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Boston went democratic in its  
municipal election Monday by about  
8,500 votes.

The Standard Oil crowd is said to  
be bent on getting control of the  
three big New York insurance  
companies.

John M. Gearin has been appointed  
to the United States Senate from  
Oregon in the place of Mitchell who  
recently died. Gearin is a democrat.

Proceedings have been instituted  
at Poplar Bluffs against Norman J.  
Coleman for violation of the state  
game law. He is charged with  
killing deer.

Amalgamated copper stocks have  
sailed up above par in spite of the  
attacks of Thomas K. Lawson. From  
39 to 101 is a pretty creditable rise  
under fire.

Governor Folk commuted the peni-  
tentiary sentences of five convicts in  
a bunch this week. Folk has made  
more liberal use of the pardoning  
power than any governor since the  
war.

Charles A. Peabody, one of the  
Wall Street sponsors of Judge Parker  
before the St. Louis convention has  
been chosen to head the Mutual Life  
Insurance Company in the place of  
McCurdy, resigned.

Webster Davis has flopped back  
into the republican party. If he  
does not excite any more interest  
among his latest political associates  
than he did among the democrats  
Webster may consider himself a dead  
one.

Henry K. Sienkewitz, author of  
"Quo Vadis" within a week has  
been banished from Poland for  
participation in the autonomist  
movement and has been awarded a  
Nobel prize for his contributions to  
the cause of peace.

A revolt against the minority lead-  
ership of John Sharp Williams broke  
out in congress this week, in which  
Shackelford of Missouri and Lamar of  
Florida participated. They wanted  
committee assignments which they  
did not get.

The democratic state committee  
will meet December 27, at Jefferson  
City for the purpose of filling  
vacancies and outlining a plan of  
organization for the next state  
campaign. There are three vacancies  
on the state committee to be filled.

The engagement of Miss Alice  
Roosevelt, eldest daughter of the  
president, and Congressman Long-  
worth, of Ohio, has been announced.  
For the next three months the public  
may expect a page of the Sunday  
papers to be given to this subject  
every week.

The newspapers report that hazing  
has broken out again at Annapolis.  
This is a mistake. There has never  
been any cessation of it. It has  
been a growing evil from the start.  
Army and navy men, as a rule,  
approve of it and it will continue to  
exist so long as this is the case.

The federal court in Chicago has  
just indicted two Chicago & Alton  
Railway officials for granting rebates.  
In other times such an offense would  
have been called treason. Has not  
President Roosevelt of the Square  
Deal decided that it is all right for  
officials to grant rebates and that the  
offense is the offense of the corpora-  
tions which they represent?

Edward Atkinson, the Boston  
publicist died Monday, aged 78 years.  
It is notable that the inventor of the  
"Aladdin oven," by which he tried  
to demonstrate that a man could live  
on thirteen cents a day, died of acute  
indigestion. It is not charged,  
though, that Mr. Atkinson made any  
personal use of his invention, for he  
was a millionaire.

At last the people of St. Louis  
have succeeded in persuading the  
federal government to institute suit  
in the federal court against the rail-  
roads entering there and the St.  
Louis Bridge and Terminal Company  
to break up the terminal monopoly  
and the bridge arbitrary. The evils  
complained of by the people of St.  
Louis have greatly crippled the city  
to the past and block the way of its  
industrial and commercial future.

## BACK TO ARCADY.

"Back To Arcady" is a pleasing  
literary pasted by Rev. Frank Waller  
Allen, of Odessa, done into a hand-  
somerly printed book of one hundred  
and fifty pages by the Herbert K.  
Turner Company, of Boston. An  
evidence of a daring disposition this,  
that Mr. Allen in his first literary  
venture should have essayed one of  
the most difficult forms of literary  
composition. In the motive type of  
romance, by consent of critics, great  
blotches of color, if not too outrage-  
ously misplaced, and much rough  
journeyman work in main body of the  
story are admissible and treated with  
indulgence. But still-life studies  
are considered very bad, unless they  
are very good—which is rare. In the  
type of composition to which Back to  
Arcady belongs nothing short of per-  
fection of phrase and photographic  
accuracy of conception is expected.

There is so little of violent, complex  
movement in such stories that the  
author's concept is judged by the  
standard of a time exposure and not  
of a snap shot. In default of stirring  
movement the phrases are expected to  
fall lightly into kaleidoscopic spang-  
les, whose mellow splendor is neither  
obviously dependent upon the thought  
content nor obviously independent of  
it. Richness of emotional experience,  
age "which brings the philosophic  
mind," and faultless rhetoric of a  
subdued and soothing kind are sup-  
posed indispensable.

Flattery is a cowardly unkindness;  
and praise without qualification of an  
ambitious first literary effort would be  
an injustice which the author himself  
would not appreciate. But it is not  
too much to say that the author has  
succeeded surprisingly well. If My  
Lady O'Roses is a trifle dim, the old  
bachelor is as clear cut as Adam in  
The Kentucky Cardinal or the curate  
in The Choir Invisible. And while  
to freshen the imagery of the narrative  
the author has occasionally strained  
a word or a figure or a phrase, the  
craftsmanship in composition is wor-  
thy of high praise.

Many changes in football rules are  
being proposed, some of a radical  
character, to save the game from the  
wrath of the people and of legisla-  
tures. One of the changes proposed  
is to require ten yards gain in four  
downs. Such a gain could hardly be  
made by live smashes, if the teams  
are closely matched. This change, it  
is thought, would insure a more open  
game and more punting. Another  
change proposed is to do away with  
the touch down and require field  
goals made from the twenty yard  
line.

The horrors of the revolution now  
going on in Russia are but little  
known to the outside world. Private  
letters by the hundreds are telling of  
the deeds of mobs in all parts of the  
empire, which failed to get abroad  
through the papers. Fifteen thou-  
sand and Jews are said to have been butch-  
ered in Odessa a month ago, though  
at the time the uprising was described  
as only the disturbances of the labor  
unions.

Thomas E. Mulvihill started to be  
a candidate for the presidency of the  
Jefferson Club of St. Louis and then  
changed his mind. The K. C. Star  
says that Governor Folk did not think  
it would be becoming in an appointee  
of his holding such a position as  
excise commissioner of St. Louis to  
hold at the same time the presidency  
of such an important political  
organization. The Republic says  
that Folk had nothing to do with it.

Congressman Ellis of Kansas City,  
who was ridiculed by the Washington  
correspondents for his freshness in  
asking to be appointed on the Rivers  
and Harbors committee, has turned  
the laugh by getting the place. It  
is very rare for a new member to get  
so important an assignment. But  
doubtless the republicans think that  
the Kansas City district is a good  
field to cultivate just now; and it is,  
unless democratic factionalism ceases.

W. D. Vandiver, State Superinten-  
dent of Insurance of Missouri, has  
renewed his demand for the resigna-  
tion of John A. McCall. Vandiver  
says that the New York Life will  
remain excluded from this state until  
McCall is out. The Mutual, he says,  
is trying to clean house, and he will  
not interfere with it.

Stockholders Meeting.  
The annual meeting of the stock-  
holders of Traders Bank, of Lexing-  
ton, Mo., for the election of directors  
for the ensuing year and the transac-  
ting of such other business as may  
come before the meeting, will be held  
in the banking room of Traders Bank  
in Lexington, Mo., on Monday, Jan-  
uary the 1st, 1906, between the hours  
of ten o'clock in the forenoon and two  
o'clock in the afternoon.

W. G. McCAUSLAND, Pres.  
J. G. CRENSHAW, Sec'y. 12-1613

# Dr. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Dr. Price's Baking Powder supplies  
a pure, wholesome leavening agent,  
which makes the biscuit and cake of  
highest healthfulness at medium cost  
and protects the food from alum, which  
is the greatest dietary danger of the day.

The foremost baking powder in all  
the world.

NOTE—Alum baking powders are low  
priced, as alum costs but two cents  
a pound; but alum is a corrosive  
poison and it renders the baking  
powder dangerous to use in food.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.  
CHICAGO.

## Go to

The Palace of Bargains for your Xmas  
Gifts and get a calendar of "THE WHOLE DAM  
FAMILY."

Parlor Lamps, Hand Painted China, Dressed Dolls  
and Ladies Belts at reduced prices.

SPECIAL: Six bars Royal Cuticle Soap for 25c.

## Palace - of - Bargains SCHUEBEL BROS.

Lexington, Mo. Main Street.

## Grand Central Hotel

Newly Furnished, Steam Heated. First-class Accommodations.

YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

R. J. VIRDEN, Proprietor.

Senator Foraker has announced  
that he will propose an amendment  
to the omnibus statehood bill requir-  
ing the ratification of new state  
constitutions by a majority of the  
citizens of each territory separately.  
Fillbusting in the senate is  
ordinarily a reprehensible business,  
but the justice of Mr. Foraker's  
contention in this instance is such  
that it is hoped he may defeat the  
statehood bill altogether unless the  
amendment is agreed to. It is an  
outrage that New Mexico and  
Arizona should be joined against  
their wills.

### An Announcement.

We take this means of announcing  
to the citizens of Lexington and  
Lafayette County that we have  
bought the C. J. Carter Lumber Co's  
stock of lumber in this city, and we  
will in the future be prepared to  
furnish any and all kinds of material  
kept in a first class lumber yard, and  
would be glad to have you come to  
see us or phone us for anything you  
need in our line. We will endeavor  
to please you in quality, price and  
service.

Yours for business,  
MCNEAL-PARCHER LUMBER CO.  
Charles L. Parcher, Resident Mgr.

### EXECUTRICES' NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of  
Nathan Corder, deceased, were granted to  
the undersigned on the 8th day of November,  
1905, by the probate court of Lafayette  
county, Missouri. All persons having claims  
against said estate are required to exhibit  
them for allowance to the execu-  
trices within one year after the date of  
said letters or they may be precluded from  
any benefit of such estate; and if such claims  
be not exhibited within two years from the  
date of said letters they will be forever  
barred.

This 8th day of November, 1905.  
RENA C. CHAPPELL,  
NANNIE C. STEELE,  
Executrices.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of  
John T. Meier, deceased, were granted to  
the undersigned on the 14th day of October,  
1905, by the probate court of Lafayette  
county, Missouri. All persons having claims  
against said estate are required to exhibit them  
for allowance to the administrator within one  
year after the date of said letters or they may  
be precluded from any benefit of such estate;  
and if such claims be not exhibited within two  
years from the date of said letters they will  
be forever barred.

This 14th day of October, 1905.  
F. R. HAEBLE,  
Administrator.

### EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of  
Henry W. Winkler, deceased, were granted to  
the undersigned on the 2nd day of  
December, 1905, by the probate court of  
Lafayette county, Missouri. All persons  
having claims against said estate are re-  
quired to exhibit them for allowance to  
the executrix within one year after the  
date of said letters or they may be precluded  
from any benefit of such estate; and if such  
claims be not exhibited within two years  
from the date of said letters they will be  
forever barred.

This 2nd day of December, 1905.  
ELIZABETH M. WINKLER,  
Executrix.

# DON'T WAIT

UNTIL a day or so before Christmas to select what you want  
as a gift for your wife, husband, daughter, son, father,  
mother, sweetheart or any other friend. If you do wait until  
the RUSH begins, you can't be half-way attended to, and also  
by that time many of the choicest and most desirable things  
will be gathered by someone else and you will be in the "SOUP."  
Therefore be wise, by being in time. Our stock is now full. We  
have ample time to wait on you. We have hundreds of things  
to show you. They are all right, and the prices will please you.  
We are looking for you. COME.

## Suitable for Ladies and Children.

We have Stock Collars and Turnovers at 15c, 25c, 35c,  
50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$1.75.

Handkerchiefs at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c,  
and 75c.

Gloves and Mittens at 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00,  
and \$1.25.

Handkerchiefs, in beautiful boxes, for children at 15c  
and 25c a box.

Silk Shawls, Breakfast Shawls, Long Shawls and Square  
Shawls, Aprons, Fancy Combs, Shopping Bags.

Furs for ladies at \$1.00, 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 5.00, 6.00,  
7.00, 9.00 and 10.00.

## For Men

Suspenders, each pair in a handsome monogram box at  
50c and 75c.

Linen Handkerchiefs at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Silk Handkerchiefs at 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 80c, 90c  
and \$1.00.

Silk Mufflers at 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1.00 (just  
half price).

Gloves at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

## For the Rest of Mankind

Table Linens at 25c, 45c, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 per yard.  
Napkins to match at almost any price.

Linen pieces of Mexican Drawn Work, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50,  
\$2.00 and \$2.50.

Linen Tray Cloths, Lunch Cloths, Dresser Scarfs, White Bed  
Spreads, Colored Bed Spreads, Towels, Ladies' Sweaters,  
Ladies' Shirt Waists, Blankets, Comforts, Rugs, &c.

## Now, for the Big Thing.

From now until Christmas day (which comes this year on  
the 25th day of December) we will give you a chance to buy  
Dress Silks and all kinds of Wool Dress Goods as follows:

### NOTE THE PRICES.

18-inch Taffeta Silks, solid colors, also white and black... \$0.39  
27-inch " " " " and white, \$0.86, worth... 1.00  
36-inch " " " " and white, 1.25, worth... 1.50  
27-inch Nub Pongee Silks, black, white, brown, Tan and  
Navy, worth 50c, for...  
Shower-proof Dress Goods, worth... \$0.75 for...  
Shower-proof Dress Goods, worth... 1.25 for...  
Panamas Dress Goods, worth... 1.00 for...  
Prunellas, worth... 1.00 for...  
Broadcloth, worth... 1.00 for...  
Broadcloth, worth... 1.25 for...  
Broadcloth, worth... 2.00 for...  
45-inch Wool Fabrics, worth... .85 for...

We have other things; ask for what you want.

## W. G. McCAUSLAND

We have put in a fine assortment of

## Waterman's Fountain Pens

The best Fountain Pen made.

They make nice Xmas Gifts.

Crenshaw and Young  
DRUGGISTS