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April 6th will be a very busy day for Wichita Falls and Wichita county. On that day the people of the county will vote on the jail bond question and determine whether or not the county needs a new jail in order to care for in a decent manner those arrested charged with crime, and who may or may not be guilty, but pending a trial of their cases are forced to be incarcerated in a jail which has not the facilities to keep white and negro prisoners in separate departments, male or female. In the opinion of our largest taxpayers, it is cheaper and far more economical to build a new jail at a cost of \$15,000 than to repair or make additions to the old one for nearly half that amount. There is also to be an election held on April 6th for the election of a board of seven directors for the Wichita Falls school district. This is a matter that should appeal to every good citizen, more especially those who have children within the scholastic age. Our city schools are overcrowded and in order to make more room it will be necessary to purchase a site and put one, or perhaps two more school buildings. These buildings should be located with a view of accommodating the largest number of children. There will also be an election held for three aldermen. Under the new election law the candidates for these offices have to be named twenty days before the election, and as but three candidates to fill the three offices were selected within that time, there will be no contest in this election, and one vote is sufficient to elect. In addition to the three elections, by proclamation of the mayor, the 6th day of April has also been designated as "Clean-Up" Day. Nearly all business houses will close on that day and every patriotic citizen will join with his neighbor in giving the city a thorough cleaning up. If present plans do not miscarry, it will be a day long to be remembered by Wichita Falls, and the good work to be accomplished will be of lasting benefit.

Representative Ollie James of Kentucky is anxious to learn President Taft's present attitude in regard to an income tax. To this end he introduced a resolution in the house. The Associated Press says: "The resolution quotes President Taft as saying in a speech at Columbus, O., on August 16, 1907, that 'in times of great national need, however, an income tax will be of great assistance in furnishing means to carry on the government.' Mr. James refers to President Taft's tariff message, wherein it is estimated that there would be a deficit in the treasury by July 1 of \$100,000,000. The resolution asks the president if, in his opinion, the 'times of great national need' have not come, when an income tax would be of great assistance in furnishing means to carry on the government.' The president is asked, if he does so believe, to submit to congress recommendations relative to imposing a tax upon incomes 'to the end that the rich may bear their proportion of the burdens of the government.'"

It looks good to us to see our people carrying packages wrapped in paper with a local merchant's name printed on it, instead of some mail order house. It shows the right kind of spirit and a mark of wisdom. Keep it up, and when some one presents you with a mail order catalogue, use it to start fires with.—Byers Sentinel.

Right you are, Brother Kessler. There is no surer or better way to place a town on a prosperous rating than for its citizens to patronize their home merchants. Patronize home industry and home merchants is a good slogan for any town.

The appointment by Governor Campbell of ex-Senator Horace Chilton to the vacancy on the railway commission should receive the endorsement of a great majority of the people of Texas, including those who have railway interests. He is an able man, and a better selection by Governor Campbell, the whole State to pick from, would have been difficult. Mr. Chilton is now enjoying a lucrative law practice at Dallas, but has decided to accept the appointment, which was tendered unsought by him.

The Dallas Times-Herald is very strongly opposed to ex-Senator Thomas being returned from the Second district; thinks the Senate did the right and proper thing in his expulsion. But—it doesn't think very much of Mr. Doak, who is making the race against Thomas, for speaking of him it says: "The Hon. N. P. Doak of Clarksville may be a good man. He doubtless is, but as a politician he has much to learn. Mr. Doak is a candidate for the seat in the seat recently vacated by Hon. H. Bascom Thomas, who was expelled from that body. In his first speech to the voters Mr. Doak solemnly proclaimed that the senate should not have expelled Mr. Thomas and that if he (Doak) had been a member of that body he would have voted against the expulsion resolution. Mr. Doak seems to have mounded the Thomas band wagon before it had proceeded half a block. Mr. Doak's candidacy is a disappointment."

The Dallas paper must admit, though, that Mr. Doak is learning. Mr. Doak now sees his error in saying he would have voted against Thomas' expulsion. He now says he wouldn't have voted to expel Thomas, but had he been Thomas he would have resigned. A bit involved is this tardy explanation, perhaps, but it will suffice for all who intended voting against Thomas anyway. The Record and Chronicle believes Mr. Thomas' actions were absurd, if not foolish, in that he made his charges without having the evidence to back them up. But the majority of people in and out of his district believe that he had better grounds for his belief than have come to light up to now; that the next time Senator Thomas makes any charges he'll have "the goods," and that he ought to be returned to give him the chance to profit by his first mistake.—Denton Record and Chronicle.

Alfred Henry Lewis, Washington correspondent for the Denver Post, is responsible for the statement that Col. Roosevelt, just before he pulled out for Africa upon the trail of lions, made use of the following language: "Mr. Taft became upon the understanding that he would carry out my policies, and I have had every assurance that he would do so. Should he fail, I will find a candidate against him in 1912 and," here the ex-president is reported to have tapped his shirt bosom as identifying the man—"I will be the candidate." It was one of Mr. Roosevelt's policies to distribute Federal..... in the Southern States without consulting democratic congressmen and senators in regard to those appointments. This would indicate that Mr. Taft, if he ever made any promise to carry out Roosevelt's policies, has determined to adopt a policy of his own, which means that he is to be opposed by Mr. Roosevelt in 1912, should he offer for a second term.

Did you see those movers from Wichita Falls Saturday? They were here and they said they had all of the West they wanted. They talked freely and said there was nothing doing out that way, while this country was looking good to them. When asked if they wanted to rent land they said they were fixed, but if anybody wanted to rent land they could find all the renters they wanted in Dallas and Fort Worth, as those two cities were full of folks who were wanting land and they were from the west. Take the cue, Boosters, and boost your lands. A small ad in the big papers of the State will bring the people, they said.—Bonham News.

If the movers were from Wichita Falls their reason for going away must have been for the very good reason that they could not obtain a house to live in. The only trouble with Wichita Falls and Wichita county is that we can't build houses fast enough to accommodate the people who are coming in and occasionally a family is forced to go to other towns and counties, where there are lots of vacant land and farms without tenants.

The adherents of the fewer and better laws idea in Texas are citing the Legislature to the example of the Missouri Legislature as being entitled to all the prizes, the belt, the loving cup, the blue ribbon and all the gate receipts. The Missouri solons have been in session since the first week in January and up to the end of last week are said to have actually permitted a bill to reach its third reading. Oh, what an excellent opportunity for another circular letter from the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.

Hon. Cone Johnson practically admits that he would accept a nomination for governor of Texas, if tendered him, and there are those who believe that Mr. Johnson will make a canvass for the honor. In the event he becomes a candidate, the campaign will not by any means be a tame affair, as the probability is that both the Bailey matter and State-wide prohibition will be injected into the fight.

The people are falling into line in good shape in co-operating in the Clean-Up Day movement and from present indications Wichita Falls will get the most thorough cleaning, scrubbing and renovating that ever any town had.

The question of the hour is "Have you joined the 'Spotless Town' workers?"

WHERE SHALL WE BUILD HIGH SCHOOL?

SCHOOL BOARD ASKS ADVICE OF PATRONS ON IMPORTANT MATTER.

QUESTION IS URGENT ONE

Increasing Scholastic Population May Make Two Buildings a Necessity.

Editor Times:—The school board at their meeting on yesterday instructed me to submit through the columns of your paper for the earnest consideration of the people some things that we deem important in reference to the public schools for another year.

By a special act of the legislature, just passed, an independent district is organized according to the metes and bounds of the old original district. All past acts are validated and we are now on solid ground and ready to look to the future.

The time has come when we need and must have a modern high school building in this city. We want a building centrally located, large enough to meet our requirements for the future and one that will be a credit to the community. Where will be built it is the question. Some think our present Tenth street grounds the proper place, while others say this is too near the business district and that the ground is no large enough. The size of this property is 150 feet square. Shall we sell this property and purchase ground somewhere else? Shall we build on the ground where the Tenth street school now stands, or shall we use the property we now have, as we are at present and buy a new location outright for the high school? Is there any one who is willing to trade good property well located and of suitable size for our Tenth street grounds?

Our schools are very much overcrowded now and if the scholastic census shows the increase that we think it will we may need two buildings next year. If the high school building is placed on the Tenth street grounds, lots could be bought elsewhere and the building that is now there moved on the same and used as a ward school. And again, the brick building at Thirtieth street needs considerable overhauling. It needs new floors in some rooms and metal ceilings and new furniture in others, besides other repairs. It will take considerable money to do all these things. If a new location is purchased for the high school, it will be necessary, we think, to issue bonds for \$50,000 or \$60,000 to properly do all the work required.

There is no time to lose and if new buildings are to be erected in time for next year (and we are bound to have at least one) we must get to work at once.

The present school board, and I am sure their successors who are to be elected on April 6th, would like to have suggestions and advice on all these matters from the people of the district. These are problems that are worthy of the careful consideration of every citizen. We are all vitally interested in good schools and to meet conditions we must act now.

We earnestly ask every patron of the schools to give us their views through the press or otherwise on these matters as we are anxious to meet the wishes of the people of the district. There is no time to lose? What shall we do? Where shall we build and equip the high school? Very truly,

W. J. BULLOCK,
Secretary School Board.

The citizens of Abilene realize the advantage of having located the West Texas Baptist Sanitarium in that city and have already raised about \$25,000 to secure the location of that institution. It appears that Wichita Falls has overlooked this proposition. Is it too late to take up this matter?

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MANY WISH TO SPEAK ON PAYNE TARIFF MEASURE.
Washington, D. C., Mar. 31.—While the senate was not in session today, the house will continue its discussion of the Payne tariff bill. Notwithstanding the number who have already spoken on the measure, there are many on the chairman's list who desire recognition.

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- 3 lb. cans, White Wax beans.....17 1/2c
- 2 lb. cans, Okra.....15c
- 3 lb. cans Spinch.....25c

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HEAVY SNOWFALL IN THE PANHANDLE

MONTH OF MARCH GOES OUT AFTER ITS PROVERBIAL FASHION.

FALL HEAVIEST OF YEAR

Ten Inches Reported at Childress. Snow at Amarillo Prevents Bryan Demonstration.

The month of March came in like a goat with chin whiskers, and is going out like the proverbial roaring lion.

Reports from along the Fort Worth & Denver received this morning indicate that snow is falling all the way from Amarillo to the Wichita county line.

handle has been covered by rain and snow during the past twenty-four hours and the precipitation has been the heaviest during the past five months. The temperature took a decided drop in Wichita Falls and a cold rain fell intermittently during the morning.

The weather forecast indicates a lower temperature tonight which may be followed by rain tomorrow.

Ten inches at Childress. Childress, Tex., Mar. 31.—The snow-fall today is the heaviest of the year. The snow covers the ground to a depth of ten inches and is still falling. Matador reported six inches of snow this morning. Livestock is not suffering. Railroad traffic is not crippled.

Storm Prevents Demonstration for W. J. Bryan.

Amarillo, Tex., Mar. 31.—On account of the heavy snow storm today, the public demonstration in honor of William Jennings Bryan was impossible. Many visitors have arrived in the city today to hear the Nebraskan.

Startling Contrasts of the Administrations of Taft and Roosevelt

- HOW THEY DIFFER.
- ◆ **Roosevelt.**
 - ◆ Preached against race suicide.
 - ◆ Disposed of fifty callers a minute.
 - ◆ Wrote the longest and most numerous messages on record.
 - ◆ Used the "referee" system in appointments.
 - ◆ Likes to kill big game.
 - ◆ Favorite pastime—tennis.
 - ◆ Favorite means of transportation—horses.
 - ◆ Favorite adjective—strenuous.
 - ◆ **Taft.**
 - ◆ Praises "old maids."
 - ◆ When rushed, gets rid of twenty-five callers a minute.
 - ◆ Has written only one message thus far—340 words.
 - ◆ Abandoned the "referee" system in appointments.
 - ◆ Never even shot a squirrel.
 - ◆ Favorite pastime—golf.
 - ◆ Favorite means of transportation—automobiles.
 - ◆ Favorite adjective—peaceful.

Washington, D. C., April 1.—Although the Taft administration is not yet a month old, its startling contrasts to the Roosevelt regime are already sticking out like burrs on a chestnut.

In everything that President Taft does, whether in the line of work or play, politics or religion, exercise of brain or exercise of body, he is the absolute antithesis of the man who is now on the high seas bound for the Dark Continent. The very trip Mr. Roosevelt is taking is typical of the differences between the two men. Not by the wildest stretch of the imagination could anyone conceive of President Taft forsaking the comforts of civilization for an invasion of the African jungle. Moreover, it is doubtful if Mr. Taft ever killed a living creature knowingly; certainly he has not hunted for many years, and if he indulged in squirrel shooting or muskrat trapping in his younger days, his oldest friends have forgotten the fact.

The Roosevelt household goods were scarcely out of the White House before the attaches of the establishment realized that the "old home isn't like it used to be." The blue-coated police officers at the front door of the mansion disappeared, and two tall, chocolate colored negro butlers, with white shirt bosoms and gray vests, took their places. The white man at the door of the secretary to the president also vanished to make way for a colored man. The stable housing the jumpers, pacers and gallopers provided for President Roosevelt's use was transformed into a garage and two magnificent automobiles replaced the carriages that had conveyed the White House family from place to place about the capital. President Roosevelt never acquired a liking for devil wagons; President Taft fell in love with them on the first whirl.

From the first day of the administration the manner of handling visitors at the White House underwent a change. The strenuous gave way to the peaceful. Roosevelt shot his handshakers through at the rate of fifty a minute. Taft, when rushed, disposes of twenty or twenty-five. To hurry his business visitors out Roosevelt would invite half a dozen senators or congressmen into his office and in a loud tone of voice would discuss the matters of appointing this or that man to this or that job. The statesmen who had expected to buttonhole the president in a corner and "pull off something on the quiet" were glad to get through the conversation in a jiffy, for every other man in the room was sure to go out and tell about it. This expedited things wonderfully, but it hurt the dignity of the lawmakers. That's one reason why so many senators and representatives carried paving blocks in their pockets for Mr. Roosevelt.

When President Taft makes an engagement to meet a senator of a congressman, he gives him the time that his business seems to justify, and he does not invite a crowd in to participate in the conference. Neither does he jump up from his seat, as Roosevelt frequently did, before his mission and exclaim cordially, "I am so glad that you called; be sure and come and see me again." The Roosevelt hand would be outstretched as he spoke the words, and the visitor would find his shoes on the mat outside the door before he was able to repeat his own name.

Of course, the Taft method has its drawbacks. It means more hard work, more hours of work for the president. It means that scores of men who call at the White House do not see the president, after all. But those who do get in go away with a warmer regard for the man at the helm. They believe that the president has taken their stories to heart, and feel that he has, in a measure, assumed part of their burdens. Even if he has not been able to grant their requests, he has, at any rate, assured them of his friendliness. In this, Mr. Taft resembles the late President McKinley. He has, also, many of McKinley's mannerisms, and, like the martyred executive, will undoubtedly go down in history as a "placator"—a president who smoothed things with oil rather than the ax.

President Taft has announced that he will abandon the "referee" system in the South. He will allow the congressmen and senators some say-so in the selection of Federal officials even though they be of the opposite political party. Mr. Roosevelt's appointments were made upon the recommendation of a small coterie of Southern republicans, many of whom were not in good odor with the best people of Dixie and whose selections were often obnoxious to Southern sentiment.

Neither will President Taft make so many "personal appointments" as his predecessor. It has been the custom for more years than the oldest politician can remember, for the president of the United States occasionally to send a nomination to the senate and request that it be confirmed on "personal" grounds. Until Mr. Roosevelt's hand grasped the tiller these personal appointments were few and far between, for few executives ever abused the privilege. But he handed in so many of this kind that senators and congressmen made serious complaint. Every Rough Rider that wanted a job, every cowboy that had ever rounded up cattle with the president in the Bad Lands, every odd character that the president had even hunted with, camped with or ridden with was provided with a place. If any were missed it was because they did not apply for a job.

In the matter of messages to congress, no two men could be more widely different. Roosevelt wrote them, apparently, morning, noon and night. They ran a perfect stream of words from the White House to Capitol Hill, and were upon every subject under the sun. Matrimony, art, war, science, simplified spelling, In-God-We-Trust on the coins, the raising of babies and the raising of diversified trouble were all meat for the something-doing-every-minute president, and he kept the world busy thinking and talking about him for seven and a half years. Presidential messages were the longest on record, as well as the most numerous, under the Roosevelt regime, and if present indications may be taken as a promise for the future, those of the present administration will be the shortest and most seldom. The only one that has been sent to congress by Taft thus far was that sent to the opening of the present extraordinary session of congress. It contained just 340 words.

Roosevelt "batted" into every line of human endeavor; Taft is not inclined to worry with problems that do not concern him or his work. Roosevelt gloried in fierce physical exercise, whether with the boxing gloves, single sticks, horses or tennis racquets; Taft rides a little to keep down his flesh and plays an occasional game of golf to make his blood flow freely. Roosevelt selected certain administration newspapers in which he put out "feelers" to test the pulse of the country; Taft treats all newspaper men alike and does not "play favorites." Roosevelt preached against "race suicide" and praised the fathers and mothers of large families as the most desirable citizens; Taft believes that there is something better than the mere numerical propagation of the race, and not very long ago emphasized his views by pointing out the good that "old maids" may accomplish in the world. But, after all, both are great big, able-bodied, full-blooded, virile Americans. Each handles the problems before him in his own way. Roosevelt made good with the people, and Taft gives promise of doing likewise.

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Personal Mention.

From Friday's Daily. Seth Mayfield of Fort Worth is here today on business.

J. S. Smith returned this afternoon from a business trip to Fort Worth. Rev. Able, the Mission pastor, is quite sick at his rooms over Kerr & Harsh's.

Miss Mary Ruth Ingram left this morning for a visit with relatives at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Milton Erwin left this afternoon for Denison to visit her sister, Mrs. A. L. Ford.

J. W. Scott, a prosperous farmer from Burk Burnett, was transacting business here today.

Wilbur Smith of Battleground, Mich., is in the city today, the guest of his friend, E. B. Gorsline.

Kit Cowan returned this afternoon from Fort Worth, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. M. E. Cowan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Coley of Pittsfield, Illinois, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Anderson near this city.

M. Stauder, a popular hardware salesman out of Fort Worth, is in the city looking after business interests.

Misses Kate Haynes and Lena Phillips left today for Fort Worth to attend the State Sunday School Association.

Mrs. Tom Howard of Mineral Wells, who has been visiting Mrs. M. H. Barwise of this city for the past week, returned home today.

W. F. Jourdan returned last night from Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he had been to visit his brother, who is dangerously ill in that city.

R. J. Harris, a business man of Frederick, Oklahoma, was in the city today en route to Seymour. His daughter, Miss May, who is attending St. Mary's academy in this city, accompanied him.

Mrs. Marie Allen, proprietress of the St. Charles hotel, has purchased seven lots in Lakewood addition and will erect neat cottages and make other improvements on same in the near future.

E. W. Warrs of the Jolly neighborhood, was in town today, arranging to leave with his family tomorrow for Lobelville, Tennessee, where they intend to be located for the next six months.

From Saturday's Daily. J. S. Schultz of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

Dr. C. C. Young left this afternoon for his ranch near Holliday.

J. P. Jones returned last night from a business trip to Little Rock, Arkansas.

Mrs. Lon Bennett of Memphis, Texas, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. M. H. Barwise and family.

E. A. McCleskey and C. H. Clark, two of Iowa Park's enterprising citizens, were here on business today.

Mesdames A. E. Anderson and F. A. Cox returned this afternoon from the State Sunday School convention at Ft. Worth.

Judge S. C. Walker and children and his mother-in-law, Mrs. A. W. Giddings of Archer City, were visitors in the city today.

J. M. Bryant, O. C. Carey and Joseph W. Stephenson of the Thornberry

Methodist Ladies

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neighborhood, were transacting business here today.

Mrs. J. A. Mapes, formerly of this city, but now of Mena, Arkansas, is in the city visiting friends and looking after business matters.

Mrs. A. E. Stephens and little son left this afternoon to spend Sunday with Mr. Stephens, who, for the present, is located in Childress.

Mrs. Craig Boyd left this afternoon for Odessa, Texas, to join Mr. Boyd in their new home. The best wishes of their friends here follow them.

H. P. Bailey of Frederick, Oklahoma, is in the city visiting his uncle, J. H. McIntyre, on his return from a prospecting trip to Corpus Christi.

Capt. and Mrs. W. M. Olden of the Volunteers of America, were called to Enid, Oklahoma, today, by a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Olden's mother.

R. H. Kent and wife of Boyd, Texas, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Balch and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moore, near Burk Burnett, were in the city today en route home.

E. E. Sanders, car accountant for the Northwestern Railway Company in this city, left this afternoon for Stamford to spend Sunday with his wife, who is visiting in that city.

From Monday's Daily. J. A. Burton is confined to his home with sickness this week.

Mrs. F. M. Kell of Harrison, Oklahoma, is in the city visiting friends.

Rev. T. J. Beckham of Bonham passed

ed through the city today en route to Seymour.

John Doyle, a well to do farmer of near Charle, was transacting business here today.

J. W. Parkey, one of Dundee's trust-worthy citizens, was transacting business here today.

J. W. Blackstock and W. A. Harbin, two enterprising citizens of Petrolia, were in the city today on business.

Mrs. E. D. Kelley and children of Hillsboro arrived in the city this afternoon on a visit to Mrs. Kelley's brother, N. W. Self, and family.

Mrs. Lon Bennett and little son of Memphis, Texas, who have been in the city, the guests of Mrs. M. H. Barwise, and family, left this afternoon to visit friends in Seymour.

From Tuesday's Daily. T. H. Kemp of Olney was in the city today.

Monti Hart of Archer City was here today on business.

Sim Warren of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

Dr. J. C. A. Guest and wife returned last night after a visit at Altus, Okla.

Mayor T. B. Noble returned this afternoon from a business trip to Houston.

T. H. Marberry, a prominent citizen of Henrietta, is here today transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Culver are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Cook.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Boggess are the parents of a fine baby girl, born to them on the 26th.

Sidney Webb, a capitalist of Bellevue, was in the city today en route to his ranch in Archer county.

W. J. Haynes returned this afternoon from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. A. R. Lewis was in the city today en route to her home at Ryan Oklahoma, after a visit with relatives at Randlett.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Coley of Pittsfield, Illinois, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Anderson, left for their home this morning.

Rev. A. J. Bush returned today from Colorado City, where he had been in attendance upon the district convention of the Christian church.

From Wednesday's Daily. Attorney J. H. Barwise of Fort Worth is in the city visiting relatives.

O. T. Anderson of Olney is in the city, the guest of his brother, G. D. Anderson.

Dr. Edwards, a prominent citizen of Henrietta, was transacting business here today.

J. S. Crites of Lawton, Oklahoma, is in the city visiting his son, A. B. Crites, and family.

A. H. Bevering of Henrietta was in the city today en route to his ranch near Charle.

Billy Sutherland, one of Petrolia's enterprising citizens, was transacting business here today.

Miss Mary Ruth Ingram who has been visiting relatives in Fort Worth returned home last night.

P. E. Davidson, traveling salesman for the King Candy Company of Fort Worth, was here today calling on his trade.

Guy Norwood, one of the leading business men of Davidson, Oklahoma, who has been visiting relatives in this city, returned home this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Worthington of Terrell arrived in the city this afternoon and are the guests of their son-in-law, Judge C. B. Felder, and family.

Mrs. M. F. Yeager and children left this morning for Corstena, at which place they will visit for several days and from there will go to Gatesville to visit Mrs. Yeager's mother.

J. H. Burnett, manager of the Wichita Falls Creamery spent Tuesday at Byers where arrangements were made to establish a milk shipping station. A number of farmers in that section have become interested in the project.

From Thursday's Daily. Postmaster David Rodgers of Jolly was a visitor in the city today.

Dr. R. L. Miller made a professional

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