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In answer to the egomplaint of the railroads in Texas that the railroad commission is about to confiscate their property by reason of the enforcement of the reduced rates made by the commission, Hon. O. B. Celquitt recently addressed a letter to friends giving a synopsis of the data concerning several railroads operating in the

The following concerning the Fort Worth and Deaver City railroad will be of interest to our readers:

"The Fort Worth and Denver City Railway company's earnings, after paying cost of operation, capitalized at ted. per cent, was equal to that rate of interest on \$82,124 per mile. Its stocks and bonds combined outstanding amount to \$38,646 per mile, and its average earnings for the last eight years is equal to 4 per cent on \$28,720 per mile, 5 per cent on \$30,796 pe: mile, or 8 per cent on \$25,813 per mile. The commission's estimate of the cost of reproducing this property new is \$12.708; and I dare to express the opinion that the road could be constructed at this time in as good condition as it exists today at the estimated cost made by the commission. The earnings of this road for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906, were more than 25 per cent on the money that it would now take to build tire road."

Rain Prévents Game.

The second game of the series be tween Wichita and Stamford at the latter place had to be called off yesterday afternoon on account of rain. The rains have been general in the section about Stamford and there is some doubt as to whether the rain will not prevent the game this af

If you intend making a change for next month, you cannot do better than come to us. Make us prove it. Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman. Phone 232.

Better than some-none betterpork and beans, at King & White's. THE NEW LIQUOR LAW.

Retail Laur License Raised on All Classes of Intoxicants.

The Baskin-McGregor saloon regulation law goes into effect on July 11, and the Times presents herewith some of the most salient points in the new law for the information of its readers and the public generally. Following! are some of the main points in the law:

Retail liquor license raised from \$600 to \$750; beer license raised to \$125.

License forfeited for selling to minors and allowing them to enter sa-

License forfeited for permitting any games to be played on retailers' premises, including cards, dice, dominoes, billiards, pool, etc.

License forfeited for selling to lewd women or allowing them to enter a saloon, with other penalties.

License forfeited in case of trans-

Any person desiring liquor or malt license shall first make application, under oath, to the controller of the state. Then he shall file a petition with the county judge, setting forth that he has been a resident in such county for two years and has complied with preliminary statutes of this law, and if the place of business he wishes to locate in be in any block or square where there are more bona fide residences than business houses, or in any block where there is a church or school, then said petition shall be accompanied by the written consent of a majority of such property owners.

The saloons shall close at 12 o'clock at night and remain closed until 5 o'clock in the morning during week days, and from 12 o'clock Saturday The QUALITY AND ASnight till 5 o'clock Monday morning. penalty for violating this clause is not less than \$25 or more than \$300 fine or imprisonment in the county jail for not more than three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and, in addition, upon a complaint of county attorney, the license of said dealer may be forfelted.

A bond of \$5,000 shall be given for liquor license, said bondsmen to be held responsible for the good conduct of the proprietor.

No screens or devices allowed to obstruct the view of the inside of the saloon from the outside.

No music, loud or boisterous talking, velling or indecent language, or any other noise calculated to disturb or annoy any person in the neighborhood of said saloon shall be permit-

No obscene pictures.

No license shall be issued to any person to do business as a retailer in any house or building used for the purpose of prostitution, or a house of assignation, or a gambling house, and any retailer selling to such house shall forfeit his license.

Imprisonment in the county jail for not more than twelve months, or a fine not exceeding \$500, or both imprisonment and fine, for employing any female as servant, bartender or waitress other than a member of the family of the saloon keeper.

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell intoxicating drinks at any place where people have assembled for worship, or for educational purposes, or at any election precinct on election day; penalty not less than \$50, nor more than \$200 fine, or six months in county jail, or both.

Looking for Stockdale.

Sheriff Davis and Marshal Gwinn left for Eschiti yesterday afternoon in search of Stockdale, the escaped prisoner who got away from his captors at Burkburnett Sunday night. Stosckdale is known to have crossed 39-tf the Red River and is believed to be in hiding near Eschiti or Kell.

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[Those having friends or relatives visiting in or out of the city will con fer a favor by reporting same to the Times. Phone-Office, 167, Residence 111.—Editor.]

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Wicita Falls, Texas, July 10th, 1907

Wichita Falls has passed the stage in her history where a crop failure in the surrounding territory means business stagnation and a backward movement,

This was evidenced in the earlier part of the season, when the crop prospects were never more gloomy. Despite the discouraging outlook, the town pushed ahead steadily and increased in population wonderfully, and this discouraging period saw one of the greatest growths in the history of the town. The Times is not attempting to depreciate the influence a good crop has upon the business of the town, but wishes simply to emphasize the fact that a crop failure no longer means business stagnation With a big-wheat crop in this section, the business done here would have been much greater than it is now We are glad that those optimists, who never faltered on account of the unfavorable outlook earlier in the year, have had their anticipations fulfilled by a gracious Providence, and that after all, the season promises to end with the harvest of one of the most profitable crops in the history of this section.

Thomson Dies From Wounds.

Jourdan Thomson, the negro who was shot several nights ago by Pat Lewis, another negro, for being too intimate with Lewis' wife, died at 6 e'clock this morning, as the result of the gunshot wound inflicted by Lewis. The negress, Lewis' wife, in whose company. Thomson was when shot, and who also received a part of the load of buckshot, is reported in a serious condition and may die. Lewis is believed to have escaped into Oklahoma.

To the People of Wichita Falls;

I am managing a plumbing shop here for my boys. I know where all the mains and cutoffs are and can save you money on your plumbing and pipefitting. Respectfully,

J. L. MOORE, The Plumber.

Sheriff Davis and Marshall Gwinn returned this morning after an unsuccessful quest in Oklahoma for Stockdale, one of the prisoners who escaped from the county jail several nights ago.

Our coffees are giving satisfaction if yours are not. Try ours. King & White.

AUTOS MUST REGISTER.

Requires all Automobiles to Regal-

Owners of automobiles must register with the county clerk after July 12, as, on that date, House bill No. 93, introduced by Mr. Ridgway and passed by the last Legislature, becomes effective.

Sec. 1 of said bill provides that "all owners of automobiles or motor ve hicles shall, before using such ve hicles or machines on the public roads, streets or driveways, register with the county clerk of the county in which he resides. As owner, each name shall be registered by the county clerk in consecutive order in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall be numbered in the order of their regsuch owner or owners to display in a conspicuous place on said machine the number so registered, which numbers shall be in figures not less than six inches in height. The county clerk shall be paid by such owner or owners a fee of 50c for each manchine reg-

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Texas Five Million Club Boosters Stop Here on Their Way to the Pacific.

From Dallas to the Pacific coast by way of Denver in an automobile is the feat undertaken by Dr. H. D. Rucker of Dallas, who is accompanied by Tom Hogan, a wholesale druggist of Lafayette, Ind. These two gentlemen with their chaffeur and another at tendant, arrived in Wichita Falls yes terday afternoon and stopped here over night, intending to leave this morning for Vernon.. Their car, a four cylinder Rambel, was housed at the Wills automobile garage and attracted considerable attention on the streets yesterday evening.

From this city the tourists will g covered with appropriate banners and by way of Vernon to Plainview and will stop at Dr. Rucker's ranch near Hereford before proceding to Denver.

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NEW COUNTY ATTORNEY.

Charles C. Huff Resigns and T Greenwood is Appointed.

At a called session of the board of county commissioners this afternoon C. C. Huff tendered his resignation to take effect before July 11th. His resignation was accepted and T. B. Greenwood, a rising young attorney of this city, was appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Huff, who has also been acting for J. T. Montgomery as corporation attorney in the city of Wichita Falls,

Greenwood will take Mr. Huff's place as corporation attorney. Mr. Huff, who is attorney for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad, and is the legal adviser of other corporate interests, felt that be could not give the attention to the county's business demanded by the new law and for this reason tendered his res-

has resigned from that office and Mr.

His successor, Mr. Greenwood, is young man well known here, where he has lived and his appointment meets with general satisfaction. Mr. Green wood's office will be located over the Farmers' National bank.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 625 F. & A. M., will confer the Master's degree on Thursday night. J. D. AVIS, W. M.

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A movement has been started toward the organization of a Hoosier club in Wichita Falls, the membership to be made up of Indianians who are now located in this city. There is a large number of former Indiana people who are now living here.

New Bank at Byers.

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Directions for preparing on can. 30c

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lickle your husband by making him some good old-fashioned pumpkin pies. Price per (3lb) 15c Tomatoes

Fine, red, ripe tomatoes, packed solid in can. Price per (2lb) 12c

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RHODES SCHOLARSHIP APPOINT

Listof Southern Students Who Will Go to Oxford. By Associated Press. Berkley, Cal., July 10.-Among the

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arst wife of King William III, of Holjamin Ide Wheeler of the University land, was too great a friend of Emof California, are the following from genie and of France generally to take Lindly to Bismarck. Before the big war of 1870 and probably some time after the Luxembourg squabble there was an international exhibition in Amsterdam, which the queen visited. She was conducted over the whole place by the committee, and as they came to a certain section one of the members said, "Now your majesty will see the greatest enemy of Germany." "Ah. Bismarck!" she cried, with some glee. The members stood aghast and never repeated this rash exclamation. The "greatest enemy" he had to exhibit was not, of course, Bismarck at all. but only a very much enlarged reproduction of either the phylloxesa or the

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chall have nothing to worry you, no sign in the worl'. I am assassinate my poor mustachio—also serve this horrible peruke and emerge in my own hair. Behol': He swept the heavy, curled mass from his head as he spoke, and his hair, and under the great wig, fell to his shoulders and sparkled yellow in the state light. He tossed his head to shake the hair back from his cheeks. "The ait is dress', I am transform'. Nobody can know me. You shall observe. See how little I ask of you—how very little bit. No one shall reco'nize 'M. Beaucaire' or 'Victor.' Ha, ha! 'Tis all arrange'. You have nothing to fear."

"Curse you," said the duke, "do you think I'm going to be saddled with you wherever I go as long as you choose?"

"A mistake. No. All I requir'—all I beg—is this one evening."Tis all shall be necessary. After, I shall not need monsieur."

"Take heed to yourself-after!" vouchsafed the Englishman be-

"Conquered!" cried M. Beaucaire and clapped his hands gleefully. "Conquered for the night! Aha, it is riz'nable! I shall meet what you send—after. One cannot hope too much of your patience. It is but natural you should attemp' a little avengement for the rascal trap I was such a wicked fellow as to set for you. I shall meet some strange frien's of yours after tonight. Not so? I must try to be not too much frighten'." He looked at the duke curiously. "You want to know vhy I create this tragedy, why I am so unkind as to entrap monsieur?"

His grace of Winterset replied with a chill glance. A pulse in the nobleman's cheek beat less relentlessly. His eye raged not so bitterly. The steady purple of his own color was returning. His voice was less hoarse. He was regaining his habit. "Tis ever the manner of the vulgar," he observed, "to wish to be seen with people of fashion."

"Oh, no, no, no!" The Frenchman laughed. "Tis not that. Am I not already one of these 'men of fashion? I lack only the reputation of birth. Monsieur is goin' supply that. Ha, ha! I shall be noble from tonight. 'Viotor,' the artis', is condemn' to death. His throat shall be cut with his own razor. 'M. Peaucaire'"— Here the young man sprang to his feet, caught up the black wig, clapped into it a dice box from the table and hurled it violently through the open door. "'M. Beaucaire' shall be choke' with his own dice box. Who is the Phoenix to remain? What advantage have I not over other men of rank who are merely born to it? I may choose my own. No! Choose for me, monsieur. Shall I be chevalier, comte, vicomte, marquis—what? None. Out of compliment to monsieur can I wish to be anything he is not? No, no! I shall be M. le Duc, M. le Duc de—de Chateaurien. Ha, ha! You see? You are my confrere."

M. Beaucaire trod a dainty step or two, waving his hand politely to the duke, as though in invitation to join the celebration of his rank.



"M. BEAUCAIRE SHALL BE CHOKE WITH HIS OWN DICE BOX.

The Englishman watched, his eye still and harsh, already gathering in craftiness. Beaucaire stopped suddenly. "But how I forget my age! I am twenty-three," he said, with a sigh. "I rejoice too much to be of the quality. It has been too great for me, and I had always belief' myself free of such ambition. I thought it was enough to behol' the opera without wishing to sing; but no, England have teach' me I have those vulgar desire'. Monsieur, I am goin' tell you a secret. The ladies of your country are very diff'runt than ours. One may adore the demoiselle, one must worship the lady of England. Our ladies have the—it is the beauty of youth. Yours remain comely at thirty. Ours are flowers. Yours are stare! See, I betray myself, I am so poor a patriot. And there is one among these stars—ah, yes, there is one—the poor Frenchman has observe' from his humble distance. Even there he could bear in the glowing!" Ecaucaire

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The National Stock Company.

The above strong dramatic organization, which has been having a most successful tour of Texas, will appear in Wichita Falls Thursday, July 11th, presenting the beautiful four-act drama entitled "Why He Deceived Her." The company carries in addition to the regular dramatic performances several high class vaudeville ar tists, also man ypictures and illustrated songs. Specialties are given between every act, making a continuous performance from start to finish. The company aso carries a band an orchestra. Free band concerts given at 12 and 7 o'clock daily. Popular prices prevail. Show on lots corner 9th and Indiana avenue.

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turned to the window and looked out into the dark. He did not see the lights of the town. When he turned again he had half forgotten his prisoner. Other pictures were before him.

"Ah, what radiance!" he cried. "Those people up over the sky, they want to show they wish the earth to be happy, so they smile and make this lady. Gold haired, an angel of heaven, and yet a Diana of the chase! I see her fly by me on her great horse one day. She touch his mane with her fingers. I buy that clipping from the groom. I have it here with my dear brother's picture. Ah, you! Oh, yes, you laugh! What do you know? 'Twas all I could get. But I have heard of the endeavor of M. le Duc to recoup his fortunes. This alliance shall fail. It is not the way—that heritage shall be safe' from him! It is you and me, monsieur! You can laugh! The war is open', and by me! There is one great step taken. Until tonight there was nothing for you to ruin. Tomorrow you have got a noble of France—your own protege—to besiege and sack. And you are to lose, because you think such ruin easy and because you understand nothing-far less of divinity. How could you know? You have not the fiber. The heart of a lady is a blank to you. You know nothing of the vibration. There are some words that were made only to tell of Lady Mary, for her alone-bellissima, divine, glorieuse! Ah, how I have watch' her! It is sad to me when I see her surround' by your yo'ng captains, your nobles, your rattles, your beaux-ha, ha!and I mus' hol' far aloof. It is sad for me, but oh, jus' to watch her and to wonder! Strange it is, but I have almos' cry out with rapture at a look I have see' her give another man, so beautiful it was, so tender, so dazzling of the eyes and so mirthful of the lips. Ah, divine coquetry! A look for another, ah-i-me, for many others! and even to you one day a rose, while I-I, monsieur, could not even be so blessed as to be the groun' beneath her little shoe! But tonight, monsieur ha, ha! tonight, monsieur, you and me, two princes, M. le Duc de Winterset and M. le Duc de Chateaurien-ha, ha! You see? We are goin' arm in arm to that ball, and I am goin' have one of those looks-I! And a rose! I! It is time. But ten minute', monsieur. I make my apology to keep you waitin' so long while I go in the nex' room and execute my poor mustachio that will be my only murder for jus' this one evening—and inves' myself in white satin. Ha, ha! I shall be very gran', monsieur. Francois, send Louis to me. Victor, to order two chairs for monsieur and me. We are goin' out in the worl' tonight!"

CHAPTER II.



HE chairmen swarmed in the street at Lady Malbourne's door, where the joyous vulgar fought with muddled footmen and tipsy link boys for places of vantage whence to catch a glimpse of quality and of raiment at its utmost. Dawn was in the east, and the guests were departing. Singly or in pairs, glittering in finery, they came mincing down the steps,

the ghost of the night's smirk fading to jadedness as they sought the dark recesses of their chairs. From within sounded the twang of fiddles still swinging manfully at it, and the windows were bright with the light of many candles. When the door was flung open to call the chair of Lady Mary Carlisle there was an eager pressure of the throng to see.

A small, fair gentleman in white satin came out upon the steps, turned and bowed before a lady who appeared in the doorway, a lady whose royal loveliness was given to view for a moment in that glowing frame. The crowd sent up a hearty English cheer for the beauty of

The gentleman smiled upon them delightedly. "What enchanting people!" he cried. "Why did I not know, so I might have shout' with them?" The lady noticed the people not at all. Whereat, being pleased, the people cheered again. The gentleman offered her his hand. She made a slow courtesy; placed the tips of her fingers upon his own. "I am honored, M. de Chateaurien," she said.

"No, no!" he cried earnestly. "Behol' a poor Frenchman whom emperors should envy." Then reverently and with the pride of higallant office vibrant in every line of his light figure, invested in white satin and very grand, as he had prophesied, M. le Duc de Chateauriez handed Lady Mary Carlisle down the steps, an achievement which had figured in the ambitions of seven other gentlemen during the evening.

"Am I to be lef' in such onhappiness?" he said in a low voice. "That rose I have beg' for so long"-

"Never!" said Lady Mary.

"Ah, I do not deserve it, I know so well! But"-

"Never!"

"It is the greatness of my onworthiness that alone can claim your charity. Let your kin' heart give this little red rose, this great alms, to the poor beggar."

"Never!"

She was seated in the chair. "Ah, give the rose," he whispered. Her beauty shone dazzlingly on him out of the dimness.

"Never!" she flashed defiantly as she was closed in. "Never!"

"Ah!"

"Never!"

The rose fell at his feet.

"A rose lasts till morning," said a voice behind hum.

Turning, M. de Chateaurien looked beamingly upon the face of

the Duke of Winterset. "Tis already the daylight," he replied, pointing to the east. "Monsieur, was it not enough honor for you to han' out madame, the aunt of Lady Mary? Lady Rellerton retain' much trace of beauty. 'Tis strange you did not appear more happy."

"The rose is of an unlucky color, I think," observed the dake.

"The color of a blush, my brother."

"Unlucky, I still maintain," said the other calmly.

"The color of the veins of a Frenchman. Ha, ha!" cried the The Photographer, and have a family group on the Lawn or view of young man. "What price would be too high! A rose is a rose! A (To be Continued.)

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Mrs. T. N. Sims and children left today for a visit to relatives at New kirk. Okla. They expect to be gone a month or six weeks.

Judge Edgar Scurry, who has been touring in the Northwestern States for the past month, returned to his home in this city yesterday. He reports very pleasant and enjoyable trip.

Mrs. B. C. Williams and daughter, Mabel, and son, Tom, left today for a two weeks' visit with relatives at Hubbard, Texas. Mr. Williams accompanied them as far as Fort Worth.

Bruce Smith, have sold to Mrs. M.M. Addicks, for a consideration of \$4,000 lots 3 to 12 inclusive in block 113, known as the old Houston or Mayfield residence.

Mrs. H. Specht, who has been here for some time past looking after her farming interests in this county, left today. Mr. Specht was also here and accompanied her on the way. He has been in poor health for some time.

James S. Abbott, who is connected with the Sturgis bank at Hillsboro, with his wife, is the guest of Fred Harrington and family. Mr. Abbott and his wife came here from Ryan I. T., where they attended the Wilson-Sitton nuptials.

Mr. E. Putman, a gentleman of considerable means, is here from Weatherford on a prospecting trip. Mr. Putman is in the livery business at that place and if the opportunity affords he will buy out one of the liveries here and put in a first class and strictly By Associated Press. up-to-date livery barn.

der are arranging to leave within a men to military titles as Confederate few days for Rockport, where they will spend te remainder of the summer | Camp No. 2 of the Army of Tennessee. fishing. They have purchased an 18foot steel gasoline launch, with which says the resolution in part, "of having they will enjoy their outing to the ladies commissioned as Confederate fullest extent. At the close of their staff officers, some of whom, we are vacation, they will ship the launch assured, were not for our cause and to Wichita Falls to use on Lake are not entitled to participate with us Wichita.

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