

THE SLOGAN OF WOOD, NEW COMMISSIONER

Appointee Had Experience as Promoter of Railway Companies.

Robert Colgate Wood, who was named to the Public Service Commission by Gov. Glynn yesterday, is a subway booster, an expert street car and gas company financier and a regular Democrat, although he has never been affiliated with any political crowd. Commissioner Wood is thirty-six years old, a Harvard man and a bachelor.

NEW PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER NAMED BY GOVERNOR GLYNN.



Robert C. Wood

His office at No. 48 Exchange Street, in the midst of congratulations poured in by telephone and telegram, the new Commissioner, who succeeded to the vacancy caused by the resignation of John E. Buntin's term, is at length on his ideas of New York's transit problems. He denied knowledge as to who was responsible for his appointment, saying he is a long friend of William Churchman, the Democratic State Chairman, and has been in New York long enough to "become acquainted with politicians more or less." The appointment Mr. Wood characterized as a surprise.

"Of course," he said, "I enter into my public office with an open mind. I believe, however, that Chairman McCall's policy of pushing the transit subway work to the speediest possible conclusion is correct. People who ride in the uptown subway lines realize the distressing conditions. An outlet for this congestion must be found as quickly as possible. I heartily endorse the stand taken by the Public Service Commission in putting the contrasts into perspective as quickly as they are able to do."

Commissioner Wood told of organizing the New York City Interborough Subway ten years ago which served to connect the two uptown subway lines and put tracks over the Washington, Macomb's Dam, Lenox, Williams and Third Avenue bridges. He was the first President of the line and has recently sold out all his interest in the company. Mr. Wood, with his former partner, J. Craig Greenway, financed and promoted over three dozen light and gas companies in American cities and particularly the enterprises fostered by the American Light and Traction Company.

He is a member of the National Democratic Club and worked industriously for the election of President Wilson. In the Bronx, where his grandfather and father lived before him, he is a member of seven civic organizations, besides the Schorner Club, a semi-political organization. He was a fellow trustee of the North Savings Bank with Surrogate George M. S. Schultz, who declined an appointment Mr. Wood received.

Mr. Wood graduated from Harvard and is a member of St. Barnabas's Episcopal Church. He is the son of John Wood and a grandson of Robert Colgate, president of the Atlantic White Lead Company. He has a residence at No. 18 East Thirtieth Street. His mother, Mrs. John Colgate Wood, lives at No. 18 East Thirtieth Street.

Was McManus Dodging Carson's Ulsterites? Lecturer Arrested in Plainfield, N. J., While Hiding Behind Trees.

Plainfield, N. J., May 12.—Senator McManus, the widely known lecturer and author, who is lecturing the summer here, was arrested on Crescent Avenue last night by Patrolman Flitely for acting suspiciously. The officer found him hiding behind trees.

At the time of his arrest he refused to give his name. When assigned to the lecture by Percy H. Stewart in the City Court today he was released on \$5000 recognizance for a hearing Monday.

McManus is a native of County Wick, Ireland.

GENUINE DIAMONDS

One-White Weight CARAT \$29

Our Guarantee

OLD FINGER STEALS AND PLEADS TO BE SENT BACK TO PRISON

An old man, bent and tearful, older than his years, stood before Justice Collins, Moss and McInerney in Special Sessions today awaiting sentence for tearing a fountain pen from a department store.

"Send me to jail," he pleaded, "for I am homeless and destitute. Prison is the only home I have known for many years. I am old and feeble now, and I can't get work. I am down and out."

This was William Mastayer, who thirty years ago worked with the famous Brockway-Unger gang of forgers who were convicted on Mastayer's evidence and got long terms in Federal prisons. Mastayer at that time was sentenced to the Erie County Penitentiary for thirteen months, having pleaded guilty to his part in the operations of the gang.

Since then he has been in many jails for various crimes. All his old pals are dead, and he says he has lived too long. The justice sentenced Mastayer, who was in court under the name of William Kennedy, to Blackwell's Island for one year. Mastayer is now sixty years old.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try this Free Prescription

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these "windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not, so you read or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription: Go to the nearest wide-awake drug store and get a bottle of Opton tablets; fill a 2-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in 1 tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon the inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvellously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes, and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription.—Advt.

The John Wanamaker Store

Formerly A. T. Stewart & Co. Broadway and Ninth

A Great Movement in Men's Clothing

Our best working tailors have only this week let us have a few lots of high quality suits made for us weeks ago and of precisely the same materials and finished by the same workmen as earlier lots which we sold at much higher—our regular, fair—prices.

Lot No. 1—Suits of the same materials, finished by the same workmen as earlier suits which we sold at \$30, \$35 and \$40—not any of them for less than \$30. Now we will be ready for Thursday's Sale of all the above high grades, the choice, at \$23.50. To be exact—
98 suits of \$40 quality 81 suits of \$37.50 quality 156 suits of \$32.50 quality
124 suits of these are of \$35 quality 237 suits of these are of \$30 quality

All to Be Sold at \$23.50

Lot No. 2—Suits of the same materials finished by the same workmen as earlier lots we sold for \$25, \$27.50 and \$30. To be exact
103 suits of \$30 quality. 264 suits of \$25 quality. 173 suits of \$27.50 quality.

All to Be Sold at \$18.50

Lot No. 3—Suits of the same materials and finished by the same workmen as earlier suits which were sold at \$20, \$22.50 and \$25. To be exact
172 suits of \$25 quality. 194 suits of \$22.50 quality. 187 suits of \$20 quality.

To Be Sold for \$16.50 and \$14.50

Lot No. 4—Suits of the same materials finished by the same workmen as earlier which were sold at \$15 and \$18. To be exact
116 suits of \$18 quality. 102 suits of \$15 quality.

All to Be Sold at \$12.50

In the four lots are 475 patterns, embracing all the shades in vogue. Most are fancy fabrics, although there are a great many plain worsteds in grays and blues. Some British fabrics are among them. There isn't a bad pattern in the lot. Any pattern about which there was the slightest question was thrown out.

The suits were made in every detail up to the Wanamaker standard, which is the most rigid known to the tailoring industry; in nine different models, embracing every style of suit in present demand, not only by conservative business men but by young men who want advance styles; in sizes to fit any man who can wear a ready-to-wear suit, 32 to 48 chest measurement.

Many of the coats have patch pockets. Most of them are half-lined; some are quarter-lined; some full-lined.

Subway Briefs

- Scotch Plaid Dress Tissues, 12 1/2c Yard
- Women's Underwear Little-Priced
- Parasol Time
- Corsets for Less
- Boys' Extra-Knickers Suits—Unusual at \$3.85
- Boys' Straw Hats, \$1
- Silk Petticoats \$1.35, \$1.65 and \$1.85
- House Dresses \$1 and \$1.25
- Dressing Sacques 25c, 38c and 50c

"The Agneta"—A New Polka-dot Waist, \$1.50

A new foreign note in waists which is unexpectedly introduced in the Wanamaker White Sale at this little price. Exceedingly attractive models (pictured). White lawn with revers and waists of pink or blue polka dots.

Season's Lowest Prices on Women's Suits, \$9.75, \$12.75

And the season's most fashionable styles. Duplicates in every particular of suits which have sold here earlier for very much more. Fine quality serge, gabardine, crepe, wool poplin, silk poplin and black and white checks. Good choice of colors—including black and navy blue.

Rare—Seeger Siphon Refrigerators Below Standard Prices

The lessened prices represent a material saving. And one which concerns just 79 Seeger Siphon Refrigerators now in our stock.

Household style—oak cases, solid brass hardware, elastic seamless enamel-lined, woven wire shelves, three doors, side ice chamber. At \$32—90 pounds ice capacity; 36 1/2 inches wide; 23 1/2 inches deep; 45 inches high. At \$35—100 pounds ice capacity; 33 inches wide; 20 1/2 inches deep; 49 inches high. At \$38.50—125 pounds ice capacity; 39 inches wide; 23 1/2 inches deep; 49 inches high.

Broadway Saks & Company at 34th Street

Tomorrow—for the first time at this popular price.

The "Eleanor Wilson" Cape for Women—at \$15.00

Sold elsewhere at \$25.00 to \$39.50
This is the very latest and easily the most admirable version of the mode in capes

Designed with a silk faced roll collar, and a suggestion of shirring below it at the back, this charming Eleanor Wilson Cape is modeled with a surplice front, the straps of which cross to the back, reappearing around the waist line, where they form a belt and sash effect, over a double flare ruffle at the hips. A dashing garment of striking originality, 48 inches long, and a model of perfection in the manner of its making. Tailored in men's wear serges and crepe cloth, in navy blue, black and shepherd checks, and full lined, with a very smart wide black and white stripe or a plain silk, which ever be preferred. 4th floor.

A special offering tomorrow of Women's Russian Tunic Dresses at \$14.50

of crepe de Chine, creponge and taffeta, in two new models
One Model is a circular tunic effect of taffeta or creponge silk, with under-tunic and belt of Roman stripe silk, the waist a dainty kimono sleeve style, with Gladstone collar and vestee of hemstitched organdie. 4th floor.
Another Model is made of either crepe de Chine or creponge, the skirt designed with shirred Russian tunic, the waist charmingly arranged with collar and vestee of shadow lace or organdie. 4th floor.

Women's Long Tunic Tub Dresses special tomorrow at \$5.95

Serviceable and stylish dresses for beach and porch, embodying all the up-to-the-minute touches of these simple morning modes. The materials embrace crepe, muslin, linen and voile, with net or organdie collar, cuffs and vestee. Dainty, attractive and splendid value. 4th floor.

Three excellent values tomorrow in Dainty Organdie Blouses

- At \$2.95 Organdie Blouses, in an inordinately pretty model, with batiste embroidered collar and cuffs and a dash of color in the buttons.
- At \$3.95 Organdie Blouses, in several charming styles, from the plain to the somewhat dressier styles, but all of them inexpressibly pretty.
- At \$5.00 Organdie Blouses, of superior quality, with a flare collar of embroidered organdie, and novelty buttons of brilliant color.

An important sale tomorrow of Women's Untrimmed Panama Hats at \$3.75

the regular retail price is \$5.50.

We have procured especially for tomorrow's selling a collection of fine natural white Panama shapes, of a pliant, close woven quality. They are blocked into fourteen of the newest Summer shapes, exhibiting a very choice selection of crown and brim. Can be most effectively trimmed with a knitted band and bow, or wound about with a new Roman stripe scarf.

Also, special tomorrow, in conjunction with the above sale.
Silk Knit Bands and Bows, in smart color schemes. 50c and \$1.00
Silk Roman Stripe Scarfs, with fringe ends, and imported Puggaree bands. 98c & \$1.50
FREE TRIMMING SERVICE UPON REQUEST.
And provided hat and trimming be purchased at the same time, we shall be glad to have one of our designers trim the hat according to your express wishes—free of charge.

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