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You can have the latest style in a Tailored Suit at \$20, a style as perfect as at \$50. You also get the best material that we can buy at that price; coats lined with satin and skirts carefully fashioned after the most perfect models. And this is worthy of note.

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The fabrics are all wool, the trimmings are a little more ornate and expensive and the satin linings are "Skinner" Satin, a lining guaranteed for two years.

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Cheviots, Fancy Mixtures, Broadcloths, &c., 32 and 34 inch coats, satin lined, Skirts modeled after latest fashions, Some plain tailored, others fancy trimmed. Priced \$17.50, \$20 and up.

All-Wool Serges, Broadcloths, Basket Weaves, Cheviots and Worsteds. Priced \$28, \$35 and up.

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## 4 Per Cent. Savings Account,

And interest will be credited June 1st and December 1st, each year.

# Oil City Trust Company,

Oil City, Pa.



TAYLOR tailoring can stand the test, so, for this reason you are earnestly invited to compare their quality and popular prices with other

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## The "Dummies" in the Doorway.

This store as a clothing store has long ago outgrown its swaddling clothes and old fashioned methods. We don't use "dummies" neither inside nor outside. Every man in the large number we employ is paid for his knowledge of the clothing business. Some of our men have grown old in the service and we depend on their judgment absolutely. Therefore when you buy a Suit or an Overcoat or any other article we sell, you get expert opinion in every instance and the assurance that you are getting the best value at any price you pay.

This declaration we can prove to any one beyond any question of doubt.

Buy your Suit or Overcoat here and have it right

Suits \$7.50 to \$40.00

Coats \$5.00 to \$35.00

We pay the fare to Tionesta and back on \$10.00 purchases.



Children's needs here. Oil City, Pa.

## TENER MANFULLY MEETS ACCUSERS

Republican Nominee Fully Answers Bitter Political Attack.

## GIVES DETAILED STATEMENT

Ready to Redeem All Stock at Price Paid From Any Purchaser Who Invested Because of His Connection.

John K. Tener, Republican nominee for governor, in a frank and manly statement, has met the attacks of his political opponents and given a complete answer to every insinuation that has been made in the journalistic assault upon his character.

He has demonstrated that his connections with the companies in question have been straightforward and honorable in every way. He has told of his exact relations with the Utilities enterprise, which he believed when he became identified with it it was a feasible project, and he holds that it is still a fact, and he has proclaimed that he is ready to pay in full any amounts that may have been paid into the company for stock, purchased because of his connection with the corporation.

The attempt to discredit Mr. Tener because of his relations with an insurance company that has also been made an issue in the state campaign was upon the face of it so palpably a political trick that no one took it seriously.

Mr. Tener points out that this company has been a success from the start, and that he is still interested in it financially.

Mr. Tener brands the attacks upon him as unwarranted and malicious, and in view of the rumors that have been put in circulation by a coterie of politicians, to the effect that he is to be arrested, Mr. Tener boldly defies them to carry out their plot.

W. L. Chrisman, who is now president of the National Public Utilities company, when shown Mr. Tener's statement, said: "It fully covers the situation."

Mr. Tener's statement reads as follows:

### Statement of Fact.

"Ordinarily I would pay no attention to the falsehoods that have been uttered by an untruthful newspaper, but it may be that some fair-minded men have been misled by the way facts have been distorted, and for this reason, and for this reason alone, I desire to make a short statement which covers my position.

"In December of last year I was visited in Washington by William L. Chrisman, Esq., an attorney of Philadelphia, and F. L. Smart, who requested me to become president of the National Public Utilities Corporation. I had favorably known Mr. Smart for some time, but not knowing Mr. Chrisman made inquiry and learned that he was a lawyer of excellent reputation and with good business connections. I also learned that other reputable men, General Russell Thayer, Colonel William Bender Wilson, Joseph S. Mack, Frederick S. Schoff, William B. Margerum and Simeon Merrill, were directors.

"I was also informed that the company had been incorporated according to law, was properly organized and could legitimately carry on the business for which it was intended, which was the building of a railroad from Astoria to a point beyond Seaside in the state of Oregon. I also made inquiry of those believed to be familiar with the locality as to the practicability of the enterprise. After this I concluded to accept the presidency and served in that office, and as director, during the first quarter of this year, but as my labors in congress were daily increasing, because of important legislation then pending, which required practically all of my time, I resigned from the company. For some reason or other my resignation was not accepted at the time I tendered it, but I received no salary as president except for the months of January and February, although entitled to the salary for March.

\$50,000 par value of the stock was sent to me and I immediately returned it with a letter stating that I would not accept it as I had not earned it and was not entitled to it. A little later \$20,000, par value, of the stock was sent to me, which I also returned for the same reason.

### A Feasible Project.

"I believed the object of this company to be legitimate and notwithstanding the vicious attacks which have been made against it I am not convinced to the contrary, and today am of the opinion that it could be successfully carried out. Charles N. Bennett, a civil engineer of high repute in his profession, whom I sent to Oregon on my election to the presidency, reported favorably upon it and within a week passed has reiterated that opinion, and has stated that if eastern capital could not be had to carry the work through local capital there could be had to do it. I believe that the worst blow the stockholders of this company have received is the result of unwarranted and malicious attacks through the columns of this hypocritical newspaper.

"I never promoted the National Public Utilities Corporation, was not a participant in its promotion; never sold any of its stock, or solicited anybody to buy any of its stock. My connection with it was entirely honorable and straightforward, as I have above described.

"I am informed that about \$39,000 in cash (not nearly \$2,000,000 as published) have been paid to the company for stock, and to show that I do not wish to evade any responsibility in the matter, if any man, relying upon my being president, or upon my name being used in connection with this company during the time I was president, presents proof to me that he purchased any of the stock and paid cash to the company I will take the stock from him and give him exactly what he paid for it in cash.

"Whatever has been done by this company as respects the taking over of any other or subsidiary companies or enterprises, was before my connection with it, and with which I had nothing to do, but I believe, and had the right to believe, from the character of those who were in control, and from my investigation, that all had been properly and legally done.

"As to Messrs. Bromley and Haines I never heard of them until I became connected with the company and not until the matter was exploited by yellow journalism did I ever hear any adverse criticism affecting them.

### A Successful Company.

"Concerning my connection with the Security Life and Annuity company, with others I sold my stock some years ago and soon after, at the request of the company's president, Mr. W. O. Johnson, of Chicago, I again became a member of its board of directors and still serve in that capacity. The company is and always has been eminently successful.

"In view of the scurrilous attacks I believe it to be no more than just to myself, as an assurance to the people of my business integrity and ability, to say that I am now and have been for twelve years president of the First National Bank of Charleroi, Pennsylvania; I am now and for several years have been secretary and treasurer of the Charleroi Savings and Trust company, and I have several other business connections—all prosperous—all well managed, and all have the confidence of every one connected or having to do with them.

"I know that certain interests are striving to induce some one to be the 'tool' to issue (for political effect) a warrant for my arrest. For the proper condemnation of such conduct I confidently appeal to the sense of fair play of the electors of Pennsylvania and challenge my detractors to proceed. I court any judicial investigation, for I am ready to meet any and all accusers in a court of justice instead of trying to answer hidden foes who are straining every point to accomplish, for political purposes, my business and political ruin."

### O'Connell's Big Head.

Thackeray was six feet two inches in height, and Sir E. W. Lucy says the great novelist wore a seven and five-eighth inch hat, beating Dickens and John Bright by a full half inch. Mr. Gladstone's hat was of seven and three-eighth inch measurement—the same as Macaulay's—while Beaconsfield needed a full seven inch. The hat of Daniel O'Connell, however, would have beaten them all, measuring eight and one-half inches by ten inches.

## SUSPECTS ARE HELD FOR EXTRADITION

Supposed Dynamiters Had \$12,000 in Launch when Arrested.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Marion Letcher, American consul at Acapulco, Mexico, sent a report to the state department on the arrest of the five passengers of the gasoline launch which recently put into that port for fuel. They are held as suspects in the recent dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building.

The sum of \$12,000, Consul Letcher said, was found in the launch. The five men were Swan Engdehe, Adolph Adolphson, Dan Archer, Ohi Carlson and Harry Ham. The latter, the consul said, is supposed to be Wilson B. Evans, who is said to be wanted by the Los Angeles police in connection with the recent robbery of the Merchants and Farmers' bank of Los Angeles.

The information was forwarded to Governor Gillett of California. If the five men detained at Acapulco were implicated in the Los Angeles Times case, their extradition will probably be requested.

## PUT ON CIVIL SERVICE LIST

President Favors Taking Second and Third Class Postmasters Out of Politics.

Washington, Nov. 1.—It was learned definitely that the president will recommend in his coming message to congress that second and third class postmasters be covered in the civil service list.

Mr. Taft intimated some time ago that he would take such action. He is in favor of taking all collectors of customs and internal revenue out of politics and putting them under the protection of the civil service.

It is likely, however, that the second and third class postmasters will be the only federal officeholders who will figure in this way in the next message.

## MARKET REPORT

New York Provision Market.  
New York, Oct. 31.  
WHEAT—No. 2 red, f. o. b. 97c;  
No. 2 hard, winter, \$1.04 3/4.  
CORN—No. 2 in elevator, domestic, 56 1/2 c.  
OATS—No. 2 white, in elevator, 28c; white, on track, 37 1/2 c. 11c.  
BUTTER—Creamery specials, 32 1/2 c; do, extras, 31c; state dairy, good to prime, 26@28c; factory, firsts, 23c.  
CHEESE—State, specials, 15 1/2 c. 16 1/2 c.  
EGGS—State and Pennsylvania, 45@48c.

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