

MILLS STORE NEWS

Monday June 22, 1908. The Mills Co., Topeka

White Shirt Waist Skirts and Waists to Wear With Them

A daintily simple summer costume that can be varied by changing the waist, may be made up at small expense, by selecting one of the pretty white skirts that we can show you, and several white waists to wear with it. For example, there are these:

India Linon, Shrunken Moslin, and Linen Skirts

- India Linon Skirt made plain with seam-pleats, box pleats at front and a plain, deep hem. \$2.50
Flare Pleated Shrunken Muslin skirt trimmed with one wide fold above hem. \$2.00
Ten-gore Flare Skirt of shrunken muslin—very stylish in effect—being trimmed with one very narrow shaped fold gracefully applied above hem. \$3.00.

Other Linen Skirts Up to \$8.00

Just to Give You an Idea About the Waists

- \$1.00 Pretty Waist Closed in front under a pleat—giving the effect of a back closing. Front of all-over fine embroidery with tucks, back tucked—long sleeves—tucked and laced edged collar and cuffs.
\$1.00 Dressy Waist closed in the back—front of fine narrow embroidery and lace insertion combined with tucks—arranged in side panel fashion, and with pretty yoke effect. Unusually good style and value.
20 Styles of \$1.00 Waists

White Waists From 50c to \$12.50

HE WAS NOT MURDERED.

Sheriff Says Dwight Brewer Was Drowned Without a Doubt.

It will be remembered that D. L. Brewer, whose son, Dwight, lost his life out in Montana a short time ago, believed that the boy had been murdered, and took the matter up with sheriff Wilkerson of this county, who wrote to the authorities at Missoula, Mont., where the young man met his end, about the case. Then following answer from the prosecuting attorney of that county should set at rest any suspicion of foul play.

river in a boat of some kind, and the boat was capsized, as the river is very rough and swift at this point, and is probably thirty or forty feet deep. I am of the opinion that he perhaps quit work at Bonita, Mont., and went to another railroad camp just across the river from where he was drowned, as Bonita is over a hundred miles from the place where his body was found, and I do not believe it is possible for the body to have floated that distance without someone discovering it.

Trusting this may be of use to Mr. Brewer, I am, very respectfully,

T. N. MARLOWE.

The remains of Dwight Brewer were brought back here for burial last week.

BIG CROWD AT GARFIELD PARK.

Recent Flood Did Not Keep People Away From Concert.

There was a good attendance at Garfield park Sunday to hear the concert by Marshall's band and enjoy the many other amusements of the park. The recent flood did not damage the park to any extent, nor did it hurt the park's popularity as a pleasure resort.

Our Big Piano Sale Is Now in Full Progress

Many fine pianos were selected Friday and Saturday of last week, and many more will find their way into Topeka homes within the next few days.

40 Pianos Still to Be Sold Before the 25th

If you ever want a piano—now is the time to buy. Fine upright pianos at \$100, \$125, \$140, \$150, \$165, \$175 and \$200. Some of these have only been slightly used and are as good as new. TERMS—\$1.00 per week to \$10.00 per month.

W. F. ROEHR MUSIC CO. 630 Kansas Avenue.

HAVE A JOLLY TIME

Saturday Night Club Spends Evening in Country.

Hold Annual Meeting at Cedarcrest, Martin's Hill.

SENATOR LONG THERE.

Proves His Prowess as a Horse-shoe Pitcher.

Olympian Games Develop Many Interesting Contests.

The Saturday Night club was entertained at Cedarcrest, the country place of Frank P. MacLennan Saturday afternoon and evening. The occasion was also the last regular meeting of the club and the annual election of officers. Senator Chester I. Long who is a former member of the club, his secretary, Ralph H. Faxon and Morton Albaugh were the other guests aside from the membership. The trip was made on one of the McAtee hay wagons drawn by a team of giant mules and if the dignified justices aside from the club and the other serious minded members of the famous organization did not enjoy the ride they did not utter an audible protest. The ride must have been different from the ordinary "straw ride" for young Robert Loomis who met the wagon out near Ward's creek shouted to the occupants as he galloped by on his horse "why didn't you yell instead of sitting there like mummies?"

The following schedule was posted conspicuously:

- SCHEDULE. Olympian Games. AT Cedarcrest, Topeka, Kas. Saturday, 5 to 6:30, June 20, 1908.
2-Saturday Nighters-2. GRAND QUOIT MATCH. Justice Silas Porter. Judge Alton W. Dana. Thomas F. Faxon. Robert Stone. Leonard Chester L. Long.
CHAMPION CROQUET CONTEST. John MacDonald. Justice Henry F. Mason. Burton H. Faxon. Elton S. Clark.
CRACK TARGET SHOOTING. Justice Rousseau A. Burch. Llewellyn Klens. Chester I. Long. Frank P. MacLennan. Morton Albaugh. Thomas A. McNeal.
SPRINTING SPURT. 1-16 Mile. One Lap Around Cedar. Frank H. Foster. Oliver P. M. McClintock. Clinton J. Evans. Edward W. Thompson. Ralph H. Faxon. John F. Switzer, referee of all Olympic games.

TO THE WOODS. Those who desire to take to the woods will find a good path leading to the woods at Target Shooting, and as far down into the forest as desired. Refreshments After Games 7 P. M.

Justice Porter has long claimed the championship of Topeka in pitching horseshoes and he was surprised to find to his surprise he received, for Senator Long not only wrested his laurels from him but proved conclusively that his nerve is just as steady as it was the days when he electrified the small boys of Medicine Lodge with his facility for throwing "ringers." Thus, F. Doran also won the prize in the quoit throwing contest though his partner, L. S. Ferry, claims that he really won the championship honors, as Senator Long, he declares, was ineligible as he is not at present a member of the Saturday Night club.

John MacDonald is the undisputed champion croquet player, and in the first game beat the dean of the club to the first post but he was easily dethroned on the return. Justice Mason also did well at the start but he failed to have the staying qualities required for the strenuous contest. Elton S. Clark showed a lack of training. He made some beautiful shots but invariably fell down at the middle wicket. Burton H. Faxon complained of the uneven ground and says that it interfered greatly with his long shots. There was a dispute between Morton Albaugh and Justice Burch and the championship is to be decided some future date. Mr. Albaugh claims that he made two distinct bulls' eyes out of some 50 shots but Justice Burch asserts that the returns were tampered with and that Albaugh was entitled to the title. T. A. McNeal showed up well in the early returns but later dropped entirely out of the running as he was unable to hit the barn door upon which the target was fastened. He is also somewhat overweight and this may have interfered somewhat with his score.

The foot race was a fiasco as several of the runners got lost in the cedars and the race was declared off without a decision being made.

This dinner was served in courses by Mrs. MacLennan, her daughter, Mary and her sister, Miss Caroline Goddard:

- Cherries on Stem. E. W. Vegetable Soup. Fried Spring Chicken. Cedarcrest String Beans. New Potatoes in Cream. Hot Rolls. Cherry Ice. Tomato Salad-Wafers. Cherry Pie, Cream Cheese. Coffee-Cigars.

Mr. MacLennan was on the regular club programme for a paper on the subject, "Some Popular Misconceptions Concerning Newspapers." He discussed the question orally under three heads: First—The misconception concerning the motives for publishing news. Second—The misconception concerning the duties of reporters to secure facts. Third—The misconception that newspapers are always in sore need for something with which "to fill the paper." The paper was discussed informally by the members and guests. Senator Long delivered an interesting talk in which he gave inside history of the late Republican convention from a personal standpoint. He was interrupted with many pertinent and pertinent questions. He described in a thrilling manner the action of a member of the Saturday Night club, who for five minutes took charge of and led the convention from his seat in the gallery during Governor Hanly's speech nominating Fairbanks.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, L. L. Kiene. Vice president, Elton S. Clark. Secretary and treasurer, O. P. M. McClintock. SECRETARY.

HONOR FOR MURLIN.

Has Been Elected President of De Pauw University.

Richmond, Ind., June 22.—Dr. L. H. Murlin of Baldwin, Kan., has been named for the presidency of De Pauw university.

Dr. L. H. Murlin, who is president of Baker university, said when informed of the contents of the above press dispatch by the State Journal: "I have not been officially informed that I have been elected president of De Pauw, though I know my name



Dr. L. H. Murlin.

was being considered by a committee which was appointed to select a successor to Dr. Edwin H. Hughes, who was just recently elected as a bishop of the Methodist church. I am very much in love with my work here and I would not care to say whether I would accept the tender of the presidency of the other institution or not, in the absence of any official notification from the committee. I doubt that there has been an election."

The president of Baker is a graduate of De Pauw, receiving his degree of B. S. in 1892 and S. T. B. in the theological course the year following. Dr. Murlin was born in Mercer County, Ohio, Nov. 16, 1861. Since his graduation he has been made the recipient of the following additional degrees—S. T. D., Denver university, 1897; D. D., Cornell college, Iowa, 1897; B. D., Garrett Biblical institute, From 1896 and for the next three years Dr. Murlin followed special studies at Clark, Pennsylvania and European universities.

In 1894 following two years service as pastor of American churches, he was called to the Methodist Episcopal church he was called to serve as president of Baker university where he has remained continuously ever since.

HOT CIRCULAR OUT.

Somebody Tries to Start Revolution in the Philippines.

Manila, June 22.—An inflammatory anti-American circular has been issued here anonymously and distributed. It bears the calligraphic signs of the old Katipunan society and denounces the Americans, saying they are "tyranny instead of liberty and that their purpose is to rob and enslave the Filipinos. It calls them shameless, dishonest, drunken thieves, attacks the morality of American women and accuses the government of graft.

Pending open revolution, it urges a campaign involving the assassination of individual Americans, burning their homes, killing their animals and concludes with the wish for "long life to the Filipinos," and "death to the Americans."

It is doubted if the circular will be productive of any serious results.

ENGINEERS ARE EXPECTED

Union Pacific Men Will Look Over Flood Situation.

A corps of engineers of the Union Pacific are expected here this week to make preliminary surveys leading to some plan for the protection of North Topeka, and the low lands adjoining from high water.

"The Union Pacific and the city will co-operate in this work, their interests are alike," said Mayor Green. "The whole city of Topeka is interested for the Black River, which flows also affects the city as a whole."

An engineer will be engaged by the city to work along with the engineers furnished by the Union Pacific.

BALL GAME FOR CHARITY.

Smith Auto Team Will Play Missourians at Skene's Park.

An interesting ball game in the interest of charity will be played at Skene's park tomorrow afternoon. The Smith Automobile team with Manager Clark has arranged a game with the crack team of Maryville, Mo., which is now touring this part of the state. The Smith team will in all probability be "spiked" for the game and the best amateur talent of the city will be in the game. The proceeds of the game will be turned over to the Provident Association and applied by them in aiding those who were left helpless by the high water in North Topeka. It will be the only game in town tomorrow and the fans will see good baseball.

Fresh Roasted Coffee

Blend 7-9-11 20c Per Lb. Telephone Your Order Chas. McClintock Tea-Coffee-China 815 Kansas Ave.

FINED \$2,000 EACH

Twenty-Four Manufacturers of Manila Wrapping Paper

Had Pleaded Guilty to Maintaining an Illegal Combine.

WORK OF JOHN NORRIS

Agent of Newspaper Publishers Association.

He Made the Complaint That Started an Investigation.

New York, June 22.—Twenty-four companies manufacturing manila wrapping paper were fined \$2,000 each by Judge Hough in the United States district court today. They pleaded guilty on Friday last to maintaining an illegal combination in restraint of trade. They were members of the Manila Fibre association.

In imposing the fines Judge Hough said that the combination of paper manufacturers was a clear violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, but because of extenuating circumstances he would impose a fine only. The companies have arranged to pay their fines through their counsel.

The case against the companies was instituted through the instrumentality of the American Newspaper Publishers' association for which John Norris, of this city, acted as agent. The companies composed almost the entire membership of the combine of paper manufacturers, which was organized by John H. Parks in 1906. On complaint of Mr. Norris the federal grand jury began an investigation of the combine two months ago and on Friday last returned indictments against 25 companies. District Attorney Stimson, who had charge of the case stated in court that in view of the fact that the companies had saved the government expense by pleading guilty, he would be willing that light fines should be imposed.

Counsel for the companies declared that the combine was formed two years ago to save them from bankruptcy because of the methods of agents for consumers, who he alleged, favored first one group of paper mills and then another in order to cut prices. Counsel also declared that the combine was dissolved when it was learned that the association came within the provisions of the Sherman law.

Joseph Norris, chairman of the committee of the American Newspaper Publishers' association investigating newspaper paper conditions, describing the Sherman anti-trust law, said today, said:

"In September, 1906, 25 fibre and manila mills formed the manila and fibre association, of which John H. Parks was made manager. Immediately after the formation of the association the production of paper dropped from 6,000 to 50,000 tons per cent and the price of paper was advanced \$5 a ton. Other advances followed until the price had been raised \$16 a ton. The admitted profit of the pool was \$1,800,000 annually.

One Known as John Smith. "One of the companies which pleaded guilty is the Continental Paper Bag company, which figured in the records of the association as 'John Smith.' It is the selling agent of the International Paper company, the officers of which testified before the 'Mann committee' of the house of representatives that the company was not interested directly or indirectly, through the selling agents or otherwise in any pool or agreement to restrict production.

"The Fenwick Fibre company, another member of the association was prohibited by the federal court from joining any pool or agreement to restrict the rates or prices of paper since. He is the selling agent of the International Paper company of which combination it was a member. The company did not figure in today's verdict, its case having been taken care of by the attorney general on a contempt of court charge.

"John H. Parks, the manager of the Manila and Fibre association also ran four other pools or price fixing combinations. From these he drew an income of \$150,000 annually. When the present investigation opened Parks fled to Europe and has been avoided since. He is the only individual under indictment. The other indictments were preferred against the companies interested."

Companies That Pleaded Guilty. The following companies pleaded guilty through counsel to violating the Sherman law last Friday: Analomink Paper company, North Water Gap, Pa.; Bayless Pulp and Paper company, Austin, Pa.; Bedford, Va.; Brownville Paper company, Brownville, N. Y.; the Champion Paper company, Carthage, N. Y.; Central Paper company, Monticello, Mich.; Continental Paper Bag company, Watertown, N. Y.; DeGraz Paper company, Puyres, N. Y.; the Dexter Sulphite Pulp and Paper company, Dexter, N. Y.; Detroit Sulphite and Paper company, Detroit, Mich.; Fletcher Paper company, Alpena, Mich.; Gould Paper company, Lyons Falls, N. Y.; Hartley Paper Manufacturing company, Steubenville, O.; the Island Paper company, Carthage, N. Y.; the Island Paper company, Kenosha, Wis.; the Jefferson Paper company, Black River, N. Y.; Newton Falls Paper company, Newton Falls, Vt.; Orono Pulp and Paper company, Orono, Me.; the Parsons Pulp and Paper company, Parsons, W. Va.; the Racquette River Paper company, Potsdam, N. Y.; the York Haven Paper company, New Haven, Pa.; Meyer & Pratt, Lyons Falls, N. Y.; the Munising Paper company, limited, Munising, Mich. In addition to the 23 companies that pleaded guilty last Friday, one other, the Allen Brothers company, of Sandy Hill, N. Y., was in the list of those on which fines were imposed today.

TO OPEN AUGUST 1.

New York Branch Office of Republican Congressional Committee. Washington, June 22.—The Republican congressional committee has arranged to have a branch office in New York city, which in fact will practically be the headquarters of the committee, although technically the headquarters will remain in this city. The office will be on the fifteenth floor of the St. James building and will be opened August 1. It is there that the officers of the committee will spend most of their time and from that office much of the literature will be circulated. The bulk of the frankable literature will be distributed from this city.

Our Demonstration Sale Is Showing You the power of \$15

The small sum of fifteen dollars has identically the same purchasing power during our demonstration sale as \$18, \$20 or \$22.50 in any clothing house we know of. Our \$15 offerings are the biggest and rarest values in the suit business, including every style hit of the season, every good fabric, every desirable color and pattern. The range of sizes is a remarkable thing in itself, for it includes even the "extra" proportions for fat, tall, thin and short man. To clap the climax, we inform you that these garments are the products of Hart Schaffner & Marx and Alfred Benjamin & Co.—and you know their reputation for class and quality. Special attention is directed to the imported Saxony worsteds in \$18 to \$22.50 suit values which we are specializing at. \$15



- Finest Trousers \$5—Odd suit trousers, Hart Schaffner & Marx finest from \$25, \$30 \$35 suits. Pants alone worth \$7, \$8, \$9, \$5 \$10—here
Odd Suits \$1.95—All wool unlined Scotch outing coats, cool, durable, worth \$5, \$8, \$10 each—choice of lot now.....\$1.95
Unlined Summer Coats of blue serge, black serge, brilliantine, alpaca, mohair, in white, gray and black.....\$1.50 to \$7.50

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TO WED IN ENGLAND.

Prince Helie and Anna Gould Have Left France.

Paris, June 22.—The departure of Mme. Anna Gould and Prince Helie de Sagan from Paris for England, where they will be married is confirmed. The couple will not again return to France until the wedding has taken place. George Gould and his family are still in Paris.

The lawyer of Count Boni de Castellane, the divorced husband of Mme. Gould, announces that the count will take no steps to bring about the transfer of the custody of the Castellane children to himself until after the Gould-Sagan marriage has been acted solemnly. The lawyer intimates that something may occur to prevent the wedding. June 22.—Mme. Anna Gould arrived here this morning from Paris.

BOY'S AND GIRL'S BICYCLES

\$12.00 to \$25.00 H. M. CROSS CYCLE CO. 810 Kansas Avenue

board of county commissioners and if he does not like the decision of that board then he may then appeal directly to the tax commission. The commission desires certain information to be used in settling these equalization matters and the blanks which it is furnishing to the county clerks for the use of tax payers contain places for all of this information. Many people have already sent in their appeals and it is often the case that important information is left out in these letters while if the tax payers would obtain the blanks the information required would be shown and it would not be necessary to hold up a decision until further facts are produced.

TAX COMMISSION BLANKS.

People Are Notified That They May Appeal.

The tax commission has sent out the blanks for appeals to the commission from the assessments made by the local assessors. The tax commission is the highest taxation authority in the state. Any person may appeal to the commission to have his valuations equalized. If a tax payer does not like the valuation fixed by the assessor he can appeal to the

WELLS FILES HIS PAPERS.

Says He Has Received Much Encouragement in Senatorial Contest.

Representative Wm. Wells of Hill City is in Topeka today to file his nomination papers for senator in the Thirtieth district represented by Chas. Buschow. Mr. Wells says that he has received a great deal of encouragement in his candidacy and feels confident of success.

PALMER HAMMOCKS AT HALL'S

King Edward recently placed an order for ten ALL SILK PALMER HAMMOCKS at a cost of \$150 each, to be used as presents to his officers in India. We have the same pattern as shown in cut for \$6.00.



We want you to see our 1908 Palmer styles, and make a special offer good for Monday and Tuesday only of All \$5.00 Palmer Hammocks for \$4.00

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