

W.C. Stripling THE PRICE IS THE THING. 207-9-11 Houston and 208-10 Main

STORE OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK

A CLOTHING SALE EXTRAORDINARY

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SATURDAY MORNING WE PLACE ON SALE 191 MEN'S SUMMER WEIGHT SUITS,

Bought by our Mr. Stripling on his visit to New York a few weeks ago, just a little over 50 cents on the dollar. A Clothing Manufacturer was closing out his stock, we needed some summer clothing for our trade, and bought the best things he had. You will not be disappointed in a single item. Every one of these suits are marked for less than the wholesale price. In fact, we know that you have never seen such bargains in SUMMER CLOTHING.



SOME of Its LOTS ON SALE

From this purchase you will find Men's English Melton Suits in summer weight, both solid brown and brown plaids, fine smooth cloth, a suit that we could sell easily at \$12.50; at the price we bought these, we propose to sell them for \$5.00 less money, until closed out, this lot will cost you, per suit \$7.50

SAMPLE LINE OF MEN'S PANTS

We received not less than three hundred pairs of Men's Sample Pants during the last ten days; these are in almost any size worn from the smallest to size 42 in the waist, we get one-third off on samples and here is what we give you off on them.

Men's Fine Worsteds Pants as good a line of patterns as can be found in any store, these if we had bought them regular, we would have had to sell at \$5.00, having secured them at one-third off, you can buy them at \$3.50

From this lot of Men's Fine Worsteds Pants you will find summer weight worsteds in the neat little pin stripe effects, which are the most used at present, and the identical kinds that sell when bought in the regular way at \$3.50 a pair, choice of the lot, at per pair \$2.50

All Worsteds and Cassimere Pants that came in this lot, no matter how good the styles that we could sell at \$2.50 and \$2.75 a pair, will be sold all at one price, per pair \$2.00

Something like 50 pairs of this lot, are in the genuine cassimere weave and worth not less than \$2.00 a pair, every pair would sell readily at that price, but we got them cheap and always give such bargains to our customers, you get pick of these for \$1.50

Boys Clothing at Half Price

You can fit the boys here tomorrow at half what you could have fit him for last Saturday; we have selected all our boy's spring weight suits that sold from \$2.00 to \$4.00 and have them on tables to close out at just half price, these are in ages 8 to 16 only, but they are certainly the best bargain offer of the season.

All Boy's Suits that sold for \$4.00, age 8 to 16 only, at per suit \$2.00
All Boys' Suits that sold at \$3.00, age 8 to 16 only, at per suit \$1.50
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Knee Pants for Boys

We have just received a large shipment of Boys' Knee Pants in all sizes; these are a special good lot and are strictly woolen goods in spring weight, we've often shown no better at 75c a pair, but as we got this lot under the price you have a chance to save a quarter, per pair 50c

You will also find two other lots of Boys' Knee Pants on sale tomorrow that are extra good value for the money; these are new and in all sizes, running up to age 16, at per pair, 35c and 25c

Men's Work Garments

We have 25c saved up for you on every pair of Overalls that you buy of us, that is, speaking of the best grades, we have the agency for the Finck Union Made Overalls and Jumpers, which are classed with the Carhart & Sweet, Orr makes, the quality of denim is exactly the same, the fit of the Finck is as good as any of them, and we have made special arrangements with the manufacturers by which we can sell this \$1.00 Overall at 75c.

Men's Soft Bosom Shirts, light and dark colors, all sizes, color in every shirt is fast, not another line of shirts in Fort Worth that will compare with these at the price, only 75c

In undershirts, we have the plain balbriggan and fancy weaves at the following prices—50c, 35c and 25c

Shoes That Give Satisfaction

We make a special effort to give our trade the very best shoes that money can buy and when we secure a reduction on any one or more lots, our trade always gets the benefit of it. A short time ago our Mr. Stripling bought a lot of Men's Calf Skin Shoes, part of them are plain toe and the balance are coin toe, these shoes are guaranteed by the manufacturer and sell when bought regular at \$2.00 a pair, the price at which we secured this lot enables us to save you 50c on each pair, until this lot is closed out, per pair \$1.50

The Heywood Shoe for men, the best shoe in Fort Worth, or any town in North Texas as to that, at the price, these are our fine dress shoes and they are shown in every style that a dress shoe is worn in; Vici Kid, Valour, Patent Kid, etc., the new summer styles just received, per pair \$3.50

Men's Vici and Box Calf Shoes, in all styles for this season, this line of Men's Shoes is not so expensive as some other lines we sell, but they are all solid leather goods and will give the best of satisfaction; plain and coin toe, thick and thin soles, per pair \$2.00

Womens Slippers @ Oxfords

You will see here tomorrow, a new line of women's Kid Oxfords, made with the English back stay, and patent tip, soles are very thin and flexible, these slippers are as pretty as any that we've shown this season at \$2.00 a pair, this lot was bought under price and we offer them the same way, per pair \$1.50

Women's Kid Oxfords for general wear, thin solid soles, kid tip, curved heel, if you are looking for a slipper that is not expensive and still looks well, these slippers will please you; per pair \$1.25

Drew Selby's Fine Blucher Oxfords, High Cuban Heel, ribbon lace, these are the newest in summer slippers, having just been received, they are made of patent vici, and certainly look swell; per pair \$3.00

Drew Selby's Vici Kid Oxfords and three strap Patent Kid Slippers, thin soles for summer wear, both of these are new styles that have just come in, you will find them special good value at the price; per pair \$2.00

Womens Ready Made Garments

We have greatly increased our ready made department for women's wear the last few months and are now showing a very complete line of black and colored woolen skirts, wash skirts, muslin underwear, knit vest, etc., the prices on these goods we believe to be under that of any other store in Fort Worth, for like quality of goods, more than a thousand women in the city think the same way, if you don't, come up tomorrow and let us convince you.

Women's Voile and Etamine Skirts, black and blue; about 50 of these came in a few days ago that our Mr. Stripling bought when in New York at a closing out sale, you will find among the lot some pretty light weight skirts worth \$7.50 and \$8.00, that we are selling at \$6.00

Other Skirts from this lot in all the new materials worth \$6.00 and \$6.50, are being sold at choice of the lot, for \$5.00

Advertisement for ARMSTRONG'S 'BIRD BRAND' FAMILY LARD, featuring an illustration of a lard can and text describing its quality and availability.

Advertisement for WHEAT ROOF GARDEN, managed by J. Z. WHEAT, featuring a list of musical acts including THE CURTISS COMEDY CO. and THE THREE KELTONS.

Advertisement for CURRAN'S Hand Laundry, located at 224 Burnett Street, celebrating 16 years in Chicago.

Advertisement for MORGAN'S PICTURES FOR THE PUBLIC USE, featuring a 'MONTH'S TRIAL FREE' offer for 'HOMER'S GUARANTEED TO CURE WORSE CASE OF CATARRH OF BLADDER'.

Advertisement for Swift's Premium Hams and Bacon, highlighting that they are cured in a mild, sweet pickle and slowly smoked over hickory wood smoke.

Advertisement for MRS. STRONG, 'Writes to the Editor', discussing her experiences and offering 'The Buggy Man' service.

Advertisement for Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules, described as 'A POSITIVE CURE' for various ailments.

Advertisement for Santa Fe T.P.A., featuring a cross logo and text: 'Has Selected Santa Fe, Frisco and Big Four Official Route To INDIANAPOLIS'.

Advertisement for CROMER BROS., located at 1616 Main St., offering 'WHEN IN NEED' services for bicycles and jewelry.

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Texas School Lands

The following letter relative to the filing of applications for the purchase in school lands, furnishes the official information for the benefit of would-be settlers and others.

This department is in receipt of your letter of the 12th inst, which is as follows: "Will you kindly advise this department what is your opinion upon the following questions: On what day, hour and minute does senate concurrent resolution No. 10, passed at the last regular session of the legislature, expire, and what is the earliest day, hour and minute an application can be filed legally with county clerks for purchase of school or asylum lands, the sale of which was suspended by said resolution?"

"A lease expired after the passage of said resolution, but more than sixty days before the expiration of the resolution. Section 5, chapter 123, act of April 19, 1901, requires the land to remain on the market sixty days after expiration of the lease and also gives the former lessee a preference for thirty days after said sixty days in which to again lease the land over another application for lease. Query: Does the resolution operate to suspend this requirement and the lessee's preference so that the land must remain on the market sixty days after the expiration of the resolution and the lessee's preference begin to run from that date?"

"Sec. 6. Same act gives a lessee sixty days prior to his expired lease, a lease expires after the passage of the resolution referred to, but more than sixty days prior to the ninety days' limitation in the resolution. Query: When did or will such lessee's preference right begin to run, from expiration of lease, or at expiration of resolution?"

Replying to your first question you are advised that senate concurrent resolution No. 10 became a law by the approval of the Executive at 1:30 o'clock p. m. on March 13, 1902. Was filed in the office of the secretary of state at 1:10 o'clock on the same day. The effect of this resolution was to take the lands embraced in its provisions off the market and to prohibit the county clerk from receiving applications to purchase the same for ninety days from and after passage of the act. Ninety days must elapse after March 13 and including that day from the computation before applications to purchase the lands can be received. This time will not be completed until June 12, 1903, and applications to purchase can not be received until that day. (Hallbert vs. San Saba Springs Association, 89 Texas, 230.)

Replying to your second question, you are advised that it is the opinion of this department that where leases expired during the ninety days when the lands were taken off the market by this resolution, under the provisions of Sec. 5 of the act of April 19, 1901, such lands must remain on the market for sale and not subject to lease, for sixty days, after they are again subject to sale by the expiration of the ninety days under the concurrent resolution referred to, and it would follow, necessarily, that for thirty days after the expiration of these ninety days the original lessee would have a preference right to lease.

Replying to your third question, it follows from what has been said, that the sixty days' preference right to purchase four sections as an actual settler under the concurrent resolution begins to run after the expiration of the ninety days named in the resolution. It is only by this construction of the act of 1901 and the resolution in question that effect can be given to the plain purpose and intent of the legislature as expressed in Secs. 5 and 6 of the act of April 19, 1901. Leases in the absolute lease district took the land off the market until the expiration of the lease. The purpose of the legislature was that after the lands came again on the market they should not be leased for sixty days in order that full opportunity might be afforded to carry out the fundamental purpose of the law by a sale of the land.

It is not to be supposed that it was to be intended by the passage of the concurrent resolution to defeat this purpose in any case. It was likewise the purpose of the legislature, in the act of 1901, to give to the lessee a preference right for sixty days after the land came on the market to buy four sections, and to give to the lessee for thirty days after the land became again subject to lease (that is, after the expiration of the thirty days they were required to remain subject to lease) a preference right to lease.

These rights can only be substantially preserved, and the intention of the

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Magazines

FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY FOR JUNE. There are eight short stories in the June issue, ranging from a most original boy story, the "Symphony at Milkville", which is illustrated by Miss Cory's drawings, to a dreamy tale of an old bishop in a peaceful little town in Spain, by S. R. Crockett.

The article called "Life Ashore" is the second paper on the life of the modern sailor, and takes up the most unknown, but one of the most interesting sides of a sailor's life, and that on "Our Farmer Presidents" tells much about those of our chiefs of state who were farmers as well as statesmen, though not always so successfully. A dramatic sketch of E. S. Willard, a good deal of verse, and the usual light stories and rhymes in Marginalia and "Men, Women and Books," round out the number.

THE JUNE COSMOPOLITAN. The lover of fiction—especially in the form of short stories—will turn with pleasure to the latest issue of the Cosmopolitan. Here appear a charming love story by Francis Willing Wharton, illustrated by Thomas Mitchell Peirce; a dramatic railroad story by R. H. Farnham; a romance of the business world by Trumbull White, and contributions by H. R. Martin and Henry Seton Merriman. In the same number, Edward Everett Hale writes on "Old-Age Pensions"; Dr. Albert Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews, discusses "Journalism" as a profession; H. C. Wylie tells us some more of his ideas on "Love and the Cultivation of the Imagination"; and Mary E. Thornton gives some practical advice on "How to Care for the Sick in the Home." An essay on "The Rose of Yesterday and Today" is superbly illustrated with photographs; some fine illustrations being also a feature of an article on "Gateways: Artistic and Characteristic," a contribution on "The Heart Disease," and an interesting account of "An English Garden City." The personal articles include character sketches of George Gilbert Williams, the great banker; William Barclay Parsons, chief engineer of the New York rapid transit commission; and Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, high commissioner for Canada. There are also contributions by William R. Lightfoot, Antoinette Van Hoesen, John Brisson Walker and John H. Hawthorne. In all, there are twenty-one stories and articles in the June Cosmopolitan.

EVERYBODY'S. You will rarely see as interesting a table of contents as that of the June number of Everybody's Magazine. Beginning with the full-page frontispiece of Thomas Wallace Russell, who has taken Parnell's place as leader in the fight for Ireland's freedom, and ending with "some ad nauseam love story," intimate portraits as usual are exclusive and introduce you to people whom you very much wish to know. "The Weaving of Ah-Te" continues the Indian dyl begun in the May number. The "Marquis and Miss Sally" is a western story by O. Henry; we need not say it is clever, since it is by O. Henry. "Twice Born," by Edmund Russell, is a description of childhood in India, which conjures up the dreamy atmosphere of the east. In "A Dakota Romance," M. W. Law, while telling a strong love story, manages to paint a convincing picture of emigrant life on the western prairie. James L. Ford is at his best in "The Coming Queen of Comedy," Lillian Pettigill concludes "Tollers of the Home," making many interesting statements about the lives and thoughts of servant girls. Read "Significant Antecedents" if you would know how far you feel to be lifted from a small western town into congress and out again. In "The Imperturbable Moores," Will Payne has written one of the finest character studies that has ever appeared in any magazine. Herman Whitaker, in "The Wheel of the Potter," gives us a stirring tale of the northwest. "Our Little Stories of the month" in this number are above the average. Mary Stewart Cutting's "Wind Tidings" is an exceptionally good story.

DISOLUTION NOTICE. On and after June 1, 1903, the partnership existing between E. D. Thompson and Bacon Saunders, under the firm name of Doctors' Thompson & Saunders, will terminate by mutual agreement. Each will continue to represent, as opportunity offers, the same interests heretofore represented, but in an individual capacity. The outstanding bills may be paid to either member of the old firm.

ARRESTED IN DENTON. DENTON, Texas, May 27.—Lloyd Robison, aged 17, was arrested today and lodged in the county jail on charge of burglary. The arrest was made by City Marshal W. S. Fry, who believes that Robison can tell something about a number of burglaries that have been committed here lately, notably that of the home of Miss Jessie Staples, from whom a watch and ring were stolen. The watch was afterwards recovered in Tarrant county.

A PROTEGE OF SCHWAB. Schwab likes to help worthy young men. Himself a protege of Andrew Carnegie, he has gathered about him several able youngsters, who are proud to set themselves down as his proteges. There is one in particular, now a resident of New York. His name is Benner. His age is 32. Schwab, Carnegie & Co. have made him president of a corporation at a salary of \$25,000 a year, and it is believed that he is a cheap man at that price. Mr. Benner is a bachelor, living in superb apartments at the Pierpont.

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