

# WATCH OUR ADS!

BEHIND WORDS SHOULD BE FACTS. IT WILL PAY YOU TO COME TO OUR STORE. IT IS EASY TO ASSERT, BOLD TYPES ARE IMPRESSIVE, BUT QUALITY AND PRICES ARE MOST LOOKED FOR.

## And Now for Dress Goods

THE STOCK IS COMPLETE. WINTER WILL SOON BE HERE; OUR NEW CLOAKS ARE IN. WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR UNDERWEAR, OUTFITTING CLOTHS, FLANNELETTES, HOSIERY, NOTIONS, ETC.

WHEN SHOES ARE SOLID THEY WILL WEAR. WE HAVE THEM.

## All-Wool Blankets

Sure-enough All-Wool—both the Warp and the Woof of every Blanket will sustain the statement. We gladly invite all to make us a visit whether they wish to buy or not. Ask for prices.

# SCRIVENER BROS. & CO.

## An Advance for Winchester!

WE have just installed at great expense our new engine and other machinery with which we are now prepared to furnish **DAY CURRENT** for light and heat, and power for fans and other motors.

Let us give you estimates on this and all sorts of electric lighting.

Remember that electric light is superior to all others. It is **safe, clean, cheap, comfortable, convenient, ever ready.** We furnish it on meter if desired.

## Winchester Railway, Light & Ice Co.

W. P. HACKETT, GENL. MGR.

P. S.—We furnish Ice in Winter as well as Summer.

## HEATERS

We are making a **SPECIAL PRICE** now on

**Garland Heaters and Cook Stoves.**

**\$9.50 Heater, to close out, \$8.**

OTHERS IN PROPORTION.

**Grant Witt & Co.,**

30 N. Main St., - Winchester, Ky.

## Do Men Read Advertisements?

Read This One at Any Rate.

### THIS COUPON

Cut out and presented to us is good for **50c on a Cash Purchase Men's \$5.00 Shoes.**

Good Until Dec. 1, '08. **MASSIE, The Shoe Man.**

We Do Not Reserve Any \$5 Shoe in our Store.

**MASSIE, The Shoe Man.**

## BOWLING ALLEY

SMITH & RATLIFF

## - Finest In the Blue Grass -

**Nature Conquers Man.**  
Man can get along without his clothes and his clothes and his complicated tools and treasures; but all his vaunted wisdom and skill are set utterly at naught by the simple failure of the clouds to drop rain. The only actual necessities of life are those bestowals of nature which were necessities to aboriginal man.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**The Expert.**  
If we ever come across the heaven-sent being whom the "expert" seems to some minds to incarnate, we shall fall down and worship among the first. But officials, as we know them, are much like other people, and on the whole do their work very much better when liable to criticism and subject to supervision and dismissal.—London Nation.

## EARTH OBSCURED BY FOREST FIRE SMOKE

### St. Louis Aeronauts Spend All Night in Balloon.

Tiger, Ga., Nov. 24.—The story of an exciting all-night trip in the balloon Yankee, which left St. Louis and landed near here, was told by A. B. Lambert, pilot of the balloon. Mr. Lambert said:

"We left St. Louis and crossed Illinois at an altitude of 2,500 feet. Our progress over Illinois was very slow. At Boyd, Ill., we descended and made a landing, stopping 45 minutes. We then proceeded, but after going only 20 miles landed again and talked to some people. We then ascended and stayed up all night. We might not have remained up during the night but for the fact that it appeared the wisest thing to do, owing to forest fires beneath us. Smoke bothered us a good deal, and at times was so dense that we could not see the earth. Early in the morning we landed here in the mountains in the northwest corner of Georgia. The landing was made in a small field without accident, and with luck favoring us. The point where we landed is about 450 miles from St. Louis, and our course was a semi-circle.

"We were somewhat surprised to find where we landed. In order to land we descended from an altitude of 10,000 feet, having decided that we could not cross the mountain which appeared ahead of us owing to lack of wind and the rising of the sun, which increased the capacity of our gas, thereby diminishing our ballast supply. Had it not been for doubts concerning the situation of the land, we might have continued under the use of guide rope, which had been our intention."

### Will Fight Cheap Music.

Columbus, O., Nov. 24.—For the purpose of protecting their business against cut-rate stores, 35 dealers in sheet music from all parts of Ohio met in the Neil House and formed the Ohio Retail Sheet Music Dealers' association. Raymond Wortendyke of Hamilton was chosen president and J. C. Greene of Cincinnati secretary-treasurer. The association proposes to make a fight against the sale of what is known to the trade as "10-cent sheet music." The organization will be permanent. It will hold regular meetings in Columbus. The next meeting is called for May.

### "Cannon Ball" Wrecked.

New Orleans, Nov. 20.—Texas & Pacific passenger train known as the "cannon ball" was wrecked 40 miles from New Orleans.

### GOVERNMENT HEAVY LOSER

By Recent Distillery Fires in Blue Grass State.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 20.—Distillery fires within the past three weeks have destroyed millions of dollars' worth of property in Kentucky, the loss of 15,000 barrels in the Tom Moore fire at Bardstown bringing the total number of barrels of fine Kentucky whisky that have fed the flames recently up to 72,000.

In detail, this means that the visible supply of whisky has decreased 3,600,000 gallons, or more definitely speaking, 288,000,000 drinks. At an average of \$25 per barrel, which is considered a reasonable figure, the loss to the distillers is \$1,800,000. The United States government, however, comes in for a still heavier loss, although an indirect one. This is the tax that would be paid on the whisky. The tax is at least twice the value of the whisky, which would make the loss to the government between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

The frequency of fire has caused some suspicion of incendiarism. Secret service men have been in the field working on this idea, but have not been able to secure any evidence to show that the fires were other than accidental.

### Federal Prisoners Escape.

East St. Louis, Ill., Nov. 24.—Four federal prisoners escaped from the jail here by bending apart bars over a window. The fugitives are: Lee Kindog and C. C. Drake, accused of robbing the postoffice at Ridgeville, Ill.; J. J. Grubb, sentenced to one year's imprisonment for robbing mail boxes at Centralia, Ill., and Sam Wilson.

### BUSINESS DEPRESSION

Not Reflected in Organization of New Ohio Business Concerns.

Columbus, O., Nov. 20.—While the business depression of the past year caused some timidity on the part of capitalists and investors in the launching of new business enterprises, a total of \$95,067,492 is given in the report of Secretary of State Thompson as representing an authorized capital stock of the above amount in 2,540 new business concerns incorporated during the year, all of course promising employment to a large number of persons.

The total receipts of the secretary of state's department from the Willis law collections, initial fees or the filing of new articles of incorporation, were \$1,333,385, as compared with receipts the previous year of \$1,357,423.96, a falling off in receipts of only \$24,220.34. The expense of operating the secretary of state's office for the year was \$3,503,330.

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Our Plant is equipped with the latest facilities to turn out the best of Job Work.

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