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PEOPLE DEPEND ON US

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We Sell Dependable Goods

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We work to please our customers. It matters not whether your purchase amounts to a 5 cent pair of socks or a fifteen dollar suit, we strive just as hard to see that you get

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We Guarantee

to give you one dollar's worth of goods in return.

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POLITICAL MEETINGS.

The following Fusion meetings have been arranged for and bills are out:

Claude Duval at Belle Plaise, Thursday, Oct. 11, at 2 p. m. Wellington, Thursday, Oct. 11, at 8 p. m. South Haven, Friday, Oct. 12, at 2 p. m. Caldwell, Friday Oct. 12, at 8 p. m., and at Clearwater, Seigwick county, Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 8 p. m.

Allen O. Myers of Ohio, at Caldwell, Monday, Oct. 13, at 8 p. m. Wellington, Tuesday, October 16, at 2 p. m.

Grant Harrington - Wellington, Monday, Oct. 8, Caldwell, Tuesday Oct. 9, Hunnewell, Wednesday, Oct. 10, all at 8 p. m.

These four meetings are all that Mr. Duval will hold in Sumner county and everyone should hear him at some one of these points. Mr. Duval stands for everything in the Populist platform and has stood for it for many years. We wish especially to urge upon all Populists that they hear and become better acquainted with him. Whether a candidate be called Democrat or Populist is not so important as that he be in every sense a man—true to the interests of the people. This Mr. Duval is able, discreet and scholarly. He is a splendid campaigner, making friends and voters wherever he goes. The time for the campaign is so short and the district so large that no more time can be given here.

Allen O. Myers is one of the very best speakers in the United States. Witty, eloquent and convincing. The people of Sumner county are fortunate in having this opportunity to hear a man of world wide reputation as a platform orator. Those failing to hear him will regret it.

Grant Harrington is an excellent speaker. Among the best in the state. The Edison Polyphone secured by the committee, the latest and best improved talking machine, will be at each of the above meetings and furnish music and patriotic selections.

BARTHOLOMEW ACQUITTED.

The Jury returns a Verdict of Not Guilty, After Being Out All Night.

The jury in the case of the State against Horace Bartholomew returned a verdict of not guilty, at 9:20 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Bartholomew was charged with holding up Frank McManomy of Wellington at Dayton's grove one night during the reunion of the Chikaskia Veterans' association. McManomy was knocked down with a neckyoke and two men went through his pockets. Bartholomew and Andy Poulson of Caldwell were arrested for the crime. They were given a preliminary examination and bound over to the district court. They demanded separate trials, which was granted. Bartholomew was tried first.

The case went to the jury Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. They stood 8:50 for acquittal on the first ballot. They balloted all night, and finally agreed on a verdict of not guilty at 9:20 next morning.

Ed T. Hackney of Wellington and F. A. Dinsmore of Caldwell conducted the defense. Poulson, charged with being an accomplice of Bartholomew, has not been released.

A Mutual Burial Association.

A representative of A. F. Burke, Cincinnati, O., who has recently copyrighted a plan for a burial association which has been in successful operation in Cincinnati and the adjacent country for some time, was in the city last Saturday, and we understand, made arrangements for the organization of such an association here, of which Mr. Hickman will be in charge. One of the reasons urged for such associations is that few persons except the wealthy are financially prepared for the grim visitor, death, and the expenses incident thereto, and though life insurance is carried, the full amount of the policy is necessary either to provide a home or educate minor children. As the statistics show that Sumner county, when not visited by epidemic of smallpox or diphtheria, is one of the healthiest counties in the state, such an organization ought to be successful here and provide its benefits at small cost to its members.

Luella F. Stewart has bought 80 acres of land in Ryan township of Jonah C. Platt for \$675.

Heavy SOLES!

will be worn a great deal on ladies shoes this fall and winter. We can show you a fine line of these goods from \$1.75 to 3.50 up-to-date in every respect.

If you can't wear the heavy soles we have the turned ones.

Remember we are giving an all wool flag 10x16 ft to the most popular district school. A vote with each 50c purchase.

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Terms Cash.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

REWARD OFFERED.

The Wellington Gun Club Determines to Stop Violations of Game Law.

The Wellington Gun club held a meeting at Harve Coverdale's clothing store last night and decided to offer a reward of \$25 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person buying, selling or shipping quail contrary to the Kansas game law.

The club is determined to put a stop to the violation of the law, and the pot hunters and shippers will be closely watched. The country is said to be full of quail, enough to supply every lover of that game with all they can eat, but if the pot hunters, encouraged by the quail shippers, continue their depredations, the country will soon be rid of its choicest game. So the pot hunters and quail shippers had better look out. The Gun club will see that every guilty person is punished to the fullest extent of the law.

The Gun club decided last night on the dates for holding their annual tournament. It will be held on the 24th and 25th inst. Joe Fetters, John W. Haughey and Harve Coverdale were appointed a committee to prepare a program and submit it to the club at a future meeting.

Stolen Harness Found.

J. H. Demory, while drilling wheat on the Ready farm two miles east of Wellington Tuesday, found a buggy, a set of double harness and a set of single harness which had evidently been stolen. They were in a deep draw in the wheat field.

The Saturday prior to the Jubilee, a horse, buggy and set of single harness were stolen from a farmer named Harlong, and a set of double harness was stolen from one of the Botkin boys. Harlong's horse returned home with a broken halter strap hanging to its halter, giving evidence that it had broken loose. The buggy and harness will probably prove to be his property. The officers think some thief stole the horse and buggy and both sets of harness, and that he stopped by the roadside and tied the horse. It broke loose and the thief pulled the buggy and harness into the hiding place. The buggy cushion and harness were mouldy, showing that they were out in the rains last week.

Marriage Licenses.

E. L. Rader, 36, Oxford
Lulu E. Corwin, 21, Wellington
A. B. Newkirk, 24, Deer Creek, O. T.
Ida E. Elsas, 23, Rome
Henry A. Dyer, 21, Clearwater
Florence Martin, 18, Clearwater

The Oklahoma assessors' returns show a total population of 396,000.

FALL OPENING SALE

OF
WOOLEN
DRESS GOODS

7 DAYS ONLY

Commencing Saturday Morning, Oct. 6,
and Closing Saturday Evening, Oct. 13.

18 pieces Novelty Dress Goods, worth 50c per yard, sale price 25c

16 pieces Woolen Dress Goods, former price 65c per yard, sale price 32½c

25 Plaid Skirt patterns, former price \$1 to \$1.50 per yard, sale price 75c

This will be the greatest Dress Goods Sale that has ever taken place in Wellington. It includes our ENTIRE ASSORTMENT of WOOLEN DRESS GOODS, such as Cheviots, Homespun, Venetian, Pebble Cheviots, Camels Hair, Zebelines, Broadcloths in Oxford Greys, Black, Brown, Green and all the leading shades.

We are showing nothing but the latest. Prices always the lowest. Goods always the best.

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Everybody in Wellington and Sumner County is invited to the sale. Commencing Saturday, October 6th.

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WELLINGTON, KANSAS.