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SHORT REBUTTAL

TO BE MADE BY THE DEFENSE,
ANNOUNCED DARROW.

POINTS IN EVIDENCE

Points in Evidence on Which
Judge Wood Will Instruct Jury
Will Be Given the Counsel.

John, Idaho, July 17.—On the opening of court this morning, Richardson told the State that the defense had asked to have the State's witnesses examined in town. Judge Woods announced that prior to the opening of the argument, he would notify counsel as to the main points in the evidence on which he would instruct the jury. Darrow, for the defense, announced that the rebuttal for the defense would be very short.

M. M. Sackett, of Telluride, Colo., for fifteen years an employee of the Boulder Union mine, was the first witness of the day. He told his personal experience in the big riot at the Boulder Union in 1901, when he said he and several other employees were compelled to run a perfect hail of bullets in order to get to the mine. He said that Vincent St. John was the head of the Telluride union at that time. The witness next told of negotiations with St. John to have the firing stopped and of the agreement reached with him.

The witness said that as a result of the negotiations he had with St. John, an agreement between Edgar A. Collins, assistant manager of the mine and St. John of the union was drawn up and signed. The agreement was offered in evidence. Although the defense objected, Judge Wood allowed it to be filed. The agreement was dated July 3, 1901. In it Collins agrees not to start work on the mine for a period of three days and the miners' union agrees to refrain from violence for the same period. The witness then told of the killing of Arthur Collins, superintendent of the mine, the disappearance of several miners in the district and various disorders. He said the men were afraid to work and many of them were shot at on their way to the mines, and it was because of these conditions the troops were brought into the district and martial law proclaimed. On cross-examination Sackett said the trouble in 1901 lasted only three days. Then the agreement went into effect and the matter was settled.

"And everything continued peacefully in the district until late in 1903, didn't it," said Richardson.

"There was a sort of armed neutrality."

Richardson read to the witness and the jury another agreement entered into on July 6th, 1901, by the mine and the union. It set forth that the differences between the mine and the union had been amicably adjusted, the union expressing "entire disapproval of the recent outrages" and agreeing not to molest either union or non-union workers. Richardson asked if this agreement was not in effect until the general strike of 1903. "Ostensibly," replied the witness.

State May Close Rebuttal Today.

The witness justified the action of the citizens in taking the law into their own hands and deporting the men. He said it was necessary and that they had the "law of self defense" to support them. He said that since the deportation everything had been quiet and satisfactory in the district.

At the luncheon recess Judge Wood announced that if possible, he desired the State to close the rebuttal of the case during the afternoon.

FISHING RIGHTS

Of Americans Off Newfoundland Are
Cause of Serious Concern.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., July 17.—The approach of the first of August marking the beginning of the fishing season upon the coast of New Foundland is a matter of great concern to the state department, for it finds the fisheries controversy between America and Great Britain in a most unsatisfactory shape. The *Modus Vivendi* entered into last year, by the terms of which the American fishermen were permitted to ply their business there unmolested, expired with the close of the fishing season. The indications now are that it will be difficult to reach any permanent settlement of the trouble and the whole effort of the negotiators is apparently concentrated for the moment upon the drafting of some form of *Modus Vivendi* to guard against the developments that might have serious results. The New Foundlanders have suggested that the whole subject of conflicting treaty be referred to the permanent Hague tribunal. Our government is not averse to such arrangements under limitations.

Rivers Are Still Rising.

By Associated Press.
Kansas City, Mo., July 17.—The Missouri and Kaw rivers continue to rise slowly, but aside from a few washouts and the flooding of the lowlands, no serious damage has been reported.

MANY FATALITIES

ARE CAUSED BY RECKLESS CHAUFUERS.

STATISTICS COMPILED

By Massachusetts Safe Roads Association Show That Nine Deaths and Thirty Injuries Have Occurred Within Twenty-six Days.

By Associated Press.
Boston, Mass., July 17.—Nine pedestrians have lost their lives and thirty-four have been injured as the result of automobile accidents in Massachusetts within the last twenty-six days, according to the statistics compiled and made public today by the Safe Roads Automobile Association. During the twenty-six days there have been ninety-two collisions in which automobiles have figured. Investigations conducted by the association show that out of sixteen cases looked into, the operator was to blame in thirteen.

DEAD AT HIS POST.

Upon Cab of Wrecked Train Found
With His Hand on Brake Lever.

By Associated Press.
Butte, Mont., July 17.—The North Coast Limited, westbound, the crack flyer of the Northern Pacific, was ditched three miles east of Garrison this morning. Two baggage cars, the day coach and smoker left the rails, and the locomotive was overturned. In the cab, with his hand upon the sand pipe valve and brake lever, was found engineer James Graham, of Butte, dead at his post.

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ASKED TO ABDICATE

KOREAN EMPEROR REQUESTED
TO GIVE WAY.

DEPUTATION TO HAGUE

Thereby It Is Charged Endangering
the National Welfare.

By Associated Press.
Seoul, Korea, July 17.—Following a cabinet meeting yesterday which lasted four hours the premier had an audience with the emperor in the evening, continuing three hours. It transpired that the premier made a strongly worded representation of the gravity of the situation caused by his majesty sending a deputation to the peace conference at the Hague and asked the emperor to abdicate in favor of the crown prince and to proceed to Tokio and apologize to the emperor of Japan. The Korean emperor made no definite reply.

Is Morally Bound to Abdicate.

By Associated Press.
Tokio, Japan, July 17.—Although is under an absolute monarchy, the democratic custom has existed since the olden days of demanding the retiring from the throne of a sovereign whose conduct endangered the national welfare. When this demand is made in proper form by the cabinet ministers, the emperor is morally bound to abdicate.

COSTLY FIRE AT ARGENTA.

Compress and Many Bales of Cotton
Burned—Loss Is \$230,000.

By Associated Press.
Little Rock, Ark., July 17.—The plant of the Gulf Compress Company at Argenta, opposite Little Rock, and 2,400 bales of cotton were destroyed by fire today. The total loss is \$230,000, of which \$85,000 was on the buildings.

DISPATCH WAS MISLEADING.

Notices Served on Citizens of Kell Not
Issued By the Courts.

From parties at Kell, we are informed that the dispatch from Lawton in yesterday's paper is misleading. They say that the papers served by the United States Marshal on the residents of Kell were not court papers, but were private notices from the United States district attorney notifying them to vacate, and stated that he intended to bring an action to dispossess them.

So far as we have been able to learn, no court papers have been served upon anyone except Mr. J. W. Field, and the relief asked as to him refers only to the railroad right of way, to which Mr. Field has no claim, and with which he has nothing whatever to do.

The papers served upon Mr. Field expressly state that he is not enjoined from going ahead and complying with the obligations imposed by his homestead entry, and as Mr. Field's rights to this right of way have been condemned in the United States district court, over which Judge Gillette presides, he does not think he is responsible for what may be done by the railway company on it.

He will, of course, however, answer at the proper time.

We also learn that the attorneys for the railway company are attempting to get a date set for the hearing of this case, but they say they have nothing to give out to the newspapers.

PLEA OF JUSTIFICATION WITHDRAWN.

London Newspapers Will Pay \$50,000
for Libelous Publications.

By Associated Press.
Liverpool, England, July 17.—An attempt in the fall of 1906 to organize a huge soap combine in the United Kingdom, which quickly came to an end under the pressure of adverse public opinion, had a sensational sequel in the assize court today, when William Hesketh Lever, a liberal member of parliament, secured judgment for damages of \$250,000 and costs against the Mail and the News, for libels published by them during the course of the controversy that followed the attempt to bring about the combination. After a hearing lasting two days, the defendants today suddenly withdrew their plea of justification and agreed to pay the amount demanded. Lever, it is declared, took a leading part in the efforts to establish the soap combine.

STRAUS AT SEATTLE.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Is
Familiarizing Himself With the
Field Work of His Department.

Seattle, Wash., July 17.—Oscar B. Straus, secretary of commerce and labor, arrived here last night on the lighthouse tender Heather, remaining on board during the night. He stated that the purpose of his visit was to familiarize himself with the field work of his department. Today he will be tendered a reception by the chamber of commerce and will also give a special audience to representatives of the shipping interests on the coast.

DALLAS WAS CHOSEN

AS THE NEXT MEETING PLACE BY
THE ELKS.

FORTY BANDS PLAYING

The Same Music at the Same Time,
Was One of the Big Features.

By Associated Press.
Philadelphia, Pa., July 17.—A massed band parade, with all bands playing the same music at the same time, one of the big features of the Elks' week, took place today. Every musical organization participated in the reunion, numbering more than forty bands and 1,500 members in line. After the parade most of the Elks, with their ladies, visited the parks in and about the city, where special entertainments had been provided.

At the Grand Lodge meeting yesterday, Dallas, Texas, was chosen as the next meeting place.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Texas League—
Dallas, 6; Fort Worth, 3.
Houston, 5; Austin, 1.
San Antonio, 2; Galveston, 0.
Temple, 19; Waco, 7.
National League—
Chicago, 4; Boston, 3.
Pittsburg, 6; New York, 2.
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 2.
Philadelphia, 7; Cincinnati, 4.
American League—
Chicago, 3; New York, 2.
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THREE MORE MAY DIE

EXPLOSION VICTIMS ARE IN A
CRITICAL CONDITION.

NINE DEATHS ALREADY

Nine Deaths Already—One of the Injured Men May Die Before Night.

By Associated Press.
Boston, Mass., July 17.—Three of the twelve survivors of the accident Monday on board the battleship Georgia, from which nine deaths have resulted, are lying in an extremely critical condition today in the United States naval hospital at Chelsea, where they were taken after the accident. The condition of one of the three, Louis O. Meese, a seaman who enlisted at Berea, Ohio, is so dangerous that the physicians at the hospital said they believed he would not live more than twenty-four hours. The other two, who are the most seriously injured are midshipman Cruse, of Omaha, Neb., who, however, has shown a slight improvement since yesterday, and James P. Thomas, of Brooklyn, N. Y., whose condition is reported as being without change.

SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT.

Strong Influences Will Be Exerted to
Bring About Peace.

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Cal., July 17.—As a result of a conference yesterday between Labor Commissioner Neill and President Small of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, the end of the telegraphers' strike is believed to have been brought in sight. It is hinted about the telegraphers' headquarters at Oakland that some friction developed between President Small and three members of the executive committee of the national union, who came west with Commissioner Neill and one of them is said to have strongly intimated that there would be no extension of the strike in other cities, whatever might be the outcome here. It is believed that strong influences will be brought to bear to persuade the operators to accept the terms offered by the companies. President Small says that it has not yet been announced whether a general strike will be ordered in the event of failure of Neill to bring the strikers and the companies together.

REGULAR DIVIDEND DECLARED.

Election of a New Director for the Illinois Central is Postponed.

By Associated Press.
New York, July 17.—The directors of the Illinois Central today declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent.

The election of a director to succeed John C. Welling was postponed until July 25th.

E. H. Harriman was asked if there was any break between himself and President Harahan.

"No. Why should there be? It is too ridiculous to talk about," was his reply.

Harriman was asked whether the successor of Welling in the board of directors would be a representative of Fish or himself, to which he replied, "I have nothing to say about that." Stuyvesant Fish, the former president of the company, attended the meeting.

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THE GOODNIGHT RANCH AND THE BUFFALO

Goodnight, Texas, July 16.
Editor Daily Panhandle:

Dear Sir.—Under the heading of the "Passing of the Buffalo," an article has been going the rounds of the current publications to the effect that the last of the buffalo have been shipped out of Texas—that Colonel Charles Goodnight has recently sold the last of a small (?) herd that he has for several years kept on the famous Goodnight ranch—to the British government and that they have been shipped to the purchasers. Both on the authority of Colonel Goodnight and from my own knowledge, I am able to state that the article in question is wholly and totally at variance with the facts and will not attempt a review in detail of a common error of opinion which largely obtains as to the passing of the buffalo.

The article in question says that the Goodnight buffalo herd has been sold to the British government and shipped to Canada and that the efforts to perpetuate them has been a failure. On the contrary no proposition has ever been made to Colonel Goodnight by any agent of the British government or otherwise to purchase his Buffalo. None have been shipped and never before have they been in finer condition or more prolific than during the present season. Already twenty calves have been born in the pure bred herd bringing the number of pure buffalo up to eighty head.

This same alleged news item refers adversely to Mr. Goodnight's efforts to cross breed the buffalo with domestic cattle, pronouncing his efforts a failure. This statement is in the same category with the rest of this unwarranted libel. A fixed type of quarter-buffalo and three-quarters domestic bloods has already been established here so that it can be perpetuated by proven fertility on both sides. While there is young stock coming on that will no doubt enable this breeder to fix a type of half bloods with fertility on both sides, there is also a certainty that the quarter-blood sires successfully mate with three-quarter, seven-eighths and full blood Buffalo cows with whom they have been reared and it is simply a question of their further fertility. For over fifty years it has been known on the frontier that the male buffalo raised with domestic cattle would successfully cross with such cattle in the production of female off-spring but that when the resultant calf was a male that either the mother cow or calf would die, but that by breeding the pure Buffalo to the half-blood the birth of a three-quarter buffalo blood male could be produced and that such animal would be non-fertile.

While the female line could be bred on indefinitely until the domestic blood retained would be eliminated, however to continue this character of breeding the blood of the pure bred Buffalo could be extended along these

lines only by having the Buffalo in his native purity to draw on. Many of the practical breeders have been of the opinion that if it were possible to produce a half-blood male that there was a probability that such an animal might prove fertile and by so doing that the blood of the Buffalo might be carried on for ages in the blood of domestic cattle so that the original type of the Buffalo could be produced at the will of the breeder. Acting along that line of thought many prominent cattle breeders thought they could take the male calf from the cow by cesarian-section. Out of fourteen experiments where Buffalo bull calves were sired only two were partially successful, that of Governor John Sparks of Nevada and W. S. Vanata of Fowler, Indiana. In the former case the calf was taken from the cow alive but died immediately and in the case of the latter the calf lived for several hours. While these heroic efforts were in vain, Colonel Goodnight conceived the idea of approaching the problem another way and bred pure Angus bulls on half-blood Buffalo and Angus cows with the result of the production of unusually prepotent sires which are now in use on the Cattalo cows of the quarter, half, three-quarter, seven-eighths and full blood Buffalo herds above alluded to; the product of which now comes without the fatality which attended breeding the otherway. Thus Mr. Goodnight's efforts in the interest of scientific breeding has overcome what by some was regarded as natural barriers for the successful cross breeding of the Buffalo and domestic cattle, producing what he pleases to call the "Cattalo" and should the male off-spring of these quarter-Buffalo sires bred to seven-eighths heifer, (the off-spring of which would be a nine-sixteenths), prove fertile, and there is every probability that they will, then without further experiment it will be practically demonstrated that the Buffalo Americanus can be carried forever in the blood of domestic cattle, and reproduced at the will of the breeder.

Although the facts of this complicated work are as I have crudely presented them above, it was not Mr. Goodnight's desire that anything authoritative concerning his efforts be given out as a scientific fact until his present generation of "Cattalo" arrived at maturity and put the question of their successful perpetuation beyond the possibility of a cavil on the part of the closet learned skeptics. There is now about 150 head of variously graded and bred "Cattalo" on the Goodnight ranch and there is no doubt about the perpetuation of the full bred herd in its purity nor is there in my mind any doubt but that the "Cattalo" in the near future will cross bred sires from which the Buffalo can be bred back to its exact form in a few generations.

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ture of Texas and America than the British wild cattle at Chillingham means to the English nation. I therefore seek this means of correcting an erroneous idea which has become prevalent through ignorance of existing facts.

It is to be regretted that a greater number of people have not interested themselves in the domestication of the Buffalo, the wildness of which is due to their timidity and not to their ferocity, since they became tractable with gentle and kindly treatment. Of course, here on the Goodnight stock farm that part of the place set apart for the Buffalo consists of herbage covered hills, canyons and plains, watered by spring streams, covered with a variety of grasses and other vegetation, which was the habitat of the present herd of Buffalo which thrives upon it. This tract of land was especially selected by Colonel Goodnight and remains in the state of nature existing when this preserve was fenced and set apart for this purpose.

So in the meantime the Colonel will undoubtedly continue to manage his own affairs as successfully and in the same public spirited manner as he has in the past and will give to the world as the result of his labors, not only a new race of cattle with the added valuable characteristics, but practically verifying what was believed to be possible by Darwin, Spencer, Agassiz, Rothschilds, and others, all of whom except the latter have passed into the great beyond, and who entertained the belief that at some unrecorded time the same experiments now being demonstrated by Charles Goodnight was brought about on the European continent. Respectfully,

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Is the Pleasure of Automobile Riding,
As Some of Wichita's Citizens
Can Testify.

The pleasures of automobile riding are not always unalloyed, as a number of Wichita automobilists have already learned from experience. Automobiles are sometimes more contrary than a balky mule.

This seemed to be the disposition of the machine which carried W. Macabee and Al. Richolt to Iowa Park last week, but didn't carry them back again and that's where our story comes in.

The day was a wet one and the roads were a sea of mud. The trip to the Park was made all right and after transacting their business Messrs. Richolt and Macabee climbed into the machine and told their chauffeur to put on the high gear and carry them homeward just as fast as the machine could take them.

All went well for the first few miles and the machine plowed through the mud just as if it was built for that purpose. Then the regular chug of the motor became spasmodic and the explosion popped like a young cannon, and the machine stopped. Something was wrong with the sparkers. As long as an automobile runs along without stopping it is a thing of joy, but when something gets wrong with the machinery and the machine stops, it is the most confounded aggravation ever devised.

However, in this case Mr. Macabee didn't let the trouble aggravate him a little bit. While Mr. Richolt and the chauffeur wallowed about in the mud vainly endeavoring to make the sparkers cause the explosions to come with some degree of regularity, Macabee was sitting in the shade of a bush at the roadside on a pallet made with the cushions taken from the machine. After a time he fell asleep and was held unconscious and happy in the arms of Morpheus until he was rudely awak-

ened just as the shades of night were beginning to envelope the landscape in darkness and was ordered in a rather unceremonious manner to get up and put his shoulder to the rear of the machine for a long push of six miles through the mud into Wichita Falls.

CORN GROWERS' MEETING.

Thomas A. McGalliard, President of the Texas Corn Growers' Association.

The next meeting of the Texas Corn Growers' Association will be held at the A. & M. College with the Texas Farmers' Congress, July 23 to 25 inclusive. This is the best and greatest of all farmers' meetings, a meeting of which every man, woman, boy and girl will say, "I am glad I went and I will go to the next Farmers' Congress." At this congress men can learn more in three days than by staying at home ten years. It is a wonderful meeting for good. You can hear and learn how to make the good things under the sun. All men who go, learn to live at home and board at the same house. They learn to do things in the new ways. The farmers of Texas should go to this Congress and take a few days' rest; see, hear and learn all they can; eat, drink and enjoy the fat of the land, for the world will come to an end some day and we will never learn it all.

As President of the Corn Growers' Association of Texas, I call on members and friends to be with us at our meeting at the A. & M. College. Corn is a great crop in Texas. Our state ranks fourth in value of crop grown in the United States for 1906. The crop last year amounted to 155,000,000 bushels.

The program committee of the Corn Growers' Association will have an up-to-date program; we will have a good meeting and we want all members and friends to come. Let us all take a little rest and learn how other people do things and put Texas at the head of the corn growing states. We can do Texas.

THOS. A. MCGALLIARD,
President Texas Corn Growers' Ass'n.

STEERS AT FIVE TWENTY-FIVE.

Winfield Scott Gets Record Price For Ten Loads of Steers.

Fort Worth, Tex. July 15.—Winfield Scott sold on the local market today ten loads of choice 1,325 pound steers at \$5.25, being the highest price ever paid here for a shipment of cattle that large. The steers were fed on meal, hulls and grass on Mr. Scott's ranch at Scotland, eighteen miles southwest of the city, in this county. The majority of them came from the Brown & Poage herd, raised in Tockmorton and Shackelford counties, and others from Wichita county.

Mr. Scott has about 2,600 more steers of the same class on his ranch and will probably market them here soon.

Proceedings of Council.

At a special session of the City Council on Tuesday night, City Tax Collector J. W. Lee was requested to furnish the council with a full and complete report of all occupation taxes collected by him since March 5th, 1906, and file the same not later than August 1st, 1907.

An awning in front of the C. T. Kohler building at the corner of Seventh street and Ohio avenue, was reported to be in a dilapidated condition and to be a menace to the safety of persons passing along the street. Upon a motion, an ordinance was adopted, declaring the awning to be a public nuisance and the owner of the building was ordered to tear down the same within fifteen days or the city would have the work done at his expense.

Action was also taken in reference to the city water supply, an account of which will be found in another column.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, July 17th, 1907.

THE WATER QUESTION.

Again the physicians of the city have appealed to the City Council to compel the waterworks company to furnish its patrons with "pure and wholesome water," instead of the article now being pumped through its mains to its patrons, and the City Council, in compliance to the appeal of the physicians, has for the second time "requested" the company to purify and filter the water. As to whether the company will pay any more attention to this second "request" than was paid to the first remains to be demonstrated. In the opinion of this paper, when the physicians of a city join in a protest against the use for domestic purposes of a certain kind of water, it is high time for those in authority to cease making requests and proceed in a business-like way to "demand" that the water supply be made pure and wholesome. The health of the people of a city is of vastly more importance than the financial interests of any one or a dozen men in it, and if the water now being supplied to its patrons by the water works company is unhealthy, the company should be forced to discontinue business or purify the water.

When a town boasts of its trade and general prosperity and sends out newspapers with the starved look of a dog, said boasts do not impress the public. We are not going to run against the buzz-saw by naming such towns, if you will take a squint at their newspapers you will not need to be told their names. It will not answer to say that the newspapers of these towns are not worthy of better patronage for there are too many wide-awake newspaper men looking for live towns to make it possible that such reasons will hold good. When you hear a man boasting of his town ask him for a copy of his newspaper and if it does not show up you may set him down as an empty boaster with nothing justifying a word for the town he is boasting.—Abilene Reporter.

Drowned While Canoeing.
By Associated Press.

St. Paul, Minn., July 17.—James A. Strane, an instructor in the University of Utah at Salt Lake City, was accidentally drowned in the Minnesota river near Fort Snelling last night. He was canoeing with a companion, when the canoe overturned. His companion was saved.

WATER IS IMPURE

CITY PHYSICIANS PRESENT MEMORIAL TO CITY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

The Matter is Now Up to the Directors of the Water Company, Who are Given Fifteen Days to Act.

The following is a copy of a letter which was mailed today from the City Hall to the officers and directors of the city water works company, who are J. A. Kemp, I. H. Kempner, Henry Sayles, Charles A. Malone and M. Lasker.

The letter is self-explanatory and is as follows:

Wichita Falls, Texas, July 16, 1907. At a meeting of the City Council, held on the 15th day of July, 1907, the following proceedings were had:

The petition of the physicians of the city was filed, and, together with the action of the Council relative thereto, is herewith submitted for your consideration.

To the Honorable City Council of Wichita Falls, Texas:

We, the undersigned, physicians of Wichita Falls, Texas, after having duly considered the matter, have decided that the drinking water furnished by the water works company is very unhealthy, and they have failed to comply with our former request to clarify the water. We now respectfully ask your honorable body to take the proper steps to sink deep wells for the purpose of supplying the citizens with pure and wholesome water. L. Coons, M. D.; A. A. Jones, M. D.; J. C. A. Guest, M. D.; Robert Robertson, M. D.; J. W. DuVal, M. D.; S. H. Burnside, M. D.; W. H. Walker, M. D.; R. L. Miller, M. D.; S. T. Coffield, M. D.; J. F. Reed, M. D.

After due consideration the Council passed the following resolution:

Be it Resolved by the City Council of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas: That the petition of the physicians to the Council, relating to the water supply of the city, be filed with the secretary and a copy of same be mailed to each of the directors of the Wichita Falls Water and Light Company, with the request of the Council that they take steps to at once furnish the city with wholesome water, and that a copy of said resolutions be also mailed to each of the directors. And that each of said directors be requested to reply, within fifteen days, as to what, if anything, they propose to do. As the Council is of the opinion that something must be done at once to provide wholesome water.

The above resolution was passed by the following vote:

J. F. Reed, yea; B. J. Bean, yea; G. D. Anderson, yea; J. G. Jones, yea.

You are respectfully notified to take some action in the premises in response to the above petition and resolution. Respectfully,
City Sec'y.

If you are not getting fresh peas try our Richelleu sweet wrinkled. You will find them very satisfactory.

TREVATHAN & BLAND

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.

L. H. LAWLER,

—WILL DO YOUR—

Barber Work

To suit you; and can give you

A Hot or Cold BATH

Hair cutting, 35c
Shave, 15c
Shampoo, 35c
Bath, 25c

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50c Wool Dress Goods and Skirting 39c per yard

15 pieces of Spring and Summer Wool Dress Goods and Skirtings, in invisible checks, plaids and stripes, in a full range of colors. Just the thing for serviceable street wear for skirts and costumes. Leader at 50c yard. Will go this week at the remarkable low price of

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50c Parosknit Underwear, 38c

The coolest and most healthful underwear made. Try it and be convinced. Shirts only 38c garment, two for..... 75c

India Linons at Old Time Prices

10, 12, 15 and 19 cents yd.

Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3c

Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3c or two for..... 5c

50c Handbags 25c

Ladies' White Handbags, not one in the lot worth less than 50c choice..... 25c

Colored Wash Goods

Are here for your choosing in Lawns, Organdies and Batistes in the season's latest designs and colors, lowly priced, 5, 9, 10c, 12c and.... 15c

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Our Waistings are shown here in a large collection of Sheer Goods and Figured Panamas, Batistes, Madras and other mercerized fabrics, per yard. 15c to..... 90c

Boys Wash Suits 75c and \$1.00

For the little fellows, 3 to 8 years old. Blouse effects, in assorted colors. Slightly soiled, only \$1.00 and..... 75c

Men's Soft Shirts

Men's Soft Shirts, 50c, 60c, \$1.25 and \$1.50, made of Mercerized Pongee, collars attached, the ideal shirt for hot weather 50, 60c, 1.25 and..... \$1.50

Men's Silk Shirts \$2.25

Collars attached..... \$2.25

Men's White Handkerchiefs, 3 for 10c

White Handkerchiefs usually sold at 5c straight. All you want here at three 10c for..... 10c

Hundreds Of Other Bargains For Your Choosing

P. H. Pennington Co.

"We Sell It For Less"

Indiana Avenue

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

JAIL DELIVERY AT DALLART.

Under Cover of Heavy Storm Ten Prisoners Escape.

Dalhart, Tex., July 15.—(Special.)—

During a heavy storm late Saturday night a wholesale jail delivery was effected at this place. About ten desperate criminals awaiting trial before the district court on various charges took advantage of the elements and made an opening through the ceiling of the corridor, reaching the roof of the jail. Blankets were then torn and the strips tied together so as to make a rope. This was then fastened to the ventilator, and the ten men slid to terra firma and made their escape.

Sheriff Hutton, who is reputed to be the best sheriff in Texas, was absent on a horse thief trail and Deputy Sheriff J. E. Boyce took up the trail with a pack of trained bloodhounds, and is now in hot pursuit of the fugitives, who are supposed to have hidden in Rita Blanco canyon. Many of the men are desperate characters, and it is presumed they are well equipped with guns and ammunition and will not be captured without a desperate struggle and possibly some loss of life.

The Dallam county jail was recently completed at a cost of over \$19,000 and is considered one of the most modern in the Panhandle.

The Rock Island and Denver roads ran many trains out of here during the night north, east, south and west, and it is feared some of the escaped men got away on these.

With your next cake, try Richelleu pastry flour, using Creample as icing. You will be pleased.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

ANDERSON & PATTERSON,

[Successors to Anderson & Bean.]

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Represent 36 of the best, the strongest and the most reliable and liberal Fire Insurance Companies in the world.

We Write all Kinds of Insurance

Fire, Life, Tornado, Health, Accident, etc. Fire Insurance policies taken out with us cover loss by lightning. We respectfully solicit your business.

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Call on us before you buy if you want to save money. We know where the bargains are and do not expect but a five per cent commission.

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First National Bank

Wichita Falls, Texas

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We have just received and opened for your inspection

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corsets ranging in prices
each from 50c **\$6.50**

each and every garment
guaranteed or your money
back

contemplating the pur-
chase of a corset give us a
call and look the line over.

Odds and Ends.

We also have some odds
and ends that we will sell at
about

50c on the Dollar

If looking for bargains see
them.



AMERICAN BEAUTY STYLE 703
Kalamazoo Corset Co., Makers

Skirts.

We have received our
fourth shipment in the past
30 days of Fashion Skirts,
ranging in price, **\$20.00**
each, from \$6.50 to

The lowest price garment
in the lot is made with the
same care that is used in
making the best garment
they make.

We also have a job or left-
over line of skirts worth
from \$3.00 to \$6.50 that we
will sell the next 30 days at

50c on the Dollar

Every one a bargain—Do
not miss this opportunity.

We Are Making Many — Reductions —

Throughout the house that it will pay
you to investigate before buying.

— YOURS TO PLEASE —

W. E. SKEEN



AMERICAN BEAUTY Style 906
Kalamazoo Corset Co., Makers



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Steam and Hot Water Heating
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done by practical plumbers.
We also carry in stock the
Eclipse and the Roberts
natural stone germ proof Fil-
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W. H. H. THATCHER

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WARE AND TINWARE**

If one gets worsted the other
does. The rich and the poor
share the same at Thatcher's
Hardware Store. You will
find at my place a well assort-
ed stock of Hardware goods
at fair prices. Please come
and see me, examine my
goods, investigate my methods
of business and if you are
pleased you will buy.

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L. H. Roberts

General Contractor

Walks, Curbing, Steps,

Floors, Foundations,

Street Crossings, Etc.,

'Phone 240.

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Want Ad Column

FOR RENT—A good residence, close
in. See Wiley Wyatt. 48-1f

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light
house-keeping. Phone 334. 37-1f

FOR SALE—A fine residence on
Tenth street at \$4,000.00.
47-1f W. W. JACKSON.

Did you say you wanted to buy some-
thing? If so, let your wants be known
through the Times "want ad" column.

FOR SALE—New four room residence,
bath room and necessary outhouses.
See XXX, Times office.

The St. Charles Cafe—clean from
kitchen to sidewalk; best place in town
to eat. Walter Allen, propr. 56-1f

WANTED—Six carpenters. Good
wages. Nine hour system. Apply to
R. E. Jones, contractor and builder,
corner Austin and Seventh streets.
53-6f

FOR SALE—I now offer nine blocks
of two acres each near high school.
Small cash payment, then \$10 per
month. Only eleven of these blocks.
See me at once and get first choice.
All east front. Wylie Wyatt.
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Bargains in Archer Real Estate.

Town lots in Archer City.
First class confectionery store for
sale or rent.

Residences for Sale.

Two-story frame building on the
east side of the public square for sale.
320-acre farm one-half mile from
projected railroad and 11 miles south
of Archer for sale.

Numerous other bargains in both
town and farm property for sale. See
MONT HART.
452-1f. Archer City, Tex.

Better than some—none better—
pork and beans, at King & White's.
d&w-1f

STAMFORD LEFT THE DIAMOND.

Protested Decision of Umpire and Quit
Game When He Refused to
Reverse It.

Taking issue from a decision of the
umpire in the first half of the eighth
inning, the Stamford team left the
diamond yesterday with the score
standing 6 to 5 in favor of the locals.

The decision which resulted in the
Stamford team leaving the field came
about in the following manner: With
one man out and a runner on second,
a Stamford batter hit a fly into center,
which was taken care of in good shape
by Luckert. The man at third went
across the home station ahead of the
ball, but the umpire had called him
out, claiming that he had left the third
sack before the ball was caught, and
had not returned to touch the bag be-
fore running home.

The Stamford players asserted that
their runner was still on the bag when
the ball was caught. The umpire re-
fused to reverse his decision and
Stamford forfeited the game.

Poor tea is worse than no tea. If
you use our Casino English Breakfast
your ice tea will always be good. Give
it a trial.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

As the Craft Sees It.

After a newspaper has yelled itself
hoarse in an effort to persuade people
to patronize home merchants and then
accidentally stumble onto the fact that
some of these self same business men
he is endeavoring to protect are send-
ing away for their job printing, or else
seldom have an advertisement in the
paper, it rather shakes his faith in
mankind, and makes reciprocity look
like a lead dime with a hole in it.—Ex.

The Texas Fraternal Insurance As-
sociation furnishes insurance at ac-
tual cost. For full particulars see J.
P. Jones. 51-61d-11w

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Kansas City, Mo., July 17.—Cattle—
Receipts, 9,000. Market steady.
Southern steers 3.75@5.50
Southern cows 2.50@3.85
Stockers and feeders 3.25@5.15
Bulls 2.75@4.75
Calves 4.00@7.00
Western fed steers 4.25@6.00
Western fed cows 2.75@4.60
Sheep—Receipts, 5,000. Market
strong.
Muttons 5.00@6.00
Lambs 7.00@7.75
Range wethers 4.75@5.50
Ewes 4.25@5.25

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Ill., July 17.—Cattle—Re-
ceipts, 22,000. Market steady to 10
cents lower.
Beef steers 4.60@7.30
Cows 1.60@5.30
Heifers 2.65@5.70
Calves 5.50@7.75
Good to prime steers 5.70@7.30
Poor to medium 4.60@6.50
Stockers and feeders 4.90@5.70
Sheep—Receipts, 15,000. Market
steady.
Western 4.00@4.10
Yearlings 6.00@6.75
Lambs 5.75@7.65
Western 5.75@7.70

Omaha Live Stock.
Omaha, Neb., July 17.—Cattle—Re-
ceipts, 2,300. Market generally steady.
Western steers 3.75@5.75
Texas steers 3.00@4.50
Cows and heifers 2.50@4.60
Canners 2.00@3.50
Stockers and feeders 3.00@5.10
Calves 3.50@6.50
Bulls 2.25@5.60
Sheep—Receipts, 2,200. Market
steady.
Yearlings 5.50@8.25
Wethers 4.75@5.75
Ewes 4.50@5.20
Lambs 6.50@7.75

St. Louis Wool.
St. Louis, Mo., July 17.—Wool
steady. Territory and western med-
ium, 21.00@26.00. Fine medium, 17.00
@19.00. Fine, 14.00@16.00.

St. Louis Spelter.
St. Louis, Mo., July 17.—Spelter
6.05.

Grain and Provisions.
Chicago Ill., July 17.—Wheat—July,
90%; September, 93% @ 1/2. Corn—
July, 53%; September, 53% @ 1/4. Oats
—July, 43%; September, 38% @ 1/4.
Pork—July, 16.12; September, 16.32%.
Lard—July, 8.22%; September, 8.92%.
Ribs—July, 8.37%; September, 8.52%.

Lead, Copper and Silver.
New York, July 17.—Lead dull at
5.15@5.20. Copper unsettled at 21.00
@22.00. Silver, 68 1/2.

Stocks and Money.
New York, July 17.—Prime mercan-
tile paper, .05 1/2 @ .06 per cent. Money
on call easy at .02 1/2 @ .03 1/2 per cent.
Closing Stocks—Atchison, .92; pre-
ferred, .91 1/2; New York Central,
1.23 1/2; Pennsylvania, 1.22 1/2; Southern
Pacific, .79 1/2; Union Pacific, 1.43; pre-
ferred, .83; copper, .88; steel, .36; pre-
ferred, 1.00.

What the Dollar Says.

A Kansas paper quotes every dollar
in a man's pocket as saying to him:
"If you will let me stay in this town
I'll circulate around and do lots of
good. You can buy a beef steak with
me and the butcher will buy dry goods
and the dry goods merchant will pay
his doctor bill with me, and the doctor
will spend me with the farmer for oats
for his horse, and the farmer will pay
his subscription to the local paper,
and the editor will pay for his last
summer's trousers and buy a pair of
socks. In the long run, you see, I'll
be more useful to you here at home
than if you send me away forever."

Best grade of creamery butter, al-
ways good, at King & White's. d&w-1f

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Dear friend:

The Japanese lived
on rice when they
had a war with the
Russians. It must
have made them strong.
Rice is good for
breakfast. I eat it
three times a day.
I don't have the
heart burns. Do you?
If you do, try making
a dinner off of rice.
I paid 8 cents a
pound for rice.

Your friend,

JACOB.

P. S. Our grocer is

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New Styles IN Eye Glasses

We are constantly adding new
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Just now we are showing some
very neat new styles of rimless
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to be dressed, then have him make
you a suit. All work guaranteed.
Call and see my New Spring Samples
Cleaning and repairing a Specialty.
Suits pressed while you wait.

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Office on 7th Street, be-
tween Indiana and Scott
Avenues.

A BEEF STEAK DINNER.

Texans Were Favorably Impressed
With Augustus Heinz, The Montana Copper King.

New York, June 20, 1907.

Editor Times:—

Beef steak dinners are quite the fashion in New York City. At this one at Shanley's each guest was furnished with a large white apron made regular kitchen style, furnished with a bib to it, and was also given an extra large towel for use as a napkin. Each guest was then seated before a soap box, of the usual size, but standing on end to give it the proper height.

At one end of the room was a large curtain, which was removed after the guests were seated, when a large map of Texas was seen painted, showing the cities of Galveston, San Antonio, Houston and Dallas, but no other city the head of a steer, with long horns, on either side appeared sheafs of wheat, and all around was cotton.

Emblazoned on this was "Texas Bankers Association."

An instant later, the electric current was turned on and in living letters of light, changing color, appeared the words:

"Long horn, short horn, cotton, wheat, Texas products can't be beat, Texas, Texas every day."

* Texas, Texas T. B. A."

The whole was unique, and unexpected, and called forth vigorous applause, and our hosts seemed delighted at the enthusiasm displayed.

During the dinner a fine band of musicians played various National and popular airs, and Dixie was the popular favorite as it always is with a Southern crowd. There was also a platform, on which jugglers of various kinds did their feats, for the edification, or mystification of the crowd. Among others, a famous cartoonist with four strokes of his chalk, would draw some one of the party, so true to life as to be recognized, and yet looking quite ludicrous.

A slight of hand fellow drew dozens of small flags of various nations, and finally a large U. S. flag, from apparently empty hands.

The menu card had on it a lone star, a bale of cotton, the head of a Texas steer. The chief things on the card, was, "Steak, Steak, and more Beef, Beer, Beer."

There were no knives or forks or spoons except one small fork to use in getting away with a clam cocktail.

The waiters passed along the lines with huge wash pans full of celery and smaller pans of olives. Each guest had a huge mug and a wine glass. Nice juicy steaks were passed around on waiters, each steak on a small toast. The usual way to dispense of them was to take hold with the fingers, but the steaks were so tender and delicious that no knives were needed.

The waiters at the close of the dinner, passed around with cigars to each gentleman and chocolate sticks representing cigarettes to each lady, in a small tray, which were given as souvenirs.

Also each guest was given a small block of copper, and a little hammer, as souvenirs. The idea probably was, "Knock on this. Don't knock on the Mercantile National Bank, nor the city of New York." These hammers and blocks of copper were afterwards utilized as a means of applauding the speakers when the speechmaking began.

There were several speakers, but F. Augustus Heinz, one of the copper kings of Montana and President of the Mercantile National Bank, made the speech of the evening. Mr. Heinz is a fine looking man, does not appear to be over 40, and speaks in forcible language and never seemed to lack for words to express his ideas.

From some magazine articles about Mr. Heinz and some of his career in Montana, I had formed an unfavorable opinion of him, but after seeing the man's bearing and hearing him, I doubt the truth of these articles.

His speech was very complimentary to Texas and her laws, and said that the hope of the Nation was in the sturdy and independent spirit of the men of the West and South. He regretted that so far he had not had the pleasure of a visit to Texas, but that it had not been for lack of desire to do so, as he had a great admiration for Texas and predicted that the time would come when Texas would not only out-rival her sister states of the South but would wrest from New York the honor of being the leading State in the union. He spoke of his own state of Montana with great pride, and said that while he had interests in New York, that Montana was his home, and that the great West and its people were too dear to him to ever change.

He spoke of the political conditions in Montana and said with pride, that money no longer ruled in Montana, but that the people of Montana were in the saddle and determined that very man should have a square deal, and an equal chance in the battle of life. His speech was on a different line from most of those we had heard and the Texans were very enthusiastic over him.

Messrs. Butler, Yantis and Bosley responded for Texans and also conferred on Mr. Heinz and all his associates, the order of the Lone star, which was one way of assuring our hosts that they were each a Prince of Good Fellows, with the rank and title of a Texas Colonel.

As the hour for going to the Casino and hearing "Fascinating Flora" had arrived, the party were compelled to cut the after dinner speaking short, and bid Mr. Heinz and his friends goodbye, and I feel confident that all of the party went away with the most favorable opinion of Mr. Heinz and with the most pleasant recollections of our first beef steak dinner.

It was announced that our aprons and towels were to be kept as souvenirs of the dinner and a good many of the party attended the theatre in full beef steak dinner regalia, but a good many had divested themselves of their aprons and left before the announcement was made.

Arriving at the theatre we found it specially decorated in our honor and all of the front seats in the lower floor, reserved.

On each side of the building was a Texas decoration and when the curtain lifted the Lone Star in large proportions loomed up in the centre.

Miss Adele Ritchie as "Fascinating Flora" was the main attraction. While the play "Fascinating Flora" has been running for weeks there had been arranged for our benefit and while the theatre was crowded it was evident that the entire company were especially anxious to please the Texans.

E. M. WINFREY & COMPANY,

Dealers in

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Agents RACYCLE, best Bicycle made Indiana Ave. Wichita Falls, Tex.

We Buy the Best

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We Turn Our Stock about every Thirty Days

Which is a guarantee that our goods are kept fresh. We appreciate your business and promise courteous and prompt service.

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PHONE 60

The Home Should Be The Most Pleasant Place ON EARTH

YOU CAN ALL SPELL THIS.

BECAUSE YOU HAVE SEEN IT ON YOUR MOTHER'S AND GRANDMOTHER'S STOVE AND RANGE.

CHARTER OAK STOVES

A LARGE PROPORTION OF THE PRESENT GENERATION HAVE BEEN "RAISED" ON FOOD COOKED WITH THE CHARTER OAK.

CHARTER OAK RANGES

THEY BECOME MORE POPULAR WITH EACH SUCCEEDING GENERATION.

BAKE, ROAST, BROIL AND BOIL TO PERFECTION

CHARTER OAK STOVES

YOU SEE THE NAME EVERYWHERE.



Make body and mind both at ease--Prepare your food on a Charter Oak Stove and make your music on a Baldwin Piano and you have the desired result. As the Charter Oak enters the back door, see that the Baldwin comes in at the front, but be sure to have all the windows raised as stomach troubles and blues must have a place of escape. We have everything you need from kitchen to parlor.

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THE HOME FURNISHERS

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Our "Belle of Wichita"

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The Wichita Mill and Elevator Co.

J. G. Fain.

Arthur Reed.

Fain & Reed,

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SEE Wichita Marble Works

For Anything in the Marble Line
We are now shipping Monuments to Jacksboro, Graham, Ft. Worth and surrounding towns and country.
Good Work a Specialty 23 Years Experience
Will Not Be Undersold

BUGGIES! BUGGIES!

Just Received a car of the

Famous Studebaker Buggies,

Cut under Runabouts and all the different up to date styles. Also a car of the New Decateur Buggies. If it's Style, Quality and a low price for the goods you get remember we can give you all combined.

Wichita Falls Imp. Co.

FOR \$30.00

Blue Steel Range

Highly polished and nicked finished; high closet; 6-8 in eye caps; side shelf; large air tight oven well braced by heavy rib; flues asbestos lined; burnings nickel plated on copper. Equal in appearance and quality to many \$50.00 Ranges.

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE.

Robertson-Russell Hardware Co.

WILLS AUTOMOBILE COMPANY



Solicits the patronage of all. Autos to convey passengers to any part of the city or neighboring towns. Charges reasonable.

Regular trips to Lake Wichita

on Sundays. A full line of Auto Supplies carried in stock and repair work of all kinds done in a first-class manner. If you want to own your own auto car, see us before you buy. We are sole agents for the celebrated Buick Machines—the best in the world.

WICHITA FALLS

W. A. KEMP, President.
W. L. ROBERTSON, Vice President.

P. P. LANGFORD, Cashier.
W. L. ROBERTSON, Asst. Cashier

City National Bank,

CAPITAL. - - \$ 75,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits. - \$125,000.00

We offer to the business public the services of a reliable and conservative banking institution, that is at all times prepared to do any favor consistent with sound banking. CALL AND SEE US

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A Carload of Corrugated Galvanized Iron, all lengths.

Moore & Richolt

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Dealers in LUMBER, LIME and CEMENT
CORRUGATED IRON AND NAILS

C. G. TEVIS, Manager

WICHITA FALLS,

TEXAS

"What Will Happen Then," being among the songs.

The whole company entered into the spirit of the play, and as they had been made pretty well acquainted with the peculiarities of several leading members of our party, each of such members received a touch-up from the stage that invariably brought down the house, and both the star, Miss Ritchie, and the entire company seemed proud of the enthusiastic applause. While the Texans led in the applause, the rest of the audience never failed to join in heartily.

In "Oshkosh," the old farmer who had enough of New York and was going back "to Oshkosh, by Gosh," came on the stage with his valise marked "T. B. A."

In the final windup, when Miss Ritchie appeared for the final song, she brought in with her a beautiful Texas flag (Lone Star) in one hand and the United States flag in the other and she waved them aloft as she marched around.

The younger members of the party proposed three cheers for Miss Ritchie, which were given with a will and the assurance "she is all right," "who is all right?" and the boys thundered back in reply, "Miss Ritchie." This play has met with a favorable reception in New York and has had a great run, but certainly at no time could it have had a more enthusiastic and favorable reception than on this night, when more than an hundred Texans, proud of the praise bestowed on their State, and of the effort made to please them, cheered them, and brought them back again and again.

The officers of the Consolidated National bank had spared nothing in their efforts to entertain us and add to our comfort while in the city, and must also have been gratified at the great success attained.

It was near midnight when the curtain dropped, but the Consolidated National bank had conveyances provided for the entire party to the Pennsylvania railroad depot, where we were going to take our train tomorrow for a visit to Philadelphia, "The City of Brotherly Love."

Just as we were leaving the hotel, Dr. R. L. Miller received a telegram calling him and his wife home on account of sickness of their baby, which caused sadness among the entire party, and especially his Wichita friends.

On investigation, however, it was found they would lose no time by taking our special with us to Philadelphia, and leaving on the next regular train there.

R. E. H.

Leg Amputated.

As a result of an accident which occurred nearly two years ago while getting out of her buggy, Mrs. Lane, the young wife of Mr. Cap Lane, who reside four miles northwest of this city, was compelled on yesterday to have one of her legs amputated above the knee.

The surgical operation was skillfully performed yesterday evening by Drs. Durringer of Fort Worth, and Drs. Robertson, DuVal, Miller and Guest of this city, and is regarded as a success.

Mrs. Walker stood the operation well, in fact much better than the surgeons had anticipated and at last accounts was resting easy.

At the time the accident occurred, it was thought the knee joint had been dislocated and the injury was thus treated, but other complications set in later, and in order to save her life it was decided that amputation would be necessary.

Alberta Peaches.

The peach crop of the W. D. Bentley orchard, Thornberry are now ready to be marketed. The Alberta crop is now being picked and marketed. If you want them leave your orders at R. C. Hardy's grocery store.

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STATE LOOSES CASE.

Judge Bryant of the Federal Court So Advises Attorney General Davidson.

Sherman, Texas, July 15.—The written opinion of D. E. Bryant, Judge of the District and Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Texas, in Waters-Pierce Oil Company of Texas will be very long, exhaustive and voluminous. It will not be completed today.

However, in response to the request made at the conclusion of the argument in the matter of the State's application to have the order appointing a Federal receiver vacated, the following telegram was sent today:

"Sherman, Tex., July 15.—Hon. R. V. Davidson, Attorney General, Austin, Tex.: Present application for me to return property to Waters-Pierce Oil Company will be denied without prejudice, however, to any future application to deliver it to receiver of State Court should one hereafter be authorized to take possession. Will also make clear that my order appointing receiver was not intended to authorize him to sell any property except stock in trade while conducting the business. Written opinion will follow. D. E. BRYANT, Judge."

During the progress of the hearing in the State's application it will be called to mind that the reference by State's counsel to the fact that the broadness of the order appointing Chester B. Dorchester receiver might be construed to give the Federal receiver the right to dispose of all the oil company's property in the State, called forth the remarks by Judge Bryant from the bench to the effect that while every precaution had been taken to protect the interests of the State that the paragraph upon which the State's counsel placed the above construction could be modified.

However, the State filed no application to have the said paragraph or any other section modified concluding its case upon the straight application to have the order appointing Receiver Dorchester vacated.

Judge Bryant's telegram to Attorney General Davidson as to making the order clearer on that point shows that the State's Attorney misconstrued the court's intentions.

State Will Take an Appeal.

Austin, Tex., July 15.—Federal Judge Bryant wired Attorney General Davidson today what he had held in the State's application for annulment of order appointing Chester B. Dorchester receiver and to restore the property of the Waters-Pierce Oil Co. The action is something of a victory for the State and leaves the case without prejudice for a complete victory.

Judge Bryant simply declines to turn over the property until the State Court receiver is authorized to take charge and then he will hear an application to have it turned over.

The State Court Receiver Eckhardt will be authorized to take charge when the Court of Civil Appeals affirms Judge Brook's order appointing him. However, the State does not believe that the Federal Court had any right to assume jurisdiction and appoint a receiver under the circumstances, as the State Court had secured first jurisdiction and the filing of supersedeas bond did not vacate it.

While the Attorney General declined to discuss the judgment in the absence of the written opinion, it was learned that Assistant Attorney General Lightfoot will go to Sherman tomorrow night to perfect the papers for an appeal in the case to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at New Orleans.

The one feature most satisfactory to the State's Attorneys is that the Waters-Pierce Oil property will not be sold during the Federal receivership, as is positively stated in Judge Bryant's telegram. This is what the State has sought to prevent all the time and comes in contrast to the statements given out at Sherman by attorneys when Receiver Dorchester was appointed.

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PERSONAL MENTION

E. B. Carver of Archer City is in the city on business.

W. A. Jones of Seymour is in the city on business.

Frank Kell has returned from a business trip to Kansas City.

Miss Laura Bell of Iowa Park is the guest of Miss Alleen Waggoner.

George Knight of Iowa Park is in the city on business.

Mrs. Lillie McCarty, who has been visiting her sister at Sherman for the past month returned home today.

Miss Mary Bonner Campbell left this afternoon for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Craft, at Fort Worth.

W. R. Houston, special representative of the Murray Gin Co., of Dallas, is in the city calling on his trade.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fairchild are rejoicing over the birth to them on yesterday of a fine ten-pound baby girl.

John W. Fields of Kell, Oklahoma, was transacting business in the city today.

Mrs. Annie Suddith of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. F. Crawford, of this city.

Messrs. C. B. Farmer, W. B. Hill and Finlay Lipscomb, all of Holliday, are shopping in the city today.

C. L. Fontaine, general freight agent for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, has returned from a trip to St. Louis.

J. W. Taylor, traveling salesman for George D. Barnard & Co., of St. Louis, Mo., is here in the interest of his house.

J. P. Gough has resigned his position at T. B. Noble's store and will spend a vacation of several months at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. J. W. Stone and children left today for Colorado Springs, where they will spend the remainder of the summer months.

The Misses Maude Abernathy and Ruby Roe, two attractive young ladies of Commerce, Texas, who have been visiting friends in this city for some time, returned home today.

The 18-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Boston, living at the corner of Lamar avenue and Ninth street, died last night and was buried this afternoon.

Mrs. A. A. Stevens of Fort Worth, who has been making this city her home for some time, returned to Fort

Worth today, where she will reside in future.

W. D. Bentley, special agent of the United States Department of Agriculture, who has been spending several days with his family, left today for College Station.

R. G. Crane of the Wichita Mill and Elevator Co., left this morning for Higgins, Texas, where he goes to take charge of a mill. Mrs. Crane has gone to Dallas for a visit with relatives.

F. M. Tucker, a well known Wichita county farmer, will leave tomorrow for a visit at his old home at Pittsfield, Ill. He will be accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Stevenson. The Times will follow them and keep them well informed on the happenings of this section.

A yoke of oxen drawing an immigrant wagon attracted considerable attention on the streets this morning. The outfit belonged to an Arkansas family, who had driven the oxen all the way from Arkansas to Southwest Texas. They are now on their way to the Indian Territory.

First National Bank of Burkburnett.

The First National Bank of Burkburnett was opened for business this week and is starting its career with a good patronage. The bank has a capital stock of \$25,000. The directors are J. A. Kemp, J. G. Hardin, H. D. Creath, W. E. Thomas, J. Markowitz, A. Newby and Frank Kell. The officers are J. A. Kemp, president; J. G. Hardin, vice president; H. D. Creath, cashier.

STAMFORD WON.

Shut Out the Locals in a Five Inning Contest.

In order to give the Stamford players an opportunity to catch a train for home, the game this afternoon was called at 1:30 and only five innings were played. Stamford won the game by a score of 1 to 0.

The batteries were—For Wichita Falls, Bunch and Brockman; for Stamford, Deatheridge and Reed.

Taft Will Speak at Oklahoma City.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., July 17.—Secretary Taft has finally arranged to fulfill his promise to make a political speech at Oklahoma City on August 24th, three weeks before the election.

Late Season Forces Out Extraordinary CLOTHING BARGAINS

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