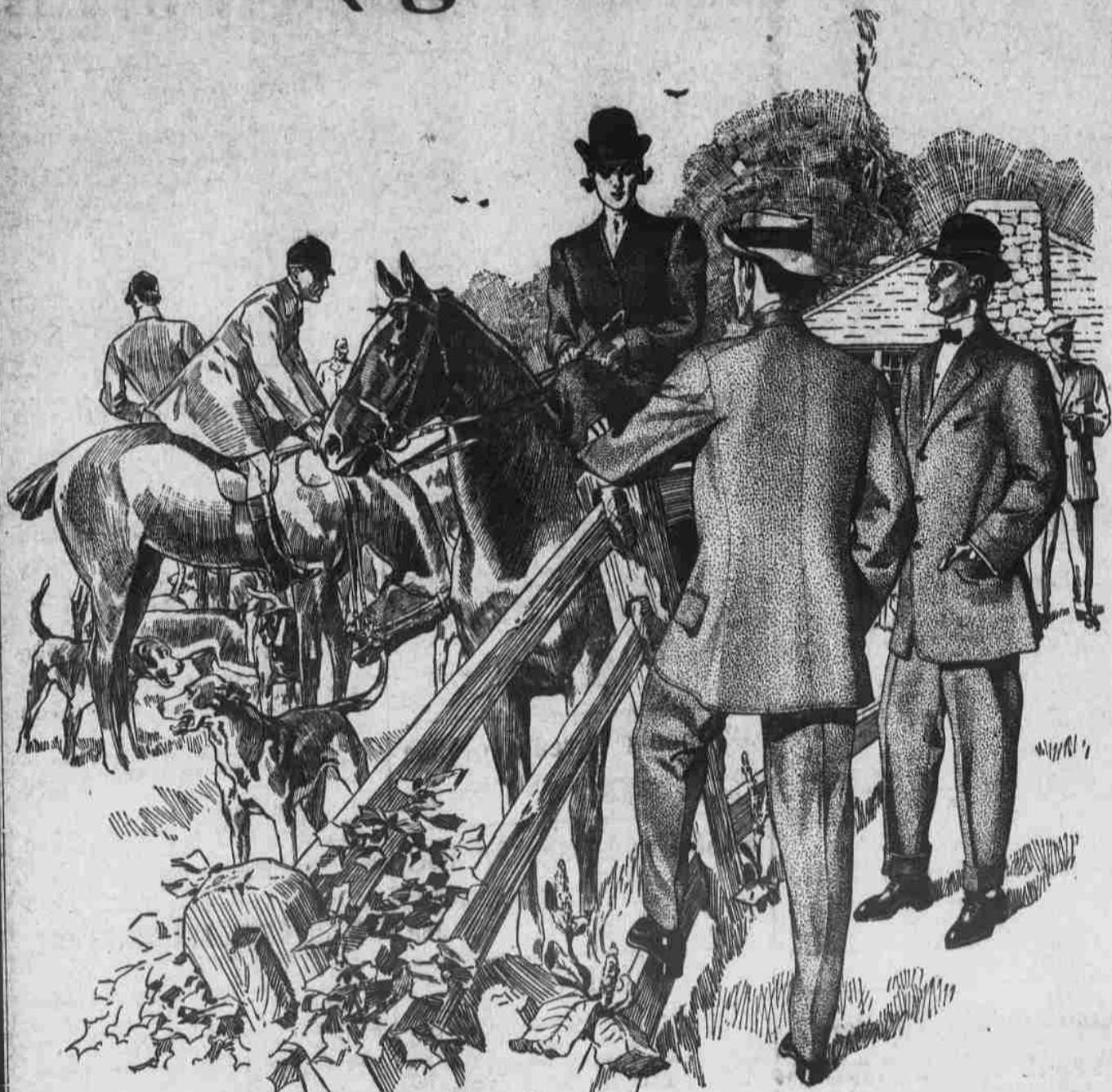


# Right at the Start



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**EVERYBODY** knows that the finish is largely governed by the start. If you start right you stand a good chance of a right finish.

This applies to buying clothes as well as riding to hounds; if you start your clothes-buying by a determination to get the best possible for your money, you'll get it. That means that you'll start at our store, and you'll finish in one of our Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits or Overcoats.

That will be the right finish for your clothes-buying because these clothes are right in every way, from start to finish; all-wool, tailored right, correct in style, perfect fitting.

*Sterling*  
ABILENE, KAN.

## ABOUT PEOPLE.

Elmer Hoyt was in from Buckeye. W. G. Lewis of Willowdale was in town.

F. E. VanVoorst was in from southwest Dickinson.

M. P. Sanborn of Chapman called on the REFLECTOR.

John Goodwin of Hayes was a caller on the REFLECTOR.

Carl Fry is here from Colorado visiting his brother Paul.

L. G. Long, treasurer of Hayes township, was in the city.

Frank Shippy, one of Woodbine's leading farmers, was in town.

M. B. Nottorf is in the city visiting his father and sister for a few days.

H. Tolliver is here from Stockton visiting his son, L. D. Tolliver, and greeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lease Duckwall went to Wakefield to attend the funeral of Mrs. Duckwall's sister.

Henry Stoffer returned to his home in Michigan after a visit with his brother John and other relatives.

Carl Fry returned to San Francisco after a visit with his brother Paul. He will go to the Philippines soon.

Herman Robloff and Herman Timm were up from Woodbine settling their taxes and made the REFLECTOR a pleasant call.

J. B. Timm, F. F. Tlegs and Ed Oesterreich were up from southeast Dickinson on business and called at this office.

Dr. E. McShes of Chapman was a REFLECTOR caller. He has just returned from a pleasant visit in his old home in Illinois.

S. H. Lenhart, J. E. Musser and Rev. T. A. Long returned from their trip to Texas. Mr. Lenhart sold over 4,000 acres of land on the trip.

Congressman Calderhead is in town between trains. He goes to Concordia tomorrow. He is making a trip over the district before going to Washington.

## Tilton-Jones.

As Detroit Wednesday afternoon was married Miss Spruwell Tilton and D. M. Jones of Manhattan, manager of the Cog-Wheel railway up Flava Park. Rev. Dr. Grayson officiated.

## OLD FIDDLERS PLEAS'D 'EM.

### Good Sized Audience Heard Them Play.

A good sized audience heard the old fiddlers from Emporia at Workman hall last night. The five men are over 60 years old and are making a trip for fun and personal pleasure. They went to Concordia today. They gave a program of old fashioned tunes that set every hearer's foot a dancing. It was unfortunate that several other attractions in town prevented a larger attendance. The REFLECTOR office acknowledges a serene last evening.

## Eddy-Isitt.

At six o'clock Thursday evening, Nov. 14 in the presence of about fifty guests, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Eddy, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude Della, to Mr. Charles Isitt of Navarre.

As the wedding march was played by Miss Loudean; the bride attended by her sister, Miss Lena, and the groom by Mr. Loudean entered the parlor which was beautifully decorated with ribbon, smilax and chrysanthemums.

The short but impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Johnston of Enterprise.

After congratulations the guests were invited to the dining room where the tables were decorated with smilax and geraniums, to partake of a sumptuous four course supper.

The bride was tastefully gowned in white silk trimmed with embroidered chiffon and the bridesmaid wore blue silk muslin, each carried a bouquet of bride's roses. Many useful and elegant presents were received.

The groom is one of Dickinson county's prosperous young farmers and his bride is popular among the young people in the southern part of county. They have the best wishes of their many friends.

With the talent this young couple acquires they can look into the future with no other prospects than success and happiness.

## Gave Him a Surprise.

The friends of W. A. Ross gave him a pleasant surprise Saturday evening. There were games, lunch, music, etc. The guests: Misses Jessie Ross, Mabel Landis, Pearl Springer, Laura Hill; Messrs. Elmer Carls, Wm. Mitch, B. McCullough, Oscar White.

## RECENT REFLECTIONS.

—Mrs. B. L. Strother is reported as recovering from severe illness at her home in Galena.

—The rain certainly didn't hurt the roads any. The dust before was something fierce.

Holiday good arriving at the Racket.

—Some tough looking tramps have been hanging around town this week. Better keep your doors well locked.

For rent, furnished; or for sale, my residence, No. 200 South Buckley; with or without 3 adjoining lots. B. H. DeHuy. 45-was-tfac-1'

—Ralph Spotts is home from K. U. ill from blood poisoning. It is not believed that the trouble is serious. He is at his parents' home north of town.

See the new fruit design china just received at the Racket.

—The little son of John Hutchinson has blood poisoning from the bite of a squirrel. The feeding of squirrels should be done with some circumspection.

—B. H. DeHuy, secretary of the Balmoline company announces that the regular dividend has just been declared and paid to the stockholders. The company is prospering.

Good heavy cups and saucers at the Racket 48c per set. 73-2ac

—W. G. Anderson, formerly of Abilene but recently of Arkansas City, has bought a third interest in the Iola Record. One of his partners is Walter Teas, formerly of Hope.

See the gold fish at the Racket.

—The Union Pacific is to build a depot at New Cambria. The work will begin Monday morning. Last winter the two story stone building in which the railroad company maintained a depot was destroyed by fire. Since then the Union Pacific has been using a granary.

—Invitations have been received by Abilene friends for the wedding of Miss Ethel Griffith of South McAlester and Mr. Joseph Johnson of that city. They visited Miss Maude Rogers last summer and the bride-to-be had made previous visits here.

You'll save money on trunks and suit cases at the Racket.

—A. E. Martin writes from New York: "Have had a very pleasant trip. Spent two days in Chicago, eight in Philadelphia and am now in New York, whence I sail tomorrow for Liverpool on the Lusitania. Saw her today while at the pier attending to my baggage, she is a monster."

—C. C. Wyandt has been asked to contribute an article to the annual holiday issue of the Financier, the greatest financial journal in this country, on "Farm Mortgages as an Investment." It will be one of the leading articles of the number and is certain to be a good one.

Christmas and New Year's post cards. Thousands of them can now be seen at the News Stand in Abilene. Special prices to schools and Sunday schools. Call early and make your selections. 11-2

## Their Mother is Dead.

[From Friday's Daily.]  
A telegram tells of the death of Mrs. Steelsmith, mother of Dr. S. Steelsmith, J. M. Steelsmith and J. A. Steelsmith of this city. Another son lives at Scott City. The body will be brought here from Indiana where the death occurred and funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon immediately after the arrival of the 3 o'clock train.

## Few Phones.

254—Abilene Stock Exchange.  
1186—Begeman, W. F., res.  
X 39—Brown, N. C., res.  
638—Cramer, Roy, res.  
621—Engle, J. A., res.  
J 47—Menor, Mrs. C. A., res.  
L 25—Manson, C. R., res.  
653—Paynter & Paynter, office.  
534—Parks, F. W., res.  
409—Reed, N. E., res.  
J 46—Witwer, A. T., res.  
468—Jordan, C. A., res.  
817—Soden, J. D., res.  
405—Singer Sewing Machine Co.

## For Sale.

Single comb, White Leghorn cockerels, 50c and \$1 each. Mrs. Mabel Sullivan, rfd 7, Abilene. 7-4\*

## Iron Wanted.

Will pay 75 cents per hundred for cast scrap iron; heavy machine castings only. 74-2ac C. W. PARKER.

## SECURITY MILLS ARE SOLD. Hutchinson Firm Will Repair It and Build an Elevator.

Seth K. Humphrey who bought the Security mills has sold the property for \$15,000 to W. H. Kinney and J. W. Burns of Hutchinson and T. J. Holdredge of Kingman, who have four other mills in the southwest. Mr. Kinney will move here and be manager. The mill will be overhauled, improved and an elevator will be built.

## IMPROVING THE DAM.

### Cement Structure and Apron Now In Place.

The improvements on the dam at the Brown mill are nearly complete and the power will be much increased as well as more regular service obtained. The expense of keeping up the dam has been large for several years but it is hoped that this one will stay. It is of solid cement with apron complete and is as good a dam as Kansas possesses.

## R. F. D. Carriers' Meeting.

The Dickinson County Rural Letter Carriers' Association will hold a meeting at Herington on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 28th. Every carrier in the county is especially invited to attend this meeting, also carriers from adjoining counties. By order of the president and secretary.

JAMES BARNES,  
Secretary.

## Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of unclaimed letters remaining in the Abilene postoffice for the week ending Nov. 18, 1907. Have your mail addressed to your street number and it will be promptly delivered:

GENTLEMEN'S LAY.  
Denis Vita Md. Co. Foy, Michael  
Laney, Charles Longstreem, Mr  
Noguchi, J. N. Nouguchi, J.  
Pickens, J. H. Pierson, R. H.  
Riverside Iron Works Co Smith, Mearns

LADIES  
Burgess, Miss Anna Myers, Mrs H E  
Woyard, Miss Mamie Sheridan

CARDS  
Bert, E. E. Pickens, Miss Iocell

FORGOTTEN LETTERS  
Barrows, S. Corbitt, Tommie  
Lopez, Julianne Perry, Thomas  
Hotchkiss, Gabbao

One cent will be charged for all advertised letters.  
Persons calling for the above will please say "advertised" giving date.  
RICHARD WARRICK, P. M.

## FAIR ASSOCIATION MEETING. Stockholders Will Have Session Monday, December 2.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Dickinson County Fair Association will be held Monday afternoon, December 2nd. The place for holding the meeting is not definitely settled. There will be several matters of importance considered. It has been suggested that the board of directors be increased from nine to twelve, and that they be elected in sets of four, for one, two and three years respectively. It will require a two-thirds vote of all those present to make these changes in the By-laws.

A full financial statement will be rendered by the treasurer at the annual meeting. On account of the very unfavorable weather which we had to contend with this year, it has been suggested by many of the stockholders that the time for holding the fair be changed to the second week in September. This will be considered at the meeting.

## Resolutions of Respect.

The board of education at a special meeting adopted these resolutions: WHEREAS, In the death of Edward Rose, for several years a member of the Board of Education, this Board has lost an esteemed and valuable member and the City of Abilene a worthy citizen, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we hereby express our sense of personal loss and deplore the affliction that has come to this community in his passing away. His work on the board, as in every walk of his life, was marked by a conscientious earnestness of purpose and a broad and helpful willingness to give to those for whom he labored the best things possible; he inspired all with his rugged integrity, and left a record that should be a precious heritage to his family and to every friend and acquaintance.

## Firemen's Thanksgiving Ball.

The annual ball given by the Firemen on Thanksgiving will be held at A. O. W. hall on Nov. 28th. Miller's orchestra of five pieces will furnish the music. 73-2ac

## Box Social.

The pupils and teacher of the Maple Grove school will give a program and box social on the evening before Thanksgiving, Nov. 27th. The ladies are invited to bring boxes.