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IT is truly wonderful how the people have taken advantage of our "GREATEST CLOTHING SALE." We have tried hard to give them better values than they could get elsewhere, and as far as we know have succeeded. The sale continues with greater price cutting as it progresses and the best things disappear.

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SHIRTWAISTS

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EARTHQUAKE CLAUSE DOES NOT PROTECT INSURANCE COMPANIES

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—The "earthquake clause" in the insurance policies of the "welching insurance companies" was given a stinging blow in the United States court of appeals, in a decision handed down yesterday, and the men whose suits for insurance money have been held since the great fire of 1906 are to-day preparing to bring action to collect on their policies.

The case was one on appeal from the Willard & Company against the Williamsburg City Fire Insurance company, and the decision of Federal Judge Van Fleet was upheld by the court. The policy read that the company should not be liable to loss "caused directly or indirectly by invasion—or for loss or damage by or through any volcano, earthquake, etc." The insurance company showed that the property in question was burned by a fire that started in another building far away, that could be traced to the earthquake.

The court held that if the policy had intended to except cases of this kind the words "directly or indirectly" should have been used in the earthquake clause, as was used in the invasion clause. "Words used in a policy of insurance should be given their common, ordinary meaning, rather than that of lexicographers or those skilled in the niceties of language," said the court.

"If it had been the intention of the policy to exclude liability from all loss by fire caused by earthquake, it would have been a plain and simple matter to express that information in the words used in the first section.

"Had that been done, no question of construction could have arisen under the facts in the present case. But the different phraseology is so marked and significant as to compel the conclusion that it was intentional."

Insurance men here say today that the decision is far-reaching in its effects, and will put an end to a number of cases that have been pending since the fire of 1906. It is expected that hundreds of thousands of dollars will shortly be paid to policy holders by the insurance companies

October Brides

October is a month of weddings and this store prepares for these occasions regularly. Weeks ago we planned and bought ample supplies in wares especially appropriate for October weddings.

They may now be seen in our show cases. Come and examine and criticise and buy, if you will.

It is a pleasure to have you visit our store, and whether your wants are small or great, they can be supplied at economical prices.

BARR'S JEWELRY STORE

State and Liberty Streets.

Saratoga Chips (Anti-dyspeptic).

Most dishes requiring deep frying are denied the dyspeptic because they are usually fried in lard, and lard does not "agree." The following recipe will be welcomed by those of poor digestion:

Peel the potatoes and slice thin into cold water. Drain well, and dry in a towel. Fry a few at a time in hot Cottolene. Salt as you take them out, and lay them on coarse brown paper for a short time.

The above recipe can be followed without the least fear of disagreeable after effects. The chips will be crisp and dry—not greasy, as when fried in lard. Cottolene contains no hog fat, but is made of purest vegetable oil; it is recommended by physicians generally.

FAIR PLAY

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interests deserve our heartiest good will and the sacrifice of our time and our money. Because its members believe in this idea the Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress is the greatest force for business advancement existing in America today."

William R. Wheeler is here to present the personal message of President Roosevelt to the congress, and when he has finished his address the delegates will organize in state delegations, and select their members of the various standing committees of the congress.

This afternoon John Barrett, director of the bureau of American republics, is to deliver the message from the midst of the 20 Latin republics' delegates to the congress. He has been raised to the rank of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, so that he could deliver the message, and it is expected that his address will be one of the features of the session.

The fact that this is the year of a presidential campaign has prevented many politicians and public officials from attending the convention, but the visit of the Atlantic fleet to the Far East and the international problems that have arisen on the Pacific ocean will make the convention a memorable one.

National Questions.

Among the questions to be discussed in the convention are "Trans-Pacific Trade," "Hawaii and the Philippines," "Immigration" and "The Consular Service in the Far East." Under all these headings the all-prevading question "What About Japan" will crop up.

Hawaii and the Philippines are represented here with strong delegations, that will try to force the question of our relations with the Nipponese empire.

The congress will hold three sessions every day, besides the session of the committee on resolutions, that are expected to raise some questions independent of the discussion on the floor of the convention.

The convention is to adjourn Saturday night. During the entire session, a local committee will entertain the delegates with trips to points of interest.

This is the first great convention that San Francisco has entertained since the fire of 1906, and the delegates are all wondering at such marvelous progress toward the rebuilding of the city could have been made in such a short time.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Colonel Fred W. Fleming, of the Kansas Life Insurance company, recited the history of life insurance and declared that in the trans-Mississippi country alone there is insurance on the lives of its citizens amounting practically to five billion dollars. He added that it is well within the lines of conservation to estimate the amount of premiums that will be paid to life insurance companies by people of the 22 western states during the next year at $1,250,000,000. He urged the western people to keep these immense sums in the west instead of sending them east, in order that they may be used for the development of the great western country.

He predicted that if American life insurance companies did not exceed in 20 years the present percentage of growth, their accumulated assets in 1930 will dwarf into significance the combined valuation of all the savings companies, banks, trust companies and railroad companies of the United States. The speaker reveled in figures and stated that one new company has more policy holders than the combined population of California, Washington, Nevada, Utah, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Arkansas, Louisiana and North and South Dakota. The resources of another company he stated, was equal in amount to one-half of the entire capital of the national banks of the country.

In regard to the necessity of life insurance companies, Colonel Fleming said:

"The opinion of insurance in honest and capable hands constitutes the most conspicious example of modern Christianity—the fulfillment in a practical way of the command of Holy Writ: 'bear one ye another's burden's.'"

He then argued that, inasmuch as property used for educational and religious purposes is exempt from taxation, the voluntary contributions made by the members of insurance associations should also be exempt.

"The most practical method of development in the life insurance institutions," he declared, "is for the western people to insist that their legislatures shall not repeat the error that has been made in some of the other commonwealths of the union where laws affecting the insurance business have been enacted that are restrictive most oppressive in their operation. During the past few months four companies in the empire state of New York have practically gone out of business in their present organization, either through purchase or reinsurance and it has been claimed that these changes are the result of the operation of the laws referred to. It is the duty of the states to protect their interests in the business of life insurance by requiring that the companies resolutely safety to the insured and honest administration of the business. Further than this is it not right of the state to go, and an attempt to restrict and limit the development of insurance by laws which undertake to establish the forms and changes of contracts is irrational and unjust. It constitutes an aggravated form of patriotism and can only be justified upon the assumption that the American business man needs a guardian when he attempts to make a life insurance contract.

"The legislatures of the western states can perform no more useful service than by zealously fostering the development of insurance institutions within their states by enacting friendly legislation. There will be complete publicity in the business operation of life companies in the future and the institutions of insurance in the United States and Canada will continue to hold popularity and public confidence.

"We are hearing much and reading a great deal during the past political campaign about the conflict going on in the United States between righteousness and business. It has been truly said there can be no conflict of that character unless there is dishonesty at the business end or political pharisee[i]sm at the righteousness end. For the good of all concerned in a material way and for the honor and good name of business men of America there ought to be an end to the wholesale denunciation and precipitation of the great human institution of our country. Such unbridled attacks without discrimination ought to be repugnant to the nature and of good men."

Cutler's Speech.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Governor Cutler, of Utah, spoke as follows:

"I am proud to represent a state

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

Deeds Recorded.

W. H. Dalrymple et ux to M. D. Swabb, lot 4, block 14, Englewood addition to Salem; W. D., $150.

Geo. W. and J. E. Brown to John De Jarden, 10 acres T. 6 S., R. 2 W.; W. D., $1650.

E. and E. Sturges to Mary A. Ramp, 5-foot strip off lot 4, block 88; W. D., $1.

Mary A. Ramp to Jennie L. Driver lot 4, block 88; W. D., $1.

J. J. Krenz to J. Opplinger, one acre in Marion county; W. D., $20.

M. V. and J. L. Johnson to Theo. W. Lindekin, 44.36 acres T. 5 S., R. 1 W.; W. D., $3000.

C. D. and M. E. Gabrielson to W. D. and G. A. Kezar, lot 12, block 15, Riverside addition to Salem; W. D., $120.

Sues for Payment.

A civil action to recover money was filed today in the county clerk's office against the General Construction company. The complaint states the construction company obtained gravel from the plaintiff to the amount of $150 which is yet due and asks payment of same. Carey F. Martin is attorney for the plaintiff.

COSTUMES AND SCENERY GOOD IN "ROYAL CHEF"

A well-staged production of "The Royal Chef" played to a good-sized audience at the Grand opera house last night. There was plenty to laugh at, and many catchy songs in the play. The chorus girls were plentiful, and fairly pretty as a whole. Special features, however, received the most generous applause. Julia Curtis made an especial hit with her imitations of famous actors and actresses, but Wm. H. Conley, leading man, as "The Royal Chef," provoked the greatest mirth with his burlesque "In the Morning."

"The Man of the Hour" tomorrow night, it is believed, will attract far the largest audience of the season, because of the fame which this play has won throughout the country. The sale of seats will commence tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Eastern Receipts.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 6.—Receipts, hogs, 17,000; cattle, 11,000; sheep, 22,000. Hogs opened 5 cents lower. Left over yesterday 6900. Receipts year ago, 16,000. Mixed, $6.10@7.00; heavy, $6.65@7.00; rough, $6.10@6.60; light, $6.10@6.80. Cattle, weak; sheep, steady.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 6.—Receipts, hogs, 20,000; cattle, 25,000; sheep, 15,000.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 6.—Receipts, hogs 4500; cattle, 8300; sheep, 87,500.

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" Omaha	30.00	" Cincinnati	42.20
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