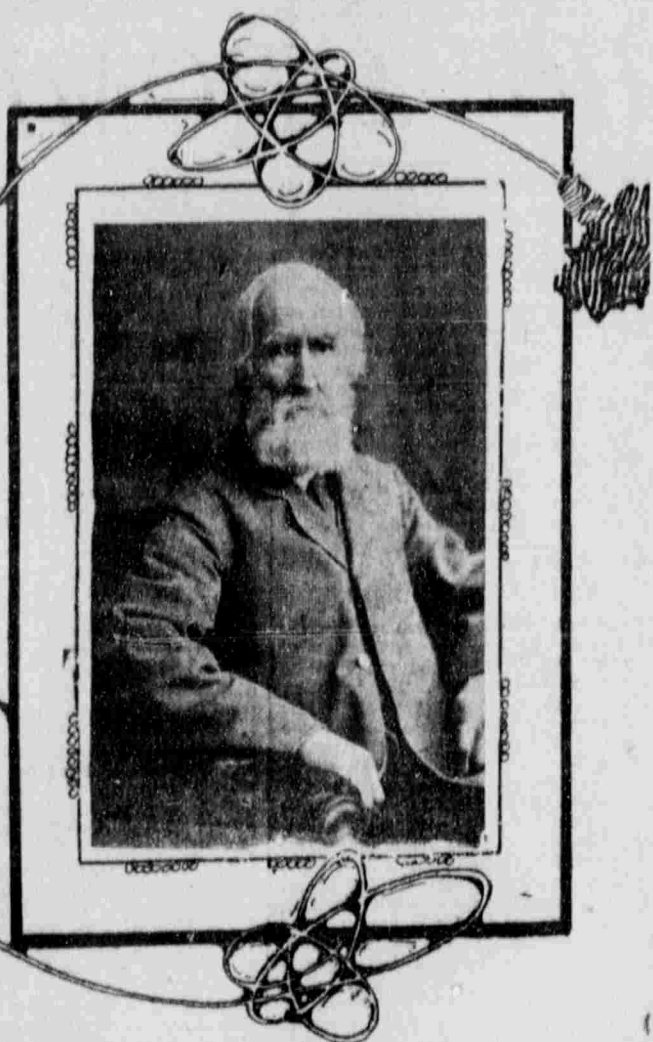


WORLD'S OLDEST PUBLIC OFFICIAL

Judge John Slaughter, Assistant Librarian of Wyoming, Active
And Able—Ninety-fourth Birthday Celebrated This Week—
One of the Characters of the Great West.



JUDGE JOHN SLAUGHTER

Special Correspondence.

Cheyenne, Wyo., July 8.—Judge John Slaughter, for many years Wyoming state librarian, and who is now the assistant librarian, passed his ninety-fourth birthday this week. He was at his post of duty all day and believes now he will live to pass the centennial mark, and should he not fall too rapidly he will be strong enough at that age to attend to his duties as assistant librarian at the age of 100 years.

Judge Slaughter is unquestionably the oldest public officer in the United States, if not in the world. There are men who have been in the public service more years than he, but there are none that are holding office at the advanced age of 94 years.

Judge Slaughter was born when Napoleon was at the zenith of his fame, and well he remembers the battle of Waterloo, which occurred when he was between six and seven years of age. He has seen the evolution of the steam engine, the railroad, the telegraph, the telephone, the electric light, and is yet to witness the flight of the airship and the operation of snatching untold quantities of electricity for commercial purposes from the ethereal blue miles above the highest mountain tops of our land. The veteran has witnessed the rearing and death of a large family of children, for all have gone before him. He retains the use of all of his faculties and can read and write without the use of glasses. His hearing has become greatly impaired and he walks with a slow step, but he eats and sleeps well and appears to be good for the century mark.

Judge Slaughter was one of the earliest pioneers in Colorado and Wyoming, and he tells many interesting stories of life in the early days before the advent of the iron horse and telegraph and telephone. He has witnessed many Indian fights, lynchings, gun fights, work of vigilantes and other exciting scenes incident to the early days in Colorado and Wyoming and Utah.

HOTEL FOR SIX THOUSAND GUESTS

The largest hotel ever erected for an exposition will be within the world's fair grounds at St. Louis. A contract has been signed for the construction of this mammoth building the rates in which will be controlled by the exposition. Rooms will be divided into four classes, according to size, not less than 100 rooms of each class. The rates will be, on the European plan, for each person \$1.25, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00 per

day. The latter prices will command very large rooms with baths. Meals will be served to such of the guests as desire them at the following prices: Breakfast and noon lunches, 20 cents each; evening dinner, 75 cents. The hotel management will collect from each guest 20 cents extra each day to cover the price of admission to the exposition grounds. The hotel will be made larger than now contemplated if the advance bookings of guests shall warrant.

JANE HADING'S OPTICS.

It is said that Miss Jane Hading has the loveliest eyes in the world. They are of the clearest and purest brown, like that of a mountain brook or wave, washed onyx, and veiled with a thick fringe of black and silky lashes. When looking in Turkey, Mr. Hading learned of the national Turkish custom of lengthening the elliptical space between the upper and lower lids by slitting the outer canthus about a tenth of an inch and stretching the lids as the wound heals, and afterward decided to try it on his little girl. The result has made Jane Hading's optics famous.

A CARD TRICK.

There is an extremely easy trick with cards which often puzzles wide heads. Take a pack of cards, and while idly attracting the attention of the company, glance at the bottom card, then quickly explain that after showing them a card, you will, without glancing at the card again, pick it up and turn it over when it is thrown down. Then casually draw the bottom card with its face away from yourself, and show it to the others. Then one of the party takes the pack and shuffles the

cards. Then the trickster takes the pack and begins shuffling the cards upon the table, their faces up. When he comes to the chosen card, he makes no sign, and the onlookers, thinking he has missed the guess, are amused. Suddenly he says: "The next card I turn over will be the chosen one." Generally the cry is: "No, it will not be. You have passed it."

Whereupon from the pile on the table, the card is taken and turned over.

A Surgical Operation.

It is always dangerous—not to submit to the surgeon's knife until you have tried Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It will cure when everything else fails—it has done this in thousands of cases. Here is one of them: I suffered from bleeding and protruding piles for twenty years. Was treated by different specialists and used many remedies, but obtained no relief until I used Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by of this salve cured me eighteen months ago and I have not had a touch of piles since.—H. A. Tidale, Sumnerston, S. C. For Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles no remedy equals Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by all druggists.

LAST WEEK.

Just six days more of our clearance sale. 1/3 off all Clothing, black goods excepted, \$10.00 Suits \$6.70, \$15.00 Suits \$10.00, \$20.00 Suits \$13.35 and \$25.00 Suits \$16.70. These reductions are absolute and the best merchandise you ever bought.

Negligee Shirts, \$1.25 kind 87 1/2c. Better goods reduced proportionately. Reductions on nearly all furnishings.

R. & A. regular \$3.00 Hats \$2.00.

This sale is positively the greatest money saving opportunity ever offered the people of Salt Lake.

If you are not satisfied with your purchase when examined after received, we will refund your money.

RICHARDSON & ADAMS,

172 MAIN STREET.

A BLAZE OF BARGAINS!

Burst of Sensational Values!

Here are a few forcible examples of what we mean by "Bargains." Simply look at these values! We hold that they are wonderful. What do you say? Such Special Sales keep the wheels of business moving in every one of our departments and

Monday WILL BE Another Rousing Bargain Day.

SPECIAL!

On Monday Morning from 8:30 to 11:30 o'clock.

4,000 Yds. Percales.

(Please do not blame the store if you come late.)

We will sell 4,000 yards PERCALES, FULL YARD WIDE, the celebrated "Star" brand, hundreds of new designs, the most novel printings and colorings, not a yard worth less than 12 1/2c, many worth 15c, for the above 3 hours, limit 12 yards to a customer, at per yard—

6 1/2c

ESTABLISHED 1864

F. Auerbach & Bro.

ONE PRICE TO ALL NEVER UNDERSOLD

SPECIAL! SPECIAL! SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

Monday Morning from 8:30 to 11:30. CLOAK DEPT.

Over one hundred Child's Coats, in Reefers and Monte Carlo styles, in red, blue and tan, light weight cloths, values from \$2.00 to \$3.50, sizes 2 to 12 years, your choice—

\$1.00

Monday Morning from 8:30 to 11:30. BLACK SILKS.

500 yards assorted Black Guaranteed Silks, Black Taffetas, Armures, Satin Beauty weaves, and 27 inch extra heavy Jap silks, value \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yard, for 3 hours only, your choice, at (per yard)—

68 cts.

Monday Morning from 8:30 to 11:30. Men's Handkerchiefs.

Special Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, plain white or fancy colored borders, extra values at 15c, on sale for 3 hours only, at (each)—

7 cts.

Monday Morning from 8:30 to 11:30. IN OUR SHOE DEPT.

SPECIAL MISSES' DONGOLA KID LACE SHOES, EXTENSION OR LIGHT SOLES (SIZES 11 1/2 to 8), WORTH FULLY \$1.50, FOR (PER PAIR)—

\$1.10

SPECIAL!

On Monday Morning from 8:30 to 11:30 o'clock.

In Our Glove Dept.

Ladies plain Silk Gloves, in black or white, 14-inch length, with lace wrist or plain 2-clasp silk gloves, all sizes; these are the best 75c grades in this season's most popular styles; just to crowd our glove department Monday, 8:30 to 11:30, we offer them at (a pair)—

45c

Come early and secure your size.

Special for Monday from 3 to 5 o'clock p.m.

ANOTHER SURPRISE.

For this is the best Bargain yet. Just think, you can buy, Monday, from 3 to 5 o'clock p.m., FINE WHITE INDIA LINEN, 40 inches wide, a sheer and strong quality, regularly sold at 75c. Ten yards to a customer, at (per yard)—

16 cts.

IN OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

Ten dozen WHITE LAWN SHIRT WAISTS, insertion trimmed and embroidered fronts, value \$1.75 and \$2.00. Sizes 22 to 28 only. Your choice—

\$1.00

MERCERIZED SATEENS.

1,000 yards MERCERIZED SATEENS, black and colored. A very fine twill Silk Finisher. An entire new line. Value 90c a yard. Just to introduce this quality, for the above two hours, at (per yard)—

19 cts.

IN OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT.

LADIES' PATENT LEATHER OXFORDS or SOUTH-EAST TIES, with French heels, worth fully \$2.00, for Monday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, (a pair)—

\$1.35

BOYS' PANTS.

In Boys' Clothing Section. BOYS' PANTS, Cheviots, Tweeds, Cassimeres and Corduroys, in navy blue, black and fancy patterns. 75c and \$1.00 values. On sale for two hours only at (a pair)—

45 cts.

SILK BELTS.

That beats all Bargain Records. Ladies' Braided Silk Belts, 15 dozen handsome Silk Braided Belts in black or white, with fancy French finished metal buckle and pendant, the prettiest this season's novelty. A quick 75c seller—

35 cts.

Special for Monday and All The Week.

Push is the Rule in Our Wash Goods Dept.

For this week we offer Bargains that put all previous efforts in the shade. Careful, shrewd buyers will never have a better chance to save money. TEN PIECE NATURAL COLOR IRISH DRESS LINENS, Holland and Grass cloths (trimmed in piping), they make the neatest and most serviceable traveling and mountain suits. On sale as follows:

The 22 1/2c quality at (a yard) 15c
The 25c quality at (a yard) 16 1/2c
The 28c quality at (a yard) 20c
The 35c quality at (a yard) 22 1/2c
The 40c quality at (a yard) 25c
Solid Black Linens, in grouped striped effects, instead of 30c, this week (per yard) 18c
Real Silk Mousseline de Soie, in canary red, green, lavender, navy and pink. Worth 50c, this week (per yard) 24c
65c Etonne Linens, for Shirt Waist Suits, this week, (per yard) 35c
Double width, colored wash Chiffons, 50 inches wide, in light blue, pink, navy, green, canary, lavender and cerise, instead of 60c, this week (per yard) 44c

BLACK AND COLORED DRESS GOODS.

70c BLACK and COLORED ALBATROSS, soft, clinging crepe effects, very desirable for summer wear, all the wanted colors. MONDAY and all WEEK, (a yard) 35c

75c FRENCH Serges and GRANITE SUITINGS, strictly all wool, all the wanted colors, lightweight, shakes the dirt and dust easily. MONDAY and all WEEK (a yard) 44c

\$2.00 VALUES in ETAMINES, VOILES, both plain and seeded effects, Priestley's make none better, very fashionable this season, lightweight, shakes the dirt and dust easily. Your choice while they last, (a yard) \$1.19

\$1.50 Values. Our cream and white stock, of desirable woolen goods, consisting of Twines, Voiles, Satin Striped Batistes, Serges, Granites, Henriettes, etc., etc. MONDAY and the WEEK, (a yard) 95c

NOTE THESE SPECIAL LEADERS.

THEY ARE MONEY SAVERS. ON SALE ALL THIS WEEK, IF THE QUANTITIES HOLD OUT.

We advise! Buy early in the week and get your choice. LADIES' WASHABLE CHAMOIS GLOVES. BEST \$1.00 GRADE. We have just 11 Dozen of these best french Washable Chamois Gloves in White or Natural, all sizes except 6 1/2, never sold for less than \$1.00 a pair, to close them out quickly they go at (a pair) 50c

WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S SUN BONNETS. In Chambray, Gingham or Lawn, a splendid line of 25c Sun Bonnets, see them in our window then come and buy your choice supply at (each) 12 1/2c

LACE APPLIQUE. A variety of nobby patterns, up to 2 inches wide, varying in value from 20c to 30c a yard; your choice while they last at (a yard) 10c

BOYS' CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

Broken lines of Boys' Clothing. Broken lines of Gents' Furnishings, must be cleaned out this week. CHILD'S VESTEE SUITS. Broken lines in all wool materials light and dark shades and patterns. \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. Must be cleaned out at \$1.75

BOYS' TWO PIECE SUITS. A lot of broken sizes in the best styles and makes, \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. Must be cleaned out at \$1.70

MEN'S GOLF SHIRTS. A large line of fancy patterns, plain and pleated fronts, Madras and corded percales, 75c and \$1.00 values. Must be cleaned out at \$1.00

MEN'S UNDERWEAR. Summer weight, in plain and fancy, extra values at 50c. Must be cleaned out at a garment, 35c

IN OUR SHOE DEPT.

LADIES' PATENT LEATHER SOUTHERN TOES, FRENCH HEELS, VERY DRESSY, WORTH \$2.25. FOR ONE WEEK (A PAIR) \$2.50

LADIES' KID OR BOX CALF SHOES, LOW OR HIGH HEELS, WORTH \$2.50. FOR ONE WEEK (A PAIR) \$1.65

BOYS' PATENT LEATHER OXFORDS, LATEST STYLE (SIZES 2 1/2 to 6) WORTH \$2.50. FOR ONE WEEK (A PAIR) \$1.90

BOYS' CALF SHOES, SPLENDID WEARERS, (SIZES 2 1/2 to 5 1/2). WORTH \$1.65. FOR ONE WEEK (A PAIR) \$1.35

ALL LADIES OXFORDS AND MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS AT REDUCED PRICES THIS WEEK.

Cloak and Suit Bargains

Every Ladies' and Misses' Suit and Tailor-made costume in the store—

1/2 Price.

148 suits to choose from.

EVERY ACCORDION PLEATED SKIRT

In Blue, Black, Cream and Dotted Mohair, that sold at \$5.95 and \$10.00, now—

\$6.85

FIVE DOZEN SUMMER PETTICOATS

Made of best quality Gingham, in Old Rose and Blue, double flounce, with four rows of lace insertion. Regular price \$2.25. Closing out at—

\$1.29

For Your Next Dressmaking Be Sure To Use a Butterick Pattern.

None Better—Therefore None Cheaper—Patterns for Summer Garments, Tucked Shirt Waist Costumes, Short Round Skirts, Tucked Blouse Coats, and Every Variety of Garment for Misses' and Girls.