

The Smart and Silberberg Co.

The New Autumn Fashions

Make a fascinating moving picture show at this store this week. To walk through the different sections, to inspect the different floors is like having a parade of fashions pass in review before you, and the problems that now interest nearly every woman in America—what is the size of the hat? The style of the sleeve? The fullness and length of the skirt? The newest thing in gloves, hosiery, neckwear, trimmings, etc., are solved.

You will want first choice, and you who are going to get the best styles had best come now—now when styles, varieties, assortments are so rich and full, and, withal, priced so pleasingly.

Beautiful Hats for Autumn.

A painter's brush and an artist's skill could not portray all the beauties of these first new creations for fall and winter wear. Cold type utterly fails to describe their shapes, their peculiarly lovely harmonies, worked out in velvets, satins, ribbons, leathers, wings and flowers. Every little piece of trimming helps out the artistic color idea and the elegant style.

We shall simply say that the splendid records of our past have been surpassed, and our collection of Suit and Dress Hats at \$5 to \$10 is difficult to duplicate elsewhere at \$7 to \$12.

Women's Suits, Skirts, Waists.

This store is a mecca for them. We have sold more so far this month than in any previous corresponding period of time.

There are reasons for this. The correctness of the styles, the variety to choose from, the quality of suits have much to do with it, we are sure.

Exclusiveness and the fact that every suit that requires alteration is finished as though molded to its owner, combined with prices that are moderate, are pushing our sales ahead of all previous seasons.

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OIL CITY, PA.

A popular song runs,

"Every Little Bit Added to What You Got Makes a Little Bit More."

Put what you have in a Savings Account and we will make it considerable more by adding **Four Per Cent.** interest.

Oil City Trust Company,

Oil City, Pa.

President, JOSEPH SEEP. Vice President, GEORGE LEWIS. Treasurer, H. R. MERRITT.

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Is guaranteed to relieve at once that Itching, Burning Pain, and permanently cures Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Burns, Bruises, Scalds, Old Sores, Ulcers, Frosted Feet, Chilblains, Catarrh, Corns, Chapped Hands and Lips, Boils, Carbuncles, Felons, Sore Nipples, Festers, Itching, Bleeding Piles, Insect Bites, and Old Chronic Fever Sores.

The best Poultice, always clean and moist.

25c and 50c a Bottle. All Druggists.

Postage paid on receipt of price if your druggist does not have it. The 50c bottle is three times the 25c kind. Mention this paper. For sale by Dunn & Fulton and Bovard's Pharmacy, Tionesta.

LABORATORY 8 AND 10 DIAMOND STREET, TITUSVILLE, PA.

Pennsylvania Railroad

POPULAR EXCURSION

Oil City and Titusville

LAST OF THE SEASON

Sunday, October 18th, 1908

Tickets good going on Special Train indicated, and good returning on Special Train October 18, or regular trains October 19, will be sold from the stations named at the rates quoted:

Station	Train Leaves	Rate to Oil City or Titusville and return
Glade	9:47 a. m.	\$1.00
Struthers	9:51 "	1.00
Warren	9:56 "	1.00
Irvinston	10:06 "	1.00
Tidioute	10:24 "	.75
Hickory	10:50 "	.75
Tionesta	11:02 "	.75
Oil City	Ar. 11:40	
Titusville	Ar. 12:20 p. m.	

Returning, Special Train leaves Titusville 7:00 p. m., Oil City 7:40 p. m. Train 33 due to leave Oil City 3:30 p. m., October 19, will leave Titusville 2:30 p. m. Children between five and twelve years of age, Half Fares.

J. R. WOOD Passenger Traffic Manager

GEO. W. BOYD General Passenger Agent

FRANCE A MEDIATOR.

Conferences With Representatives of the Powers.

Danger of War Believed to Lie In Precipitate Action at Constantinople. Should War Be Declared Efforts of the Powers Will Be Directed to Limiting Hostilities to Bulgaria and Turkey — International Conference to Revise Treaty of Berlin.

Paris, Oct. 6.—France has essayed the role of mediator with the object of preventing war between Turkey and Bulgaria, and as a result of Foreign Minister Pichon's series of conferences with the representatives of the powers, including M. Iswolsky, the Russian foreign minister, Naum Pacha, the Turkish ambassador to France, the Austro-Hungarian, the British, the American and the Italian ambassadors and of active exchanges which have been going on between the various cabinets, it was announced last night that France, Great Britain, Russia and possibly Italy were prepared to act in unison to preserve peace and to call a conference of the signatories of the Berlin treaty to deal diplomatically with the situation that has arisen between Turkey and Bulgaria and to harmonize conflicting interests so that fresh complications may be avoided.

Recognition of Bulgaria Conceded. Already certain tentative propositions as a basis for a conference have been forwarded to Constantinople, and if the port's assent can be secured it is argued as certain that peace will be maintained. The nature of these propositions has not been disclosed, but it is understood that they involve the recognition of Bulgaria's independence as a "fait accompli."

The danger of war is believed to lie in precipitate action at Constantinople. Forced by the "Young Turks" party, which may fear a blow at its prestige if it acquiesces in the loss of Bulgaria, and by the military party, which wants to restore the old order of things, it is feared that Turkey, although ill-prepared, both from a financial and military standpoint, may proclaim war. Should this be the case, the efforts of the powers will then be directed to limiting the war to Bulgaria and Turkey.

According to information received here, Bulgaria would welcome war, as the Bulgarians are convinced that their army could march straight to Constantinople before the Turkish forces could be mobilized. The French government's communique says:

"It is certain that France, Russia, Great Britain and Italy will do their utmost to maintain peace in the East, but it seems difficult as the present moment to judge what means will best attain this end. All depends upon what will happen at Constantinople, and events that will now rapidly ensue might very shortly place the powers in the presence of a 'fait accompli' and completely modify the aspect of affairs."

Revision of Treaty of Berlin. "The idea of an international conference charged with the duty of deciding upon a revision of the treaty of Berlin would seem to be put forward with a certain persistence in political circles. However, the disposition of Turkey in that respect must be first ascertained. If Turkey is favorably inclined to this it is believed that the powers can easily reach an agreement on the principle of a conference, the initiative for which France, Great Britain and Russia will take. But these are only hypotheses, which for the present must be regarded with reserve."

The view is now held here that there has been a double move on the part of Bulgaria and Austria-Hungary, these two countries acting together, and that Germany and Italy were advised of it in advance. Russia also received an intimation of the plan, but Mr. Iswolsky asserts that he was not let into the secret, and in some respects was misled.

A KEROSENE LAMP EXPLODED.

Mrs. Mary Cummings and Two Grandchildren Burned to Death.

Yonkers, N. Y., Oct. 6.—Mrs. Mary Cummings, 70 years old, and her two grandchildren, Jeanette Howland, aged 9, and Harry Howland, 11 years old, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the cottage of John Cummings, superintendent of the estate of William J. Cobran on the outskirts of Yonkers. All the members of the household were asleep when the fire was started by the explosion of a kerosene lamp.

Cummings and his wife managed to get out safely as their bedroom is on the first floor, but the exit of Mrs. Mary Cummings, her daughter, Mrs. Maria Howland, and her two children was cut off by flames in the hall. Mrs. Howland managed to get out on the roof of a veranda, but as she was reaching in the window for her children she fell to the lawn, breaking her right leg and left arm.

Phonograph, Too, Is Silent. None of the Bryan phonograph records has the speeches advocating free silver and immediate government ownership of the railroads, nor have the "great commoner's" attacks on Roger Sullivan, Colonels Watterton and Guffey. These omissions tell an important story.—Brookville Republican.

Why Does He Kick?

As Mr. Bryan made all his money under Republican administration, what is he really kicking about, anyway?—Fulton Republican.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Summary of the Week's News of the World.

Cream of the News Culled From Long Dispatches and Put in Proper Shape For the Hurried Reader Who is Too Busy to Read the Longer Reports and Desires to Keep Posted.

Wednesday.

The savings bank section of the American Bankers' association expressed opposition to the postal savings bank.

The Firminist party, according to advices from St. Thomas, believe that a new revolution in Hayti will be successful.

Russians of the lowest class stricken with cholera, according to advices from St. Petersburg, crowd the tram cars, spreading the infection.

National Guard regiments received from the United States government new Springfield rifles to take the place of the Krag-Jorgensens.

Governor General Smith of the Philippines cabled the war department that the reception of the fleet should be delayed a month on account of cholera.

Thursday.

A Rome dispatch says that Cardinal Merry del Val is reported to be about to retire as papal secretary of state.

Campaign managers of both parties have come to the conclusion that New York state is the real battle ground of the presidential fight.

Colonel Brewer, ousted from the Salvation Army in New York for stock speculation and readmitted on professing conversion, returned to the "street" again.

John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil company said his private letter books and files had been looted three years ago by an employee who offered them for sale to a newspaper.

Dr. B. Bang, noted authority of Copenhagen, decried useless slaughter of cattle which react to tuberculosis test in imprudent address before the international congress on tuberculosis at Washington.

Friday.

Ten thousand persons are believed to have been drowned in floods caused by unprecedented rainfalls in the Hyderabad section of India.

Yale university received \$1,262,444 in gifts last year, and the total of assets and funds is \$9,640,246, according to the treasurer's annual report.

President Castro has refused to accept Holland's second note in the Venezuelan matter from Barin Secken-dorf, says a dispatch from Willemstad.

W. J. Wilgus submitted to the public service board plans for a freight subway in New York, which should transport freight and waste throughout the city over a belt line with spurs to the basements of buildings and to railway terminals.

Saturday.

Lieutenant Governor Chandler was notified of his nomination for governor in a speech by Alton B. Parker.

The British cruiser Gladiator, which was sunk last April by an American liner in the Solent, was refloated.

Senator J. B. Foraker asked that his accusers take him to court if he has done anything wrong in accepting a Standard Oil retainer.

After a chase which lasted for several hours Edward Radel of Bound Brook, N. J., shot and killed a lion which had escaped from the winter quarters of a circus.

In pressing a plea for \$10,000 a month alimony and \$15,000 counsel fees for Mrs. Howard Gould, her attorney declared that his client, who is now on an allowance of \$25,000 a year, is in "serious want."

Sunday.

A dispatch from Berlin says the report that Germany is planning a big increase to her navy is "absolute nonsense."

Rear Admiral Sperry, at Manila, announced that only officers of the battleship fleet would be allowed to visit the plague infected city.

Business men in lower Manhattan are much interested in plans of the Amsterdam corporation for a \$100,000,000 system of freight subways.

Holland not only admits the offensive character of the letter of M. De Reus, expelled minister to Venezuela, but the government says he would have been recalled when the contents of the letter became known.

Tuesday.

The American fleet rode safely through a furious typhoon which struck Manila bay.

Washington dispatches state that President Roosevelt has taken charge of the Taft campaign fund.

James P. English and Catharine Murphy, whom he was soon to marry, were instantly killed by a train at Winfield, L. I.

Mrs. Alice Damp, mother of twenty-three children, all of whom are living, arrived in New York from the Isle of Wight with eleven of them.

Charles Weishecker, a wealthy provision dealer, was killed and his wife and two friends injured in an automobile accident near Edgewater, N. Y.

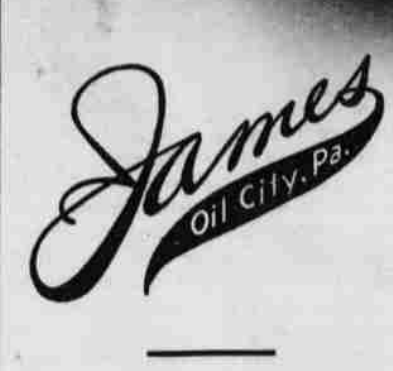
Two persons were instantly killed and three others hurt when an automobile plunged down a twenty-five foot embankment near Philadelphia.

Utica Dairy Market.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Transactions on the Utica dairy board of trade today were as follows:

Color	Lot	Boxes	Pr.
Large white	1	100	12 1/2
Color	1	514	12 1/2
Large colored	9	514	12 1/2
Large colored	2	180	12 1/2
Small white	2	217	12 1/2
Small white	1	75	12 1/2
Small white	2	160	12 1/2
Small colored	14	1,159	12 1/2
Small colored	4	316	12 1/2
Small colored	2	208	12 1/2

Totals 37 2,923
BUTTER—No creamery butter report, price ruling at 28c.



Cloak and Suit Department.



Women's Tailored Suits, Misses' Tailored Suits, Waists, Coats and Skirts, Costumes and Opera Cloaks.

In the merchandise assembled for this fall season of 1908, the Cloak and Suit Department far surpasses any previous effort. Exceedingly handsome Tailored Suits at \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$20. Suits that will bear the most rigid inspection as to the little details of perfect suit construction. Suits that leave nothing to be desired in style or general make-up. This suit business is being done on an exceedingly close margin of profit basis. The kind of suits we are sending out at \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$20 best evidence of this fact.

Junior Suits \$12.50, \$14.50, \$16.50, \$18.50. The matter of Misses' Suits has received special consideration this season, and the range of styles and fabrics is a large one. All strictly man-tailored and designed as carefully and with as faithful regard for correct style as the women's suits. We have the right idea about these Misses' Suits. They have distinction, style and character. Made by a house that makes a specialty of "Junior Suits." Designers who design only Misses' Junior Suits. Tailors who make only Junior Suits.

Rain Coats. These range \$6.75, \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 to \$25, and the materials are English Cravenette, Cravenette Taffeta, Satin, Peau de Soie and Moire Antique. Such excellent materials and so handsomely designed that the Rain Coat has come to be worn as much for an Evening Wrap as for a Rain Coat. Primarily, of course, they're a Rain Coat. Styles are loose-fitting, semi-fitted and the very popular Nippon style. Browns, navy, black, tan, grey and green, in stripes and mixed moire effects.

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Absolutely Free to You

A full quart of "Family Favorite" LAMP OIL

Not a cent. No obligation whatever. Simply fill out, clip and present the Coupon below to your dealer and he will give you absolutely free one full quart of "Family Favorite" Lamp Oil.

WHY? Simply to prove beyond all doubt, at our own expense, seven things about "Family Favorite" Oil:

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2. Makes a pure white light with perfect combustion.
3. Burns steadily, evenly and full candle power, to the last drop.
4. Burns without smoke or odor—will not char the wick, smoke the chimney or "smell."
5. Burns lamp out dry with round, flat, large or small burner, with perfect, free feed without moving the wick.
6. That it gives more light with no trouble at the same price as charged for common bulk oils from tank wagons.
7. That—after you have tried and proved "Family Favorite"—it is worth while to insist and see that you get it; that you will take no other no matter what argument is offered; that you have at last found the best lamp oil made—"Family Favorite."

Give it a Fair Trial. Empty lamp—clean burner—use new wick. If your dealer does not happen to have "Family Favorite" Oil, send this Coupon below (all spaces properly filled out) direct to us and we will get after your dealers.

PLEASE DO THIS. We are absolutely sincere in this Free Offer. We really want you to try "Family Favorite," JUST ONCE ANYWAY, at our expense. Then it's up to the oil itself to prove the truth. Don't feel that we will think you are trying to get "something for nothing." THE OBLIGATION IS OURS. We want you to try "Family Favorite." PLEASE DO IT.

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Independent Refiners
Pittsburg, Pa.

COUPON.—Before Nov. 1st, 1908, your dealer will exchange for this coupon, absolutely free, one full quart of "Family Favorite" Lamp Oil.

Waverly Oil Works Co.,
Independent Refiners, Pittsburg, Pa.
(Write plainly.)

Name.....
P. O. Address.....
Name and Address of your dealer.....

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\$100,000 FROM STANDARD.

Judge Parker Speaks of Contribution in 1904 to Republican Committee.

Baltimore, Oct. 6.—"When President Roosevelt so sweepingly condemned Haskell for his alleged connection with the Standard Oil company, he perhaps forgot that in 1904 his, Roosevelt's, committee received \$100,000 from the Standard Oil company for the campaign fund and spent it."

This statement by Judge Alton B. Parker of New York brought to their feet in a burst of wild applause some six thousand Democrats who assembled last night in Richmond Market hall to hear him, Senator John Daniel of Virginia, W. C. Bacon of New York and others discuss the issues of the campaign.

Continuing Judge Parker said: "And when Treasurer George B. Cortelyou, of the national committee in that year, went to the Standard Oil company by appointment to ask for money for the campaign fund he was not satisfied with \$100,000 but wanted more. It may be true that Roosevelt wrote to Cortelyou telling him to send that \$100,000 back to the Standard Oil company but it is equally true that Cortelyou did not send it back but used it. And it is also true that he was never punished by Roosevelt for not sending the money back. On the contrary, he was rewarded by being made postmaster general of the United States and afterward secretary of the treasury."

Allowed to Proceed in Male Attire.

New York, Oct. 6.—The Ellis Island immigration authorities, who had detained Miss Mary Johnson, a Canadian woman, when she arrived here on the American liner New York under the assumed name of "Frank Woodhull" and wearing men's clothes, today decided to allow her to proceed to her destination, New Orleans, still garbed in masculine attire. Miss Johnson, 56 years old and of masculine appearance, had declared to the authorities that having been born unprepossessing as a woman, she had found herself practically shut out from earning a living, and that only as a man had she been able during the past fifteen years to earn a regular income as a book agent and maintain her respectability.

Inventor's Mind Became Unbalanced.

Jeannette, Pa., Oct. 6.—Carmen Sacco, an apprentice barber, aged 21 years, committed suicide by shooting himself in the left ear. He had been experimenting for some time in the hope of inventing an improved method of making artificial ice and his mind is believed to have become unbalanced.

Thrown From Buggy and Killed.

Clearfield, Pa., Oct. 6.—Miss Elizabeth Ogden, aged 55, osteopathic practitioner, was thrown from her buggy while driving along Nichols street, receiving injuries from which she died while being taken to the hospital. She was the daughter of G. W. Ogden of Lawrence township, near Clearfield.

Stop the Little Leaks

The next time you are going to spend a dollar stop and ask yourself if it really need be spent. You will be surprised to find that very often you need not spend it because you can easily get along without the intended purchase.

Take one of these dollars and open a savings account in this bank where it will draw

4%

interest compounded semi-annually. Then stop all the leaks and resolve to lay the savings away. The result will surprise and please you.

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