

# The Third of Our Money-Saving 5-Hour Sales

Begins Saturday Morning at 10

Although this is only the third of a series of 5-hour sales for every business day during August, a splendid impetus has already been gained by the massive offerings of the past two days. You're going to receive the best values you've ever known—and it will pay you to watch our ads—and the sale clocks daily.

From 9 to 11 Saturday Only We will From 10 to 12 Young Men's and Boys' Shoes. Sizes 1 to 6. Our best grades, made of \$2.50 Low Shoes, which means extraordinary values at this price—dull calf, tan, oxford and patent leather—in newest shapes. Positively warranted for satisfactory wear and fit. These are the "classy sort" that young men and boys who want to demand the "choice of the year" seek for. Never sold during other than this sale for less than \$2.00 (the regular price).



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THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S OWN STORE

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On cross-examination by Dennis Flynn, attorney for McMurray, Scott said there was nothing discreditable to him in the order of the secretary of the interior prohibiting him from paying warrants. He said his successor as Choctaw treasurer has never paid a warrant, a change having been made in the manner of payment.

Scott said he was under bond all the time he was treasurer and had never been sued by the government or by anybody else in connection with his actions. The witness said he refused to turn over his books to the government agents upon demand, with a view to protecting the governor, himself and the attorneys for the tribe.

The Chickasaw treasurer has turned over his books. In response to a question by Flynn, Scott said he had not at any time been indicted after he finally turned over the books. He described in detail the manner of making appropriations for the payment of tribal expenses by the Choctaw council and how the treasurer made payment.

McMurray, in view of suggestions made by Representative Saunders and Stephens and Senator Gore that no itemized expense accounts were ever filed by his firm, told the committee that such accounts were on file in the Department of Justice and in the Interior department and are accessible. Chairman Burks stated he was aware of this fact.

Curtis and Sherman. Scott identified a telegram he had sent last May to Richard Adams, an attorney at Washington, in which Vice President Sherman and Senator Charles Clark of Kansas were referred to as understanding more than any one else what the Indians wanted.

"Both Mr. Sherman and Mr. Curtis," said Scott, "long were identified with Indian affairs. We believed they knew more about us than did our congressmen."

"Was that the only reason for your referring to Mr. Sherman and Mr. Curtis?" "Yes; we had absolute confidence in their ability to deal with Indian affairs."

Scott denied he ever had received any financial aid from McMurray. He insisted his interest in the contracts was based only on his anxiety to get the land sold. He told of inducing the Indians to send telegrams to Washington, urging the prompt sale of the land. Last May McMurray was in Washington, he said, urging the approval of the contracts and on May 3, three days before Senator Gore says the bribe was offered, McMurray telegraphed to Scott in Oklahoma, "Looks better here; we will win, I know."

"Now, what did you take that to mean?" Scott was asked. "Did you think McMurray was going to get his contracts approved soon?"

"Well, it appeared he felt encouraged over the situation at Washington."

Promises in Other Contracts. Referring to the promise of the contracts, Scott said: "Out of these segregated coal and asphalt lands the Indians thought they ought to get \$200,000, but we didn't ask more than \$20,000,000. The surplus unallotted land was worth about \$15,000,000 and the leased district land perhaps as much. McMurray was to get 10 per cent of whatever money he got out of it. We believed McMurray was in a position to expedite the sale of these lands and that's why I signed the contracts and induced others to sign."

"One reason why the Indians were willing to pay a big fee," Scott said, "is that they were afraid the government would reopen the rolls and take in 10,000 more Indians."

Scott said he believed the Indians would give 25 per cent attorney's fees if they could see action at once. He also declared the McMurray law firm had contributed \$1,000 to the campaign fund in a tribal election. As treasurer of the Choctaw nation, Scott said he had charge of payment of warrants. He said it was customary first to pay the warrants of his friends and hold up those who were not his friends.

"Do you think that is the proper way to discharge the affairs of the nation?" "Yes, I thought it was all right; it was frequently done."

"Did you ever visit a town called Robbers' Roost?" The witness said he had not. A previous witness declared Robbers' Roost was the center of operations for McMurray agents.

Questioned further Scott admitted: "We had received from McMurray \$400 for expenses, but he had kept an account of what McMurray still might owe him."

Scott admitted his management of the financial affairs of the Indians was a subject of complaint at Washington and that the secretary of the interior finally took the payment of warrants out of his hands.

METAL WORKERS ARE COMING Next Convention of National Association of Sheet Metal Workers to Be Held in Omaha.

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## MAN SAVED FROM WRECKAGE

Pulled from Collapsed Structure in Nick of Time.

YEAGER'S TRIAL TO COME SOON

City Council Will Put Police Official on Grill in Harry, Following Anti-Saloon League's Charges.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Aug. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Buried alive when the warehouse of the Merchants Transfer company collapsed today, Lasane Winkski, an employe of the Des Moines iron works, miraculously escaped death by suffocation. There were no other persons in the building when the accident occurred. Winkski was rescued by members of the police and fire departments and was unhurt. Only for the prompt action of the rescuers the man would have been suffocated. The building, which collapsed suddenly and from unknown causes, is a total wreck. The loss is estimated at \$5,000. At the time of the cave-in the warehouse was filled with bales of wire fencing and barrels of miscellaneous goods.

New Bank President. W. B. Lutz of Abila has purchased a controlling interest in the Home Savings bank of this city and will become its president.

The city council took steps this morning for the immediate trial of Harry, following the charges made by the head of the Iowa Anti-Saloon league. Councilman Roe, who is at the head of the department, asked for the immediate trial of Chief Yeager and Councilman MacVicar asked his removal pending trial, but this latter was resisted by Roe.

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The death of Mrs. J. Ellen Foster in Washington came as a distant shock to Iowa people, for in other years she had been a very prominent figure in state politics and especially in the temperance movement. She has resided many years in Washington, but made frequent visits to the state. She formerly lived in Clinton. She was regarded as one of the most forceful speakers among Iowa women.

Trust officers from over the state will meet with the probate officers of the juvenile court, who hold their annual convention at Cedar Rapids on August 17, 18 and 19. The work of the trust officers is so closely allied with that of the juvenile court that a special invitation has been extended them to attend the convention. The association of probate officers will hold its annual meeting in conjunction with the annual convention of the County Supervisors' association.

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