

## WICKERSHAM WAS PLACED ON GRIDDLE

(National News Association)  
Washington, May 31.—Attorney General Wickersham was placed on the grill before the house committee investigating his department today. Among the admissions made by Wickersham were that on several occasions before his appointment as attorney general he had personally advised the United States Steel corporation on legal matters. The attorney general was talking of his connection with the law firm of Strong and Cadwallader of New York.

"Has the firm ever had any connection with the Steel Trust?" asked Representative Beall of Texas.

"I personally have advised the United States Steel corporation in legal matters," Wickersham answered.

"At what period?" asked Mr. Beall. "Between 1905 and 1908, before I became attorney general. It was on three or four or perhaps five different occasions."

Names Henry W. Taft. Answering further questions Wickersham admitted that the firm had been counsel for the New York Cotton Exchange and he said he thought Henry W. Taft, its vice president, and also a member of the law firm, was still acting in that capacity.

Wickersham admitted Henry Taft had once represented the Sugar Trust and said the fee Taft received had been turned into the law firm, and that Wickersham had received his share, about \$28,000. Rep. Beall then demanded to know why the department of justice and the treasury department had accepted a \$2,000,000 settlement from the sugar trust following the New York customs frauds instead of enforcing the penalties provided by law. Wickersham's explanation was that his department did not believe that it had sufficient evidence, although he said the restitution was made by the sugar trust, probably because it feared the penalties would be enforced. Questioning Wickersham further as to his failure to collect large penalties from the sugar trust, Rep. Beall asked the attorney general if the department did not have access to all records of the New York customs house and that if these were not sufficient to justify an attempt to enforce penalties.

"I think that a \$2,000,000 settlement was the best possible arrangement," answered Wickersham. "There was a probability of failure to enforce a large penalty," he replied.

**The Necessity of Life.**  
Married people should learn what to do for one another's little life, and for the life of the children that may come. They are sure sooner or later to have occasion to treat constipation or indigestion. When the opportunity comes remember that the quickest way to obtain relief, and finally a permanent cure, is with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the great herb laxative compound. A bottle should always be in the house. It costs only 50 cents or \$1 at drug stores.

### JEWELLED ORNAMENTS.

Will Be Very Popular on Account of Coronation.



Jeweled ornaments of all descriptions, it is declared by London authorities, will be worn in lavish profusion the coming season, due chiefly to the coronation of King George and Queen Mary of England. The jewelers are vying with each other to produce the most elaborate effects. The picture shows some of the designs. The hand some dog collar occupying the center of the cut is composed of ten rows of famous pearls, carefully matched, and a wonderful reproduction of nature's work, both as regards coloring and texture. This dog collar is made doubly attractive by a large central plaque composed of an elaborate scroll work carried out in Parisian diamonds, with a very big single stone in the middle of the design.

At the top may be seen a bow of red lace, which serves as a suitable background for a charming brooch of Louis XVI. design, while the ribbon waist belt, which comes below the dog collar, is drawn through a most picturesque and effective clasp, recalling the best period of antique French bijouterie. A long muff chain, suitable for evening wear, completes the picture, carried out in platinum and set alternately with Parisian diamonds and pearls.

### Had His Title All Ready.

Disraeli's first novel affords a curious instance of intelligent anticipation. Among the host of characters in "Vivian Grey," most of them slightly veiled portraits of celebrities of the day. Lord Beaconsfield is one of the most important in the secondary rank. The novel was written in 1820, exactly fifty years before the writer assumed the title he had invented. It is usual for novelists to portray themselves in their first book, but no other instance can be found of an author christening a character with a name subsequently to become his own.—London Chronicle.

Japanese banking facilities in China are good now, but are to be made larger and still better.

## AUTOISTS FILLED CITY ON TUESDAY

Hundreds of Cars Passed Through—Many Tourists Spent Night Here.

The Speedway race was a tremendous business producer for local garages and hotels. All last night automobiles containing persons who were unable to secure accommodations in Indianapolis poured into Richmond. All hotels were filled to overflowing at an early hour, and employees at the garages were kept busy taking the transients to boarding houses. There were many who could get no accommodations at all, and were obliged to sleep in their machines in the garages.

About fifty machines were cared for at Auto Inn last evening and 54 at the Auto Station. On Monday evening the former place cared for 44, and the latter about 35. The greatest profit to the garages resulted through the sale of gasoline. The Auto Inn reported today that it had sold 2,500 gallons since Saturday, 400 gallons of this amount having been disposed of during last night and this morning. The Auto Station sold about 1,000 gallons of the oil.

Hugh Chalmers, head of the Chalmers-Detroit Automobile company was a member of one party of automobilists who spent the night in Richmond.

## SENSATIONAL CASE IS DECIDED TODAY

(National News Association)  
South Bend, Ind., May 31.—Judge Funk today decided the sensational damage suits for \$200,000, brought by Mrs. Florence Herring of Chicago against her former husband; his present wife, both of South Bend, and Edward Hirsch of Baltimore and Earl Rogers, of Los Angeles, in favor of the defendants. Herring was a former national president of the Order of Eagles. The charges were alienation of Herring's affections, conspiracy, assault and fraud.

**THE GOOD PHYSICIAN'S METHOD**  
It is a small wonder that physicians prescribe an alternative (blood purifier) for so many ailments, since the blood is so intimately related with every function of the human body.

Poisoned, or impure blood, aside from such manifestations as syphilis, catarrh, inflammatory rheumatism, pimples, boils, sores, muddy complexion, etc., effects the appetite, the digestion and the whole human organism.

The most powerful and effective alternative known is Dr. A. B. Simpson's Vegetable Compound, discovered by a famous physician of Indiana and used in his practice more than forty years ago. It has never failed to cure the most dreadful form of all poisonous blood (syphilis) and has of course readily conquered all the lesser blood diseases.

Nothing has ever equalled it for giving a clear, healthy complexion. It is sold at \$1 per bottle at all drug stores.

## A FRENCHMAN WINS PARIS-TURIN RACE

(National News Association)  
Rome, May 31.—Lieut. Conneau (Andrew Beaumont) won the twenty-thousand-dollar special prize when he reached Rome at four o'clock this afternoon, the first contestant to finish in the Paris-Rome-Turin aeroplane flight.

## DRANK ALCOHOL

Charles Bailey, who was arrested on the West Side on Monday afternoon, is suffering from fits at the county jail brought on by drinking pure alcohol. He is in a serious condition and on Tuesday night kept the occupants awake the entire night with his yelling.

Palladium Want Ads Pay.

## IS ADMINISTRATOR

Philip H. Robbins has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Charlotte Brown. John F. Robbins and Wilfred Jessup are named as sureties.

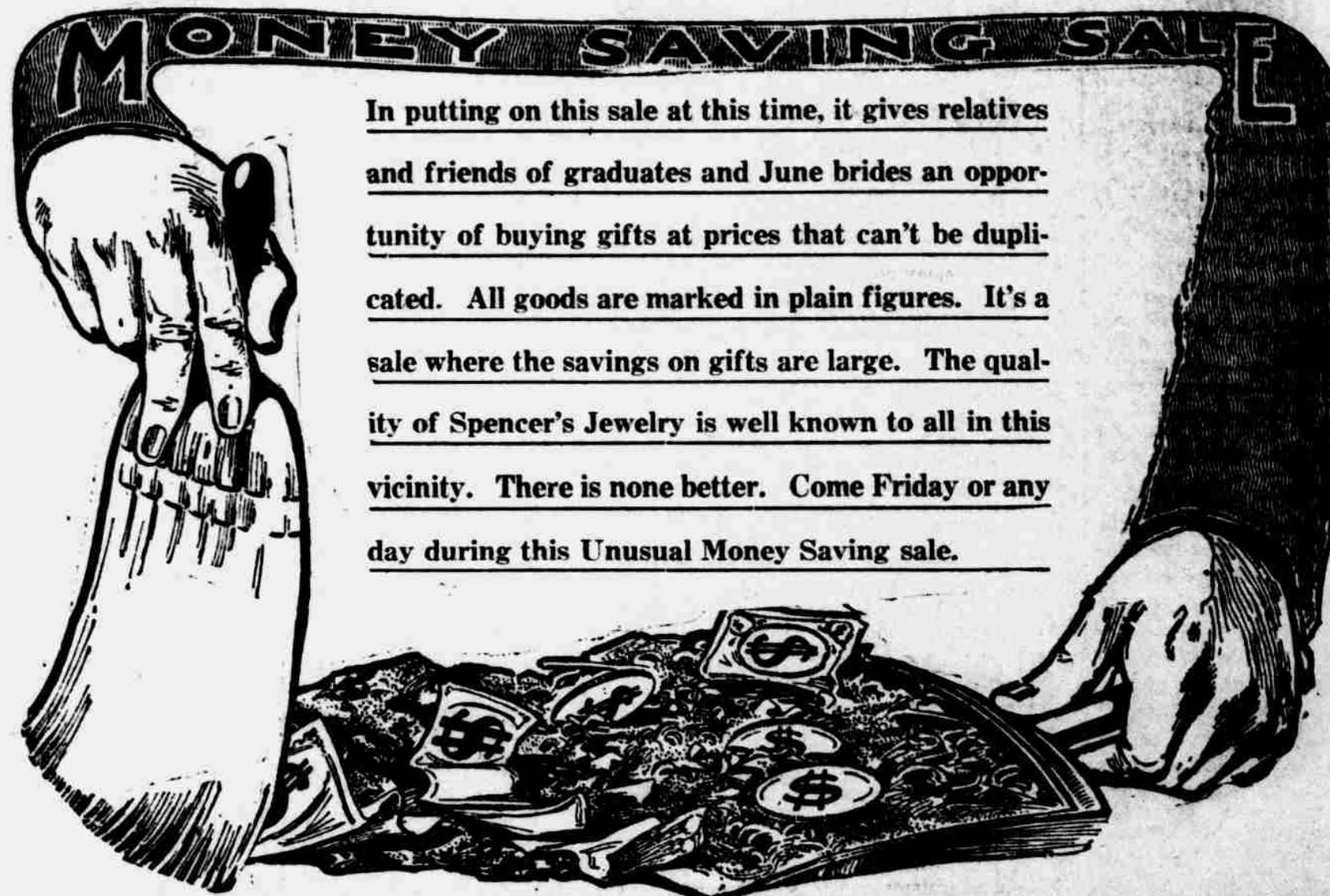
**No Use.**  
"No, Jack, did you tip the porter? He—No; he already seemed upset—Judge."

**Strong Attachment.**  
"The young man who marries for money has none too easy a time of it," says a man who knows. "His rich wife is apt to tire of him and throw him out in a few years, or else she is apt to limit his allowance to 25 or 30 cents a day."  
"I married money," a man once said to me.  
"Wasn't there a woman attached to it?" I asked.  
"Yes, you bet there was," he exploded, "no much attached to it that she never left me alone."

## SPENCER'S MONEY SAVING SALE

On Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, Cut Glass, Hand Painted China, Etc.

On Friday morning begins the Money Saving Sale. It is an opportunity for all to buy High Grade Jewelry at prices that mean a saving. Read quotations below. Don't fail to come. This is the only real money saving event.



In putting on this sale at this time, it gives relatives and friends of graduates and June brides an opportunity of buying gifts at prices that can't be duplicated. All goods are marked in plain figures. It's a sale where the savings on gifts are large. The quality of Spencer's Jewelry is well known to all in this vicinity. There is none better. Come Friday or any day during this Unusual Money Saving sale.

## GRADUATION GIFTS! At Money Saving Prices

### 20% Reduction on All Jewelry Novelties

The following suggestions will make appropriate gifts for any graduate—Signet and set rings, lockets, chains, scarf pins, bracelets, brooches, belt pins, cuff links, hat pins, tie clasps. We are making a 20 per cent Reduction on all jewelry, and not just the articles we have mentioned above. Our selection is most complete, every piece being new and up to date in style. Being of high quality you are getting the genuine bargains in this sale.

## WATCHES

### At Money Saving Prices

The prices quoted below are just a few of the many bargains we are offering in Watches during this sale—space does not allow us to quote all.

Ladies' 20 year gold filled Cases, standard movement, regular price \$12.00, sale price ..... \$ 9.00  
Girls' Watches, regular price \$15.00, Sale price \$12.00  
Girls' Watches, regular price \$18.00, Sale price \$15.00  
We have an unusual large selection, prices varying from \$4.00 up.  
Boys' Watches, gold filled, 10 yr. case, thin model, regular price \$5.00, Sale price ..... \$4.25  
regular price \$10.00, Sale price ..... \$7.25  
Gents' 20 yr. Case, open face, 18 size, Sale price \$8.00  
Gents' 20 yr. Case, open face, 16 size, Sale price \$8.50  
Gents' 20 yr. Case, open face, 12 size, thin model, Sale price ..... \$9.00  
20 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ALL CHAINS AND FOBBS—  
WE HAVE A LARGE SELECTION OF THESE

### Silver Toilet Articles

COMB, BRUSH AND MIRROR SET, sterling silver, 8 pieces, regular price \$25, money saving price \$17.00  
3-piece Set, Comb, Brush and Mirror, regular price \$10.00, at ..... \$7.50  
2-piece Set, Comb and Brush, regular price, \$7.50, at \$5.25  
2-piece Set, Comb and Brush, regular price \$5.00, at \$2.75  
Silver Plated 3-piece Set in a number of different patterns, regular price \$7.50 at ..... \$5.75  
Military Sets and Hat Brushes in Sterling and Plated at the Same Reduction.  
Sterling Silver Manicure Set, 12 pieces, regular price \$12.50, at ..... \$7.50  
Sterling Silver Manicure Set, 8 pieces, regular price \$10.00, at ..... \$7.00  
Separate Manicure and Toilet Pieces at Same Discount.

### DIAMOND RINGS

A Diamond Ring is always appreciated as a graduation gift. Here is your opportunity:  
\$ 8.00 Diamond Ring \$ 5.00 \$25.00 Diamond Ring \$20.00  
\$10.00 Diamond Ring \$ 7.50 \$50.00 Diamond Ring \$43.50  
\$12.50 Diamond Ring \$ 9.00 \$75.00 Diamond Ring \$67.50  
\$17.50 Diamond Ring \$14.50 \$85.00 Diamond Ring \$75.00

## June Wedding Presents—Money Saving Prices



### CUT GLASS

This is the standard American Cut Glass of clear white crystal quality; make elegant gifts.

Water Jugs, reg. price \$5.00, money saving price \$4.00  
Water Jugs, reg. price \$6.00, money saving price \$5.00  
Large Bowls, reg. price \$6.00, money saving price \$4.50  
Large Bowls, reg. price \$5.00, money saving price \$3.75  
Tumblers, regular price 75c, money saving price \$ .47  
Tumblers, reg. price \$1.00, money saving price \$ .75  
Tumblers, reg. price \$1.25, money saving price \$1.00  
Nappies at a money saving price of ..... \$1.00 to \$2.50

Other individual pieces as Vinegar Cruets, Oil Bottles, Vases, Fern Dishes, Cream and Sugar, Comports, etc. These go at the same liberal reduction.

### Hand Painted China

Berry Bowl and six dishes, beautiful design, make an elegant gift, regular price \$17.00 money saving price ..... \$10.00  
Salad Fruit Bowl, reg. price \$8.75, money saving price ..... \$6.25  
Bon Bon Dish, reg. price \$4.00, money saving price ..... \$2.50  
Bon Bon Dish, reg. price \$3.50, money saving price ..... \$2.25  
Bon Bon Dish, reg. price \$5.00, money saving price ..... \$3.50  
Fancy Plates, reg. price \$2 to \$3.50, money saving price ..... \$1.40 to \$2.75

### ALARM CLOCKS

Regular price \$1.25, \* \* \*

UMBRELLAS AT 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT Both Ladies' and Gents', Silk Covers, Gold and Pearl Mounted Handles.

### SILVERWARE

26 piece Silver Set, triple plated, 1847 Rogers Bros., regular price \$11.50, Sale price ..... \$9.50  
Community Silver, 26 pieces, hollow handle Knives and Forks, guaranteed 25 years, regular price \$18.50, Sale price ..... \$13.00  
Many other pieces and sets of Silver Ware at the same money saving prices.

**EDWIN L. SPENCER JEWELER**  
704 MAIN ST.

## Knollenberg's Dress Goods June Selling

One week of Special Dress Goods values starting Thursday morning. A week of sacrifice in prices, a saving on good, seasonable merchandise. This, the first week of June, we will have on sale several lots of All Silk, Silk and Cotton Mixtures, and Black and colored Wool Dress Goods. The season is here when Spring and Summer Dress is the question in mind. We have made an effort to collect styles and kinds to make June selling interesting. Read the items mentioned and make your purchases early so as to get the full season's wear.

### Silks

1 lot Cheney 23 and 24 inch Foulards 73c yd.  
1 lot 21 in. All Silk Fancy Foulards, at ..... 38c yd.  
1 lot fancy Jacquard, figured and striped Messaline.... 48c yd.  
1 lot Striped Messaline and Taffeta, 24 and 27 in. wide ..... 63c yd.



### Silks

1 lot 27 in. Silk and Cotton Mixtures at ..... 18c yd.  
1 lot 27 in. Silk and Cotton Mixtures with Jacquard figures, at ..... 28c yd.  
1 lot 27 in. Silk and Cotton Mixture, Pongee and White Ground at ..... 43c yd.  
1 lot plain 27 in. Teco Silk, light and dark colors ..... 28c yd.

All Silks and Wool Dress Goods at 10 per cent discount for one week only. It's an opportunity seldom given this early in the season. See the display of Silk in Center Window, all new and sure to please.

**The Geo. H. Knollenberg Co.**