

Start Without Capital In the Great SHEAR & SCISSOR BUSINESS

We Ship You a Stock of Goods Without a Cent in Advance

This is a truly wonderful opportunity to step right into a money-making business of your own without investing a dollar or risking a cent. We control the market for the new "U" Clevis Adjustable Self-Sharpening Shear—an invention of such surpassing merit that it is paralyzing the sale of the old-style shears. Storekeepers everywhere are alarmed by the activity and success of our agents, whom we absolutely protect by refusing all orders from stores.

The Shears That Cut Clear to the Point

The Shear, Scissor and Cutlery business is one of the nicest, cleanest, easiest, best-paying businesses in the world. Millions of these articles are sold annually. The people must have them.

A Fortune-BUILDER for Agents!

Agents for "U" Clevis Shears and Scissors are making money. Many making more than they ever dreamed possible. Even the most experienced are astonished at the sales and profits. Dissatisfied agents of other concerns are flocking to this company.

A Whirlwind Seller!

Requires little talking and no urging to make sales. The Shears sell themselves. Show how they are made—what they do—and the sale is made. Leave your business card (we print them free) and "repeat" orders come without effort. You can cover the same territory over and over again and increase your sales each time.

A Close View of the Great "U" Clevis Attachment Which Gives Blades a Ball Bearing Action. The Bicycle Principle Applied to Shears!

Patented by Patent

Adjustable, and Self-Sharpening

TEN YEAR Guarantee

We give the longest, strongest guarantee ever made on shears. A new pair FREE in exchange for any found defective, any time within 10 years.

Write Quick We name but one Agent in each Territory

"U" Clevis Shears and Scissors

The Grandest Household Invention of the 20th Century

See the "U" Clevis attachment on this pair of shears. Now see the enlarged view of the "U" Clevis which is the principle of the bicycle applied to shears. This German Silver Clevis holds the keen blades firmly together so they cut clean and true, clear to the point. It is the blades the ball bearing action. Makes them self-sharpening. Shears cannot get out of order. Tension can be regulated. The only real adjustable shear on the market! The easiest working shear in existence. Another tremendously valuable feature is that each blade is of a thin piece of finest Sheffield Steel welded on the frame—the keenest cutting edge on any shear. Every shear tempered, ground, polished, nickel plated, adjusted and Guaranteed for Ten Years.

Prompt Action Secures a Stock of these Fast Selling Shears on Full Credit

Charges Paid

We want Agents, Salesmen, Branch Managers—men or women—everywhere. We care nothing about selling you a few shears—that we want is live, energetic, honorable workers to look after the territory not yet taken. If you are short of cash, don't let that interfere! The supply of goods which we stand ready to ship to honest, ambitious agents, will quickly put you on your feet. No experience is necessary to make a big success. Write quick for the goods and agency.

Enormous Demand! Factory Flooded With Orders!

Our Agents Are Making Money Hand Over Fist

Houses, dressmakers, barbers, paper-hangers—everybody who has any use for shears, buys the "U" Clevis Self-Sharpening Shear on sight. Our agents are having unprecedented success. You ought to see some of their letters. The big sales are a continual surprise. Keeps the factory on the jump to fill orders.

Agent's Outfit Furnished FREE!

Exclusive Territory Going Fast

We believe in starting our agents out right, with an outfit they'll be proud of. Our Handsome Red Leather Sample Case helps wonderfully in making quick sales. We supply one free to each agent.

You may never see this offer again, for the territory is being taken rapidly. Don't delay—and then regret the lost opportunity. Write now—this very moment!

WRITE AT ONCE FOR A STOCK OF SHEARS AND FREE OUTFIT!

We appoint only one exclusive agent in each locality. Get your application in first. Address **PEOPLES SUPPLY CO., Shipping Department F2, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI**

Eastern Oklahoma Invites You

The greatest opportunity today is in Eastern Oklahoma, where the U. S. Government has recently removed all restrictions from the famous Indian lands. Thousands are flocking to this new land of promise. Why not investigate this opportunity for yourself? Make the trip this winter. Low excursion rates first and third Tuesdays of each month. Our illustrated booklet, sent free on request.

We have a large number of choice Eastern Oklahoma farms for sale, equal in every respect to high-priced land in older states now selling for \$100 to \$150 per acre.

These farms are so good, the prices yet so low, and the terms so easy, that anyone may buy a tract of land that will surely double in value in a very few years.

A recent act of congress removed all restrictions from our lands in Eastern Oklahoma, and it is the choicest farming land located in the rain and corn belt ever offered to the public. We prove by results that these farms are equal if not better in producing capacity than the high-priced farm lands in the older states, and they can yet be purchased at from one-fourth to one-third their price.

Our lands are now producing successfully corn, wheat, oats, cotton, alfalfa and clover, and are unsurpassed for fruit and vegetables. The annual rainfall is 40 inches, and the climate is the best in the United States outside of California. Located within easy shipping distance of great market centers.

Abstracts furnished and titles guaranteed to be perfect. Our proposition is without doubt the most attractive to buyers of anything on the market, and will bear the fullest investigation.

We want reliable men to represent us in Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Minnesota and South Dakota for the best land proposition in the United States. Write for full particulars. Address

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365 Fraternity Bldg., Lincoln, Nebraska

News of the Week

Fire Chief Croker of New York, favors limiting buildings to seven stories.

Former Senator William E. Chandler celebrated his 75th birthday at Concord, New Hampshire.

A Tokio, Japan, dispatch to the New York Evening Telegram says that the American vice consul at Dalny, Manchuria, Adolph A. Williamson was assaulted at a fish market in Dalny last Friday by several Japanese and Chinese. It is said the affair will be reported to the state department.

Ben Pitman, author of the Pitman shorthand system, died at Cincinnati, age 88.

The Northern Bank of New York, with deposits in its nine branches of \$6,912,562 at the time of its last published statement, was closed by O. H. Cheney, state superintendent of banks, "for the benefit of the depositors," because of "certain conditions" and "also certain irregular transactions." Joseph G. Robin, chairman of the executive committee of the bank, and a shareholder and director in many other corporations, is in a private sanitarium at Central Valley, N. Y., to which he was committed by Justice Amend of the state supreme court at the request of his sister on a certificate of two physicians.

Admiral Dewey celebrated his seventy-third birthday December 26.

The threatened strike by railroad engineers has been averted. The engineers get 10 per cent increase.

The dissolution suit in the Chicago federal court against the National Packing company has been dismissed.

Arch Hoxey, aviator, soared more than two miles in the sky at Los Angeles, breaking the record.

Governor Haskell of Oklahoma has signed a bill removing the state capital to Oklahoma City. Guthrie interests have started court proceedings against the move.

John D. Young aged 87, former congressman from Kentucky, died at Sterling.

Former Senator J. B. McCreary and Ben Johnson are making a joint speaking tour in Kentucky in their candidacy for the democratic nomination for governor.

Dr. George E. Howard of the University of Nebraska, in an address delivered before the American Sociological society at St. Louis, advocated the payment of a pension to every mother.

A Sandusky, Ohio, dispatch carried by the Associated Press says: "Clothed in rags and living in wretched hovels, destitute of food and fuel, forty to fifty families, including nearly 200 small children, are reported to be in danger of starvation in the stone quarry districts near here. They are the wives and children of quarrymen who have been out of work for months. The Rev. William Kerker and the Rev. F. K. Wagner, pastor of the Catholic churches at Marblehead and Kelly's Falls, arrived here this evening with an appeal for help. They declared that if help was not forthcoming the families of the quarrymen must die. The clergymen told stories of women and children tramping barefooted over snow and

ice in search of food. The Salvation Army is arranging to dispatch wagon loads of supplies tomorrow.

The fourth death in the garment-workers strike occurred at Chicago. It was that of Ferdinand Weisse,

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