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Just a few remarks on this most important occasion.

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for a Man to invest in a new Suit, Overcoat or pair of Trousers we ask that Man to turn his steps towards this emporium of good things to wear.

Our Suits at \$15.00, \$20.00 or \$25.00. Our Overcoats at \$15.00, \$20.00 or \$25.00, or our Trousers at \$3.00, \$5.00 or \$7.50 will be sure to please, satisfy and gratify. Write us to Hats and Ties. That's all—



Perfect  
Beauties

Are what all the ladies say that see our line of Fall Shoes. Nothing fancy nor busy about them, but all modest styles and perfect fitters. The cloth top buttons, the kid top lace with patent vamps and all suede button shoes are the most popular styles. We fit every foot. We are showing a big selection of gun metal Shoes, button and lace, for the young misses and school girls. Also a big line of booties for the children. Our prices always harmonize with quality.

SEE US FOR CORRECT STYLES AND BETTER QUALITY.

**Greenville Shoe Co.**

## SERIOUS DOWN-TOWN FIRE

THREE TWO-STORY BRICK BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

Loss Approximately \$60,000.00—Hard Fight Under Difficulties by the Department.

Starting about six o'clock last night the three two-story buildings on West Lee street, between Graham Bros. on the east and the McMakin building on the west, with their contents on both floors, were completely destroyed, and adjoining property badly damaged.

The loss is conservatively estimated at from between \$55,000.00 and \$60,000.00.

The first floors of the three buildings, beginning on the east, were occupied by Ed. Swift, groceries; E. D. Green, wall paper, etc., and Morton Geo. hardware. The second floors were occupied by the K. of P. lodge, Green's Wall Paper Co. warehouse, Mortimore & Co. cotton offices, and Morton Geo storage room.

The fire started either in the warehouse of the Green's Wall Paper Co. or that of J. M. Gee, the rear end of both buildings being in flames when the fire was discovered. One of the young men who assisted in saving property in Mortimore & Co.'s office says that when he went up stairs, smoke was issuing from the Green's warehouse and opening the rear door of Mortimore's office he noticed that the rear of the Gee building also was enveloped in smoke.

Great difficulty was experienced in getting the alarm to the fire station. Numerous attempts were made over both phones but from some unaccountable reason, much valuable time was lost before the department was finally informed of the fire. In fact when the company reached the scene the flames had burst through the roofs of the buildings, and out of the windows. It was a hopeless fight from the beginning and all that could have been hoped for was to confine the fire within the two fire walls, and this the department succeeded in doing after very hard work.

When the first hose was strung it was found that it was impossible to ascend the stairway between Gee's and Green's the smoke being too dense.

The first stream was thrown by the new steamer, and later every fire fighting apparatus owned by the city was in use, four or five streams being in service. There was only stand-pipe pressure except with two lines from the steamer, direct pump pressure not being now used.

At first the department could only fight from the front and rear of the building, but after returning one of the hose carts to the station and bringing out the hook and ladder truck they were able to throw streams from the tops of Graham Bros. and McMakin buildings. It is this apparatus had been early in commission the department would have been in much better position to have done more of effective work. As it was they were badly hampered from the beginning and there never was a time when there was even a fighting chance to do better work than was done.

A number of volunteers assisted the department and the work was prosecuted faithfully with here and there a touch of real heroism. It was also a disaster and exciting as well as a disastrous fire and leaves an ugly scar on the north side of the block in which it occurred.

The following is a rough estimate of the losses and insurance, gathered in the confusion, and are given subject to correction:

Ed. Swift, grocery, had stock valued at \$4,000.00 on which he had \$2,500.00 insurance.

The Knights of Pythias hall was in the second story over Swift's grocery. Their furniture and paraphernalia was valued at \$1,500.00 and was insured for \$700.00. Most of the records of the lodge were lost, but after the flames were subdued, J. A. Hodge found a book with the minutes of meetings under some of the rubbish's unburnt.

The building was owned by Mrs. Lizzie Mitchell and was estimated to be worth \$6,000.00, and was insured for \$2,500.00.

The next building west was occupied by the Green's Wall Paper Co., using both stories. Mr. Green says his stock involved about \$6,000, and he had \$3,000.00 insurance on the stock and \$400.00 on fixtures. He will order new stocks of paper by wire and expects to re-open for business by Monday or Tuesday.

The building was owned by Mrs. B. V. Samuel and was valued at \$6,000.00 with insurance for \$4,000.00.

Next west again was the J. M. Gee hardware store. Mr. Gee estimates his stock at \$6,000.00, which is a total loss, and was insured for \$3,500.00. The building was owned by Mr. Gee and was valued at \$7,000.00 or \$8,000.00, and was insured for \$2,000.00. Mr. Gee used the rear half of the second floor of his building to store some of his stock. The front half of the second story was occupied by Mortimore & Co. Cotton Firm, as an office. They saved an adding machine typewriter and desk. They estimate

## BIG FIRE AT BONHAM

AMERICAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AND ORGAN BURNED.

Also Three Fine Residences Destroyed and Other Buildings Damaged.

Bonham, Tex., Oct. 28.—About 7 o'clock tonight a fire which originated from unknown cause destroyed the American Presbyterian church including a \$2,000 pipe organ, the whole loss being about \$6,000. The \$2,000 insurance; the residence of Fred Wimple valued at \$2,500, H. L. Rogers valued at \$2,000 and J. C. Moore valued at \$2,000. The last three names each had some insurance but the amount could not be learned. In the block just west of where the fire started the First Christian church was badly scorched and damaged, and south of the fire across the street the home of J. C. Sanders was damaged to the amount of \$500, both fully covered by insurance. The fire started in one of the burned residences and owing to a stiff wind spread rapidly. The firemen were badly handicapped by poor water pressure.

The office of Dr. Milus L. Moody in the second story of the Graham Bros. building was somewhat damaged by water but the amount is not estimated yet.

The McMakin building adjoining the burnt block on the west was damaged by burning of the roof and damage to the north wall to the amount of \$2,500.00 and is covered by insurance.

The second story of the McMakin building was occupied by the Greenville Business University of Professors Farrell and Harlie. All of their typewriters were saved and some of the furniture. Their loss will be \$1,000.00 and is covered by insurance.

The L. P. Harris fire safe stock, occupied the ground floor of the McMakin building, and was damaged \$900.00 and is insured for \$700.00.

W. H. Adams, photograph gallery, in second story of the building next west of the McMakin building was damaged \$75.00 and insured. The building belongs to F. J. Phillips and is damaged \$250.00, covered by insurance.

The buildings across Lee street from the burnt district, owned by Armstrong and Clayton, suffered damage by breaking of plate glass and some fronts and blistered paint, to the amount of several hundred dollars.

## TWO MEN WERE ARRESTED

SEARCH CONTINUES AND RIVER IS BEING DRAGGED.

Body of Joe Toland, Coleman Ranchman, Has Not Been Found as Yet.

Coleman, Tex., Oct. 28.—Two men were arrested today in connection with the disappearance of Joe Toland, a wealthy ranchman, who is believed to have been murdered while driving from Coleman to his ranch.

Several new searching parties were organized today to hunt for the body and the river is being dragged.

Mrs. Joe Toland this afternoon offered a reward of \$500 for finding her husband, dead or alive. No traces have yet been discovered that might lead to the discovery of the missing man.

## MONEY FOR THE CHINESE

AMERICAN FINANCIERS ADVANCE \$50,000,000 TO CHINA.

The Loan is to be Furnished by a Group of Bankers.

New York, Oct. 28.—The American loan of \$50,000,000 to the Chinese government was consummated, it is learned here, today. The group of bankers interested in the loan consists of Morgan & Co., Kuhn, Loeb & Co., the National City and First National Banks.

## We Have

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## VIOLENCE IN NEW YORK

NON-UNION EXPRESS DRIVERS BEATEN AND INJURED.

Scores Were Injured and Rendered Unconscious Before Police Quelled the Riot.

New York, Oct. 28.—Disorders in the express strike continued today in New York and Jersey City.

In the latter case a group of rioters first attacked an express wagon which collided with a trolley car and then attacked the car, breaking every window.

Three strike-breakers were dragged from a Wells-Fargo wagon and were unmercifully beaten.

The mob attacked eight wagons leaving the Wells-Fargo stables in Jersey City. Scores were injured and many were rendered unconscious before the police quelled the riot. Sixteen seriously injured strike-breakers were taken to hospitals.

## THE EVOLUTION OF THE CIRCUS.

Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Big Show Here Next Thursday.

The circus is becoming more and more a national attribute. It is a factor in American life, and the younger American never forgets his first circus. It always remains a conspicuous milestone in his early career.

The time was when it was considered

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