

# Wichita Daily Times.

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Report

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## HUNDRED OUT

MEMBERS OF STEEL CON-  
FEDERATION TO HAVE STRUCK.

## STRIKE ATTEMPTS

Commissioner Neill and Oth-  
er Officials—Both Sides in Con-  
flict—Make Statements.

Aug. 15.—Daniel L. Rus-  
sell, president of the board of strategy  
of the Commercial Telegraphers' Un-  
ion, announced this afternoon that he  
had received a telegram from Chicago  
stating that all the operators  
of the United States Steel  
plant had joined the commercial  
telegraphers' strike. Mr. Russell said  
that about four hundred in-  
dustrial workers employed in the steel  
plant in New York, Chicago,  
St. Louis, and all the other  
plants, and that their joining the  
strike would prove a big blow to the  
company. He called on Attorney  
William S. Jackson and asked  
that he would receive a committee  
of operators to discuss the situation  
and what could be done. Mr.  
Russell said that, in view of the seri-  
ousness of the situation, he had  
threatened the entire na-  
tion with the prolongation of the wire  
strike and would be glad to receive  
representatives and go over every  
part of the strike thoroughly.

At the headquarters of the  
Western Union, three  
operators had joined the ranks  
of the telegraphers' strike. These addi-  
tions to the ranks, said  
Russell, "are due chiefly to the  
desire of the women pickets,  
who have been the hardest workers  
of the strike cause."

Operators from Chicago state that  
the Western Union Com-  
pany has reopened their offices.  
The board of Trade the operators  
are comparatively few in number and  
most of business transacted was  
normal.

Arbitration by Commis-  
sioner Neill and other outside parties  
at the present time have borne no  
fruit.

Statements are Contradictory.  
The contradictory statements make it  
difficult to determine the actual situa-  
tion of the telegraphers' strike. The  
officials at strike headquar-  
ters state that telegraph business is  
being tied up in the West, but  
Commissioner C. Clowry, president of  
the Western Union, and Belvidere,  
general superintendent of its  
division, assert that so far as  
the company is concerned, it is as  
normal as has been called.

It was denied that the company  
was in any trouble or expects any  
trouble. The order of Railway Telegraph-  
ers' strike, he said, "Should they an-  
nounce that they will not handle com-  
munications, we will certainly  
shut them down, but the fact is they  
are not and are handling such busi-  
ness as only in the smaller towns  
that we have use for their  
services."

The situation is serene with us," said  
Mr. Neill, vice president of the  
Telegraph Company. "Steady  
business is being shown and we  
are returning to normal condi-  
tions. It will not be necessary to take  
any more men."

The Farmers' Union picnic at Thorn-  
berry yesterday was attended by over  
three hundred people, among whom  
were a number from our city. Talks  
were made by Prof. Holliday, super-  
intendent of schools in Clay county,  
and Rev. R. E. Farley of this city.  
Musical numbers also were enjoyable  
features of the program. At the noon  
hour a splendid dinner, just the kind  
that has made the women of Thorn-  
berry neighborhood famous in the culi-  
nary art, was spread. Fried chicken  
and watermelons were prominent in the  
menu. Everybody enjoyed the day  
immensely.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Instruments filed in the county  
clerk's office of Wichita county, Tex.:

S. J. Higgs to J. J. Taylor, lot 7 of  
block 192; consideration, \$1,750.00.

J. F. Ellis, et ux., to Moore & Rich-  
olt, lot 6 of block 226; consideration,  
\$500 and assume amount due for mater-  
ial and labor.

R. L. Miller, et ux., to H. L. Bul-  
brook, lot 3 and north half of lot 4 of  
block 4, Jalonic addition; considera-  
tion, \$2,600.

Manager J. L. McConkey of the  
Farmers' Union warehouse and cotton  
gin reports satisfactory progress on  
the new gin, the foundation and frame  
work having already been completed.  
The new cotton gin will be one of the  
largest and most modern in this sec-  
tion of the State. The new gin will  
be a five-stand seventy-saw plant.

We are not the largest people in  
town and have not the largest store,  
nor the largest business, but we do  
treat you proper. King & White.

Rev. A. J. Bush will preach at the  
big campmeeting at Wright's Spring  
tonight. A large number of the Wich-  
ita Falls people will go up to the meet-  
ing tonight on the special train which  
leaves the Katy depot at 7:30 o'clock.

## IN KOOL KOLORADO A BLIZZARD BLEW

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 16.—  
Twenty-four women and twelve men,  
all Eastern tourists stopping at Mani-  
tou, came near dying in a blizzard on  
the summit of Pike's Peak last night  
from cold and exhaustion. As a result  
of their terrible experiences a dozen or  
more of the women are today confined  
to their beds in Manitou hotels and in  
this city.

The party started on burros from  
Manitou at 4 o'clock yesterday after-  
noon to see the sunrise this morning  
from the top of Pike's Peak. As the  
weather was warm and there were no  
indications of a storm, none of the  
men took along overcoats, and but few  
of the women carried more than a  
light summer jacket. The majority of  
the women wore shirtwaists made of  
the lightest material.

All went well and fast time was  
being made up the side of the grand old  
mountain, when suddenly, as the party  
reached Windy Point, two miles from  
the summit, a terrific blizzard swept  
down upon the sightseers from the  
west. The snow was driven in verita-  
ble sheets, completely obscuring the  
sun and forcing the riders to dismount  
from their burros and seek what little  
refuge they could behind the animals,  
while the men grouped to form a row  
and wind break.

The blizzard raged for forty-five min-  
utes, and when it ceased the side of  
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## BY NOVEMBER FIRST

TRAIN SERVICE WILL BE INAUG-  
URATED BY THE W. F. & N. W.

## BOND ISSUE AUTHORIZED

Thirty-Two Miles Will Be Bonded to  
Extent of \$20,000 per Mile.

Messrs. Frank Kell, R. E. Huff and  
Wiley Blair have returned from Altus,  
Oklahoma, where they attended a  
meeting yesterday of the stockholders  
and directors of the Wichita Falls  
and Northwestern railway company of  
Oklahoma. At this meeting the issu-  
ance of stocks and bonds by the com-  
pany to the amount of \$20,000 per  
mile for the thirty-two miles between  
the Red river and Frederick was au-  
thorized. These bonds will bear five  
per cent interest and the proceeds  
from this sale is to be used in com-  
pleting the building of the road into  
Frederick.

Work on the extension from Kell to  
Frederick is being pushed rapidly and  
General Manager Kell expects to have  
the road built to that town and trains  
running by November 1st of this year.  
The grading is now more than two-  
thirds completed.

Altus is now the place of business  
named in the company's charter, but  
for convenience the headquarters were  
changed to Kell.

At the meeting yesterday W. A.  
Stinson of Frederick was elected a  
director in the company in place of  
William Hassock, who has moved from  
Oklahoma.

## COWS HAVE FEVER.

Some Die—Greater Precautions to Be  
Taken—Must Have Vat.

Since a number of the milch cows in  
town have become covered with ticks  
and taken the fever the matter of car-  
ing for them better has become more  
serious, and it is now the effort of  
several of our townsmen to build a  
vat here for the purpose of dipping the  
cattle here.

This is indeed necessary and there  
should be no hesitation in doing it.  
Since our cattle are thus troubled the  
thing to do is to get rid of the ticks,  
and in view of doing so, J. W. Cope  
canvassed the town this week with  
the proposition of a vat for the public,  
giving everyone the privilege of con-  
tributing freely to the cause.

He has succeeded in raising a suf-  
ficient amount and the vat is now be-  
ing built.—Foard County News.

## ICE FAMINE AT HENRIETTA.

Dealers Unable to Secure Shipments,  
and Residents Suffer.

Henrietta, Tex., Aug. 15.—Because  
of the inability of the local dealers to  
secure prompt delivery of ice at this  
place the residence section of Henri-  
etta has been suffering from an ice  
famine for three days past, and that  
with the thermometer at 100 to 104  
degrees in the shade. No relief is in  
sight.

Mr. Denny of Iowa Park has con-  
tracted with A. Reed & Company for  
the construction of two cement block  
business houses in that town. The  
blocks are now being hauled to Iowa  
Park from this city.

A small crowd composed of Senior  
Leaguers enjoyed a pleasant day yester-  
day by attending the picnic at  
Thornberry, given by the Farmers'  
Union of that community.

## A Pretty Wedding.

At the home of the bride's parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clements, on  
Scott avenue, at about 9 o'clock Thurs-  
day night, their daughter, Floy Vir-  
ginia, was united in marriage to Mr.  
H. D. Dodson of this city.

The ceremony was pronounced by  
Rev. Stuckey in the presence of a few  
friends and relatives. Following the  
ceremony elegant refreshments were  
served.

Mr. Dodson and his bride left last  
night for Colorado Springs, where they  
will spend a honeymoon of several  
weeks, after which they will return to  
Wichita Falls to make their home.

Mr. Dodson is an estimable young  
man and is especially popular among  
his fellow railroad men.

Both the bride and groom were born  
and reared in Sherman, where they  
have many friends who will join with  
their friends here in wishing them a  
long and happy union.

## First Load of New Corn.

Mr. G. W. Harrison, who is farming  
on the north side of Lake Wichita, on  
what is known as the Souter farm,  
brought to town today the first load  
of new corn of the 1907 crop. The  
corn was sold for 50 cents per bushel.

Hear Miss Matheny in "Ye Olden  
Time Airs," with banjo accompani-  
ment tonight at the Majestic, near the  
postoffice.

Master Baldwin Montgomery pleas-  
antly entertained thirty-two of his lit-  
tle friends with a party at the home  
of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B.  
Montgomery, on Tenth street, last  
night between the hours of 8 and 10  
o'clock, in honor of his thirteenth  
birthday. A number of delightful  
games contributed to the enjoyment  
of the evening and in the peanut walk  
contest, Edward Gorsline was the suc-  
cessful contestant and Luther Robin-  
son was awarded the booby prize.

## KELL INJUNCTION HEARING SEPT. 18

Lawton, O. T., Aug. 15.—United  
States Judge Gillette has rendered a  
decision in the Kell townsite matter  
wherein a motion was entered praying  
a dissolution of the temporary injunc-  
tion restraining the citizens of Kell  
from occupying a tract of land in the  
Big Pasture. The motion is overruled  
and the following order is made:

"It is further ordered that said de-  
fendants be permitted to occupy the  
tract of land mentioned in said tem-  
porary restraining order, to the extent  
and no more as it was granted, until  
the final hearing of this cause Sept.  
18th, 1907, it being the object of this  
order to preserve said tract of land in  
statu quo, and to prohibit any further  
occupancy by said defendants or either  
of them or their agents, servants or  
employees or any other persons and to  
prohibit the erection of any other  
buildings on said tract of land or any  
additions to those already thereon. It  
is further ordered that this cause, and  
it is hereby assigned for final hearing  
Sept. 18, 1907."

A meeting of the secretaries of the  
commercial organizations of Texas will  
be held at Fort Worth on August 27th.  
A very interesting program has been  
prepared for this meeting. Among the  
names on the program appears that of  
A. E. Myles, secretary of the Wichita  
Falls Chamber of Commerce, who is  
down for a talk on Financial Methods.

## PEACE FOR TRUSTS

REPORT DECLARES ROOSEVELT  
WILL SAY CAMPAIGN IS OVER  
NEXT TUESDAY.

## AN IMPULSE TO MARKET

Prices of Stocks in Wall Street Re-  
spond to Encouraging News.

New York, Aug. 15.—The Herald  
will tomorrow say:

"President Roosevelt will publicly  
announce next Tuesday that the Fed-  
eral government has reached the end  
of its campaign against the big corpo-  
ration or so-called trusts," was the in-  
formation which reached Wall street  
this afternoon. This knowledge was  
gained from advance copies of a  
speech which the president will deliver  
Tuesday at the Pilgrims' celebration  
at Providentown, Mass., which, in  
some manner, found their way into the  
hands of certain powerful Wall street  
houses, and at once caused a marked  
advance in the stock market prices.  
The market had early been demoral-  
ized, in which demoralization the ac-  
tion of the Bank of England in raising  
its discount rate from 4 to 4½ per cent  
materially aided.

The tenor of Mr. Roosevelt's speech  
will be toward calling a halt on further  
strife against the big industrial corpo-  
rations, at least at this time. From the  
same sources it is said that the presi-  
dent will announce a definite policy  
which the administration proposes to  
pursue in its future attitude toward  
corporate interests. This policy, it is  
said, will be to let the fight rest at  
the stage it has already reached, on  
the theory that the purpose which it  
was intended to accomplish has al-  
ready been realized.

Advance copies of a speech which  
Mr. Taft, secretary of war, will make  
at Columbus, Ohio, Monday, have also  
been received in Wall street, indicat-  
ing that, as an official spokesman for  
the administration, he will also an-  
nounce a cessation of hostile action  
against the trusts of the country.

These reports were the first cheer-  
ful information which the financial  
district has received since the recent  
slump began, and served to give im-  
mediate strength to the market, which  
had been demoralized at the opening.  
A bad tone had been given to trading  
also by the failure of Mr. Cortelyou,  
secretary of the treasury, to come to  
the relief of the money market.

Immediately after the outline of  
President Roosevelt's speech had  
reached the street prices began to im-  
prove and advanced from 4 to 5 points  
higher than at the opening. Union  
Pacific rallied from 1.20½ to 1.25½,  
Amalgamated Copper from 65 to 69½,  
and other stocks accordingly. The  
only exception to the general early  
weakness of the market was Interna-  
tional Copper, which opened 2½ points  
higher than yesterday's close, advanc-  
ed nearly another point and then re-  
ceded to a 2-point rise.

The market was also regarded as  
heavily oversold, and this fact figured  
in the upturn of prices. An illustra-  
tion of the immense short interest was  
found in the attempts of one house to  
borrow all available Reading stock  
flat. The only thing that kept the  
bottom from dropping from the mar-  
ket entirely was an agreement made  
after the close yesterday by a number  
of prominent moneyed men to send in  
supporting orders today at the open-  
ing, and this helped to check the de-  
cline.



**MAILS QUICK ENOUGH.**

**Postoffice Department Notes Big Increase in Business.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 14.—The strike of the telegraph operators has resulted in a rich harvest for the postoffice department. The interruption of the telegraph lines has caused an enormous increase in the use of the mails. Reports received in Washington show that the strike has resulted in thousands of business houses using the mails instead of paying higher rates for telegrams that would only be accepted subject to indefinite delay. In some localities this increase in the volume of the mails has been from 20 to 30 per cent. The special delivery branch of the mail service has been the particular beneficiary of the strike.

Postoffice department officials believe this will be of lasting benefit to the government for the reason that business houses will learn by actual experience that much of their business which has been transacted by telegraph can be done almost as quickly and much more cheaply than by the use of the wires.

These officials point out that in some cases the mails are equally as quick as the telegraph. For instance, take the mail service from Washington to adjacent cities. A letter can be sent from Washington to Baltimore and delivered in a fraction over an hour, and the same thing can be done with a letter from Washington to Philadelphia in about three hours, while a letter will travel from Washington to New York in about six hours. A letter will go from Washington to Atlanta in about sixteen hours, while New Orleans can be reached by mail in about thirty-three hours. A letter will go from New Orleans to St. Louis or Cincinnati in twenty-four hours, and it requires only about thirty hours for a letter to travel from New Orleans to Chicago.

With this practical demonstration of the quickness and rapidity with which the mails are handled it is believed here it will bring about a permanent increase in the revenues of the postoffice department and go far toward wiping out the annual postal deficit.

**LEAVES THE PULPIT.**

**That He May Follow Jesus, Said the Pastor in Resigning.**

Portland, Ind., Aug. 16.—Rev. Frederick G. Strickland, pastor of the First Christian church of this city, has tendered his resignation, and in doing so delivered a sensational sermon.

Mr. Strickland began by saying: "The ordinary pastorate is the burial place of a man's individuality," and "it is a well known fact that the pulpit has lost its influence in the affairs of the world. To follow Jesus I must submit to being excluded from the conventional pulpit, even as Jesus was cast out of the synagogue."

In concluding his sermon, he said: "I am glad that I have received the disapproval of our local clergy. Their painstaking omission of myself is a tribute I much appreciate. I do not regret that, by occupying a pulpit, I am classified in the same category."

"I love the Christ who loved the children. I love not a church which is silent when child flesh is ground into profits. So the conventional pulpit is not for me. I am going over to Galilee with my carpenter friend and cast in my lot with the fishermen."

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**ACCIDENTS IN FIRST QUARTER.**

**First Three Months a Decrease.**

Accident bulletin No. 23, recently issued by the interstate commerce commission, for the three months ending March 31st, 1907, shows the total number of casualties to passengers and employes while on duty to have been 20,563, against 20,944 reported in the preceding three months, a decrease of 381. The number of passengers and employes killed in train accidents was 421, and the number injured 4920; being 53 less in the number killed and 20 less in the number injured as compared with those reported in the preceding three months.

The total number of collisions and derailments in the quarter now under review was 3991 (2078 collisions and 1913 derailments), of which 323 collisions and 229 derailments affected passenger trains. The damage to cars, engines and roadway by these accidents amounted to \$3,536,110.

The number of employes killed in coupling accidents in this quarter shows a diminution of 25 per cent, as compared with the quarter last preceding or with that of one year ago. The other principal items in the present record show no important changes as compared with the last preceding quarter, which was marked by large aggregates of both killed and injured. However, the number of passengers now reported killed in train accidents (126) is 30 per cent smaller; but the record includes two collisions and two derailments, killing a total of eighty-two persons.

**Strike Situation at Amarillo.**

A few days ago the Panhandle said that all the telegraph operators of the Western Union in Amarillo were out, having joined the striking operators at other points.

Mr. B. F. Slagle, the manager of the Western Union here, says there is no strike in his office and thinks the Panhandle should correct the statement. He says that he fired one of the three operators of the office for refusing to take messages from non-union men at the other end of the wire and that one other man went out in sympathy with the discharged man. The other operator he says is on the sick list and was laying off part of the time before the strike took effect. The gentleman is able to be about the streets, however, and is not at work. The young man referred to yesterday as a substitute operator is only a counter clerk, and does not work the keys.

"We are able to handle all the telegraph we get," said Manager Slagle, and is giving the Panhandle all the report of the Associated Press that is filed, and is most unimportant, aside from the statements of the strike at different points, which are sent out by the companies, the rest being unimportant foreign telegraph.—Amarillo Panhandle.

**Texas Banks Take High Rank.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 16.—The bank report of the controller of the currency for the month of July shows that there are at present 384 organized national banks in the state of Texas with an aggregate capital of \$17,256,000.

Of that number 250 are banks of less than \$50,000 capital, showing an aggregate capital of \$7,256,000, and 114 are institutions with a capital of \$50,000 or more, which have an aggregate capital of \$10,000,000.

Considering the number of organ-

**Ladies' Shoes**

We have just received a big shipment of our new

**Fall Shoes for Ladies**

The Celebrated "DREW SHOE," a strictly high grade shoe.



**A SWELL SHOWING OF ALL THE NEW LASTS AND STYLES**



**Our New "College Boot" In the Manish Effect is a Beauty.**

Come down and let us fit you before the sizes are broken. We carry them in

**A B C D AND E WIDTHS.**

**ROCK & DUKE**

THE "SHOE STORE" OF WICHITA FALLS

ized banks, Texas is first on the list, with 384, Pennsylvania second with 345, and Illinois third with 202. In total aggregate capital Pennsylvania ranks first with \$25,437,000; Texas second with \$17,256,000, and New York third with \$14,712,500.

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Estimates Cheerfully Furnished

Office on 7th Street, between Indiana and Scott Avenues.

**FOR FIRST-CLASS Plumbing Work of all kinds call on A. L. TOMPKINS, The Plumber.**

He also carries a nice line of water supply goods, bath-tubs, rubber and cotton water hose, etc. Office one door south of Robertson's drug store. Estimates and information on the cost of steam heating furnished on application. Phone 61. WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS.

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Over Trevathan & Bland's Grocery Store.

**The MINNETONKA LUMBER Co.**

For the best grade of all kinds of

**Building Material**

Our stock is all new. Call and

**LET US SHOW YOU. PHONE No. 44**

**ICE! ICE! ICE! Phone No. 6**

We give the best of service. Best quality of ice and guarantee weight. Phone No. 6 for ICE or COAL.

**Wichita Ice Company P. C. MARICLE, Manager.**

JOSEPH A. KEMP, President. P. P. LANGFORD, Cashier. A. NEWBY, Vice President. W. L. ROBERTSON, Ass't 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 grant any favor consistent with sound banking. CALL AND SEE US

**WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS**

**AIR DOME**

A New Program this Evening, Consisting of

"Light house-keepers in a high sea"—colored. "A drunkard in spite of all." "Don't pay rent—move,"—comic. "Lightning sketches by the drawing teacher,"—very funny.

SONGS—"Arrah Wauna," a new Indian song. "The Serpent and the dove."

**COME and see the BEST PROGRAM we have yet had.**



# TO MAKE ROOM

We will make some very Strong Cuts throughout our store for next week

Commencing Monday, August 5th,

And continuing for the week. The prices made must be accompanied by the cash

|   |         |   |
|---|---------|---|
| All our 10 1/4c Lawns sale price            | 5c      | <b>SKIRTS.</b><br>We offer the following reductions in Ladies Skirts:<br>Lot 1 consists of several styles. \$5.00, former price, reduced to <b>\$2 50</b><br>All \$4.50 Skirts go in sale at <b>\$2 25</b><br>All \$4.00 Skirts go in sale at <b>\$2 00</b><br>All \$3.50 Skirts go in sale at <b>\$1 75</b><br>All \$3.00 Skirts go in sale at <b>\$1 50</b><br>The prices on these lots of goods are less than the price of the raw material. |
| All our 14 1/2c Lawns sale price            | 6 1/2c  |   |
| All our 15c Lawns sale price                | 7 1/2c  |   |
| All our 20c Lawns sale price                | 10c     |   |
| All our 25c Lawns sale price                | 12 1/2c |   |
| All our 25c Tishu Ging-hams                 | 12 1/2c |   |
| All our 65c Tishu Ging-hams                 | 32 1/2c |   |
| All our 65c Silk Ging-hams                  | 32 1/2c |   |
| Many other reductions in these departments. |         |   |

A lot of odds and ends in Men's Suits and pants at half the marked price. Many new goods in early fall purchasing are now arriving. Hence we make these sacrificing prices in order to make room.

YOURS TO PLEASE,

# W. E. Skeen

## RIVAL OF BURBANK.

Success of David Jagers. Who Teaches Indians Gardening.

### HAS GROWN ODORLESS ONIONS

During Many Years' Residence Among Cherokees Aged Plant Wizard Has Perfected Many New Varieties of Flowers and Vegetables.

The Cherokee Indians claim a close rival to Luther Burbank, writes a Collinsville (I. T.) correspondent of the Kansas City Star. The achievements of this strange and heretofore unheard of plant wizard among the Indians read like a romance, but the existence of immense orchards and flower and vegetable gardens proves his service among these people for the past fifty-seven years.

David Jagers, an Englishman by birth and education, is the greatly beloved and highly prized man among the Cherokees. He is now in his eighty-sixth year. His experimental station is situated just outside the corporate limits of Collinsville, where he has worked for the past eight years with wonderful success. He formerly lived in the Spavinaw hills, in the eastern part of the Cherokee Nation. It was only a few days ago that his ten acre patch of ground was found to contain numerous strange and curious plants and flowers which entitle this man to a high place in the world of plant growing and breeding.

Among the number of new vegetables produced by "Uncle David," as the Indians call him, is a perfect cross between an ordinary turnip and a cabbage. He has also an entirely new variety of onion. The onion is very much larger than the ordinary variety and is entirely odorless. It is sweet and perfectly free from the usual hot taste. The product has only recently been found by Mr. Jagers to be a perfect onion, which he says has cost him more than twenty years' labor to bring about. It was produced from crossing with a wild variety which grows along the streams in the early springtime. This onion, which is small in its wild state, was successfully crossed with the Bermuda onion and recrossed many times with the native onion of the United States.

In the "Wizard of Oz Gardens," as the white people call his place, are to be found hundreds of varieties of flowers and vegetables. The Cherokees have profited by the long and untiring energies of this grand old man. He has ever stood ready to assist the Indians in horticulture and agricultural pursuits. During a recent visit of C. A. McNabb, secretary of the Oklahoma board of agriculture, who is an expert orchardist, he said the orchards of Cherokee Indians were a revelation to him. He expressed the opinion that within five years these people would be in a position to teach their pale-face brothers the art of peach, pear and apple growing.

Discussing the Cherokees and their assistance in his work of scientific plant culture, Mr. Jagers said:

"When I came among these Indians in 1850 they were very friendly and fully alive to their own best interests. They became interested in my work from the very start, and I have always found them ready and willing to provide the necessary funds with which to carry on my experiments. They at first regarded me with more or less suspicion, and some of them even believed that I was a sort of conjurer, but they soon learned that I was working for their welfare, and all doubts about my intentions were dispelled.

"The combination turnip and cabbage is the result of nearly twenty-five years' careful study and much labor. Had it not been for a few bad boys the world would still be in ignorance of the vegetable. The boys climbed over my high board fence and in the darkness took several and sold them to Mrs. White, proprietor of the Hotel London. The traveling men said the combination was a most delicious dish, and they told several newspaper men about it. This is how I learned that boys had entered my garden at night."

#### Indians Becoming Baptists.

Eight hundred persons, Indians and whites, recently attended the annual meeting of the Indian Baptist Missionary association of Oklahoma, says the Kansas City Star. More than half of the Comanche tribe of Indians, over which Quannah Parker is chief, belong to the Baptist church. The other half are followers of the chief and have as their religion the eating of the mescal bean. Quannah sends to old Mexico for his religious drug and then distributes it among his disciples free of cost. This mescal bean after it is prepared by the medicine men is a highly intoxicating beverage, acting upon the user something like morphine or whisky. While the recent revival meeting was in progress the Comanche leader came by the mission. He sent his message to his people asking them to embrace the faith as taught by the Christian religion.

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### The Turn in the Lane.

"It is a long lane that has no turn," says the proverb. It looked for years as if the Standard Oil Company was an exception to the rule; it violated every law, human and divine; it bankrupted rivals and impoverished producers; it extorted from the public; it coerced railroads into violation of state and federal statutes; it overawed courts and subsidized churches, colleges and the press. But the turn has come at last, and it is a sharp turn, too. Judge Landis gave the company the full limit of the law and expresses regret that imprisonment can not be added. The fine of \$29,240,000 is nearly thirty times the capital stock of the subordinate corporation through which the Standard acted, and is about equal to eight months' dividends of the big company. But the moral influence of the fine is still more important; other judges will take notice and the judge who shows leniency will have to explain why. It is the beginning of the end. The giant conspirator against law and morals has been brought to bay and the people breathe a sigh of relief. Judge Landis has earned a nation's gratitude.

Just as the fine is imposed the head of the bureau of corporations files a report denying in detail the arguments presented in defense of the Standard Oil's monopoly. It is shown that it has raised prices instead of lowering them and that it has prevented the people from getting the full benefit of improved processes of manufacture. Stripped of the deceptive arguments which it has spread broadcast it stands forth convicted of about every crime in the catalogue.

And the man whose cunning planned it all what a pitiful figure! The lesson his life teaches will not be lost on the country.

"What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"—The Commoner.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, August 16, 1907.

## SMALL WHITE PEOPLE GOVERN OKLAHOMA?

An election is to be held in Oklahoma on September 17th. The Democratic party carried the last election by an enormous majority, electing one hundred out of one hundred and thirteen delegates to the Constitutional Convention. After the election the Democrats adopted a constitution that won the commendation of all fair-minded people everywhere. Among other good things which this constitution adopted by the Democrats calls for is separate schools for white and negro children. While there are other features adopted to which the administration at Washington objects, it is making a fight and threatening to deny statehood to Oklahoma unless the separate school clause is modified. That is the issue and the election on September 17th. will be fought out along that line. The Republicans are backed by the special interests and public service corporations of the State and the nation, with every Federal official in the vicinity is actively engaged in a most desperate effort to bring about a Republican victory. The Republicans have at their command for use in this coming election an enormous campaign fund—more, in fact, than is required to defray the legitimate expenses of the election, should they be required to pay them. The Democrats are almost without funds, but the decent, self-respecting white people are with them in this fight. In order, however, to make a Democratic victory sure and certain, it is necessary for the party to be supplied with a sufficient amount of funds to meet all legitimate expenses. The chairman of the party, Ed. O. Cassidy, of Oklahoma City, has made an appeal to Democrats everywhere for a small contribution to pay the expense of the campaign. This appeal should be responded to liberally by all who have money to spare and who believe the white race of American people is superior to the negro race and that the white children should not be forced to attend mixed schools in order to obtain the benefits of the State school fund. Let's help the Oklahoma Democrats in their worthy fight, and if they win the victory will be one in which we all can rejoice.

### Warning!

All persons are hereby notified that they must use water for sprinkling purposes only between the hours of 8 and 9 a. m. and 6 and 9 p. m. All persons violating this order will have their water cut off without notice and the water will not be turned on again until a fine of \$1 is paid for turning the water off and on. Wichita Falls Water and Light Co. Chas. A. Malone, manager.

Nothing better than Ben Hur coffee in 2-lb cans. Try a can and be convinced. King & White. d&w-ff

## IN KOOL KOLORADO A BLIZZARD BLEW

(Continued from Page 1.)

the mountain and trail were covered to a depth of from one to two feet. The women of the party had become thoroughly chilled and many of them had to be lifted into the saddles of the burros and strapped and tied on to prevent them from falling off. A number of the fair tourists fainted and were given whiskey to revive them. The men of the party held a brief consultation and decided that it would be wiser to continue the journey to the top of the peak than to attempt to return to Manitou, twelve miles away. The burros, with their chilled and exhausted human loads, were started toward the top, but the trail was so filled with snow that progress was slow.

Finally, at a midnight, five hours after the blizzard struck Windy Point, the party reached the Summit House, more dead than alive. The travelers found the doors of the Summit House locked and bolted and the heavy wooden blinds at the windows closed from within. The keeper of the house was absent and it was impossible to secure entrance.

The members of the party were compelled to seek shelter during the long, cold hours of the night on different sides of the building, being forced frequently to change their positions as the wind shifted.

See the German novelty china now on display at the Nickel Store. Mrs. L. B. Hardesty. 80-3t

## Confederate Flags.

A rare collection of relics to be seen in Bowie during the reunion next week will be the old Confederate battle flags carried by Texas companies during the war. These flags are now at Austin and are those returned by the United States to the states to which they belonged during the war, in 1905.

The following letter, a copy of which was forwarded to Col. J. A. Cummins, is the official permit by which authority the announcement is made:

Executive Office, State of Texas, Aug. 10th, 1907. Hon. George Jackson, Fort Worth, Texas. Dear Sir:—The governor directs me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 5th inst., requesting that the old flags returned by the United States government to Austin, be sent to the reunion at Bowie, Texas. Colonel Phelps, assistant adjutant general, has been requested to take these flags in charge and deliver them to the proper authorities at Bowie. Yours very truly,

R. M. BARTON,  
Private Secretary.

## LOCAL OPTION ELECTION.

Haskell Citizens Will Vote on the Matter August 31st.

Haskell, Tex., Aug. 15.—An election has been ordered by the commissioners court under the local option law. The voting is to occur August 31st. At the last term of the county court there were five convictions for violation of the local option law, which has been in force about three years in the county, and it is thought that this new brought about the election which has just been ordered.

Ask your friend about the Majestic.

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that there never was a good article put on the market that was not *imitated*. We all know that imitations are never so good as the genuine and in Ranges and Stoves it was never more emphatically demonstrated than in the case of the **Majestic Range and Bridge & Beach Stoves.**

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### KERR & HURSH

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With the ready-made suit you buy from the dealer in clothing and you will readily see the difference. We made clothes that will stand up under hard usage, and while the price may be a little higher, the quality of the goods is superior, and you have the satisfaction of wearing a neat fitting, dressy suit that was cut and tailored for yourself. A suit that we build for you, with ordinary care, will outwear two of the ready-made kind.

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## A Few Suggestions From the Pure Food Grocery

### How to get a Cup of Coffee that Just Suits You:

It's not so easy as it sounds, for you may get a package of a certain brand that will make just the kind of a drink you like and you will think to yourself, "Well, at last I've got the coffee I've been looking for so long." But wait—the next time you get a package of that same brand maybe it doesn't seem like the same goods at all.

Here's the trouble.

The manufacturers of that brand did not use all the care they should have used in buying the raw coffee, and possibly by mistake, got a lot of inferior material into their product. You were disappointed.

The selecting of the raw coffee is just as important in making a good cup of coffee as the selection of the wheat in making a loaf of good bread.

That's why such special care is taken in Spurr's buying department. They reject a whole lot more coffee than they accept, simply because it is not up to Spurr's standard and it must be of superior quality to receive Spurr's brand. This means that if you buy a tin of Spurr's Mocha and Java coffee now, another in a month from now, or a year from now, the quality will be identical. A uniformly good coffee like this cannot fail to suit you.

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50c Poro's Knit Underwear in shirt only, per garment 38c, two for... **75c**

1.50 Pongee Soft Shirts, cuffs and collars attached; the ideal shirt for hot weather, for this week's selling each... **\$1 29**

1.25 Pongee Shirts and our leader at this price; move out... **98c**

2.25 Men's Soft Silk Shirts, collar and cuffs attached, to close the line this week choice... **\$1 95**

1.00, 1.25 and 1.50 Elgin, Manhattan and Star Shirts, neat patterns in stripes, figures and dots, collars and cuffs detached, choice this week only... **75c**

65c Men's Negligee Shirts, light grounds in figures, checks and dots choice while they last... **50c**

Men's Summer Suits, cut low. See window for prices.

### Ladies' Dress Goods.

17 1/2 and 18c Tissues and Zephyr Suitings, just the thing for fall school dresses, move out price... **13c**

25c Mercerized Batists in checks and plaids, very stylish for waists and mid-season costumes, on sale this week, per yard... **19c**

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15c A. F. C. Amoskeag Zephyr Gingham. Better hurry if you want these goods at per yard... **10c**

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### TO DINE WELL EAT PEANUTS.

More Food in Them Than in a Big Porterhouse, Says Professor.

Professor N. E. Jaffa, the nutrition expert of the State university at Berkeley, Cal., has issued a bulletin saying 10 cents' worth of peanuts contain more protein than a meal of roast beef and six times the amount of energy involved in a big fat porterhouse steak.

Professor Jaffa punctures the old idea that salt eaten with nuts makes them more easily digested, says a Berkeley dispatch to the New York World. He also explains why nuts seem to upset the digestive organs.

"With the exception perhaps of dried beans and cheese no food material has such a reputation for indigestibility," he says. "Discomfort from nuts is largely due to insufficient mastication and from eating them when not needed, as after a hearty meal or late at night."

### New Coaling Record.

A new coaling record under war conditions has been made by the British battleship "Venerable," 1,650 tons being taken on board in four working hours—an average of 412.5 tons an hour.

The Lawton baseball team is expected to arrive tonight for the series of three games with the local team. This series of games is attracting more interest than any that has been played here this season. An excursion will be run from Kell over the Northwestern on Sunday and large crowds are expected to come in from the surrounding towns.

### Fence Cutting in Haskell.

Haskell, Tex., Aug. 15.—Night before last some maliciously inclined person cut the field fences of J. D. Stodghill, a farmer living about twelve miles south of Haskell on Paint creek, in about forty places. This is the first thing of this kind known to have ever occurred in this county.

### Latter Day Saints' Meeting.

There will be preaching by the Latter Day Saints, commonly called Mormons, at the court house at 8 o'clock p. m., on the following dates: Friday, the 16th; Saturday, the 17th; Monday, the 19th; Tuesday, the 20th and Wednesday, the 21st. All persons are cordially invited to attend these meetings. **—It**

### Notice, Modern Woodmen.

There will be a regular meeting of Camp No. 12,006 M. W. of A. tonight. The secret work of the order will be exemplified. All members are requested to be present.

C. B. McCONNELL, Consul.

E. A. HALEY, Clerk.

August 16th, 1907.

Good butter, good cheese, good Swift's hams and breakfast bacon and many other good things at King & White's. **d&w-tf**

A meeting of the school board will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon to determine the date of opening the school for the fall term.

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### Newsy Notes.

Well, the Filipinos are learning. The election of a noted criminal to the new legislature has been chronicled.

An Iowa man proposes to organize an association of weather prophets. A sort of rival to the Ananias Club. It is presumed.

An English statesman charges an adversary with indulging in "transparent mendacity." A shorter and uglier word would express it better.

The preparations for Buffalo's "Old Home Week" must be interesting to the ex-bank officials who are now living "just across the border" in Canada.

Now that the cornerstone is laid it is to be hoped that the Carnegie peace palace can be furnished without becoming involved in a labor war.

It is suspected that a Philadelphia politician was in charge of the political campaign of some of the Filipino crooks who were elected to the legislature.

Mr. Grover Cleveland is this country's greatest safety valve. When things get too warm in politics Mr. Cleveland comes along with a soothing article on fishing.

A great statistician has estimated that the paupers cost the country six billions of dollars annually. We are afraid that the professor has counted in the cost of the idle rich.

The Republicans of Oklahoma have nominated a man named Turk for governor. Let us hope that if elected he will have a more successful administration than Abdul Hamid.

The copperhead snake who killed four Kentuckians by crawling into a keg of beer and dying there, has furnished the prohibitionists with another incident to point a moral and adorn a tale.

Georgia will be as dry as a bone legally after January 1st. This means that the thirsty will appeal to a well known variety of the "unwritten law" in order to obtain their usual supply of liquor rations.

"Political parties do not nominate their greatest men for the presidency of the United States," admonishes the Denver Post. This suggestion is probably thrown out for what it is worth as a balm for those whose booms meet an early and killing frost.

Standard Oil seems to be a regular target for the government shooters to practice on.

It remains for Staunton, Va., to institute the new system of catching a burglar by telephone.

Georgia is planning to abolish at the same time the little brown jug and the big black yoter.

Waiting for the presidential nomination to hunt the man isn't noticeable nor fashionable these days.

In spite of the steady work of bomb throwers, there are still a few unkilld Russian generals dodging around.

Governor Cummings is making a tour of the Middle States exhibiting "in his great show" the Iowa tariff-revision idea.

Railroads and other corporations may as well understand that the old "public be d—n" system is about at an end.

An Ohio man has got out a court paper for the return of his mother-in-law. The mother-in-law is evidently no joke in Ohio.

When a New York butler can retire with \$100,000, it indicates that prosperity has trickled right down through the population.

The navy not having any trusts to "bust," Acting Secretary Newberry is firing some grandstand broadsides at the junk dealers.

It is noticed with regret that New York's all night police court is crowded with business. Prosperity of this sort can't be commended.

A summer "scientist" asserts that people think with their fingers and toes. Some of their thoughts sound as if they were think that way.

Mr. Pritchard seems to have arrived to the conclusion that in North Carolina it is necessary to do more than

merely make a noise like a Federal Judge.

France claims to be far ahead of this country when it comes to pumping water out of stocks. Perhaps; but this country holds the record for the ability to pump it in.

A lunatic who escaped from the Middleton, N.Y., asylum has been mailing back souvenir post cards from every station. No doubt about his being crazy.

John L. Sullivan has contributed an article on "How to Live a Hundred Years" to the publication named "What to Eat." Presumably he failed to locate one named "What to Drink."

So many men are being killed by the strenuous life that Dr. Evans predicts that Chicago will soon be an "Adamless Eden." It may be Adamless, but it is hard to imagine Chicago as an Eden.

Refused His Mother's Death Message.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 15.—William Reynolds, railway operator at Mapleton near Sioux City on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul refused yesterday to take a telegram from a non-union operator at Cedar Rapids. Later he was called up on long distance telephone and told that his mother was dead at Cedar Rapids. This was the message he refused by telegraph.

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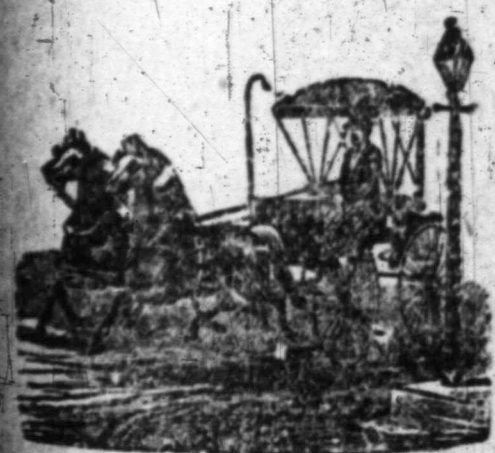
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I am managing a plumbing shop here for my boys. I know where all the mains and cutoffs are and can save you money on your plumbing and pipefitting. Respectfully,  
29-1f J. L. MOORE, The Plumber.

#### Boll weevil Catching.

Twenty-five cents a hundred is being paid by farmers in some sections of Texas for cotton boll weevils, says an Austin (Tex.) special to the New York Times. Boll weevil catching has become quite an industry, and those who are engaged in the work are doing a profitable business. A good boll weevil hunter is able to capture at least 2,000 of the insects in a day. Planters who have adopted this method of eradicating the pest say it is well worth the cost. A few thousand boll weevils in an acre of cotton may cause a loss of the whole crop.

#### Costly Enthusiasm.

"Well, doctor, you've saved my wife's life. There can be no doubt of that. How much do I owe you?"  
"I'm going to charge you the full price. I generally find it necessary to make big discounts in such cases, but you appear to be really glad."—Chicago Record-Herald.

#### Prefer the Modests.

"Well," remarked the observant young man, "there's only one funny thing about self made men."  
"What's that?" demanded his friend.  
"They seldom have daughters who care for self made dresses."—Philadelphia Press.

#### Better Not.

Mrs. Henry—Did you go around saying you were a henpecked husband?  
Mr. Henry—Oh, how could I?  
Mrs. Henry—You could, all right, but I was just wondering if you'd have the nerve to do it.

#### The Difference.

Harry—Do you know the difference between capital and labor? Jack—No, Harry—Well, if I loaned you 25 cents, that would be capital, and if I tried to get it back, that would be labor.

#### The Debutante's Catechism.

(To be carefully committed to memory by young girls who are entering on their first season.)

Question—Who are you?

Answer—A society debutante.

Q.—What is a society debutante?

A.—A girl of 18 who is going through the important process of being brought out.

Q.—Who brings you out?

A.—My mother.

Q.—For what purpose?

A.—For the purpose of what is technically termed "getting me off."

Q.—Explain the meaning of this technical term of "getting you off."

A.—It means me to convey me bodily with all my contingent advantages, and expenses of maintenance to the first eligible man who is willing to take an assignment of the property.

Q.—What is an eligible man?

A.—A man begins to be eligible at \$50,000 a year, and his eligibility increases upward in arithmetical progression.

Q.—Of what age is the eligible man?

A.—He may be of any age from 20 to 80.

Q.—Of what appearance is he?

A.—He may be of any appearance from a Belvidere Apollo to an orang-outang. But he more often inclines toward the latter appearance.

Q.—Of what character is he?

A.—He may be of good character, or, as is more frequently the case, of no character.

Q.—Of what nationality is he?

A.—The eligible man may be of any nationality (which is more usual) a conglomeration of all the nationalities from Palestine westward.

Q.—What is a society wedding?

A.—A ceremony in the course of which, amid the most sacred surroundings, and the most solemn formula, the greatest possible amount of lies and perjury is compressed into the smallest possible compass of words.

Q.—Where are these perjuries committed?

A.—At the altar of a smart church.

Q.—By whom are they committed?

A.—By the bridegroom and the bride, who in the name of God make all sorts of solemn promises that they have no intention whatever of carrying out.

Q.—Is there any sin in committing perjury under such conditions?

A.—There is no sin, but rather a virtue in so doing.

Q.—By what proofs can you support this?

A.—By the presence and approval of my dear father and mother and by the benediction of the bishop or other ecclesiastical dignitary, who performs the ceremony.

Q.—What is a heart?

A.—An internal organ connected with the circulation of the blood.

Q.—What is love?

A.—A form of mental disease, described by poets and writers of fiction but only prevalent in the present day among the lower orders.—London Truth.

#### Youth Drowned at Hereford.

Special to the Times.

Amarillo, Tex., Aug. 15.—Word was received here yesterday of the drowning near Hereford of Earl Kibbe, in a prairie lake south of that place. It seems that Kibbe, with some companions, had been in swimming in the place known as Jumbo lake. Through some accident he lost control of himself in the water and sank before assistance could reach him. Parties in automobiles left Hereford as soon as the news was received to go to the scene of the accident, about ten miles south of the town.

Kibbe was about 17 years old and was the son of one of the oldest and best known families of the Hereford country.

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# PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ashmore visited at Fort Worth yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Kemp has returned from Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mrs. J. H. Guinn is visiting relatives at Memphis, Texas, this week.

J. E. Bowen has returned from a business trip to Corpus Christi.

Miss Maud Davis of Calvert is visiting Mrs. W. L. Robertson of this city.

B. F. Suter of Lawton, Okla., is transacting business in this city today.

The Misses Kahn of Dallas are being entertained by Mrs. Alex Kahn of this city this week.

Ralph Root of Dallas is in town today looking after his business interests in this section.

W. E. Rock returned yesterday from St. Louis, where he had gone to buy goods for his firm.

Mrs. A. J. Wyatt and two children of Arkansas are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bland of this city.

H. H. Bishop, a prominent farmer of the Thornberry neighborhood, was a caller at the Times office today.

J. C. Doneghy left today for Muskogee and other points in the Indian Territory to look after business interests.

Mrs. M. E. Sherman of Whitesboro, accompanied by her mother, is visiting with Mrs. W. E. Rock, Jr., of this city.

V. E. Stampfl, who has been confined to his room for the past week, is able to be at his place of business today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robertson and little daughter of San Angelo are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson of this city.

W. E. Skeen returned last night from St. Louis, where he had been for the past two weeks selecting goods for his establishment.

Henry Brockreider of Specht's Colony was in town today and says prospects for a fine yield of corn and cotton in his immediate vicinity were never better than now.

Miss Dosta Shaw of Cotulla, Texas, who has been visiting relatives in Colorado and California for the past month, arrived here yesterday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. E. Rock, Jr.

Miss Nellie Trevathan has returned from her home in Arkansas and will visit with her brother, Mr. S. E. Tre-

vathan, and her sister, Mrs. J. M. Bland. She will attend school here during the fall and winter sessions.

The City Council will meet in special session tonight to audit the report of City Tax Collector J. W. Lee.

Don't forget us when wanting celery. We have the best grown in Colorado. **TREVATHAN & BLAND.**

C. W. Bean and others have chartered a special train to run to the camp meeting at Wright's Spring next Sunday morning.

Charmed with the Majestic—everybody. 8:30 and 9:30 p. m.

## Excursion!

Attend the Camp Meeting at

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Sunday, Aug. 18th

Excursion over the W. F. & N. W. Railway. Train leaves M. K. & T. Depot at Wichita Falls at 10 a. m., returning leave Wright's Spring at 9:30 p. m.

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The ladies of the First M. E. church are preparing for their annual school children's bazaar the first week in September.

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