvet boot, \$4.50 values. | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 95 |
| \$3.00 Ladies' Shoes, patent, button and blucher | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 25 |
| One lot \$4.50 Velvet Top Boot, black and tan | Clearance Sale Price | \$3 25 |
| \$4.00 Ladies' Selby Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$3 40 |

CHILDREN'S SHOES AT CLEARANCE

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| \$2.25 Children's Buster Brown Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 75 |
| \$2.00 Children's Buster Brown Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 50 |
| \$1.75 Children's Buster Brown Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 35 |
| \$1.50 Children's Buster Brown Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 15 |

CLEARANCE SALE MEN'S SHOES.

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| \$6.50 Hanan patent leather shoes, button and blucher | Clearance Sale Price | \$3 95 |
| \$5.00 Steadfast Shoes, all leathers, blucher and button | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 95 |
| \$5.00 Barnard's Special Shoes, all leathers, button and blucher | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 95 |
| \$3.50 and \$4.00 Holland Shoes, all leathers, button and blucher | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 45 |
| \$2.50 Waldorf Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 15 |
| \$6.00 Tan Boots | Clearance Sale Price | \$4 25 |
| \$5.50 Tan Work Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$3 15 |
| \$2.50 Tan Work Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 15 |

ONE LOT OF TAILORED SUITS.

Made of splendid materials, plain and trimmed styles, fancy mixtures and solid colors, ranging in price from \$10.00 to \$22.50, as long as they last at one-half price.

CLEARANCE SALE OF BOY'S SHOES.

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| One lot \$3.00 and \$3.50 Boy's Holland Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 75 |
| \$2.50 Boy's Buster Brown Shoes, all leathers | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 15 |
| \$2.25 Boy's Shoes | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 85 |
| \$6.00 Boy's Tan Boot | Clearance Sale Price | \$3 25 |
| \$3.50 Boy's Tan Boot | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 85 |

MEN'S SHIRTS AT CLEARANCE SALE PRICES.

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| \$2.00 Shirts | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 50 |
| \$1.75 Shirts | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 35 |
| \$1.50 Shirts | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 20 |
| \$1.00 and \$1.25 Shirts | Clearance Sale Price | 90c |
| 50c Blue Work Shirts | Clearance Sale Price | 40c |

CLEARANCE SALE MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

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| \$2.50 Men's Ribbed Union Suits | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 15 |
| \$1.50 Men's Sale Price | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 15 |
| \$1.00 Men's Union Suits | Clearance Sale Price | 90c |
| \$1.00 Men's Ribbed Undershirts and Drawers, each | Clearance Sale Price | 90c |
| 50c Men's Ribbed and Fleece Undershirts and Drawers, each | Clearance Sale Price | 40c |

MEN'S AND BOY'S SWEATER COATS.

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| All \$3.00 values on sale at | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 50 |
| All \$2.50 Sweater Coats | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 95 |
| All \$2.00 Sweater Coats | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 50 |
| All 85c Sweater Coats | Clearance Sale Price | 65c |
| All 50c Sweater Coats | Clearance Sale Price | 40c |

EXTRA SPECIAL.

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| One lot Men's Extra Size Pants at half price. | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 25 |
| One lot \$1.50 Work Pants | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 50 |
| Men's \$2.00 Work Pants | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 50 |
| Men's Sweet Orr Jumper and Overalls the garment | Clearance Sale Price | 90c |
| One lot heavy Buck Gauntlet Gloves | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 00 |
| \$1.50 value for | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 00 |

CLEARANCE SALE OF DRESS GOODS.

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| 50c all wool Batiste | Clearance Sale Price | 20c |
| 50c Wool Challies | Clearance Sale Price | 20c |
| 2 pieces only, Brown and Lavender Bengaline | Clearance Sale Price | 65c |
| \$1.00 Mohairs, all colors | Clearance Sale Price | 35c |
| \$1.00 all wool Serges, 50 inches wide, all colors; Sale Price | Clearance Sale Price | 90c |
| \$1.00 Broadcloth | Clearance Sale Price | 80c |
| \$2.00 Broadcloth | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 45 |

CLEARANCE SALE OF COTTON AND WOOL BLANKETS.

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| \$1.00 values; Clearance Sale Price | 75c | |
| \$1.25 values; Clearance Sale Price | 90c | |
| \$1.50 values; Clearance Sale Price | \$1 25 | |
| \$2.25 Woolnap Blankets | Clearance Sale Price | \$1 80 |
| \$3.50 Woolnap Blankets | Clearance Sale Price | \$2 70 |
| \$5.00 All Wool Blankets | Clearance Sale Price | \$4 25 |
| \$6.50 All Wool Blankets | Clearance Sale Price | \$5 50 |

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the greatest variety to purchase first-class merchandise that will come to you Holiday goods

VELVET BAGS

Just received a beautiful lot of Velvet Bags; prices range from 50c to \$6.50. 20% reduction during the sale.

CURTAIN DRAPERY.

| | |
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| 15c values | 12 1/2c |
| 25c values | 19c |
| 35c values | 29c |
| 50c values | 43c |

LADIES' AND MISSES' HOSE.

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| Ladies' Silk Hose, \$1.25 value; Sale Price | 98c |
| Ladies' Silk Hose, \$1 value; Sale Price | 89c |
| 50c Lisle and Silk Hose, on sale at | 43c |
| 25c Lisle Hose | 21c |

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS.

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| Sample line of Ladies' Handkerchiefs at one-fourth off. | |
| Lot 10c Handkerchiefs at | 6c |
| Lot 5c Handkerchiefs at | 3 1/2c |

BARNARD & COMPANY

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

DOES MARRIAGE

KILL AMBITION?

It is unfortunately true that many people appear to lose all desire to get on in the world after their marriage. But it is well to remember that some people will always stop on reaching a certain point, whether married or single. Marriage by itself does not kill ambition in any man or woman. There must be some other reason if ambition goes die.

With women, of course, there must be a certain amount of shattered ambitions with marriage. It is necessary. The old, worldly ambitions for self must be laid aside by every woman who aims at being a thoroughly good wife. Their place will be taken by new ambitions, more splendid ones—ambitions which are much better worth while. But that has little to do with the point. It is men who are mostly concerned in this question.

Instead of killing a man's ambition, marriage ought to—and does—strengthen it, and add to it in every way. Moreover, many a man who in single life has appeared to have no ambitions, has been discovered by marriage. Scores, too, who as bachelors would be content to drift along when they reached a certain limit, rekindle the fires of their ambition on their wedding day.

It stands to reason that a man is better able and more ready to work out his ambitions when he has something definite to work for, instead of the shadowy, intangible shapes of bachelor land.

When a man has a wife to encourage him in time of failure, to sympathize with his ideals—above all, to believe in him with all her heart—then marriage doubles and triples his ambitions. He simply must be ambitious, and struggle to realize his ambitions for her sake. That alone is sufficient proof that, where the real stuff exists, marriage can not kill ambition. But it must be a marriage of love.

Of course, there is this to be considered: Only rarely does a man work so solidly after marriage as before. But he works better usually. Spare time when in bachelor days would have been given to work, after marriage is devoted to home and wife. That is only as it should be. It is not at all a proof of the fact that a man possesses less ambition.

Very much depends upon individuals. If a man marries a woman who takes no manner of interest in his work—who gives him neither sympathy nor encouragement—he may lose ambition. But in such cases it is quite wrong to lay the blame for dead ambitions upon the shoulders of poor old matrimony.

People who regard marriage as the end of everything may let their ambitions fall into nothingness after the event. Probably the world loses little. Usually things are contrariwise. Marriage makes and augments ambition in both men and women. At the outset husband and wife know that the other's happiness lies in the well-doing of one another. So they "hitch their wagon to a star," and try to do whatever comes their way as excellently as is possible. Later on there are the children. They want the youngsters to be proud of their parents—to regard them as the best father and mother in the world.

Marriage does not kill ambition; it offers it every stimulus to grow and expand.

A FAIR OFFER.

Your Money Back if You're Not Satisfied.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, colorless and tasteless; very pronounced, yet gentle and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. They do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping, or any inconvenience whatever. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

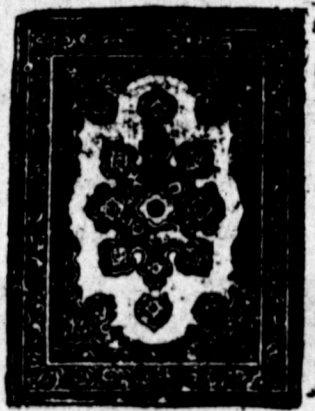
If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember, you can get them in Wichita Falls only at our store. 12 tablets 10 cents; 26 tablets 25 cents; 80 tablets 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store, O. F. Marchman Drug Store.

Their Majesties Enter Delhi. Delhi, India, Dec. 7.—King George and Queen Mary today made their state entry into Delhi to begin the round of ceremonies which will culminate next Tuesday in the great Imperial Durbar. Their Majesties were accorded an enthusiastic reception by the immense crowds gathered about the gates to the city. Viceroy Hardinge and the governors and heads of provinces welcomed the King and Queen, while a notable gathering of native princes and their escorts awaited the imperial visitors inside the city walls. The city and people alike were bedecked in the gayest holiday attire. The official reception today marked the beginning of a ten days pro-

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Xmas Rugs—Beautiful 9x12, \$15.00 Brussels Rug, on sale for \$9.85

Buy her one and make her happy.



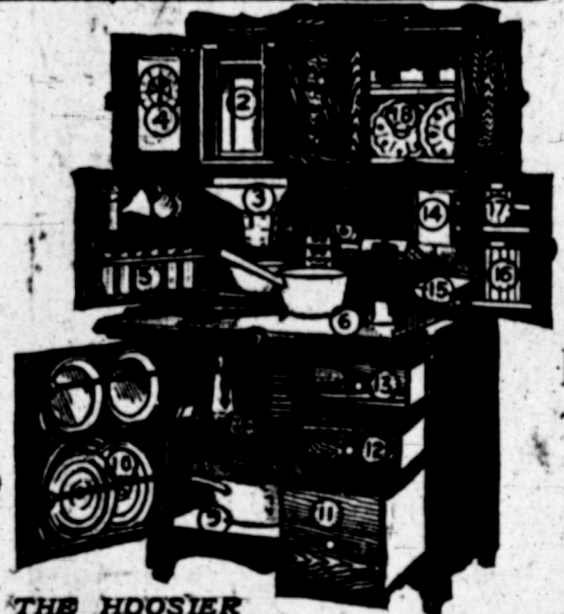
Early Jardiner Stands

On sale while they last

85c



Buy Her—who you love so much—a Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet—a Xmas Present she will enjoy all the rest of her life



THE HOOSIER MAKES THE MODEL KITCHEN.

Ladies' Shirtwaist Boxes on Sale

They Make Dandy Xmas Presents

Tomorrow we place on sale a first-class shirtwaist box made of White Bass Wood, covered with fine grade of White Jap Matting. A box that's sold by others for \$3.50 on sale at Store our for

\$1.90



Morris Chairs on Sale

for

\$6.85

Here is a Big Xmas Bargain—

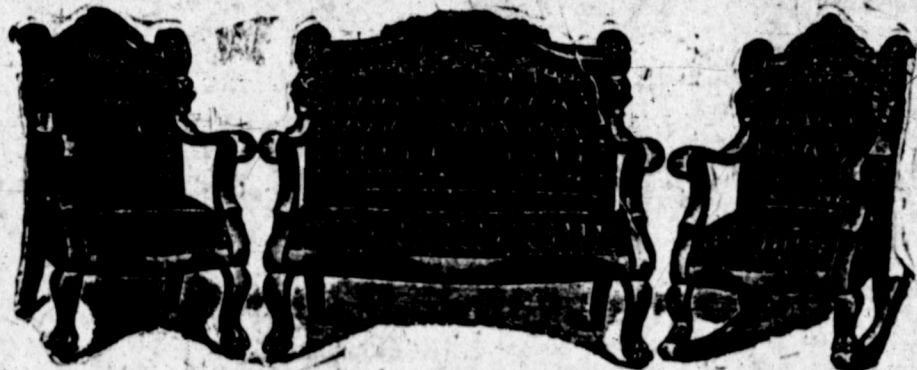
This \$10.00 Spring Seat Rocker on Sale at our Store for

\$5.85

Xmas Rockers for Children—

See the Dandy Little Rocker we can sell you for

95c



Xmas Parlor Suits—

We can show you a saving on Parlor Suits. See the one we sell you for

\$29.50

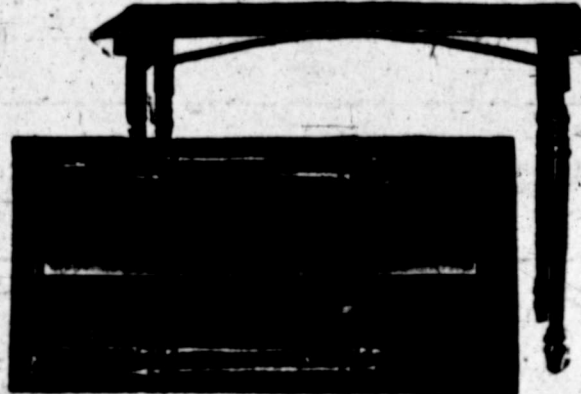


Royal Rest Chairs "THE PUSH-BUTTON KIND"

Morris Chairs on Sale

for

\$6.85



Xmas Sewing Tables for

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gram of elaborate ceremonies. In addition to the Durbar itself the events will include the laying of the foundation stone of the King Edward Memorial, the attendance of the King and Queen at divine service in the great tented city without the walls, a grand review of British and native troops, and a race meeting and military tournament. The program will conclude with a state progress through the city of Delhi, at which more than half of all the domesticated elephants in India are expected to be in use.

CARELESS ABOUT APPENDICITIS IN WICHITA FALLS.

Many Wichita Falls people have stomach or bowel trouble which is likely to turn into appendicitis. If you have constipation, sour stomach, or gas on the stomach, try simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adlerika, the new German appendicitis remedy. Wichita Falls druggist states that A SINGLE DOSE of this simple remedy relieves bowel or stomach trouble almost INSTANTLY. O. F. Marchman sells it.

WOMEN'S HAIR.

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