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MEET ON NOV. 22

CHAIRMAN TAGGART ISSUES HIS CALL FOR MEETING OF DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

NATIONAL CONVENTION

Will Be Discussed and Date Set for Meeting of Committee to Arrange Convention Will Be Set.

French Lick, Ind., Nov. 14.—Chairman Thomas Taggart of the democratic national committee announced today that he had issued a call for a meeting of the members of the committee at French Lick on November 22nd. The time and place for the next democratic national convention will be discussed at the meeting among other subjects, but no final action will be taken. The time and place of the meeting of the committee to settle definitely the arrangements for the national convention will be decided upon. The cities that are applicants for the convention are Chicago, Louisville, Cincinnati, St. Louis, St. Paul, Milwaukee and Atlantic City.

On the 30th of this month every qualified voter in Wichita county will be given an opportunity to express at the polls his convictions on the local option question. In the meantime, let us all work for the upbuilding of Wichita Falls. Whether local option carries or not, the prosperity of Wichita Falls is assured, and if she does not double her population within the next two years, the fault can be laid at the door of the calamity howler.

Near Death's Door.

The many friends of Mr. N. (Doc) Weaver, who has been confined to his bed at his home near Burkburnett with a severe attack of typhoid fever, will learn with regret that he is much worse this morning, and but little hopes are entertained for his recovery. Mrs. Weaver telephoned to friends in this city this morning to have messages wired to Mr. Weaver's brothers, who reside in distant States, the condition of her husband. Dr. Robertson of this city was also summoned and left early this morning for Burkburnett.

At this writing it is believed that Mr. Weaver will not survive through the day.

SURPRISE IS SPRUNG IN POWERS TRIAL

Georgetown, Ky., Nov. 14.—When the Powers trial was resumed this morning the defense sprung a surprise by tendering in court a letter written by the defendant Powers to W. C. Warring, sheriff of Scott county, whose duty it is to summon the jury from Harrison county. The letter begs Sheriff Warring to be especially cautious in selecting jurors for his case, stating that he believes the juries were packed against him in previous cases. While the court refused to permit the letter to be made a part of the court records, it was allowed to be tendered to Sheriff Warring, but was not read in open court. The commonwealth was not ready with its counter avowal this morning and asked further time, which was granted.

OVER THE NEW ROAD

EXCURSION SPECIAL WILL BE RUN FROM THIS CITY TO FREDERICK SATURDAY.

SIXTY BUSINESS MEN

Will Be Invited to Make the Trip on The First Through Train Between the Two Cities.

General Passenger Agent C. L. Fontaine of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railway announces that the line is now open for traffic into Frederick and that a special train carrying about fifty or sixty invited guests, representative business men of the city, will be run from Wichita Falls to Frederick and return on Saturday, November 16th.

The special will leave Wichita Falls at about 7:30 a. m. and will return Saturday afternoon, arriving at about 6 p. m. The special will make stops at Burkburnett and at Kell to give the excursionists an opportunity to get better acquainted with the hustling busbusiness men of those towns.

From Wichita Falls to Frederick the new railroad passes through fifty miles of as fine an agricultural country as can be found anywhere in the State of Texas and the new State of Oklahoma.

The Times acknowledges with pleasure an invitation to make the trip.

The special, it may be stated, will be the first through passenger train to run between Wichita Falls and Frederick.

SHORT AND SHARP.

Will Be Local Option Campaign in Tom Green County.

San Angelo, Tex., Nov. 13.—The local option campaign in Tom Green county will be short and sharp and whether decisive must be determined by the votes. Prohibitionists asked the commissioners court to settle the date of the election for Dec. 7th, but that body named Nov. 27th on the ground that the sooner the struggle is over the less bickering and strife there will be. The sheriff's force will be pushed to get the notices out in time and to deliver the required orders to the several election officers of the county.

THE FARMERS UNION GROWING STEADILY

That the Texas Farmers' Union is increasing at the rate of 500 new members a day during past few weeks is the declaration made by Secretary C. Smith. An average of about six or seven new locals is being organized every day now, and from every section of the State additions are reported. As an instance of the increase, Mr. Smith cites the showing of his own local at Downing. A short two weeks ago the local numbered fifteen. Its membership now runs over fifty.

President Neill and Secretary Smith are now engaged in the work of counting the vote on amendments proposed to the union constitution and hope to complete this work by the end of the week.—Fort Worth Record.

THE OMITTED WORDS

ROOSEVELT GIVES REASON FOR OMISSION OF WORDS "IN GOD WE TRUST" FROM COINS.

NO WARRANT FOR THEM

President Personally Believes Their Use is Irreverent and Almost a Sacrilege.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—In answer to one of the numerous protests received at the White House against the new gold coin, which has been coined without the words "In God We Trust," President Roosevelt has made public a letter in which he says he has looked into the law and found there was no warrant for such a sentence on the coin. Continuing, the president says: "It is a matter of law absolutely in the hands of congress and any direction of congress in the matter will be immediately obeyed. My own feelings in the matter, due to a firm conviction, is that it does no good, but is a positive harm and is in effect an irreverence which comes near being a sacrilege."

Pay no attention to the calamity howler. The man who is constantly predicting that if things don't go just his way of thinking is not counted a good citizen these days. Give the seat of your pants a rest and join the movement to make of Wichita Falls a thriving little city of 10,000 people within the next year.



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THE STORE WITH THE GOODS

SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE LAST COTTON CROP

Census Bulletin Gives Interesting Figures for the Past Year and Shows the Quantity on Hand to Have Been 15,025,720 Bales.

The Bureau of the Census has just published Bulletin 90, which contains a report on the supply and distribution of cotton in the United States for the year ending August 31, 1907. The bulletin also includes the latest available data in respect to the number of cotton spindles and to the consumption of cotton in other important manufacturing countries, together with statistics of imports and exports of raw cotton and its manufactures for selected countries.

Supply of Cotton, 15,000,000 Bales.
The supply of cotton for the year ending August 31, 1907, according to the Census Bulletin, was 15,025,720 bales of 500 pounds each. To this number the cotton crop of 1906 contributed 12,897,714 bales, and that of 1907 contributed 200,278 bales; stocks held on September 1, 1906, amounted to 1,349,139 bales, and the imports of foreign cotton to 202,733 bales.

Of this supply 4,984,963 bales were consumed by manufacturers, 22,952 were burned, and 8,503,265 were exported, leaving 1,514,567 bales in stock at the end of the year. Manufacturers in the cotton growing States consumed 2,410,993 bales, which was slightly less than the amount consumed by the manufacturers in all the other States, 2,573,943 bales.

Mexican Cotton Exported.
The figures given above for the imports of cotton represent only the net imports. The total importations during the year was 228,793 bales of 500 pounds each, but of this amount 26,060 bales were re-exported. In this connection it is proper to state that a large part of the foreign cotton re-exported this year is of Mexican growth and in reality only passed through American ports in transit to Europe. Practically all the foreign cotton imported for use in this country was of Egyptian or Peruvian growth, which is used in the manufacture of thread and of knit goods and as a substitute for wool in the manufacture of woolen goods.

The manufacturers in the cotton growing States rely almost exclusively for their supply upon domestic upland cotton. Of their total consumption only about 2,000,000 pounds, or less than 2 per cent, was Sea Island cotton, and only 4,332,593 pounds, or about 4 per cent was foreign. In the other States only 1.4 per cent of the cotton consumed was Sea Island, but 5 per cent was foreign.

Exports.
The exports of domestic cotton from the United States during the year ending August 31, 1907, amounted to 9,936,434 bales of 500 pounds each. Of this amount 3,966,119, or 44 per cent, went to the United Kingdom; 2,315,651, or 26 per cent to Germany; and 1,006,633, or 11 per cent to France. During the twenty-six years from 1880 to 1906 the exports to the United Kingdom increased 45 per cent; those to Germany nearly 400 per cent, and those to France 32 per cent. The exports to Italy increased from 75,145 bales in 1880 to 567,916 bales in 1906, or nearly sevenfold. Exports to Japan are noteworthy because of the remarkable variations in the quantities for the different years, as well as for the growth in these exports since 1890, which is the first year for which they are presented in the report. In 1906 they amounted 262,283 bales, while for 1904 they were 336,575 bales. The exports to Russia decreased, a fact which may be partially explained by the increased production of cotton in Russian territory by the importation of Persian cotton, and by the recent unsettled conditions in that country.

Exports of Sea Island cotton formed about one-third of the 57,550 bales reported by the ginners as produced in 1906. In 1905 about 36 per cent of the Sea Island crop was exported. The United Kingdom takes about three-fourths of the amount exported, while most of the remainder goes to France.

Independent Warehouses.
Of the 1,514,567 bales of cotton remaining in the United States on August 31 last, 1,016,738 bales, or 67 per cent, were in the actual possession of manufacturers; 385,919 bales, or 26 per cent, in independent warehouses and compresses; 54,596 in the possession of transportation companies; 40,088 in the possession of merchants,

buyers, ginners and cotton seed oil mills; and 14,226 bales in the actual possession of producers.

Exports of Cotton Manufactures.
The total value of exports of cotton goods of domestic manufacture was \$32,306,412, of which \$11,496,734 or 36 per cent, was for unbleached cloths; \$2,340,431, or 7 per cent, for bleached cloths; and \$7,502,082, or 23 per cent, for dyed, colored or printed cloths. Of the total value of cotton manufactures exported \$4,425,055, or 14 per cent, went to Europe; \$14,821,264, or 46 per cent, to North and South America; \$12,325,874, or 38 per cent to Asia; and the remainder to Africa. The export of American yarns to the Far East is insignificant, as that market is controlled by British India and Japan.

United States Supplies Two-Thirds.
The number of cotton spindles in the world, as shown by the report, is 123,332,971. As nearly as it can be determined the amount of cotton consumed was 19,493,441 bales. This is not, however, the total consumption for the world, as in a number of Eastern countries and in South and Central America large quantities of cotton are grown and consumed which do not enter into commercial channels, and therefore cannot be estimated with any certainty. The figures indicate, however, that the United States furnishes two-thirds of the supply of the world.

In the exportation of cotton manufactures, the United Kingdom ranks first, followed in order in their importance by Germany, the United States, British India, France, Switzerland, Japan, the Netherlands, and Italy. As regards imports of these manufactures British India leads with \$133,162,701, closely followed by China, with \$125,238,539, and the United States with \$73,704,636. The report closes with an interesting diagram illustrative of the processes through which cotton passes in the course of manufacture.

M. E. CONFERENCE ENDS.

Methodists Rush Close of the Week's Program.

Amarillo, Tex., Nov. 12.—This, the closing day of the Northwest Texas Methodist conference is the busiest of the week.

This afternoon appointments and changes in all churches of the conference were made, affecting 600 delegates, Bishop Chandler of Augusta, Ga., presiding.

The work of appointing required long and careful consideration and the full list of more than 100 will not be completed until tonight, when the list will be publicly announced by Bishop Chandler.

In order to adjourn today it was necessary to rush the program and tonight many of the preachers and delegates will return home. Ideal weather today follows the norther of yesterday. A feature of today's program and one of the most enjoyable was an automobile ride given the conference delegates by the citizens of Amarillo.

The Denver railroad opened a branch office in the Methodist church here to facilitate the preparations of the delegates in leaving the city.

Bishop Chandler today expressed himself most favorably impressed with Amarillo and the Panhandle and the conference was more than pleased with the hospitality and kindness of the citizens.

The conference this year is said to be the most successful of any yet held, churches show prosperous conditions and broadening of the influence of the church.

Austin Avenue Church, Waco, was selected as the next meeting place of the conference. Arlington, Waxahachie and Waco were nominated, but only Waco and Waxahachie were voted on.

Rev. J. C. Armstrong of Fort Worth is presiding over the last session of the conference in hearing committee and board reports.

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On our entire line of MEN'S and BOY'S FINE CLOTHING, WORK and DRESS PANTS, OVERCOATS, and our entire line of LADIES FINE COATS, also a special reduction on a few things in DRESS GOODS and MEN'S FURNISHINGS. We are overstocked in these lines and don't want to carry them over, therefore we are making the prices that should move them.

Remember This Big Sale Begins Friday, November 15th and Continues 15 Days

Men's Suits

Our sales bear no taint of bought-for-the-occasion. You will find that the Suits marked down for this special event are the identical styles which we have sold at much higher prices all this season. A good line of Men's Suits, neat patterns, that sell for 7.50, special sale price **\$4 95**.
A fine assortment of Men's 11.00 Suits, go in special sale at **\$9 35**.
A great line of Men's 12.50 and 13.50 suits, go in special sale at **\$10 95**.
Men's 15.00 Suits, great styles, all hand tailored, go at **\$12 95**.
Men's 16.00 Suits, go in special sale at **\$13 50**.
Men's 20.00 Suits, go in special sale at **\$17 90**.

Boy's Knee Suits

Our Entire Line at a Reduction.

Boy's 2.00 Suits, go at **\$1 50**.
Boy's 2.25 Suits, go at **\$1 95**.
Boy's 2.50 Suits, go at **\$2 15**.
No. 1912 Boy's 3.00 Suits, go at **\$2 50**.
No. 1920 Boy's 3.50 Suits, go at **\$2 95**.
No. 1945, Boys 4.00 Suits, go at **\$3 65**.
No. 1983, Boy's 5.00 Suits, go at **\$4 25**.
No. 2946, Boy's 7.50 Suits, go at **\$6 75**.

Youth's Suits

No. 3028, Youth's 5.00 Suits, go at **\$3 95**.
No. 3002, Youth's 6.00 Suits, go at **\$4 50**.
No. 9800, Youth's 8.00 Suits, go at **\$5 95**.
No. 9876, Youth's 10.00 Suits, go at **\$7 95**.

Heatherbloom Underskirts.

500 Ladies Heatherbloom Underskirts that sell for \$2.50 go in sale at **\$1 95**.



Progress Clothes

Men's Overcoats

We have a great line of Overcoats, in the celebrated Kirschbaum make, in fact we are overstocked, hence these low prices to make them move.

A big line of Men's black Kersey Overcoats, well worth 6.50 our special price **\$3 95**.

Men's 7.50 long ulster Overcoats with storm collar go at **6 50**.

A big line of Men's long heavy Overcoats that sell for **6 95**.

8.50 go at **6 95**.
A big line of Men's 10.00 Overcoats go at **8 35**.

Men's fine 15.00 Overcoats go at **12 35**.

Men's Winter Work Pant

All at Cut Prices.

A big line of Men's good heavy twill Pants, worth 1.25 go at **\$1 00**.

A fine line of Men's 1.75 Pants go at **\$1 45**.

Men's 1.50 Corduroy work Pants go at **\$1 35**.

Men's 2.50 Corduroy work Pants go at **\$2 15**.

Men's 3.50 Corduroy work Pants go at **\$3 00**.

Men's 1.25 Duck Pants with belt go at **\$1 00**.

Boy's Duck Coats

(Lined.)

A fine line of Boy's heavy lined Duck Coats that sell for 1.25 go in this sale at **\$1 00**.

Ladies' Underwear

A great assortment of Ladies fleeced Vests that sell for 35 cents go at **25c**.

Men's Dress Pants

Entire Line at Cut Prices

Men's 3.00 Dress Pants go at **\$2 65**.
Men's 3.50 Dress Pants go at **\$3 00**.
Men's 4.00 Dress Pants go at **\$3 60**.
Men's 4.50 Dress Pants go at **\$3 95**.
Men's 5.00 Dress Pants go at **\$4 40**.
Men's 6.00 Dress Pants go at **\$4 95**.

Men's Duck Coats

Our 1.75 Men's Duck Coats go at **\$1 50**.

Men's Dress Shirts

A beautiful assortment of Men's 1.25 fancy Dress Shirts go at **1 00**.

Dress Goods

These Prices Should Make Them Move out.

A big assortment of 38 inch all wool Cheviot in red, blue, black and brown, sells regular for 75 cents sale price **59c**.

A good line of 38 inch all wool serge that sells for 65c goes in this sale at **50c**.

24 inch Damask cloth, red, blue and brown sell for 25c sale price **19c**.

Our entire line of fancy 44 inch worsteds that sell for 1.25 go in this sale at **95c**.

Our entire line of 65c fancy Worsteds go at **50c**.

Ladies' Coats

Here They go, They Must Move

Our entire line of Ladies' fine 30.00 Coats go in sale at **\$25 00**.

Our 27.50 Ladies' fine Coats go at **\$23 50**.

Our 22.50 Ladies' fine Coats go at **\$19 95**.

Ladies fancy 6.00 Coats go at **\$4 50**.

Children's Underwear

Children's 35c fleeced Union Suits go at **25c**.

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A CUTTING AFFRAY

HORSE TRADERS COME TO TOWN AND ONE MEMBER OF OUTFIT CARVES ANOTHER.

AN ALLEGED INSULT

Upon His Wife Provoked Bill Woffard to Attack Joe Weston With a

From Saturday's Daily. A gang of traveling horse traders struck town yesterday afternoon and by night the male members of the outfit had filled up with bad booze and then before the sun had set one of them had slashed another across the back of the neck with a pocket knife, inflicting a wound which barely escaped being fatal.

The cutting took place in the Texas wagon yard on Indiana avenue. Joe Weston was the victim and Bill Woffard was the artist who used his blade with such sanguinary effect.

Weston and Woffard had downed many vessels of corn juice together during the afternoon and had reached a rather mellow stage. It appears that the wives of each blamed the other's husband for the sorry condition of her own, and events were ripe for a mix up. The occasion soon offered itself.

As the story is told, Weston sold a blind horse to a man named Shelton for \$30.00. When Shelton started to count out the money the discovery was made that he was three dollars short of the amount. Shelton walked over to Woffard's wagon to borrow the money to make up the deficit. Woffard's wife remonstrated to her husband against the loan, when she saw the blind horse. This angered Weston and he addressed the woman with opprobrious titles. The words no sooner left his lips than Woffard slashed him across the back of his neck with a knife. Both men were seized before further damage could be inflicted. Weston was taken to Dr. Burnside's office where the wound, which was a deep one, extending clear across the back of the neck, was dressed and bandaged.

A charge of assault was filed against both men and they plead guilty and were fined this morning.

From Monday's Daily.

Joe Weston, the horse trader who was slashed across the back of the neck Friday night by Bill Woffard, a companion trader, is reported to be in a critical condition from his injuries. Weston and his wife, with their wagon and horses had started to continue their journey, but when they reached the small lake a few miles east of town Weston's condition became so serious that they stopped their wagons and a physician was called. The officers are searching for Woffard, who will be held if he is found until further developments in Weston's condition. Woffard is reported to have left town this morning.

From Monday's Daily.

The locomotive pulling the "Denver Special" was derailed while pulling into a siding at Bowie yesterday afternoon the accident delayed the train several hours, so it did not reach here until after 7 p. m. Other than the delay no damage was done and no one was injured.

From Monday's Daily.

The business meeting announced for the members of the Christian church Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. is changed for next Sunday just after the morning service. All the members are earnestly urged to be present, as the call extended the pastor for another year by the official board will be passed upon by the congregation, also an election of elders and deacons. No member should be absent. A. J. BUSH.

Christian Church Announcement.

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J. G. JONES RESIGNS FROM CITY COUNCIL

From Saturday's Daily.

At the special session of the City Council last night J. G. Jones tendered his resignation as alderman, to take effect on November 15th. The resignation was reluctantly accepted. Mr. Jones has been a member of the council since early last spring and his actions as councilman have been characterized by good judgment and business foresight.

No election has yet been ordered to select Mr. Jones' successor.

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ALMOST COMPLETED

WICHITA FALLS & NORTHWESTERN TRACKS WILL BE LAID TO FREDERICK MONDAY.

TRAFFIC WILL OPEN

Next Week—Agent Hollister Already on the Ground—Train Schedules Not Yet Determined.

From Saturday's Daily.

The track layers on the Wichita Falls and Northwestern will have the rails laid almost up to the corporate limits of Frederick when they end their week's work tonight, and Monday evening the track will be laid quite up to the town. A couple of days later will see the track laid to the station.

H. L. Hollister, who is to be agent for the Northwestern at Frederick is already located in that city and is getting affairs in shape for the opening of traffic by the middle of next week.

It is probable that trains will be run through from Wichita Falls to Frederick on Tuesday, but no regular service will be established until later in the week.

The train schedules have not yet been determined by the officials of the road.

The Sick.

From Saturday's Daily. Mrs. G. L. Talley is quite sick at her home in this city.

Mr. C. B. Toney, traveling representative of the National Starch Company, who came home sick one day this, is reported no better this morning.

Word from Mrs. J. A. Kemp, who is at Dallas with her daughter, Miss Flora, states that the young lady is recovering rapidly from an operation performed on her for appendicitis a few days ago, and that little or no apprehension is felt that she will not be restored to her former good health.

From Friday's Daily.

In the suit of J. B. Hines vs. the Fort Worth and Denver railroad for damages to livestock shipped from Sanger, Texas, to Wichita Falls, the jury in the county court yesterday returned a verdict for the plaintiff, awarding him \$100 damages.

The suit of I. Baer against the same company for damages for the burning of grass was compromised before coming to trial, the plaintiff receiving \$150 in satisfaction for his claim.

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From Saturday's Daily.

At 1 o'clock today the Farmers Union gin had turned out its fifteen hundredth bale of cotton for this season. At the Wichman gin 739 bales had been ginned up to 2 o'clock this evening, making a total of 2279 bales that have been ginned at the two gins in this city since they started.

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Restoration of Normal Conditions.
Local bankers interpret the signs as indicating the speedy restoration to normal conditions in financial matters. The heavy importations of gold within the past few weeks have restored confidence in the eastern centers and currency is beginning to move more freely. Cotton has begun to move again, and generally the people of the Southwest and of the nation at large are taking a very optimistic view of the situation, so that normal conditions will probably be restored in a week or ten days.

STRAYED or stolen—A very light colored seven-months old greyhound pup, has black nose, from my residence 3 miles from town on Burk Burnett road. Reward for return or information. W. M. Shaver. 156-11 w11

POSTED!

Notice is hereby given all parties to not hunt on my premises north of Wichita Falls, under penalty of the law governing such matters.

J. H. MURGRAVE.

MANY SIGNATURES

ATTACHED TO PETITION ASKING FOR LOCAL OPTION ELECTION IN THIS COUNTY.

NOT PRESENTED TODAY

Commissioners Busy With Other Matters and Petition Will Be Presented Tomorrow.

From Monday's Daily.

The county commissioners met at the court house today in regular monthly session, the afternoon being taken up with the consideration of road matters, so that it is improbable that the petition that has been circulated during the past eight or ten days for signatures for a local option election will probably not be presented until tomorrow morning.

The prohibition campaign managers this morning received the petitions that have been in circulation and state that they have the signatures of 252 legal voters to the petition asking for an election.

From the several precincts signatures were secured as follows: Wichita Falls, 175; Burk Burnett, 22; Iowa Park, 94; Allandale, 13; Frieberg, 25; Electra, 21.

The law provides that the commissioners are required to order an election upon the presentation of petitions bearing the names of 250 legal voters residing in the county.

The election must be held not later than thirty nor less than fifteen days from the date on which it is ordered.

WANTED—Ear Corn. We will buy all the ear corn we can get in wagon load or larger lots, delivered at our elevator in Wichita Falls. Highest market price paid. The Wichita Mill and Elevator Co. 47-21

From Tuesday's Daily.

Like the stove man and the coal dealer, the plumber is a busy man today. It was cold enough last night to freeze water in many unprotected pipes, so that the pipes were burst. All kinds of vegetation was nipped by the heavy freeze.

COLD WAVE GENERAL

FROST KING HAS BEGUN REIGN AND RULES THROUGHOUT THE LAND.

DOWN TO 10 ABOVE ZERO

At Colorado Springs—Snow Stops the Street Cars in Cleveland—6 inches of Snow in West Virginia.

Old King Boreas swooped down on Wichita Falls quite unexpectedly Saturday night and caught many people unprepared for his visit. Overcoats and heavy wraps were the order of the day and fires were lighted on many hearths for the first time this season. Snow flurries filled the air Sunday evening.

The improvident householder who had not previously done so, called up the coal dealer this morning and put in a rush order for coal. In fact, all the coal men say that the only kind of orders they have received today were "rush."

Six inches of Snow in West Virginia. Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 11.—Six inches of snow is reported at William, West Virginia, Tucker county.

Ten Above Zero at Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Nov. 11.—The most unseasonable weather has prevailed in this vicinity since Sunday morning. Two inches of snow fell yesterday and the temperature today is ten degrees above zero. Bitter cold weather is reported from the Cripple Creek district.

Sleet at Waco.

Waco, Tex., Nov. 11.—In Central Texas today sleet is falling, mixed with a little snow, with the temperature at 35. A high north wind prevails.

Snow Delays Traffic in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 11.—Nearly two inches of snow fell here today. The street car traffic is delayed in some sections of the city.

Makes Big Money From Turnips.

From Monday's Daily.
J. I. Richardson, a truck farmer who recently moved to Wichita county from Cleburne and who now resides near Lake Wichita, was in town today with a wagon load of the finest and largest turnips ever seen here. Some of the turnips were more than thirty inches in circumference and weighed more than ten pounds.

Mr. Richardson stated to a Times man that he had in a crop of between four and five acres of turnips and believed that the crop would yield 200 bushels per acre, and this, too, on non-irrigated land. He is disposing of the crop at \$1.25 a bushel and at that rate will net a tidy sum from his turnip patch.

Mr. Richardson is an experienced truck farmer and says that when he moved here from Cleburne his friends there, told him he would starve to death. By the application of intelligent skill and labor he is making a splendid success here and believes that some of his old neighbors at Cleburne who predicted that he would starve here will yet be convinced of the productiveness of the soil in the Wichita country and come here to buy farms.

FARMERS CELEBRATE WITH BIG TURKEY SUPPER.

Last Saturday night will long be remembered by the farmers of the Bowman community, on which occasion about four hundred, counting women and children, met at the school house to enjoy a feast, the like of which was never before given in that part of the country.

Fifteen or twenty large turkeys and as many chickens, together with an abundance of fish caught from Lake Wichita, were among other good things on the bill of fare. It was given under the direction of the Farmers Union, but everyone was invited and all seem to have accepted the invitation.

Several from this city attended the celebration, among them being Mr. J. L. McConkey and family, who speak in the highest praise of the manner in which the affair was conducted.

Snow Covers the Ground.

From Monday's Daily.
A telephone message to the Times from the Red-river district in the north part of the county this morning stated that the snow covered the ground in that neighborhood and was still falling.

THANKSGIVING TURKEY CROP REPORTED VERY SHORT.

Have you arranged for your gobbler, gobbler for Thanksgiving yet? If not, you had better look a little out, or you may be compelled to accept a Shanghai rooster or some other kind of a fowl as a substitute.

Turkeys are reported very scarce this year in comparison with former seasons, and there is general complaint that the birds offered on the market are quite small and not up to their usual Thanksgiving condition.

Out on the farms of Wichita county where there are many fine turkeys produced every year, the general report is that the crop was almost a failure this year. Old turkey raisers say it was almost a matter of impossibility to get the birds through an infantile period, owing to the cold and damp spring.

Over in the neighboring city of Fort Worth live turkeys are being retailed at 15 cents per pound, and the dressed ones are bringing 18 cents. The general impression is that these prices will go higher.

While turkey with cranberry sauce constitutes the great American Thanksgiving dish, there are other toothsome substitutes with which the turkeyless man can manage to get along.

A sucking pig properly prepared makes a man feel quite thankful and a fat chicken or duck will also answer modest demands. But there is something infinitely better than all of these, and which vies with the turkey itself in that particular. We refer, of course, to possum and taters. As a dish for the epicure there is no discounting the proposition of possum and taters, for it is always a winning combination.

The Grand Jurors.

The following have been summoned as grand jurors for the December term in the district court, which convenes on December 2nd: J. S. Beard, W. P. Billingsley, W. W. Brown, W. W. Caldwell, J. W. Clasbey, Frank Collier, J. D. Cooper, J. A. Deaton, W. H. Downing, T. P. Duncan, George Knight, J. G. Fain, J. A. Fisher, W. F. Hamilton, L. P. Douglas, Phy. Taylor.

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PASSING OF A TEAPOT-TEMPEST

While the money skies are clearing it is becoming plainer every day that the clouds were no more substantial than Wall Street hysteria.

A long crusade of calamity howling by Wall Street operators and organs made the town nervous on the money question, and when the Heinze corner in copper stocks got his bank into trouble depositors became distrustful of other banks.

There was nothing really the matter with Wall Street except its own foolish pretense that it was persecuted. The few financial institutions which suspended were, it seems, solvent, and will resume. The success with which banks in all parts of the country have resisted the taint and unnecessary strains proves that they have been well managed and are strong.

The banks of St. Louis and other Western and Southwestern centers have proven themselves as strong as the Rock of Gibraltar. Before the end of the year they will be doing business placidly in the quiet, old routine way and the teapot tempest will have been forgotten.

Heavy importations of gold and the coinings of gold that was hoarded in the mints will go far toward doing away with the scarcity of money during the rest of the crop moving season. Good prices for raw products are already making money plentiful in all the territory commercially contiguous to St. Louis. On the 1st of January the city will enter upon another record-breaking year of trade and industry.

It is hoped that congress may find some means of preventing a repetition of the passing inconvenience at seasons of the year when all the existing money is needed for legitimate uses. But in the session immediately preceding a presidential election congress is not likely to make any very great change in the present currency system.

For the present, at least, the remedy seems more likely to come from the irrepressible prosperity of the country and the prudent management of financial agencies and officers.—St. Louis Republic.

In this issue the Times publishes a full report of the talk recently made before the Chamber of Commerce by President Frank Trumbull of the Colorado and Southern Railway when he visited this city on a trip of inspection of the Fort Worth and Denver and other lines operated by that road. Mr. Trumbull makes no pretensions as an orator and his talk was delivered in a very informal manner. President Trumbull spoke at many places on the road, among them being Fort Worth, Abilene, Stamford and Amarillo, and while the press generally at these places is not in full accord with all of Mr. Trumbull's views, they have given him credit for his fairness and sincerity. Mr. Trumbull's tour and his informal meetings with the business men in the cities along the road of which he is the head, will, it is believed, contribute much toward a better and fairer understanding between the railroads and the public.

There is a movement on foot to have a general meeting of all the Commercial Clubs of the Panhandle country at Amarillo soon. While Wichita Falls, properly speaking, is not in the Panhandle country, her Chamber of Commerce should by all means be represented at that meeting. West Texas is now and has been for the past two or three years, attracting homeseekers from every part of the United States, and if our Chamber of Commerce can work together with the Commercial Clubs of the Panhandle and West Texas, much good will result. Wichita county has an abundance of as fine agricultural lands as can be found in Texas, which are capable of supporting at least four times as many farmers as are now in the county.

IGNORING THE SABBATH.

A great majority of the people of this country still retain their veneration for the Sabbath day, and the most of them make more or less successful efforts to comply with the admonition to "remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy." Under twentieth century methods many a man is compelled to engage in secular duties upon the Sabbath, but this in no sense affects his spiritual devotion if he still retains a reverence for that which is upright, honest and in accordance with the will of God—so far as his powers go. Such a man does not work unnecessarily upon the Lord's day.

It is rather significant, however, that the leading capitalists of the country should consummate one of the biggest mergers of the year—that of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company with the United States Steel corporation—on the Sabbath. It was charged that the great financiers of the country have long since set the dollar up as a divinity that outweighs the power of the Almighty, and they have succeeded in obtaining not only a few followers of that doctrine, yet it does not appear that they can reap any especial benefit by defiantly over-riding the established principles upon which the government is founded by setting manna above the ten commandments and shocking the sensibilities of a large citizenship who insist upon believing that God still presides over the destinies of the world regardless of the temporary supremacy of the trusts. It is not good policy to insult the sacred traditions of such a people. The South has not been under the immediate domination of the trusts in its local industrial life to so great an extent as some of the other sections of the country, but the merger of its greatest steel and iron industry with the giant steel trust is a step that should invite enough opposition without the added affront of consummating the deal on Sunday.—Ft. Worth Record.

It has been pointed out that the present financial flurry, which had its origin in New York where the values of irrigated stocks have evaporated very rapidly, may not prove an unmixed evil for the undeveloped portions of the West. Investors may be fooled a part of the time, but after awhile some of them will get wise and invest some of their money in lands and development enterprises in the West, where values do not disappear in a day, but instead show a steady and constant increase. Of course, no immediate flood of money westward from Eastern centers will follow, but as soon as the people recover from the present financial stress thousands will begin to look around for stable investments. The West offers this opportunity.

There is no sense in the South paying New York financiers from four to six million dollars annually in exchange for handling her cotton crop. Little or no cotton is shipped from the port of New York. Bankers located in Southern seaports should be able to handle this business, as nearly all cotton is shipped to Galveston, Houston and New Orleans. The Southern bankers can, if they will, form an association to handle the cotton business independent of New York. If they will do this, Wall Street can start a money panic when it gets ready, and the panic will end just where it started.

If Secretary Cortelyou would get West a bit more frequently he might grasp the fact that the United States are not bounded by the Atlantic ocean and the Alleghany mountains. No New York man living in Washington can altogether escape the influence of the Wall Street atmosphere, so the Secretary of the Treasury, like other Federal officials, seems to think that the Eastern frontier is about all there is to this country worth thinking about. All the rest of it is expected to go on paying in currency for shipment East without getting any back in return.

Wichita Falls and the surrounding country is not suffering to any great extent from the financial stringency. The people were prosperous when the Wall Street gamblers precipitated the money panic, and beyond the fact that about four dollars per bale has been lopped off of cotton, the country and the people are as prosperous as ever. Nearly all the people have bank accounts, and there is not a business house in the city that will refuse to accept checks in exchange for goods. So long as this is the case, we can transact our business with as much ease as before.

FEDERAL DEPOSITS REQUESTED.

Colonel Cecil A. Lyon has requested the president to have \$10,000,000 of the Federal treasury surplus deposited in the Texas banks, upon approved security, but it is doubtful if the request can now be complied with, for, according to Washington advices, Secretary Cortelyou has gone so far in his efforts to assist the New York banks that the working balance of the treasury has been encroached upon. About the only way Col Lyon's request could be complied with is to transfer the sum from the New York banks to Texas and this the New York bankers would not permit at this time.

The currency famine in the interior of the country is largely due to the fact that the interior banks, when their vaults were full, sent vast sums to New York to be loaned at high rates of interest. Then the squeeze came along and it is now impossible to get this currency back. A recent statement showed that the New York banks held more than \$300,000,000 of the deposits of interior banks.

The present situation ought to be a lesson to the interior bankers. It is far better to resist the temptation of the high interest paid by the Wall Street gamblers and keep the money in the vaults for legitimate uses at home. New York balances of country banks should be confined merely to such sums as are needed to transact the business of their patrons. Of course, in the Wall Street furries interest rates go far above the reasonable interest rates that prevail in localities where the banks conduct only a legitimate business. But when the reserves are depleted to sending lending money to New York the result is to increase interest rates at home and inflict hardships upon the home people.

If the interior banks will keep their money at home the business of their patrons will be more prosperous and works of development will proceed more rapidly. In the long run low interest rates are more satisfactory and much safer than the high rates paid by the men who operate in "The Street."

All the profits of the \$800,000,000 of interior money sent to New York will disappear long before the stagnation caused by present conditions can be lifted. Even if the interior fails to receive the assistance from the government which is now needed, much will be gained if the lesson of the day is not forgotten when confidence has been restored. There has never been too much money in the banks of the interior. When the supply becomes large it will stimulate development where development is needed. If sent to New York it will stimulate speculation, which is a curse to the whole country.

In Kentucky the Republicans are claiming a tie vote on joint ballot in the general assembly, while the Democrats are claiming a majority of twelve. The political enemies of Governor Beckham, while admitting that the Democrats have a majority in the legislature, say that Beckham will not be elected to the United States senate, and that the dozen or more Democrats who will refuse to vote for Beckham will force the other Democratic members to hold a caucus and place in nomination another man.

The 1907 harvest of Texas alone is conservatively estimated at \$450,000,000, the greater part of which has not yet been sold. When this is done, things in a financial way are bound to ease up a bit. Texas is solvent and prosperous, and it will require something more than a Wall Street money panic to tie up her business for a great length of time.

Attorney General Davidson has now begun proceedings against several other branches of the Standard Oil Company, which are transacting business in Texas under cover in violation of Texas laws, and doubtless he will give everyone an opportunity to tell on the witness stand what they know.

The partisans of Crawford say that he is game and the Fort Worth Record assures us that Bailey is entirely self-possessed, but as yet there has been no display of fireworks. The general public, however, has about concluded that one of them is a coward and the other is glad of it.

State Senator B. F. Looney of Greenville has announced his candidacy for the office of Attorney General of Texas. He is an able young lawyer, a fluent speaker and a warm personal friend and admirer of Senator Bailey.

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PREDICTS LOWER COTTON.

Cotton Mill Man Says Manufacturing is Being Restricted all Over World. Weatherford Herald.

Will cotton advance until it brings the price demanded by the farmers—15 cents per pound, or will it fall much below the present value?

In view of the fact that a considerable quantity of cotton is now being held at different points in the State by the producers who declare they will not sell it for less than 15 cents per pound, the probability of the future constitutes a very interesting study.

Col. G. M. Bowie, president of the Weatherford Yarn Mills, and vice president of the First National bank of this city, gives it as his unqualified opinion that cotton is going to speedily decline to the level of at least eight cents, and his advice to the farmers of Parker county is to sell their cotton while values are higher than they will be in the future.

Col. Bowie says cotton would have perhaps gone to 20 cents per pound this season but for the financial flurry that has spread all over the country, but this financial trouble is operating in such a manner as to decline in the market.

Merchants countermanding the orders given for cotton goods, and the spinners are countermanding orders placed for cotton. Many cotton mills have already shut down on account of the wholesale countermanding of orders, and others will follow. On this account a cotton crop that promised to be about 1,000,000 bales short at the beginning of the season, is going to be converted into a big surplus, and under such conditions it can be expected that the price of the staple will continue to decline.

Col. Bowie says his mill is buying but little cotton now. His advice to the farmers of Parker county is to sell their cotton.

Little Spot Cotton On the Market.

The bulls and the Farmers' Union are factors that are now expected to make advances in the price of cotton. The traders have found out that there is little cotton moving and those who have sold short on December and January delivery may find trouble in securing the cotton to deliver if actual delivery is demanded.

The farmers appear to be holding together better than was expected, the financial stringency becoming acute, the bulls are becoming active.

The demand for spot cotton is increasing, according to advices received by the Times and what little is being snapped up at once. The wire today says that the market is unchanged from yesterday and that there was no material change in the local market.

"Why Tom Johnson was elected perhaps better explained in the following few words given to the press after the mayoralty election in Cleveland:

"Through all the confusion and slander the people kept their minds fixed upon the real issue, so that today Cleveland is a free city. It was the people's fight; it is the people's victory. The right may lose a battle, but it never lost a war. Our seven years' war is won. Cleveland will go on with its great work. It will recognize all the lawful and equitable rights of the defeated monopoly, but it will reserve and preserve all the rights of the people."

The fellow who aims at nothing and misses his target. It is the same way with towns, but men build up a reputation—the right sort of men, we mean. Wichita Falls has them by the score. With five railroads, she has the reputation on any other town in this section of the State, and if she pushes her reputation in the proper spirit and with some vim, will soon be known far and wide as the commercial center and business center of Northwest Texas.

The lumber interests of the State have adopted the policy of "letting the price of lumber fall," and the press dispatches tell that many lumber mills are closing down and that the price of lumber is steadily falling. Of course, it is to be regretted that any mills should be forced to close down, but the news that the price of lumber has dropped will doubtless be welcome to those contemplating the building of homes.

The Campbell love feast is to be pulled off at San Antonio soon, and will be watched with a great deal of interest by politicians.

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7th. You do not have to die to win in the Modern Woodmen of America. It affords you a valuable protection for your family in the event of your death. It does not try to tear you away from your family or from the ownership of any other Order.

8th. Because it has the most economical management and government of any Order in the National Fraternal Congress.

9th. Its expense of management is provided for by a per capita tax. Not one cent of assessments go for anything except death loss.

10th. When you hold a certificate in the Modern Woodmen of America, you have established an estate that no ill wind can deprive your beneficiaries of.

11th. It is establishing a self-supporting sanitarium for the protection of its members and those dependent upon them.

"Keep your protection in the Modern Woodmen.

They guard its interests well;

And see that mortals yet unborn

May stand beside your lowly grave;

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Age—	Rate
18 to 25 years.....	\$ 50
to 27 years.....	55
to 29 years.....	60
to 31 years.....	65
to 33 years.....	70
to 35 years.....	75
to 37 years.....	80
to 39 years.....	85
to 41 years.....	90
to 43 years.....	95
to 45 years.....	1 00

Yours fraternally,

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Deputy Head Consul.

Office at Palace Meat Market.

158-11 wlt

LET'S SETTLE IT OURSELVES.

Now that it is pretty certain that Wichita county is soon to vote on the local option question, the leaders on both sides of this question should get together and agree not to import any speakers. These professional speakers, both pro and anti, can succeed in stirring up more strife among neighbors and friends in a two hours' speech than can be lived down in a year. The question of whether the licensed saloon shall exist longer in Wichita county and whether the voters of the city and county should settle in a quiet and orderly manner and they need no one from abroad to come here and inform them how they should vote.

The above editorial, which appeared in our paper recently is certainly worthy of consideration. The writer is not a local option county, but has passed through several local option elections and can verify the statement that "these professional speakers, both pro and anti, can succeed in stirring up more strife among neighbors and friends in two hours' speech than can be lived down in a year." It behooves all the people of Wichita county to see that speakers are not imported for this election, but let us settle this in a "quiet and orderly manner." CITIZEN.

Galveston boasts that she is prepared to move the entire Texas cotton crop without the aid of outside assistance.

Have Ginned 1,600 Bales.

The Farmers' Union gin today turned out its sixteen hundredth bale of cotton.

INTANGIBLE TAX LAW

SUIT TO TEST VALIDITY OF ACT WILL BE FILED HERE.

PREPARING COMPLAINT

Local Attorney Representing Railroad Entering This City is Handling the Action.

The Times has it from a most trustworthy source that a suit is soon to be filed in the district court in this city attacking the validity of the intangible asset tax law, as applied to railroads.

The action will be brought by a railroad having headquarters in this city and the complaint is now in course of preparation by a local attorney and will probably be filed this week.

Concerning this suit, an Austin dispatch in the Dallas News says:

"The intangible assets tax law, as it applies to railroads, is to be tested in the courts. This statement is made upon the authority of a manager of a Texas railroad. He says that within the next three or four days his company will tender the amount of taxes upon what he terms a fair valuation, and if the collectors refuse the payments, as it is anticipated they will do, then suit will be instituted by mandamus to compel them to accept.

"The law will be attacked upon the ground that it denies the county assessors and commissioners the right to exercise the discretion imposed upon them by the constitution and intimidates them by threatened fines from doing their duty.

"None of the Texas railroads have paid their taxes this year and it may be that several of them will join this suit. However, those lines which are parties to the suit against the railroad commission may hold off for the reason that the valuations made by the State tax board are helpful to their plea for higher freight rates."

Modern Woodmen of America.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 12,006, M. W. A. have secured the services of L. A. Haley, organizer to assist in the organization of a new camp in the southwest, having stood at the head of the list for the past year in duty work.

He has just completed his visit at Quannah, having added 100 members to their camp in six days. He feels fortunate in securing such a large and earnestly request every one of the Wichita Falls Camp to attend the meeting Friday evening and the neighbors McHenry make one of the speakers on Modern Woodcraft.

C. B. McCORMACK, Secy.

E. A. HALEY, Clerk. The religion of the average man is spasmodic.

CULBERSON GOES TO CAPITAL.

Texas Senator Will Probably Speak at Bryan Dinner.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 14.—United States Senator Charles A. Culberson will not attend the banquet to be given in honor of Governor T. M. Campbell, in San Antonio next Saturday night. Mr. Culberson departed tonight for Washington and will not be in Texas again until after the adjournment of congress.

Senator Culberson will attend the banquet on the night of November 26, to be given by the Democrats of Washington as a compliment to William Jennings Bryan. It is expected that he will be one of the speakers.

Leg Lost in Accident.

Munday, Tex., Nov. 11.—While working at the oil mill of the Brazos Oil and Light Company of this place last night, Charley Crawford, a young white man of this place, was caught in the machinery and his right leg was so badly lacerated that amputation was necessary. The operation was performed by a surgeon from Stamford assisted by local physicians.

ANTI FORCES WILL ORGANIZE TO FIGHT PROHIBITION.

While the pros are preparing to wage a vigorous campaign in the local option election to be held on November 30th, the anti forces will not remain inactive.

Preliminary plans have been formed, it is understood, for a strong organization of the "anti" forces and the fight against prohibition will be waged in every precinct in the county.

The details of the anti organization have not yet been given out for publication, but it is understood that the executive committee will contain several prominent business men.

DAVIS DENIED NEW TRIAL FOR MURDER

Weatherford, Tex., Nov. 12.—A motion for a new trial in the Joe Davis murder case was argued here today. Among the principal grounds set up in the motion for a new trial were that the indictment was never filed in the district court of this, Parker county, and that the jury separated during the progress of the trial, without the consent of the defendant or the court, and that one of the jurors talked or attempted to talk to a passerby while in the jury room. The motion, after a lengthy argument, was overruled by Judge Patterson and the defendant gave notice of appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals. The verdict of the jury was the death penalty for killing his wife, Olga Davis, in Shackelford county in 1904.

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M. LASKER'S STATEMENT.

Says Association is Same as Any Other, Not a Trust.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 10.—The anti-trust suit filed by the attorney general against an alleged milling trust in Texas is a mistaken move, according to M. Lasker, president and manager of the Texas Star Mills, in this city.

"I am not deeply concerned regarding the outcome of the suit," said Mr. Lasker today. "There is no illegal combination among Texas millers. We have an association the same as the ginners, the cotton seed mills, the farmers and men engaged in other lines of business. This association was organized so that we could get each other's views, exchange ideas and generally promote the welfare of the milling business in this State. The association does not restrain trade or prevent competition, neither does it arbitrarily fix the price of flour or limit a mill's field of operations. Therefore I cannot see why our association should be judged a trust."

When Mr. Lasker's attention was called to the allegation that the association fixed the price of flour, Mr. Lasker again entered a denial regarding the illegality of their association.

"It is true," he said, "that we report to our secretary the conditions of business and the price at which we are doing it, and quotations are issued the same as the committee on quotations fixes a price on cotton. This quotation is no more binding on the individual millers than is a cotton exchange quotation binding upon the cotton factor. We each buy and sell according to our ability and just judgment, and therefore the fixing of a quotation based on the business transacted by each simply gives each an official quotation which can be understood by any member of the association in case the market will permit. The price of flour is not always based upon the day's wheat quotations. We very often sell flour below cost because we are obliged to compete with mills in other States where conditions may favor a lower price. We also enter the open market in the purchase of our wheat."

Referring to the letters to the secretary of the association, written by some of the members of the association, which letters form a basis of the suit, Mr. Lasker said:

"Certain letters have been written to the secretary of our association which probably ought never to have been penned. The letters were injurious, but cannot be construed as evidence that we have formed a trust. Letters from individuals are not a part of the association's records. I suppose any person has a right to write anything he pleases in a letter without its necessarily involving others who may be associated in the same line of business."

When a man tells a girl she is pretty she tries to make him believe she didn't know it until he told her.

It is much easier for a bad man to live down his reputation than it is for a good man to live up to his.

BY DECEMBER FIRST

Grade on W. F. & S. Will Be Completed to Olney.

Capt. J. W. Owens and son, J. W. Owens, Jr., the well known railroad contractors, were in town today from Olney, where their men are working on the grade of the Wichita Falls and Southern. Men are at work on every mile of the grade between Archer City and Olney and the grade will be completed to Olney by December 1st.

Since the tracks of the Northwestern have been completed into Frederick, Ok., the track laying on the Southern can be pushed to an early completion.

[Advertisement.]

Meetings in Every School House. There will be prohibition speaking in every school house and precinct in Wichita county at night during the week beginning Monday, November 25th. W. J. BULLOCK, Chairman.

Attractions at the Olympic.

The managers of the Olympic theatre have booked a number of excellent attractions for the season through the Dixie Theatre Company, represented by M. C. Turner of Dallas, who was in the city today.

Among the attractions engaged are: Nov. 20—American Saxophone Sextette.

Nov. 23—The Orpheum Musical Club Dec. 9—St. Holler's band and orchestra.

Dec. 17—Monte Cristo. Dec. 25 and 26—The Allen Curtis Musical Comedy Company.

Jan. 10—The Rufus Rastus Dixie Company.

Jan. 11—The Hidden Hand.

Among the other attractions engaged for which no dates have yet been arranged are: The Matinee Girl, Jerry From Kerry and the Hoosier Girl.

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR NEW RAILROAD

The contract for grading the first seven miles of the Lawton, Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad was let yesterday to the Stebbins and Kirk Construction Company of Oklahoma City. The contract has been signed up and New York exchange deposited in trust for payment of the work by the railroad company. The seven miles let in this contract is the right of way between Randlett and the junction point of the Lawton road with the Wichita Falls and Northwestern road, now being built between Wichita Falls and Frederick.—Lawton Democrat.

President of Knickerbocker Trust Co. Took His Own Life.

New York, Nov. 14.—Charles T. Barney, president of the Knickerbocker Trust Company, which recently closed its doors, committed suicide this afternoon.

LAWTON BANK HIT

MERCHANTS & PLANTERS BANK SUSPENDED PAYMENT ON THURSDAY.

DEPOSITORS NOT TO LOSE

Conditions in Other Lawton Banks Remain Normal—Bank Examiner in Charge of Closed Bank.

Lawton Democrat.

The real effect of the tightening of the money markets and an inability to promptly realize on their outstanding loans was brought home to Lawton this morning when the doors of the Merchants and Planters bank failed to open. Mr. Rankin was at the bank this morning in conference with his attorneys and the cashiers of the other banks. He left the bank a short time before the opening hour and it is understood refused all proffered assistance from the other banks. The strain of the past two weeks seems to have worked on the cashier's nerves until he was ready to give up the fight. Bankers and business men of the city who are familiar with the affairs of the bank believe that the bank will pay out in full and in ordinary times would be perfectly solvent. According to its last statement the bank had individual deposits of \$52,237. Its loans amounted to \$66,067.

D. E. Rankin, the cashier of the bank, was a prominent candidate for the democratic nomination for State treasurer and was defeated only by a small majority. He has been prominent in the affairs of the city and an active member of the Chamber of Commerce.

The bank will be taken in charge by Territorial Bank Commissioner Smock.

The conditions will not be thoroughly understood until an examination is made. The immediate cause of the closing is assigned to inability to promptly realize on outstanding loans.

The closing of the bank in no way affects the clearing house certificates which are secured by good collateral, worth double the amount of the certificate taken out, the collateral being in the hands of a trustee and the certificates will be retired at maturity or before.

Business in the other banks of the city has been practically normal today and they have been in no way affected. The occurrence is to be regretted and it is to be hoped after a thorough examination the bank will be able to resume business.

D. R. Rankin, cashier of the defunct Merchants and Planters bank at Lawton, Okla., mysteriously disappeared between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock Friday afternoon and no trace of him has yet been found.

Whether he has committed suicide or has fled the country is not known, but the latter seems the more probable.

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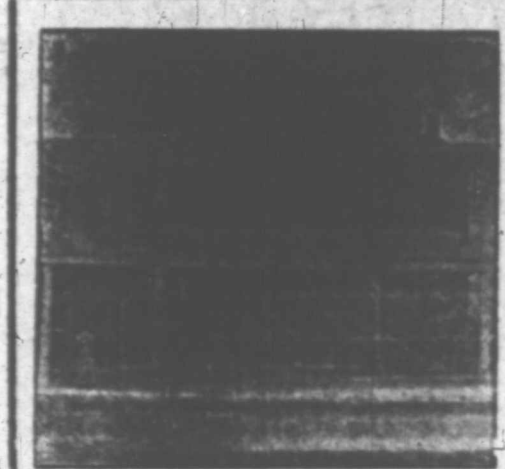
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WILL BE A BIG DAY

INSTALLATION OF DIVISION OF B. OF L. E. WILL BE A GREAT EVENT.

UNIQUE INVITATIONS

Have Been Issued—Prominent—Prominent Officials of the Brotherhood to Be Here.

From Friday's Daily.

As was stated in yesterday's Times a Division of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is to be instituted in Wichita Falls on Wednesday afternoon and evening, November 20th.

The division will have over fifty charter members, deriving its membership from the Fort Worth and Denver between Fort Worth and Childress and from the Wichita Valley, the Wichita Falls and Oklahoma, the Wichita Falls and Northwestern and the Wichita Falls and Southern.

The committees appointed several nights ago is making arrangements for the installation of the division and the entertainment of the visitors.

While the details of the program have not been worked out, the high standing of the Brotherhood and the reputation of the genial whole-souled fellows who comprise its membership is an assurance that the affair will be in keeping with the occasion.

Invitations are being sent out today to eighteen divisions of the Brotherhood in Texas and the entertainment committee is preparing to entertain several hundred guests.

The installation of the Division will begin at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon in the Division hall in the City National bank building. This will be followed in the evening by an entertainment and a banquet in the hall, for which the committee is sending out invitations to the friends of the Brotherhood.

The invitations are unique and appropriate for the occasion, being gotten up in the form of a train order, under Form 31 as follows:

"You will display signals and run as First Section of Friends with right of track over all others from your residence to the Division Hall of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers at Wichita Falls, where you will meet all Members of the Brotherhood and Friends. You will wait at the Division Hall until 10:30 p. m. for all other friends. C. A. HERBERT."

Each guest or couple will also be given a clearance card and the invitations and the program will follow the train order style throughout.

Prominent officials of the Brotherhood are expected to be here at the installation and the event will be made a most enjoyable one for the friends of the Brotherhood and visiting members of the order.

The installation of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will make the fourth railroad men's order to have a Division in this city. The others are the Order of Railway Conductors, the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.

Injured Man Doing Nicely.

From Monday's Daily.

James Shumake, who had his back broken by a bale of cotton falling on him at the Thornberry gin Saturday morning, is getting along as nicely as could be expected today. Mr. Shumake had brought some cotton to the gin and at the time of the accident was sitting on a bale at the side of the platform. While in this position a bale of cotton was rolled off the platform, striking him on the back across the shoulders, dislocating one of the lumbar vertebrae.

At first it was thought the accident would prove fatal, but Doctors Miller and Guest, who were called, succeeded in relieving the pressure from the spinal cord, and thus saved the life of their patient.

Dr. Miller, who visited the patient this morning, reports that he is doing nicely.

Big Land Deal.

From Saturday's Daily.

Aaron Henson of Beaver Creek has sold to a Mr. Nance of Goliad county 984 acres of Wichita county land for a consideration of \$15.00 per acre or a total consideration of \$14,760.

It is to be a cash transaction and both parties were in the city today to close the deal.

For Sale.

God work horse, mares and colts, Berkshire sows and pigs, disc plow, grain drill and binder. J. W. Cobb, 21 Ranch, Holliday, Texas. 48-21

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Collects \$2,700 From Lawyers.

Up to noon Friday lawyers of the Fort Worth bar had paid \$2,700 occupation taxes to County Tax Collector R. M. Davis, and there remained only forty who had not paid. This money has nearly all been paid since the recent visit of State Revenue Agent "Bill" McDonald to Fort Worth.

In all, up to noon Friday 180 lawyers had paid their occupation tax of \$15 each, and there are others who will pay before the suits are filed, but there are others who positively refuse to pay, claiming the tax to be in violation of the constitution of the State. This is the last day of grace for those who intend to pay, for Collector Davis said at noon:

"I am now dealing the last whirl out of the box. If those fellows who have not paid don't come up and settle before 5 p. m. I will file suit against them. There will be no further putting off of this matter."—Fort Worth Telegram.

From Saturday's Daily.

Upon receipt of a telephone message from Madill, Indian Territory, Marshal Gwinn last night arrested D. C. Hobbs of that place just as he was leaving the Katy train which arrived about midnight. Hobbs is wanted at Madill for selling mortgaged property. He was accompanied by his wife and a family of six children. An officer is expected from Madill this afternoon to take Hobbs back to that place for trial.

Mules for Sale.

I have six good mules—three spans, for sale at a reasonable figure. Parties desiring to buy call at my farm five miles northwest of town, or address L. H. Kiel, Wichita Falls, Texas. R. F. D. No. 1. 47w

From Friday's Daily.

A party of about fifteen Russian Germans arrived from North Dakota yesterday to prospect for a location in the Wichita country.

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CITY COUNCIL PLACE AN ORDER FOR COMBINATION HOSE AND CHEMICAL WAGON.

APPARATUS IS UP TO DATE

Wagon Will Carry 35-Gallon Chemical Cylinder and Equipment and 1,000 Feet of Hose.

From Saturday's Daily.
At a special session of the City Council last night an order was placed with the Seagrave Company, manufacturers of fire apparatus, of Columbus, Ohio, for a combination hose, ladder and chemical wagon to cost \$1,600. The wagon is to be delivered within one hundred days from the date of the acceptance of the order by the Seagrave Company and upon the arrival and acceptance of the wagon by the Council, the city is to pay the company \$600 in cash, and the balance, if desired, may be paid with two notes of \$500 each, bearing eight per cent interest, one becoming due on February 1, 1908, and the other February 1, 1910. The wagon ordered by the council is one of the best and most modern fire fighting vehicles made: It is built to carry 1,000 feet of standard fire hose and carries a thirty-five gallon chemical cylinder with the necessary hose and other equipment.

The wagon will be trimmed in brass and the specifications, made a part of the contract, insure that it will be durable and pretty as a speckled pup.

Two representatives of fire apparatus companies were present at the council meeting last night, J. E. Schmitz, representing the American La France Company, and Charles E. Johnston, of the Seagrave Company, to whom the contract was awarded.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby Comanded to summon W. A. Barry by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Wichita Falls on the first Monday in December, A. D., 1907, the same being the 2nd day of December; A. D., 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of October, A. D., 1907 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3663, wherein N. Henderson is plaintiff and W. A. Barry is defendant, and said petition alleging that on October 29th, 1907, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of Lots 6 and 7 in Block 112, in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, and that on said day Defendant entered upon said premises and ejected Plaintiff therefrom to his damage \$500.00.

Wherefore Plaintiff prays for judgment for the restitution of said premises, for his damages, costs and general relief.

Herein Fall Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, W. A. Reid, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County.

Given under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this 30th day of October, A. D., 1907.

W. A. REID, Clerk,
District Court, Wichita County.

Mollie Bailey, according to current report, has sold her wagons and will travel with her show by rail only. This will prove a great disappointment to the remote towns and villages that see very few shows. For the past half century this famous show has been making annual tours over the State and it is said that there is not a village or hamlet in the great State of Texas to which it has not gone. It will never seem like the real Mollie if she takes the cars.—Childress Post.

Cheap Lands For Sale.
Located in Northwest Oklahoma. This land will produce from 20 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre, and other crops in proportion. Has fine water on it and climate is excellent. If interested write to
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GOVERNMENT TAKES CASE TO THE SUPREME COURT.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 8.—The case of the United States vs. Ben West and forty-five other occupants of the town-site of Kell, in the Big Pasture, was appealed to the Oklahoma supreme court today. The suit grew out of the action of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad condemning two tracts of land out of the quarter section filed upon by John W. Fields, nominally for station purposes and then cutting the land up into lots and selling it to settlers. The government's position is that no notice had been given to the Kiowa and Comanche Indians, who are really the owners of the land until title is acquired by the settlers, and that the land had been fraudulently obtained. Fields' filing has been held up by the land office on account of charges of collusion on his part.

At the time the case was filed in the district court at Lawton a temporary injunction was issued by Judge Gillette, restraining the defendants from making any further improvements or attempting to sell the interest which they claimed to have in the property they were occupying. They were, however, to retain possession, and everything remained in statu quo. When the case first came up for hearing the demurrer of the defendants was sustained, and the government required to amend its petition and appeal the case. The injunction is, however, left in force and matters remain as before except that a cotton gin is allowed to complete its plant and commence business.

GREEN BUG SITUATION.

Field Assistant Tucker Issues Statement From Laboratory.

Green Bug Laboratory, Plano, Collin Co., Tex., Nov. 7.—Inclosed find my statement of crop conditions for small grain, and mention of the green bug situation.

All the wheat and oats sowed during October in this vicinity have already sprouted high enough for pasturing of the plants in most fields, but the acreage will hardly amount to 10 per cent of the area of last year's planting. Many farmers who had hundreds of acres in small grain last year have sowed none whatever this fall, but the reason is due more to the scarcity of seed grain than to any fear of another green bug outbreak. Parties who purchased a carload of seed wheat in Kansas found the grain unfit for seed when it arrived on account of heating of the grain in transit. No green bugs have been detected yet by myself as field assistant in charge of the green bug laboratory located near here, and I have been keeping a sharp lookout. Every rumor of the occurrence of green bugs so far investigated by me has proven false. The last green bug seen in fields in this neighborhood was observed last June just before harvest time. The prospect of freedom from green bug attacks on the growing crops appears encouraging, so that any trouble from the pests is not anticipated.

E. S. TUCKER, Field Assistant.

An Archer County Wonder.

On a place cultivated by R. H. Sanders, known as the old Goodwin place, a stalk of cotton grew from last year's stub. Our advice to the farmers is to be careful of last year's stubs. Under certain conditions they will save you planting cotton every spring. Mr. Sanders says that an acre of such cotton would raise from four to five bales, since you can begin gathering it about the first of June. The explanation is this: The cotton does not have to grow any new roots and has grown bolls on it at the end of the third week. Verily, Archer county productions are the wonder of the world.—Archer City Dispatch.

Farmers Warehouse at Frederick.

This week a committee headed by I. W. Yancey succeeded in raising the required amount with which to purchase lots on which to place the warehouse which is being built by the Farmers' Union at this place.

Four lots in block 8 in the South addition of the W. F. & N. W. Railway have been secured and the work has already commenced on the building.

The building will be 200x150 feet, sheathed with iron and resting on a brick foundation. The work is being done by the Houston Warehouse Company, and will be rapidly pushed to completion.—Frederick Enterprise.

From Saturday's Daily.
A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Angeline Honkamp and William Moellering.

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WICHITA MILL AND ELEVATOR COMPANY NAMED A DEFENDANT IN ANTI-TRUST SUIT.

PENALTIES \$15,000,000

Are Sought From the Texas Millers By Attorney General For Alleged Conspiracy in Restraint of Trade.

The Wichita Mill and Elevator Company and E. R. and D. C. Kolp, Jr., of Fort Worth are among the one hundred and twenty defendants named in a suit filed at Austin Saturday afternoon by Attorney General Davidson, in which penalties aggregating \$15,550,000, also for forfeiture of the charters of domestic concerns and the cancellation of the permits of foreign corporations and an injunction restraining them from continuing to violate the anti-trust laws of Texas, are sought. The defendants include every milling concern of any importance in Texas.

An Austin dispatch in the Dallas News Sunday morning concerning the filing of the suit is in part as follows:

Another large anti-trust suit was filed today and it is against the alleged Millers' Trust of Texas. The Attorney General asks for \$56,250 penalties from each of about 120 defendants under acts of 1893 and \$73,000 under the act of 1899, a total of \$15,510,000; also for forfeiture of charters of the domestic concerns, cancellation of the permits of foreign corporations and an injunction restraining them from continuing to violate the anti-trust laws of Texas.

Several individuals are sued. The petition is very lengthy and contains some interesting correspondence alleged to have passed between certain members of the Texas Millers' Association and its secretary, Ed K. Collett of Fort Worth. It is filed before Judge Wilcox of the Twenty-Sixth District Court and is signed by Attorney General Davidson, Assistant Lightfoot, County Attorney John W. Brady, Gregory, Batts & Brooks and Allen & Hart.

The style of the case is the State vs. the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company et al, and the usual allegations are made of the number of days violated under the laws of 1899 and 1903.

The petition recites that the Texas Millers' Association was organized on or about January 1, 1898, which is declared a conspiracy and that the association's executive committee on Aug. 9, 1905, organized the Texas Grain and Flour Company "for the purpose of more efficaciously carrying out the aforesaid conspiracy," and more particularly for the purpose of fixing the price of wheat and other grain and lessening competition in the purchase of wheat. Under the first organization the following alleged unlawful purposes are charged:

1. To prevent competition among the members thereof in the purchase

of wheat and other grain, and in the sale of flour and other products of grain.

2. To fix and regulate the price of flour and other products of grain.

3. To fix and regulate the difference in price between the different grades of flour.

4. To prevent the payment of brokerage and the allowance of discounts.

5. To make it difficult for millers to depart from the prices fixed by the association.

6. To discipline members who refuse to abide by the prices and regulations of the association.

7. To prevent the allowance of credit in the sale of flour and the other products of wheat.

8. To prevent competition in the purchase of wheat and other grain.

9. To fix and regulate the price of wheat and other grain and the products of grain.

10. To prevent competition in the purchase of wheat and grain and sale of products of grain and to monopolize said business.

11. To prevent free competition in the purchase and sale of grain.

put of flour and other products of grain.

That as one of the means of carrying out and effecting the unlawful purposes of said Texas Millers' Association the State of Texas has been divided and subdivided into groups or districts, the boundaries of each of which are marked by certain towns and lines of railroad and numbered; that all that portion of the State of Texas not included in said groups is designated as differential territory.

That said Texas Millers' Association, acting with its co-conspirators, fixes and from time to time has fixed the price of grain and grain products in each of said groups and territory aforesaid.

That said association has adopted rules, agreements and understandings with references to sales and purchases of grain and grain products in groups and territory, in furtherance of the general conspiracy herein charged, and said agreements, rules, conspiracy, combinations and understandings have been and are observed and acted upon by each member of said association and by the Texas Grain Dealers' Association and each of its members.

It is charged that the conspiracies, etc., have existed from the very time of the organization. In re-organizing the Texas Grain and Flour Company, it is recited, every miller was to be a member, his stock limited to 50 cents per barrel on his twenty-four hour capacity, which is alleged as showing an unlawful purpose to band the millers to do the following alleged unlawful acts:

(1) To fix and maintain the price of wheat and other grain in this State; (2) to restrict competition in the sale and purchase of wheat and other grain in this and other States and Territories of the United States; (3) to divide the territory in which the members of each association shall operate in the purchase and sale of wheat and other grain; (4) to fix the differential in the several grades of wheat and other

grain and the price to be paid for each grade thereof; (5) to boycott and refuse to buy from or sell to persons, firms, associations or persons or corporations not members of either one or the other of said associations; (6) to prevent grain dealers not members of a grain dealers' association from selling to members in this and other States and Territories of the United States and to prevent millers in this State from buying from such grain dealers.

That each and every member of said Texas Millers' Association and the Texas Grain Dealers' Association, including the defendants, have continuously acted upon and carried out the understanding, agreements and conspiracy aforesaid and have used means reasonably calculated to carry out the purposes aforesaid, and have done many other acts and things in furtherance of said understanding, agreement and conspiracy, in violation of the anti-trust laws of this State, enforced during the period embraced in the allegations of the petition. It is charged that the millers agreed to sell high patent flour at 50 cents per barrel more than high patent and that low grade should not sell for more than \$2 per barrel less than high patent.

It is stated that associations similar to that of the Texas millers exist in Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Colorado and Oklahoma, and that the secretaries of these associations work together and the associations act together and in harmony, helping and undertaking "to maintain the prices fixed by the several associations in their respective States." This is followed by an explanation of the joint operation, and correspondence showing how the associations work together.

Next it is charged that the Oklahoma and Texas association reached a specific understanding about Sept. 15, 1905, to do the following alleged unlawful acts:

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To prevent the sale by Oklahoma millers of any flour or other products of wheat or any products of grain within the State of Texas at a price lower than the price fixed by the Texas Millers' Association. To prevent the sale by any Oklahoma miller of flour or any product of wheat, or any product of other grain in the State of Texas, except under rules and regulations and upon terms and conditions prescribed by the Texas Millers' Association. To prevent the giving or payment of any discount or brokerage by any Oklahoma miller to any retail dealer for the products of corn and wheat in the State of Texas. To prevent the millers of Texas and the Texas Grain and Flour Company from purchasing any wheat from the farmers of Oklahoma and Indian Territory. To prevent the payment by any Texas miller and the Texas Grain and Flour Company of a price for wheat and corn in excess of the price fixed by the Oklahoma Millers' Association and the Oklahoma Export Company. To prevent competition between the millers of Oklahoma, Indian Territory and the millers of Texas in the purchase of wheat and corn and the sale of the products of wheat and corn.

It is recited that at a meeting held in Enid, Ok., Sept. 18, the Texas millers agreed not to purchase wheat in that Territory from farmers, but from the Oklahoma association or its members, or its company called the Oklahoma Export Company. That a similar agreement was entered into with the Southern Kansas Millers' Commercial Club. That on Dec. 11th, 1905, the Texas, Kansas and Oklahoma associations and subsidiary concerns met with committees from Northern and Southern Nebraska, Northern and Southern Missouri and Northern Kansas, and entered into an agreement as follows:

"That the millers belonging to these associations should refrain from buying in the markets of Kansas City and Omaha on grades made by the inspectors of these markets. That said millers refrain absolutely from buying wheat on inspectors' grades until Missouri inspectors maintain and enforce the present grade rules. That beginning with Dec. 4, 1905, and continuing for two weeks, all mills refrain from buying hard winter wheat either for prompt or deferred shipment. That every miller accept the view that the conditions promise lower wheat prices and urge that every miller widely express the faith that is in him. That these recommendations were communicated by said Ed K. Collett to the members of the Texas Millers' Association and were by these millers adopted and acted upon. That at this meeting it was further agreed and understood and the agreement and understanding has since been acted upon by the millers of the Texas Millers' Association, that when Texas millers purchased wheat in Southern Kansas they should respect the prices fixed by the Southern Kansas Millers' Association and should purchase through the American Grain and Flour Company, and that when wheat was purchased by Texas millers in the territory of

any of the other associations represented at said conference that the prices should be the prices fixed by such associations."

The Texas Millers' Association is charged with organizing and maintaining the Texas Grain and Flour Company and the Texas Grain Dealers' Association, alleged to be part of the conspiracy.

However, the subsidiary concerns are not named as defendants. The summary is the usual allegations of specific violations of the anti-trust law. A total of \$8,700,000 is asked under the act of 1899 and \$6,750,000 under act of 1903.

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LETTERS AT NEW ORLEANS

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Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 11.—S. A. Cunningham, publisher of the Confederate Veteran, the official organ of the United Confederate Veterans' association, stated today that after an investigation into the matter concerning General Grant, Admiral Farragut and General Thomas applying to Jefferson Davis for commissions in the Confederate Army, he was convinced that the statement was erroneous and he announced that the December number of the Veteran would contain a correction.

Custodian Makes Statement.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 11.—In regard to an article published in the Confederate Veteran to the effect that General U. S. Grant, George H. Thomas and Admiral Farragut had applied to President Jefferson Davis of the Confederacy for a commission immediately before the outbreak of the civil war and that their letters were in possession of the Louisiana Historical Society, Col. J. A. Chaloron, custodian of the Memorial Hall of this city, said: "Mrs. Jefferson Davis consigned several packages of letters to the care of the Hall and these will be opened only when authority is given us to do so. This authority rests with her daughter, Mrs. Hayes, of Colorado Springs. I do not know the contents of these letters nor do I know when their contents will be made public. That is all I care to say."

ON THE WRONG TRACK

A SMASHUP RESULTS.

From Friday's Daily. Last night between 7 and 8 o'clock a slight freight wreck occurred in the Denver yards, doing considerable damage to a switch track and the platform of the freight depot.

It seems that the switching crew had pulled a string of cars from the track which is nearest the freight depot, with the intention of placing them in another part of the yards, and when they had been pulled from the track the engineer was given what is known in railroad parlance as the "high ball" and started to backing the string of cars south on what he supposed was the main track, but by some means or other the switch did not throw them on the main track, but instead of that they came back on the same track from which they had been pulled. When the rear car struck the dead end of the switch track it went over the bumper and landed within two feet of the main entrance to the Wichita Cafe and was stripped of its trucks. The trucks of another box car next to it were also displaced and about 40 or 50 feet of track torn up.

Aside from this no one was hurt and little damage done. The Denver's splendidly equipped wreck train came along this morning and removed the broken cars and the section men repaired the track.

One on Bacon.

The jokesmith on the Fort Worth Telegram has hammered out some good ones on some of the postmasters who are at Fort Worth attending the postmasters' convention. The following will be appreciated here: "Otis T. Bacon of Wichita Falls is the newest postmaster at the convention. He went into office on Nov. 1, and says that he has been so busy since that time that he hasn't been able to read a single postal card."

Play at Vernon Saturday.

The high school football team will go to Vernon Saturday and will try to retrieve the defeat administered by the Vernon high school here two weeks ago. The local team has developed some new plays that are calculated to be a complete surprise to the Vernon huskies. They have also trained until they have splendid endurance and Vernon will have to put up a much harder and faster game than two weeks ago, if the locals are not to be victorious.

Don't worry over the calamities that have not yet happened. In this connection it is well to read the following motto of a New York banker: "I am now an old man and have had much trouble, much of which has never happened."

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PERSONAL MENTION

From Thursday's Daily.

W. M. Boger of Jolly was here today.

E. Putman of Weatherford is in the city on business.

John G. Gilbert is visiting his old home in Weatherford.

C. H. Clark of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

Dan O'Reilly of Oklahoma City, and brother of Miles O'Reilly, is in the city.

J. T. Williams of Dundee was attending to business matters here today.

Mrs. J. W. Stevens of Coweta, I. T., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sutton, of this city, returned to her home today.

Uncle Harve Stearns this morning arrested two young men who were stealing a ride on a freight train and took them before Justice Brothers, where they plead guilty to the charge and were fined. Both had money with which to liquidate their fines.

E. H. Chaplin, cashier at the local office of the Fort Worth and Denver, has resigned his position and will go to Frederick, Oklahoma, to take a similar position with the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, as soon as another cashier is sent here to relieve him. H. S. Hollister, formerly agent for the Fort Worth and Denver here, is already located in Frederick as agent for the new road.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mr. and Mrs. Capp Lane are visiting in Fort Worth.

W. E. Lyon of Seymour was here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cobb of Abilene were in the city today.

Henry Ford of Holliday was transacting business here today.

Mrs. C. C. Huff left today for Taylor to visit relatives and friends.

A. E. McCleskey of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

Dr. C. W. Hodge of Quanah was transacting business here today.

Mr. J. H. Huggins of Frederick, Ok., is in the city, the guest of Dr. Robert Robertson.

Mr. James Dodson of Burkburnett was in the city today attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bartles were made happy yesterday over the birth to them of a fine baby girl.

Dr. J. E. Dodson and daughter, Miss Mamie, of Vernon, were in the city today en route to Beaumont to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Anderson and little daughter returned this afternoon from Kerrville, where they had been visiting relatives for the past month.

J. H. Stipe, who arrived here yesterday, after a trip to Mena, Ark., was called back to that place today by a message announcing the serious illness of his son.

Dr. S. H. Burch of Rhineland, Mo., and C. C. Brunnenberg of Montgomery City in the same State, who have been here several days looking after their farming interests, will leave for their homes tomorrow.

Misses Flora Anderson and Sibyl Kemp left here Monday for Renner, Texas, where they go to act as bridesmaids at the wedding of one of their former school girl friends, which was scheduled to take place at noon today.

Mrs. J. W. Stone and children left this morning for Fort Worth, and will remain there for several weeks in order to place one of the children, little Robert Allen, who is suffering from a spinal trouble, under the care of a specialist.

Mr. C. E. Conners of Abilene was in the city today on his return home from Amarillo, where he had been to attend the Northwest Texas annual conference of the M. E. Church South.

Frank Brooks of North Fort Worth is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter. Frank lived here several years ago and in all probability will locate with us in the near future.

From Tuesday's Daily.

J. A. Lowry of Holliday was transacting business here today.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Barwise of Electra are visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. F. Orr of Bellevue is visiting Mrs. T. W. Scott at 1402 Scott avenue.

Mrs. J. E. Stratton has returned from a two weeks visit to friends in Dallas.

Mr. J. H. Stipes returned yesterday from Mena, Ark., where he had been on a two months visit.

Claude Woods has resigned his position with the Coleman-Lysaght-Blair wholesale grocery.

Rev. F. J. Schaefer of the Bowman neighborhood left today for San Antonio to attend the Evangelical Association.

L. H. Lawler, J. J. Lory and Rev. T. R. Bowles have returned from San Antonio, where they attended the Baptist convention.

From Monday's Daily.

Mrs. A. C. Henson of Iowa Park was in the city today.

P. E. Kerr of Chillicothe is in the city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kerr.

M. Davis of Seymour was here today on his return home from Fort Worth.

Miss Beulah Bush returned Saturday afternoon from a visit to Dallas and Gainesville.

J. G. Witherspoon of Quanah was here today en route to Fort Worth on business.

Commissioner E. A. Dale of Iowa Park is in the city attending commissioners court.

J. J. Switzer of the Citizens National Bank of Munday, was transacting business here today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Powell returned yesterday from Ennis, where they had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gardner of Jolly visited Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gardner in this city yesterday.

Mr. A. F. Kerr left this morning for Fort Worth to serve his country as a member of the Federal grand jury.

Messrs. George Knight, Sim Warren and H. D. Holley of Iowa Park were transacting business in the city today.

Miss Melissa Clark has returned from Oklahoma City, where she has been visiting for the last two months.

Messrs. Walton Norwood of Vernon and Guy Norwood of Davidson, Okla., who have been visiting relatives in this city, returned to their home today.

Ed. Suddith and wife have returned from Fort Worth and will again make this city their home. Ed. is a barber by trade and says the financial flurry has thrown over 1,000 laboring people out of work in the city of Fort Worth.

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From Saturday's Daily.

A. C. Henson of Iowa Park was here today on business.

E. Rexford of Burkburnett was transacting business here today.

M. J. Talbott of Petrolia was transacting business in the city today.

J. M. Underdown left this evening for Munday and Haskell on business.

W. B. Walker of Petrolia was attending to business in the city today.

Mrs. J. W. DuVal, after spending this week in Bowie, returned home last night.

W. A. McClellan returned last night from a business trip to Harrold and Electra.

Mrs. L. M. Boyd left today for Groesbeck, Texas, to visit her father, Mr. L. A. Stroud.

Uncle Harvey Stearns, Messrs. Joe Hamilton, Ben Smith, and Gus Stearns have returned from a week's hunt on Beaver Creek. They report a good time and lots of large and small game.



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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Huff returned this afternoon from Fort Worth, where they had been to witness an opera.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crites and Mrs. J. S. Crites of Lawton are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crites.

W. J. Kerwin, one of the oil magnates of Petrolia, was in the city today en route home from a business trip to Houston.

Mrs. H. H. Durnal of Haskell, who has been visiting the family of Mr. J. P. Jones of this city, returned to her home yesterday.

Mrs. A. E. Bulloch and family of Roby, Texas, are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Nolen. Mrs. Bulloch has purchased property here and will make this city her future home.

W. W. Hund, who came up from Corpus Christi last week to look after his farming interests here, returned to that place today. Mr. Hund is well pleased with his new location. This week he loaded up a car of corn from his farm here for shipment to Corpus Christi.

Rev. Stuckey has returned from Amarillo, where he has been a visitor at the Northwest Texas conference, to conduct the regular Sunday services at the M. E. Church. Rev. Stuckey was much impressed with the magnitude and the spirit of the conference. The conference is doing a vast amount of work and is making good progress and will probably close next Tuesday.

E. H. Ingram and family of Pelham, Georgia, arrived here yesterday. They are so well pleased that Mr. Ingram is looking for a permanent location here.

Mrs. B. C. Monpleasure, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. W. Rowling, returned to her home at Denison today.

Although the bridegroom plays an insignificant part at a wedding, it could not be pulled off to the satisfaction of the persons concerned if he failed to show up.—Chicago News.

Subscribe for the Daily Times.

From Friday's Daily.
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson of Holliday are in the city.

Mr. Phil Dunnington of Abilene is in the city meeting old friends.

W. C. Brown of Petrolia is in the city visiting his family.

R. E. Montgomery of Fort Worth was in the city today on his return home from a business trip to Canada.

W. H. Ehlinger of Henrietta was in the city today en route to Petrolia on business.

Mrs. Ed. Rock and children left today for Petrolia to visit her sister, Mrs. M. J. Talbott.

Mrs. H. P. Nichols of Petrolia, who has been visiting the family of Mr. J. T. Brooks of this city, returned to her home today.

L. A. McHenry of Lamar, Mo., is in the city. He is deputy head consul of the Modern Woodmen of America and is here in the interest of that order.

Miss Hautie Holley of Decatur, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. S. Skinner and family of this city, returned to her home today. She was accompanied by Miss Bonnie Skinner.

Mr. E. H. Ingram and family of Pelham, Ga., are expected to arrive in the city today and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fain. We are reliably informed that Mr. Ingram has sold his property in Georgia and is coming here to locate permanently.

Chattanooga Postoffice Robbed.
Lawton, Ok., Nov. 13.—Robbers broke into the postoffice at Chattanooga, a border town on the Big Pasture reservation, cracking open the safe and securing a large sum in money and stamps. The increase of postal business all over the country is the cause of so large an amount being on hand in the smaller postoffices. Sheriff Hammond and a large party of officers are in search of the yeggmen who are supposed to be professionals.

For feed and coal, see the Wichita Grain and Coal Company. d&w-t

WANTS TO STOP MOTHER-IN-LAW FROM TALKING TO HIS WIFE.

Lebanon, Ind., Nov. 14.—Anson Lohr, tired of trying to find his wife, whom he declared has been hidden by her mother, began his junction proceedings against his mother-in-law, Louisa Nicholson, today, which will prevent the mother from speaking to her daughter and force her to produce her in court. The complaint alleges alienation of affections and asks for \$5,000 damages.

To Experiment in Tillman County.

Mr. W. D. Bentley of Wichita Falls, Texas, was in town last week on business with the Commercial Club and the farmers of Tillman county. Mr. Bentley is special agent of the United States Department of Agriculture. He is making a special work on a new specimen of corn and cotton. A cotton plant that will yield more lint to the pound of seed cotton and a quality of corn especially adapted to "tight" land.

The government wishes to secure a few farmers over the county to take hold of the proposition and work five or six acres, according to instructions from the department. During the making of the crop, the special agent will pay a monthly visit to these farms and report on the progress and give further instructions.

This corn was found in Mexico and is said to be wonderfully adapted to the tight land country. It is the opportunity of a life time for some farmer to take up this proposition and help the government work out a plant that will be a good seller and then reap the harvest by selling the seed.

Mr. Bentley will be back in a short time to take up the matter further with the business men of the city.—Frederick Enterprise.

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