POLITICS AND THINGS

That are Done in an Unusual Way in Kansas.

CONTEST FOR THE SENATE

How Insurance Business and Salt Industry are Worked.

Wichita correspondence of the Chicago Record:

Wichita, Kan., April 29.—I have said very little about politics in Kansas, because there is very little to say. The masses of the people are so busy getting rich and so well satisfied with their condition that they do not take much interest in anything else and the professional politicians—the walking delegates who organize reform movements—are not as popular as they were a few years ago.

As a rule the people of Kansas are fond of political discussion. They read and talk and think on abstract subjects more than any other community in the world. They like to theorize and experiment and are progressive in their ideas as well as in their methods. A Kansas farmer will ride farther to a political meeting than any other man in the world. Hence they are easy prey for demagogues, particularly when times are hard, prices low and things don't go to suit them; but no one can fool them for a great while at any time. They require ocular demonstration within reasonable limits, and when they discover that a theory or a machine doesn't work they take it to pieces and generally find out what is the matter. They are fond of novelties in all branches of life and lines of experience and are willing o give almost anything a trial.

For the last few years they have been trying Populism. They have been told that the theories advanced by the leaders of that party were a universal panacea for all ills that human kind is heir to, and at one time they were almost convinced that the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 was absolutely necessary to restore prosperity in this country and secure prices for wheat, corn, cattle, hogs and poultry that would make their cultivation profitable.

A period of prosperity such as they never before experienced and scarcely hoped for has blessed the state without the aid of legislative action, and they see the fallacy of the theories they have been advocating with so much ardor. As a result the Populist party in Kansas is practically extinct, but the leaders are making heroic efforts to revive and reorganize it with new issues that are very close to socialism. The Advocate of Topeka, the leading organ of the Populist party, of which ex-Senator Peffer was the editor for many years, has already renounced Populism and declared for socialism. It has a large following in the state. The other Populist newspapers regard it as an oracle, and although Senator Peffer has nothing to do with it now it retains the odor of sanctity and the reputation of wisdom.

Thegre ater number of Populists are "crawling back into the tents" of the old parties and their former associates permit them to do so without recrimination. By common consent when a former Democrat or Republican renounces Populism no remarks are made and no questions are asked.

"We lose a good deal of fun by our forbearance," said one of the local leaders at Cherryvale the other day, "and sometimes it is impossible to prevent the boys from 'joshing' those who have been particularly prominent in the Populist or silver movement. Some of the returning prodigals are good natured and inclined to take a humorous view of their experience. It happened the other day that our Republican club voted sixteen to favor of a certain proposition and one against it, whereupon, when the result was announced, an old chap who had been very active in the free coinage ranks and has only recently returned to the Republican party, arose, and with a grin on his face, remarked: 'Brethren, I am the man that voted in the negative, but as I've already had enough of 16 to 1 in mine, I will move to make it unanimous.'"

Do they feel any resentment toward their old leaders?" I asked.

"Perhaps, but they won't show it. They don't say much and don't take any notice of them."

"How do the leading silver men account for the restoration of prosperity without free coinage?"

"They don't try to account for it; they simply decline to discuss the subject and the leaders are kept busy denying what they formerly said. For instance, Mr. Peffer now declares that he never said that if Kansas was put on the auction block and sold at sheriff's sale it would not bring enough to pay its debts. He denies that he ever used such language. Jerry Simpson now explains that he meant the people in the slums of the great cities instead of the population of his district when he said, 'the men are selling their honor, the women their virtue and the children are begging for bread,' but I know a hundred people who heard Peffer and Simpson say those same things. They were stock phrases used in all their speeches to describe the condition of affairs in Kansas under the rule of the Republican party, and when people were despondent and discouraged they sounded all right, but now nobody dares to make a remark of this kind in the state."

"Have they repudiated Bryan?"

"No; Bryan is as popular as he ever was. He has a tremendous hold upon the people, and the Democrats will send a delegation to the convention for him, no matter what happens. He is an ideal, and can make his own platform. They will swear to anything he says—I mean the Democrats, not the Populists, although there is likely to be a fusion of the two parties in opposition to the Republicans, not for love, but for policy. Neither has a ghost of a show alone, but if they combine on candidates they may possibly elect somebody."

The opinion among politicians at Topeka and elsewhere is that the Populist party will completely disappear before the next election, as the Greenback and the Farmer's Alliance did, and that the Democratic leaders will shape their platform to catch all the opposition. Their intention now is to attack the trusts as the result of Republican tariff legislation and accuse McKinley of encouraging their organization; to advocate the imposition of heavy taxes upon all trusts and corporations so as to make them support the state institutions instead of taxing the farmers to do it; insist upon the passage of laws requiring the sale of franhises for the benefit of the public; to require a heavy fee for the incorporation of companies and to require all corporations doing business in the state to take out articles of incorporation here or pay a heavy license; to require all incorporated companies to file statements of their earnings and expenses with the state auditor under oath and pay 2 per cent or some similar ratio of their earnings into the treasury. There are various other schemes to make the corporations unhappy, and they are directed not only at the railroads and banks, but at every manufacturing establishment and every stock company organized for any purpose whatever. Then the leaders of the new crusade propose to regulate everything—prices, wages and hours of labor—which, they think, will be a popular proposition with the working classes and the labor unions. There was a hint of such legislation at the last session when a member of the lower house of the legislature introduced a bill to regulate the barbers of the state, to require them to pass examinations to determine their competency, like physicians and horse doctors, and limiting their charges to 10 cents for a shave, 15 cents for a haircut, 20 cents for a shave and haircut combined and 20 cents for a shave, haircut and shampoo. It proposed a charge of 25 cents for dyeing a mustache and 50 cents for whiskers. It is proposed to fix the rate of wages to be paid farm laborers, miners, factory operatives, household servants, railway employes and all other kinds of skilled labor and the rate of farm and house rentals. No real estate owner is to be allowed to charge more than 6 per cent upon the valuation of his property as returned by the assessor for houses, stores, etc., and they argue that in this way the people can catch the "money sharks" coming and going. If they try to cheat the state out of its proper taxes their tenants will profit thereby.

Another great scheme is state insurance. More than $1,000,000 is sent east from Kansas every year in the form of premiums upon life, fire and tornado insurance, and at least 75 per cent of it is clear profit to the companies. An investigation has shown, they say, that 25 per cent of the premiums will pay all the losses. Hence the state ought to have the benefit of this profit instead of the "money devils and capitalistic vampires of Wall street." The state can and should insure its citizens against the loss of their lives, their houses and furniture, their cattle, their sheep and their horses, and the difference between the money collected for premiums and that needed to settle losses ought to be placed in a permanent sinking fund for the benefit of the unfortunate in the years to come. As the interest upon it accumulates insurance premiums can be reduced and after a while the state can insure its citizens free of charge.

An equally fantastic scheme is a system of state stockyards. At present the farmer loses a considerable part of the profits on the cattle he sends to market because he is compelled to pay for hauling them at Kansas City and allow a liberal commission to the middle man who stands between him and the packing house. To remedy this it is proposed that the state of Kansas should engage in the commission business in competition with the many enterprising firms at Kansas City, Wichita and other cattle markets, and handle the cattle of its citizens free of cost.

In other words, what is known as state socialism is rapidly developing in Kansas, and the Democratic leaders intend to make it a political issue in the next campaign. In the meantime the people will be educated in, there now also by the press, by pamphlets and other documents and by discussion in the local journals and debating societies.

The Swiss referendum plan of legislation is also talked about, but it does not appeal to the Kansans. While the Democrats will denounce the imperialistic designs of President McKinley they do not dare take very strong grounds against expansion, for that is very popular down here. The Kansas boys who are fighting in the Philippines have made such a glorious record that they seem to be a part of the expansion doctrine or at least so closely associated with it that "everything goes."

The seat now occupied by Mr. Baker in the United States senate will not be vacant for two years, but the struggle to capture it has already begun, and, in fact, has been going on for a year or more, with Mr. Burton, who was a commissioner to the world's fair, as the most active and prominent figure. Mr. Burton tells me he has made 680 speeches thus far in his senatorial canvass and will continue his campaign until the election. He is working very close to the ground and is making himself known in every home in Kansas. I do not recall any campaign for office so prolonged, so earnest and so personal.

Mr. Burton's chief opponent is "Cy" Leland the Kansas member of the national Republican committee and United States pension agent at Topeka. Mr. Leland is a professional politician and has been on the turf a long time. He has a reputation for shrewdness and other political accomplishments greater than that of any other man in the state. He has the support and the control of the Republican organization and the sympathy of his associates on the national committee, and although he is not an avowed candidate for the senate everybody knows that his ambition has always been that way and that he intends to elect himself or name the man.

Mr. Baker, the present incumbent, is a popular man and has served acceptably to all classes. He is not taking any part in the canvass, but his many friends are keeping watch of things for him, and he expects a renomination.

A new industry in Kansas is the manufacture of salt. A large deposit has been discovered on the line of the Santa Fe railroad near the town of Hutchinson, in the central part of the state, which the local geologists claim to be the largest in the world. More than $2,000,000 has already been invested in plants to purify it and the output last year reached nearly 2,000,000 barrels.

The members of the Mulvane family, of Topeka, who are heavy landowners, bankers and proprietors of the Topeka Capital newspaper, are the largest salt operators in the state, but George Gould and his brothers, of New York, are also heavily interested. Frank Gould, the youngest son of the late Jay Gould, who has only recently reached his majority, is having his first business experience in the management of the company.

WILLIAM E. CURTIS.

INDULGENT MOTHERS

MANY a dutiful daughter pays in pain for her mother's ignorance or perhaps neglect.

The mother suffered and she thinks her daughter must suffer also. This is true only to a limited extent. No excessive pain is healthy. Every mother should inform herself for her own sake and especially for the sake of her daughter. Write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for her advice about all matters concerning the ills of the feminine organs.

Many a young girl's beauty is wasted by unnecessary pain at time of menstruation, and many indulgent mothers with mistaken kindness permit their daughters to grow careless about physical health.

MISS CARRIE M. LAMB, Big Beaver, Mich., writes: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—A year ago I suffered from profuse and irregular menstruation and leucorrhœa. My appetite was variable, stomach sour and bowels were not regular, and was subject to pains like colic during menstruation. I wrote you and began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used two packages of Sanative Wash. You can't imagine my relief. My courses are natural and general health improved."

MRS. NANNIE ADKINS, La Due, Mo., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I feel it my duty to tell you of the good your Vegetable Compound has done my daughter. She suffered untold agony at time of menstruation before taking your medicine; but the Compound has relieved the pain, given her a better color, and she feels stronger, and has improved every way. I am very grateful to you for the benefit she has received. It is a great medicine for young girls."

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Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the worst stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that will do it—Pyramid Pile Cure.

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Mrs. M. C. Hinkle, 80 Mississippi street, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I have suffered from the pain and annoyance of piles for fifteen years. The Pyramid Pile Cure and Pyramid Pills gave me immediate relief and in a short time a complete cure."

Major Dean, of Columbus, Ohio, says: I wish to add to the number of certificates as to the benefit derived from the Pyramid Pile Cure. I suffered from piles for forty years and from itching piles for twenty years and two boxes of Pyramid Pile Cure have effectually cured me.

Most druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you if you ask them to. It is 50 cents for a full sized package and is put up only by the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

SANTA FE

WILL BUILD BIG ADDITION

To Its Freight Depot in the East Douglass Yards.

The Santa Fe people have planned a 50-foot two story addition to their freight depot in the East Douglas yards and work on the construction will begin right away. The addition will be on the south end of the present structure and two stories in height.

Another proof of the Santa Fe's increasing business here is the fact that a resident supervisory engineer, G. E. McCoy of Newton, will be stationed here, and he brings a local permanent force of eleven men with him. The Santa Fe is doing a big business in Wichita as well as an increase at all its points in Kansas. Shippers will be glad to learn of the increased freight accommodations and the city in general will regard with pleasure the placing of a resident engineer here an indication of larger similar improvements.

NO RIGHT TO UGLINESS

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, botches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at G. Gehring's drug store.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt gratitude and thanks to our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the last sickness of our mother.

MR. AND MRS. J. T. BLACK.

GREENE IS ON TRIAL

Aged Wife-Murderer Brought Into Court.

DEFENSE TO BE INSANITY

Work of Impanelling Jury Now in Progress.

Thomas Greene, who cruelly murdered his wife on the depot platform at Furley on the morning of December 29 last, and then turned the smoking pistol on himself in a vain attempt at suicide, was brought into the court room yesterday morning to be tried for murder in the first degree.

In the endeavor to select a competent and acceptable jury, all of the regular panel had been exhausted and a special venire had to be issued for thirty others. All day yesterday, after the arguments had been made in the Chris Shores case, was consumed in examining jurymen, and it seems that this feature of the case will occupy a great deal more time yet, as the jury was not selected at adjourning time last night.

Insanity will be one if the pleas of the defense, as every witness examined yesterday was asked the usual questions on this point, and one of the attorneys admitted that this would probably be the strongest defense that could be made.

Greene was brought into the court by the court bailiff and given a chair at the west end of the attorneys' table. He wore a heavy overcoat, a colored shirt and a soft hat, but was more neatly dressed than when he went to jail. He sat in the court room apparently oblivious to the serious nature of his crime, and occasionally he would look at the jury, but with a blank expression. His countenance was poor, and he kept his eyes on the floor most of the time. At times he was very nervous. His hands would tremble and he was jerky and ill at ease, though apparently not from anything he heard in the court room. Occasionally he would put his hand to his head and press steadily on his temple for a few moments, and then he would say something to himself.

The special venire subpoenaed to appear for examination for this case consisted of the following citizens: C. E. Carr, C. H. Wickham, W. J. Tatman, Daniel Harmon, Will Dunn, W. J. Kretzer, R. B. Kerr, S. W. Balch, John Wilson, Frank Oliver, I. N. Dean, Ed Horner, S. Slade, W. M. Wallace, Daniel Tierney, George Blood, Albert Stearnes, W. F. Falkes, James Corey, J. P. Royal, George Robbins, Joe Fager, Orie Manifee, D. L. Green, Winnie Booth, John Schumacher, H. A. Ried, William Dunkin.

The crime for which Thomas Greene is to be tried is the murder of his wife, Sarah E. Greene, last December. The crime was brutal and cowardly the like of which had never before been known in the quiet little village of Furley. Mrs. Greene had come to Wichita a few days before the tragedy to see a lawyer with regard to the proper procedure necessary in a divorce suit, a petition for which she was going to file against her husband. After she left Furley, Greene smashed all the furniture in the house and then came to Wichita. Mrs. Greene went back to Furley, and after seeing what her husband had done, she came back and ordered Attorney Hamilton to draw up the petition for divorce, which he did, and it was signed and filed that day. When Mrs. Greene took the morning Rock Island train back to Furley on the morning of the 29th of December, Greene was on the same train. He had a revolver in his pocket with which to kill her, but he waited until they reached Furley, and as his wife stepped from the train he walked up behind her and shot her just behind the right ear, killing her almost instantly. Then he turned the weapon upon himself and fired. The bullet glanced and he was knocked down, but not seriously injured. He shot at himself three times without effect, and seemingly disgusted at his poor markmanship, he walked up the track, picked up a coupling pin and began beating himself over the head. The murdered wife lay on the platform enveloped in a pool of her own blood, a grueesome, somber spectacle of the ending of twenty-two years of wedded life.

Ruth Greene, one of the daughters who remained at home, said after she heard of the tragedy that her father was not in his right mind. She said he had been hit with a derrick, and that the doctor had said there was a tumor on his brain. Others said it was the demon of jealousy preying upon Greene's mind. There had been rumors of the wife's infidelity circulated about the little village, and Greene mentioned after the tragedy that Charles McDowell had wronged him, but now that his wife was dead he could not do it any more. The coroner and Sheriff Simmons arrived on the scene a few hours after the occurrence, and the murdered wife was taken to the little blue house which had been her home, and the husband and murderer was taken in another direction—to jail.

BISMARCK'S IRON NERVE

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents at G. Gehring's drug store.

ROB'T M'KNIGHT DEAD

Will be Buried Sunday Afternoon From the Residence.

Robert McKnight died yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock at his home, 256 North Lawrence. Religious services will be conducted at the home Sunday afternoon by Rev. Stutz, of the First Methodist church and the funeral will occur from the residence.

UNFORTUNATE PEOPLE

Are they who while suffering from Kidney Diseases are prejudiced against all advertised remedies. They should know that Foley's Kidney Cure is not a quack remedy, but an honest, guaranteed medicine for Kidney and Bladder troubles. 50c and $1 a bottle. Hocking Drug Co., G. Gehring, and Wells Miller, druggists.

JOHN MOORE CONVICTED

Hutchinson Murderer Attempts to Run Away.

A dispatch from Hutchinson says: John Moore who, in March last, cut the throats of his five little children, crushed their skulls with a hatchet and then set fire to the house in order to conceal his crime, was convicted today of murder in the first degree, which means a life term in the penitentiary. The murderer pleaded apoplectic insanity. Immediately after the jury had returned its verdict of guilty the presiding judge received a letter from a physician in Arkansas City, Kan., who had previously attended Moore, and who wrote that the man was undoubtedly afflicted with appoplectic insanity. This letter will probably be used as the basis of an application for a new trial.

As he was being taken from the court room to the county jail Moore broke away from the sheriff and ran. The officer fired five shots without effect, but continued the pursuit and a few minutes later captured the convict in the house of his father-in-law.

WHEN WEAK, WEARY AND WASTED

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SHEARMAN IN THE LEAD

Dennis Flynn on the Race for Tom Reed's Place.

Dennis Flynn was in the city last evening on his way home from Washington. He was glad to hear that the report that Chief Keokuk of the Sacs and Foxes is dead, was untrue.

"Chief Keokuk," said Mr. Flynn, "is a grand old Indian. He is just like you would fancy Tecumseh was. He is intelligent and noble in his racial pride. He has been a very good friend of mine, too, for he and his friends always vote for me."

Asked about affairs in Washington, he said:

"I think that Shearman is in the lead for the speakership. And, by the way, I believe that free homes is a certainty this coming session of congress."

"Did you see the president?"

"Yes. I had quite a talk with him. He looks like an over worked man, and he is."

"How does Mr. Hitchcock, the new secretary of the interior, strike you?"

"Hitchcock is a fine gentleman and is taking a great interest in the work of the department and asked me many questions of Oklahoma. I saw him particularly in regard to the opening of the Wichita reservation and interested him."

Charles R. Wessmar, 2503 Ashland street, Evanston, Ill., writes: My boy, 2½ years old, had a severe cold which refused to yield to any treatment until we tried Foley's Honey and Tar which gave immediate relief, and he was completely cured before using one bottle. Guaranteed, 25 and 50 cents. Hocking Drug Co., G. Gehring, and Wells Miller, druggists.

WICHITA DELEGATES

To the Transmississippi Congress Named by Mayor Ross.

Secretary McKnight has received word from Congressman Lewis, of the state of Washington, that he will attend the congress and deliver an address. Senator Harris also promises to come. Governor Barnes has appointed the following delegates: D. D. Larsh, Norman; H. C. St. Clair, Kingfisher; Otto Bekemeyer, Guthrie; G. L. Miller, Guthrie; J. J. Shaffer, Stillwater; G. E. Morrow, Stillwater; H. N. Leonard, Oklahoma City; W. J. Peltes, Oklahoma City; Judge Frank Dale, Guthrie; U. C. Guss, Guthrie; M. L. Turner, Oklahoma City; L. J. Gunn, El Reno.

Mayor Ross has appointed the following delegates from Wichita: M. M. Murdock, T. B. Wall, James B. Allison, C. E. Potts, H. J. Hagny, G. M. Dickson, Ross Harris.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

DIED FROM THE MEASLES

Little Ruth Adams Buried Yesterday Afternoon.

Little Edith Ruth Adams, who died Thursday evening, just at sunset, was buried yesterday at 2:30 o'clock. She was but sixteen and a half months old, and was a sweet little child, the darling of her parents. She had had the measles and did not get along very well, and not being strong she failed rapidly till death came. The parents live just south of Elmwood Park. The funeral was conducted by C. H. Wareham, of the First Baptist church. The sympathies of all are extended to the household bereft of one of its jewels.

CITY IN BRIEF

Miss Lena Murdock of El Dorado is visiting Miss Pearl Murdock.

Mr. W. G. Noel, who lives on College Hill, is reported seriously ill with pneumonia fever.

Mrs. George G. Allison of Pratt, Kan., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Allison on South Main.

Mrs. J. H. Wilde of Childress, Texas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Haymaker, 330 South Water.

William Walker, editor of the Belle Plaine Independent, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. Harry Fell of Chicago, formerly cashier of a bank in Pratt, Kan., was in the city yesterday on business.

Sam Hess is hiding in Pratt county. He sent to Fred Stuckey yesterday for a dozen blankets and a snow shovel.

W. G. Noel, the tailor, is dangerously sick of pneumonia at his home on College Hill. He is not expected to live.

Captain Joshua Wright of Belle Plaine was in the city yesterday on his way to Holt county, Missouri to visit a sister who lives there.

E. M. Cochran, who has been in the city four weeks taking treatment of Dr. Tirrill, returned to his home at Nowkirk, O. T., yesterday.

Miss Mabel Ayer went to Caldwell yesterday to take charge of a music class for Mrs. Lamb, the well-known music teacher of that place.

Richard Dodd was summoned to Wellington yesterday as a witness in court there, and Douglas Dunkelly was appointed as jury bailiff in Mr. Dodd's absence.

Nearly all of the northbound trains have been a little behind schedule time within the last few days, on account of large shipments of fruit from the south to this city and distributing points.

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"Many hands make light work," and so does Gold Dust Washing Powder. If you are not in a position to employ "many hands" in your housework, you will be both pleased and astonished to see how much you can do with one pair of willing hands by using

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Potatoes, per peck	.23	2 Bunches Asparagus	.05
3 Cans Standard Tomatoes	.25	3 Bunches Onions	.05
3 Cans Standard Corn	.25	3 Bunches Home Grown Radishes	.05
Navel Oranges, per dozen 25c, 30c, 35c and	.40	3 lbs Rhubarb	.10
Fancy Strawberries, per box	.10	9 Bars White Russian Soap	.25
Lettuce, per lb	.15	White Cloud Soap (large bar)	.05
Fresh Cucumbers, each	.10	8 lbs Bulk Starch	.25
		10c Bottle Bluing	.05

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The Children

Do a good share of the buying in groceries nowadays. This store is a safe place to send them; they will get the same attention and prices as people who are better posted. Send them to Weinschenk's and you'll get the best in fresh Vegetables, Strawberries and everything the market affords. Our prices are the lowest.

Globe Seeded Raisins, package	.10
Shelled Almonds, lb	.20
Shelled English Walnuts lb	.20
Fresh Wax or Green Beans	.05
California Yellow Peaches in syrup, can	.14
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Light weights in sturdy qualities. The best of all the new colors in Derbys and Soft Hats. The Derbys are extra light weight, comfortable for hot weather, and good enough to bear our guarantee. $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.

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