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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1907

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FURTHER LOANS

DEPENDENT CALVIN CONFIRMS REPORT THAT UNION WILL NOT MAKE FURTHER LOANS.

STRINGENCY OF MONEY

Given as the Cause of the Action. Local Interests Not Directly Affected.

Wichita, Tex., Oct. 23.—The report that the Farmers' Union Cotton Company will not loan any more money on cotton for the present has been confirmed by an interview with Manager Calvin.

It is stated that the apparent stringency in the money market has been responsible for the action on the part of the company, and while it is claimed that it does not necessarily mean that the farmers will stop the storing of their products, it is conceded that the farmers will not feel disposed to hold their cotton unless they can, at the same time, procure an advance of a portion of its value.

There are approximately 275 warehouses in Texas, and it is estimated that the amount of cotton stored away for the purpose of holding for the maximum price agreed upon at the convention held recently in Little Rock will aggregate more than 200,000 bales, although Mr. Calvin does not care to confirm this report.

When asked about the matter, Mr. Calvin confirmed the report received in this city this morning that the note had been given.

He did not care to discuss the matter in detail, but stated that the banks had practically shut down on further loans for the present. He said:

"We have simply decided that we cannot loan any more money on cotton for the present. The truth of the matter is that the farmers have been shipping their cotton to our warehouses in such great quantities that we are unable to keep up with their demands."

"The banks are loaded up with cotton certificates and they do not feel disposed to advance any more funds. We had arrangements made for a line of money that we supposed would carry us through the season, but we find there is a tightness in the money market, and communications have been received from the banks in New York to the effect that they do not care to turn loose any more money for the purpose of helping out the cotton farmers of the South."

From a reliable source it was learned that there is between \$75,000,000 and \$100,000,000 tied up in the cotton product, which has been held or marketed, and while it is not believed that the bankers of the country have a design to force the crop into the market at a sacrifice, it is argued that the money is needed in other channels and that the banks cannot afford to permit it to be confined longer to the one industry.

Notice.

On and after November 1, 1907, we will do a strictly cash business only. Drivers will not be authorized to leave bundles unless paid for. For the convenience of patrons who desire them, copy books will be sold. The Wichita Falls Laundry Co. 138-9t

Northbound freight No. 19 on the Fort Worth and Denver is reported to have gone into the ditch at some point north of Childress last night, but so far as has been learned, no one was injured. The early morning passenger train, due here at about 2:35 a. m., was laid out by the wreck and did not arrive here until noon today.

Our whole wheat flour is made from select wheat, ground by our own mill and is absolutely pure. A 6-lb package for 25c. Try it.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Olympic Passion Play and Holy City, accompanied by a song, only 10 cents, and every cent remains in your pocket.

Dr. and Mrs. Miller Entertain.

The Miller home was the scene of two very enjoyable parties on Tuesday. In the afternoon Mrs. Miller entertained a number of ladies at "500."

The house was made unusually attractive with a profusion of handsome fall roses, found in all of the rooms. After an enthusiastic game, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Young, served an elaborate luncheon of salads, ices and cakes.

Mrs. Gorsline received the souvenir, a pretty bowl, in a cut with Mrs. Collier.

Those present were Mesdames Darnell, McGregor, Walsh, Gorsline, Duke, Blair, Zundelowitz, Woodward, Ly-saght, Lobdell, Simpson, Ausbury, Collier, Marcus, Campbell, T. B. Smith, Goetz, T. W. Roberts, Ogston, Kemp, Young, Montgomery, Burnside, Misses Anderson, Chamberlin, Coons, Kemp and Mary Anderson.

In the evening Dr. and Mrs. Miller entertained a few devotees of "42," Mrs. Farris making the high score.

The players were Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Farris, Mr. and Mrs. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Noble, and Miss Minnie Young.

A Note of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks through the Daily Times to those who so generously pounded us on last Wednesday evening, and also to the Home Mission Society for the beautiful stove placed in the dining room. While we highly appreciate these tokens of esteem we appreciate far more the motive that prompted them. May the blessings of the Giver of all good and perfect gifts ever rest upon them, together with the whole church and the community at large.

REV. and MRS. STUCKEY.

The Passion Play and the Holy City hand colored, at the Majestic tonight, is an entirely new film.

REDEEMS PLEDGE

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE RAISES \$1,000 FOR FARMERS' UNION WAREHOUSE.

A LARGER BOND ISSUE

Bearing Higher Rate of Interest for Sewer Improvement is Recommended by Business Men.

A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, which was attended by a fair representation of the membership, was held yesterday afternoon, at which several matters of importance were taken up for discussion.

The first matter to be brought up was a pledge given last spring to the Farmers' Union Warehouse people to donate \$1,000 toward the erection of the warehouse. A subscription paper was circulated and within less than five minutes \$750 of this amount had been pledged. A committee was appointed to raise the remainder of the amount.

Mayor Noble was next called upon to state the situation with reference to the sewer improvement. He said that the engineer would not make his report on the estimated cost of the sewer until October 25th and that until that time no action could be taken by the council. He said that the engineer thought it probable that the sewer would cost more than \$20,000 authorized for its expenditure, and that the bonds would probably have to be sold at a higher rate than 4 per cent. After a short discussion a motion that it be taken as the sense of the Chamber of Commerce that the City Council be asked to order another election, if necessary, for the purpose of voting \$25,000 for the construction of the sewers and that the bonds be sold at 5 per cent if it was found they could not be sold at the lower rate.

At this meeting a memorial to the City Council was adopted requesting that body to attempt to have the numbering of the houses completed within the next thirty days, so that steps could be taken to secure free mail delivery.

GERMANY IS WINNER

DUESSELDORF LANDS NEAR DOVER, DEL., AFTER FLIGHT OF ABOUT 800 MILES.

CLOSE OF BALLOON RACE

Which Started From St. Louis is Marked With Great Interest.

By Associated Press. St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 23.—Great interest prevails here as the end of the balloon race approaches. The opinion is that the German balloon, Pommeran, having covered a distance of 890 miles, holds first place in the race. The other German contestant, Dusseldorf, with a distance of 825 miles to her credit, is apparently second.

German Balloon Has Landed.

By Associated Press. Asbury Park, N. J., Oct. 23.—The German balloon, Pommeran, from St. Louis, Mo., landed here at about 9 a. m. today.

Anchored on Lake St. Clair.

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., Oct. 23.—A balloon was reported anchored this morning on the farm of John R. Rhode at Anchorville on Lake St. Clair, forty miles above Detroit.

Seen in York County.

By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—A balloon passed over York county between 5 and 6 o'clock this morning. It almost alighted at one point, but later drifted about for awhile and then caught a favorable current and rose to a considerable height and continued its eastward flight.

Seen at Philadelphia.

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23.—One of the balloons which left St. Louis on October 21st passed over the northwestern section of this city about 7 o'clock this morning. It was believed to be the German balloon Pommeran. At 7:15 it was reported as passing over Beverly, N. J., going directly east. Beverly is about twenty miles north east of Philadelphia.

American Balloon Has Lighted.

By Associated Press. Baltimore, Md., Oct. 23.—The American balloon, St. Louis, with Captains Hawley and Post on board, has landed about a mile south of Westminster.

By Associated Press. Dover, Del., Oct. 23.—The German balloon, Dusseldorf, landed in a little creek three miles from this city this morning.

SPEEDING TOWARD WASHINGTON.

Scheduled to Arrive at Capital at 4 O'clock.

By Associated Press. Monroe, Va., Oct. 23.—President Roosevelt's train passed here at 10:45 this morning, on time, due to arrive at Washington at 4 p. m.

A great treat at the Majestic tonight. The Holy City in moving tableaux and Passion Play, hand colored.

What Are Your ??? Wants ???

IF you want to rent a house
Or have a house for rent
IF you want to rent rooms
Or have rooms to rent
IF you want real estate
Or have real estate for sale
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You can quickly let everybody know it by using the Want Ad. columns of The Times. It's Best, Cheapest, Quickest.

Burkburnett Items.

Special to the Times.

Burkburnett, Tex., Oct. 23.—Rev. A. J. Bush of the Falls is preaching a series of sermons at this place.

H. L. Hollister, formerly agent of the Fort Worth and Denver railway at the Falls is in town checking up the agent of the Northwestern. Mr. T. B. Holt, cotton buyer with F. C. Cooper, Gainesville, Texas, was in town yesterday to receive cotton purchased of S. N. Lawler and G. W. Wigham.

The gin at this place reports 525 bales ginned to date. The box supper given Saturday night at Burkburnett school house showed a net profit of \$42.00.

Dock Weaver is reported to be dangerously ill with slow fever. A Mr. Proctor from Alvord is putting in a telephone exchange and expects to have it in operation by November 18th.

The carpenters, painters and paper hangers are working day and night here.

Home seekers continue to come here. Mr. Haley is having a beautiful residence erected.

Uncle Lee McMurtry shipped two cars of cattle to the Fort Worth market Saturday.

Saturday, the 26th, is Traders' Day in Burkburnett. Everybody come. Ball game in the afternoon. Ye editor, come out and we will show you much joy. MONT MORENCI.

Cotton was selling around 10% on a middling basis this morning in Wichita Falls. The buyers are staying on the safe side in view of the heavy declines in the big markets, and are taking a rather pessimistic view of the situation. Ten-cent cotton is predicted before the end of the week.

The Olympic shows the Passion Play for 10 cents.

CHURCH ORGANIZED

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH NEWEST RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATION HERE.

THE REGULAR SERVICES

Will Be Held at Court House Every Sunday—Handsome Church Structure to be Erected.

At a meeting of the resident members of the Methodist Episcopal church at the court house in this city Tuesday night it was decided to organize a church in this city and a meeting will be held in the near future at which a permanent organization of the congregation will be made.

The church will start off with a good sized membership. For the present meetings will be held every Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and will be in charge of Rev. R. E. Farley.

The church will be made a regular station and a regular pastor will be in charge.

After the annual conference in Dallas on November 21st, when full authority will be granted the congregation, a handsome church edifice will be built on the site now owned by the church at the corner of Burnet avenue and Eighth street. While no plans have been adopted for the structure, it is stated that it will be the equal in beauty and size of any church edifice in Wichita Falls.

Uncle Harvey Stearns and several other local nimrods left early this morning with a pack of hounds to go out to the Davis bend in the Big Wichita to hunt for the panther which is reported to have been seen in that vicinity several days ago. Up to a late hour this afternoon no report had been heard from the expedition and it is thought probable that they have struck the panther's trail and are in pursuit of the animal.

The Holy City at the Majestic tonight in moving tableaux, not slides, is the grandest and only production of its kind in Texas.

MORE RE-ASSURING

A RETURN TO NORMAL CONDITIONS IS INDICATED.

EXCHANGE HAS CLOSED

At Pittsburg and a Receiver Will Probably Be Appointed For the Westinghouse Electrical Co.

By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—Fifteen bank examiners who were sent out this morning into various parts of the city reported at 11 o'clock. At that time there had been nothing in the nature of a disturbing rumor in any financial institution, except the Trust Company of America, and the condition of all other banks and trust companies was normal.

Pittsburg Exchange Closed.

By Associated Press. Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 23.—The Pittsburg stock exchange did not open this morning, the members deeming it advisable to remain closed temporarily, owing to the demoralized state of the feeling in Westinghouse Electric. A meeting of the members is being held. Several Companies Involved.

Immediately after the announcement of the closing of the local exchange, President Hall issued a statement that the Security Investment Company was involved. This necessitates a temporary suspension or a receivership for the Westinghouse Electrical Company and the Westinghouse Machine Company and Nerest Lamp Company. These manufacturing companies are in an absolutely solvent condition. The bankers here express no doubt that they would null the companies through successfully. Their embarrassment is attributed to the stringency in the money market. The amount involved runs into the millions.

Call Money Lending at Seventy. By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—Call money opened up at 40 per cent and at noon it was lending at 70 per cent.

Government Funds Thrown into the Breach.

By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—The secretary of the treasury today made large deposits in the local banks. He is in close touch with the present situation in this city and believes he will be able to cope with it. It is not possible to learn the amount of government funds deposited today.

No Payments Today.

By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—The Knickerbocker Trust Company announced to the depositors who were waiting at the main office this morning that it would not resume payments today. The announcement was made by a police captain on authority from the officials of the trust company. At the Colonial Branch Trust Company in the American St. Paul building on Broadway more than a hundred persons were in line shortly before 12 o'clock waiting for the doors to open.

Sharp Declines at the Opening.

By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—The stock market opened at a decline from last night's prices. Southern Pacific showed a loss of 1/4; Amalgamated Copper declined 1/4; the Atchison loss was 1/4; the Northern Pacific loss was 4; Union Pacific's loss was 2 1/4.

Bookmakers' Funds Tied Up.

By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 23.—Many bookmakers had funds tied up in the Knickerbocker Trust Company, which suspended payment yesterday. One bookmaker, it is said, had \$30,000 on deposit, while several others have amounts tied up averaging \$10,000 each. One well known trainer, it is said, had an account of \$300,000 with the Knickerbocker.

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STORING THE COTTON CROP IS A POSITIVE DETRIMENT

Weatherford Merchants Feel the Burden Heavily and Beginning to Make Complaint.

While the merchants of Wichita Falls have profited greatly by the establishment of the Farmers' Union warehouse and cotton gin in this city, because it has been a factor in bringing cotton here that would otherwise probably have gone to other markets, other cities where the crop has not been so good as in this section and where the storage of the crop is keeping money out of circulation that is badly needed, are beginning to complain bitterly.

The Weatherford Herald, in discussing the situation in that city, reprints an editorial from the Austin Tribune and appends the comment which follows:

While everybody is sympathizing with the farmers' demand and efforts to secure a higher price for cotton, and the Farmers' Union are acting concertedly, the following from the Manor Progressive Age is refreshing:

We are heart and soul in sympathy with the Farmers' Union and the farmers generally, and candidly believe that they should have 15c for their cotton. But we do not think they are acting just and right in holding all of their cotton and thereby ruining the poor merchants and business men by not paying their debts—so the aforesaid business men can pay their debtors and keep bankruptcy scared off awhile longer. The bank will advance you money on your cotton and there is no use of us all starving to death at once. Don't cut the poor little merchants' throats to save yourselves. Pay your debts if you have to sell your cotton.

The Age is correct. Of course an individual right is beyond public question. But an aggregation of individuals becomes a community or public interest. One cotton raiser holding his cotton is a private matter; but several hundred thousand acting concertedly is a matter of common interest—one, however, no one has a right to object to so long as others are not affected. But several hundred thousand holding cotton, leaving merchants unpaid could become a great calamity. If they borrow money on that cotton, however, and pay the thousands of merchants and smaller banks who are unable to carry the total, then they are clearly on the safe side.

The situation has already contributed to one big failure in Texas, and may affect others. It is to be hoped that before the farmers determine to hold their cotton for a higher price, which, by the way, the Tribune has several times said it would like to see them secure, they should arrange through the banks to relieve their merchant friends of what may other-

wise prove a serious and perilous situation.—Austin Tribune.

The editor of the Herald was talking with one of our leading business men this morning coming into the city, and pointing to the thousands of bales of cotton stored in the Farmers' Union cotton yard, he remarked that all this cotton instead of being a benefit to Weatherford and Parker county this year was a positive detriment. "It is tying up the situation so that conditions are growing quite serious," he said, "and unless this cotton is sold within a reasonable time matters are going to be serious for all of us."

The Herald prints the suggestion for the benefit of the public, and not from any desire to antagonize the farmers in what they are trying to do. Where they are out of debt they have a right to hold the staple until sheol freezes over, if they so desire, but where they owe the merchant for supplies it is plainly their duty to sell enough of this cotton to pay what they owe. In the matter of probable higher prices for cotton, the following press dispatch, which appeared in the Dallas News, is significant:

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 19.—A warning to American cotton growers that cotton gambling and attempts to maintain prices at abnormally high levels would result ultimately in the crippling of the country's export trade was sounded last night by C. W. Macara of Manchester, Eng., at a banquet given for 115 European cotton manufacturers.

In a reply to an address of welcome extended by Health Commissioner Evans in behalf of Mayor Busse, Mr. Macara declared that continued high prices of raw cotton in America would force England, France and other countries to develop their own cotton growing industries in their colonies.

"America now stands at the head of the cotton growing industry," said Mr. Macara, "but if the American growers attempt to maintain abnormal prices for the raw material we foreign manufacturers will be forced to go to some other places for our cotton."

"We do not want a price that would not be remunerative to the grower, but we do not want a fancy price simply because we, across the water, look to the United States for our supply of raw material."

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Admission within the reach of the most humble citizen.

Adults 35c, Children 25c

Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews says the ownership of wealth is not so much a matter of importance as what is done with it. We fear that E. Ben has not yet studied this question from the standpoint of a man who has a \$3.50 appetite and 10 cents in cash.

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Cotton weighed, insured and stored in warehouse. Gin running full blast. Your patronage solicited. Farmers' Union Warehouse Co. 123-4

Notice to Stockholders.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Valley Railroad Company will be held at the offices of the Company in Wichita Falls, Texas, on Thursday, November 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

At close of such meeting there will be held a meeting of the board of directors to elect officers and for the transaction of any other business as may come before the meeting.

D. B. KEELER,
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D. B. KEELER,
Vice President.

Those who desire to pay their taxes for the year 1907 are notified that the books are now ready, and will be found at my office at the City Hall every week day from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., ready to give receipts.

137-10t H. F. ROBERTSON

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Today the surveyors for the Wichita Falls and Southern railway started south with the survey. It is said that next week the graders will be on the last mile into Olney.—Olney Oracle.

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Asked in a Railway Station, it Won a Caustic Reply.

He stood at the ticket window slowly unrolling an old fashioned leather bag, while a dozen men stood behind him, driven to madness by the shouting of the gatemen calling their trains. After he got about a yard and a half of bag unrolled he suddenly stopped and said to the ticket clerk:

"Is that clock right?"

"No, sir."

"Tain't?" shouted the startled passenger, stooping down and making a sudden clutch at a lean and hungry carpetbag. "Tain't right? Well, what 'n the name o' common sense do ye have it stuck up there for, then?"

"To fool people," calmly replied the clerk. "That's what we're here for—to fool people and misdirect them."

"Great Scott!" said the passenger, hurriedly rolling up his bag. "I've missed my train. I'll report you, I will!"

"Won't do any good. It's the company's orders. They pay a man to go round every morning to mix and muddle up all the clocks, so that not one of them will be right and no two of them alike."

The passenger gasped twice or thrice, but could not say anything. The ticket clerk went on:

"It's the superintendent's idea. He is fond of fun, enjoys a joke, and it does him good to see a man jump about and hear him jaw when he buys a ticket and then finds his train has been gone two hours."

"Which way is this clock wrong?" the passenger asked in despairing accents—"fast or slow?"

"Don't know. That's part of the fun not to let anybody in the building know anything about the right time. All I know is that it's about ninety minutes wrong one way or the other."

With a hollow groan the passenger grabbed his bag and made a rush for the door, upsetting any man who got in his way. In about two minutes he came back, crestfallen and meek, and took his place at the end of the line. When once more he walked up to the window he said, as he named his station and bought his ticket like a sane man:

"What made you talk to me like you did?"

"What made you ask questions like a fool?"—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Daughter Balked.

"I thought," said old Groucherly, "that I could save money by refusing to give my consent to my daughter's marriage with young Huggins, but it's no go."

"What's the trouble?" queried the friend of the family.

"She declines to elope," explained the old man, with a large, open faced sigh.—Chicago News.

His Scheme.

Snoogs—My daughter is going to marry young Scroggs. Boggs—Why, I thought you hated him. Snoogs—I do. This is a scheme of mine to have my wife become his mother-in-law.—Cleveland Leader.

Hear one side and you will be in the dark. Hear both sides and all will be clear.—Halliburton.

Practical.

"What," asked the dreamer, "would you do if you could be a king for a day?"

"Me?" answered the practical man. "I'd borrow enough money to live on for the rest of my life."—London Telegraph.

It's so much easier to congratulate a man on his success than it is to sympathize with him in his misfortune.—Chicago News.

Her Little Pleasures.

Husband—I wish you would stop this everlasting picking flaws in your neighbors. Wife—That's just like you! You never want me to have the least pleasure!—Liverpool Mercury.

The strongest things are in danger from the weakest.—Disraeli.

W. H. H. THATCHER

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Oct. 23rd, 1907.

As Others See Us.
Wichita Falls, Tex., Oct. 23, 1907.
Editor Times:—

Yesterday's issue of the Daily Times is an honor to you, a credit to Wichita Falls and a competition with the great dailies of Texas' leading cities. At 5 o'clock your readers had all the cream of the world's news up to 2:30 o'clock p. m. This morning's dailies will contain the news read by your subscribers on last evening.

From personal experience I know that it takes money, persistent energy and a liberal patronage to justify such a paper in a small city.

The citizens of Wichita Falls and this section of the State have at their command in the Times a potent factor in the development of all this section and will doubtless give you the support you so richly deserve.

May your efforts be crowned with brilliant and lasting success.

SUBSCRIBER.
The above comes from one who has devoted twenty years of his well spent life to the newspaper business, made a success of it and is now a retired capitalist of this city. The Times, therefore, appreciates all the more the high compliment paid it, knowing that it comes from one who is competent and in a position to pass judgment in such matters.

See the Hino heaters at Thatcher's.

An hour and a half exhibition tonight at the Majestic. Don't miss it.

See the Jourdan Furniture Company for the best heaters, cook stoves and ranges, "The Charter Oak."

The Passion Play and Holy City at the Majestic tonight with lecture by R. B. Morris and sung by Miss Norvell.

Come look through our line of preserves, whether you buy or not. You will be interested.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Olympic Passion Play and Holy City, accompanied by a song, only 10 cents, and every cent remains in your city.

Colonel Graves confirms the report that, after he has nagged Georgia into a condition of dryness, he will go to New York, where there are 11,000 saloons.

Don't be alarmed, financiers, the hidden money will emerge from its hiding places after awhile. Christmas is little more than two months away and then it will all come.

Don't miss the Passion Play and Holy City at the Majestic tonight. Shown to 22,000 people in the city of Houston.

Nevertheless, there is a tinge of disappointment in the country that he didn't slay the bear in a hand-to-hand encounter with a bowie knife.

EVERYTHING SOLID HERE.

Local Bankers Share Opinion of Others That There is No Cause for Alarm.

In general with the financiers of the country, the bankers of Wichita Falls are not inclined to view the present situation in New York with any great alarm. In fact conditions in this section were never better and the bank deposits are holding up to a high figure.

These conditions prevail everywhere throughout the West, and while a temporary stringency in the money market in the East may be experienced, men who are the most capable of passing an opinion do not believe that a general panic is possible under the present conditions.

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Disregard prices on posters and bring only 10 cents to see the Passion Play at the Olympic. If you have not the price, come anyway.

Another shipment of fresh okra, snap beans, mustard greens and peppers just received. Phone 232. Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman. 139-11

Advertising in the newspapers is the vehicle that brings in the business. Busy merchants use type and ink and newspapers of circulation and standing.

Dan O'Leary walked 1000 miles in 1000 hours at Cincinnati. Had he walked in a straight line southwest instead of a circle he would have been in Texas now and that would have been some compensation for the effort.

Richelleu maple syrup is pure maple and not blended. We guarantee it to please. Quarts, 55c; half gallons, \$1. TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Olympic Passion Play and Holy City, accompanied by a song, only 10 cents, and every cent remains in your city.

Notice to Cotton Seed Buyers.
The Farmers Union Warehouse Co. of Wichita Falls will sell 700 tons of cotton seed Saturday, Oct. 26 137-6t J. L. McCONKEY, Mgr.

Advices received here this morning state that the cotton market opened with a decline of nearly thirty points, caused by a heavy decline at Liverpool and the panicky situation in New York.

Imitations.

Talk about imitations. That reminds us of October 23rd, 1849, when the Charter Oak Stove Company began to turn out their stoves. Just 58 years ago today, and did you ever stop to think that all the other fellows have been imitating the Charter Oak stove from that day to this?

Mark you, we say imitating and not duplicating. That is something they will never do.

When you want the best, get the Charter Oak. W. F. Jourdan Furniture Co., the Home Furnishers.

10 cents to see the Passion Play at the Olympic.

Don't forget the Passion Play at the Olympic. 10 cents only.

Do not forget the price of the Passion Play at the Olympic—10 cents.

Come to the Olympic and see the Passion Play. Only 10 cents.

The Olympic charges 10 cents only and will spend it with you again.

See the full line of cook stoves at Thatcher's. 133-1f

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

County Clerk Walter Reid is visiting his mother at Ennis, Texas, this week.

For reasons known to the managers of the Olympic, the price of admittance will be reduced to 10 cents.

In the second performance last night at the Olympic pictures of the Passion Play were exceptionally plain. Only 10 cents tonight.

For something extra nice try a bottle of Moparch cocktail catsup. 25c per bottle. Phone 232. Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman. 139-11

Hear Miss Norvell sing the Holy City and see the Passion Play as put on by experts at the Majestic, who have shown in all the larger cities of Texas.

Men's Suits!

It's easy enough to get clothes with "style" to them—both in design and fabric, but it is not easy to get clothes that have both style and quality that assures permanent value. There are a very few tailors that make clothes well, and only a few reputable houses that make clothes that you can absolutely depend upon. For the moderate priced clothes—good enough for any man—we recommend "KIRSCHBAUM" and PROGRESS BRAND Clothes, which will give you the greatest satisfaction in fit, style and wear.

Our \$15 Koch, Schaller & Adler Suits are the best on the market.



Progress Clothes

Boy's Clothes!



Progress Clothes

We are prepared to clothe every boy in Wichita county whatever his requirements—whether for style, quality or for price; or for all combined. Our new Fall styles are ready. Call and inspect the new designs and fabrics. We are headquarters for boy's clothes.

Men's Fine Dress Shoes.

The great "FLORESHEIM" line. Nothing better made in snappy dress shoes; in all the new lasts. \$5 to \$7 the pair. Try one and you will wear no other.

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DRESS GOODS are beginning to move and we have a full line to select from. We are especially strong on BROWNS and BLUES, at prices from per yard 35c to \$2.00.

BRAID TRIMMINGS will be in demand this season and you will find our stock in pretty good shape to select from.

WE CARRY the largest line of Bags, Belts, Collars and such Notions in the city. A new lot of Bags, ranging in price from 15c to \$5.00.

AND DON'T forget our Silk and Ribbon Department—all the latest shades and styles at prices exceedingly low.
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RATES.

One cent per word for first insertion; one-half cent per word for each consecutive insertion. Cash in advance. No advertisement inserted in these columns unless accompanied by the cash.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen. 1005 Travis street. 129-31

WANTED—Driver for laundry wagon. Must know town. The Wichita Falls Laundry Co. 129-21

FOR SALE—One team mated mules, also one large gray mule. See People's Ice Co. 124-41

FOR SALE—About sixty seamless sacks, good as new. Parties wanting same call T. J. Waggoner, phone 131. 129-41

WANTED—Places for boys to work for board while attending school. See or address, Wichita Commercial College. 127-51

FOUND—On the road to Burkburnett Monday a stove front. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 128-21

FOR SALE—160 acres of creek bottom land, within five miles of Iowa Park; 120 acres in cultivation, the balance in sage grass, at \$15 per acre for the next fifteen days. Jackson & Moore. 123-11

FOR SALE—Cheap, 3 acres of land just outside the corporation, well improved. Has 7-room frame house, large barn, cistern, good well, windmill, elevated tank, hen house, other outhouses, 125 bearing fruit trees. Rented for one year under written contract for \$20 per month, payable in advance. A very rare bargain. Price, \$2,500 cash. Cobb, Marlow & Huey. 1239-41

The total decline in the cotton market during the past two days has amounted to more than \$2 per bale. The price in the local market dropped to 10 1/4 this afternoon.

A fresh shipment of pure strained honey in bulk just received. 15c per pound. Phone 232. Nut, Stevens & Hardeman. 129-11

Are you using Spurr's coffees and teas? If not, you should. Nothing better. Remember us in your next order. Phone 232. Nut, Stevens & Hardeman. 129-11

Home Grown Lemons.

Dr. Robertson is exhibiting at his drug store two extra large and fine looking lemons picked from a tree grown in his hot-house. The tree from which these two lemons were picked is only about four feet in height and has on it about two dozen lemons.

Mrs. J. M. Bell and little sons, Jonathan and Joe Billie, of Iowa Park, are visiting with Mrs. T. J. Waggoner of this city.

Carter's Mineral Water!

The following is an analysis of a sample of water taken from the Mineral Well located on R. W. Carter's farm, one mile east of this city:

CERTIFICATE OF MINERAL ANALYSIS

A sample of water submitted for analysis and examination by Dr. S. H. Barnside, Wichita Falls, Texas.

The Water contains:	Analysis expressed in Grain per U. S. Gallon of 231 cu. in.
(a) Calcium Carbonate	22.608
Calcium Sulphate	16.170
(d) Calcium Chloride	Trace
(b) Magnesium Sulphate	24.940
(c) Magnesium Chloride	Trace
(e) Magnesium Carbonate	Trace
(f) Sodium Sulphate	2.700
Sodium Chloride	205.170
(g) Sodium Carbonate	10.112
Iron Oxide	None
Alumina Oxide	None
Silica	1.866
Organic and Volatile Matter	2.926
Total Solids found	286.500

REMARKS:—This water would be classed as a heavy mineral water with the following: MEDICINAL PROPERTIES. (a) Calcium Carbonate, an excellent antacid. Used in acidity of stomach attending dyspepsia or gout. (b) Magnesium Sulphate, an active but safe cathartic diuretic—inflammatory affections—may be employed in cases which require the use of a cathartic without being attended with debility or relaxation of the stomach or bowels. (c) Magnesium Carbonate, an antacid-cathartic—a laxative antacid—sick-stomach attended acidity. (d) Magnesium Chloride as a purgative, producing a flow of bile and an increase of appetite. (e) Sodium Sulphate, aperient, and diuretic. (f) Sodium Carbonate decided value in various affection associated with excessive acidity of the biliary secretions when, therefore, it is desired to overcome acidity of stomach or intestines, or to render acid urine alkaline, this water would be desirable. Respectfully submitted, HOUSTON LABORATORIES, R. S. TILSON, Chemist.

This water can be had after Thursday, the 17th, at the following places, free of charge: THE WICHITA HOTEL, THE ST. JAMES HOTEL, T. B. NOBLE'S, ST. CHARLES RESTAURANT.

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WALL STREET WANTS A FLEXIBLE CURRENCY LIKE "PER CAPITA" IN THE NINETIES.

THE WEST LOANING MONEY

Extract From a Timely Article on the Financial Situation From the Saturday Evening Post.

Last week's issue of the Saturday Evening Post contains a timely article of some length entitled "The Populist Movement on Wall Street," from the pen of Clarence H. Matson. This article has a reassuring tone in the light of the panicky situation in New York and the following extract is herewith reproduced:

When the statement was made in these pages two or three years ago that the West had become independent enough to furnish its own money to move its crops, Eastern financiers scoffed at the idea; but it proved true. Now, the West is not only able to conduct its own business, but also for six months Wall street and Eastern business interests have been asking the West to loan them money. Emisaries from some of the soundest business enterprises east of the Alleghenies are this minute making personal visits to what New York calls "the country banks" in the West and South, negotiating short time loans for small amounts.

A few years ago Wall street, representing the financial East, had a mortgage on the West. The West had a hard struggle, but, in the course of time, it grew good crops and began paying off the mortgage. For several years interest and principal flowed from the Western farms to the East—a golden flow of vast proportions. Wall Street had more money than it knew what to do with. At the same time the gold mines of the West and of Alaska were pouring forth their wealth by the millions and increasing the "per capita" which the Populists had desired, though not in the manner they demanded; and as gold became more plentiful, prices went up. Speculation became rife. Money was cheap and plentiful in the East. Great combinations of capital were formed in many lines of industry, bonds were issued and eagerly gobbled by the speculating public, the prices of securities soared, values became inflated, and the people went money mad.

But, the golden flood did not last. There came a time when the West paid off its mortgages, principal and interest, and then the money quit coming East, except for value received. Instead it began to pile up in the banks of the West.

With their debts paid off the producing regions began to enjoy prosperity. The West and South advanced rapidly. The farmers built new houses and barns; they bought new machinery, and rubber-tired buggies, and pianos, and now they are purchasing automobiles. But notwithstanding their efforts to keep them down, their bank deposits have grown tremendously. A dozen years ago Kansas banks contained little more than thirty million dollars. It took eight years to reach the hundred million point, and during those eight years Kansas also paid off millions of dollars of mortgages held in the East.

Sunflowerdom then thought it was in the high wave of prosperity, but, in less than three years more, its bank deposits had reached the one hundred and fifty million mark, and they are now mounting rapidly toward two hundred million. In the meantime, besides the tremendous amount of improvements that have been made, land has doubled and quadrupled in value, and many manufacturing and other industries have been built up. Iowa, which had less mortgages to pay, has bank deposits aggregating three hundred and fifty million dollars, and prosperity is on every hand. These are two agricultural States with no large cities, no large reserve banks, and no very large financial institutions. Their banks are comparatively small and their deposits belong in large measure to those interested, directly or otherwise, in tilling the soil. Yet these two States alone, with no financial centers like Chicago or St. Louis, within their borders, have over half a billion dollars in their banks.

The White House Scapegoat.
These big deposits in Western banks are the millions that used to flow East in a steady stream to Wall Street and its environs. Under conditions existing a few years ago, probably two hundred millions of these Iowa and Kansas bank deposits would have gone East. With this supply cut off and a similar flow from other Western States ceasing, is it any wonder that Wall Street finds itself short of funds? Wall Street could not realize for some time that the flood of gold would possibly cease. It kept on speculating and spending its money recklessly on inflated values, until it awoke one day to the fact that its pocket book was becoming flat. It was short of cash. Crops were good, and the speculators could not understand why the money did not keep on flowing into their coffers. Interest rates advanced. Little by little Wall street awoke to the serious fact that it was hard up.

When Wall Street realized the dreaded truth last spring, there was a decided flurry, resulting in a big slump in stocks and securities. Wall Street held its breath to see what the effect

would be on the rest of the country. It confidently expected ruin and desolation to spread everywhere. The ruin was confined to Wall Street, and there wasn't any desolation to speak of anywhere. The rest of the country did not know anything had happened to Wall Street except when the subject was mentioned in the newspapers.

Wall Street could not understand it, and probably does not yet. It blames its troubles largely on the corporation baiters in general and the gentleman in the White House in particular. It talks about "confidence" having been "destroyed." It believes that the President's policy and the exposure of wrong-doing in corporations have made the public afraid to buy its stocks and securities. This may be true to a certain extent, but it is not the real cause of Wall Street's troubles. The real cause is that Wall Street has been living beyond its income—and that always makes trouble. Naturally some of the facts that have been made public and some of the things that have happened in the financial world in the last year or two have not increased the eagerness of the public to speculate in Wall Street's wares, but that is not responsible for high rates of interest and the scarcity of money. The fact that the rest of the country is no longer indebted to Wall Street, and is, therefore, no longer sending its surplus cash to the country's financial center to the extent it once did, but is investing it in enterprises of its own—there lies the secret of one of the main reasons for Wall Street's present hard times.

Startled by the stringency in the money market, Wall Street began to come back to earth again. Speculators who had to secure cash began to unload, and prices of securities dropped. With the market for stocks abridged, it was more difficult to float new enterprises, especially if there was an element of doubt about them. Little by little the inflation collapsed and the water ran out of the stocks. That is where the three thousand millions of dollars that Wall Street mourns has disappeared.

And in the meantime the rest of the country goes merrily on piling up its wealth and investing its money in enterprises of its own, regardless of Wall Street's troubles!

It is not the speculators in Wall Street alone who are hurt by the money shortage in the East. The stringency is felt by every enterprise that has depended on New York for funds.

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Ladies' Cloaks

In this department you will find the very newest, both in style and material, and the prices are within range of the most economical buyer. Your coat should be 50 inches long. We have them in black, tan, castor and the new leather shades. A look through our cloak department will convince you that our store is the place to buy your suit or cloak.

The men and boys have been very carefully looked after in our selection of fall and winter clothing. We have the snappiest patterns made by one of America's foremost clothing manufacturers. Any suit that you select will be made to fit you free of charge. Men's and boy's black all wool suits, \$8.00 to \$25.00. Children's clothing at strikingly low prices.

All our lady customers are going to be better pleased in ladies' footwear this season than previously. We have a larger stock consequently more styles to choose from. The style, wearing qualities and low prices of our ladies' shoe department is the most popular one in town. See our Selby shoes at \$4.00.

Some very beautiful patterns in Frunella cloth, broad cloth and worsteds, as well as woolen goods are here waiting for your inspection. Our ladies' dress goods department has long since been the main distributing point for dress goods in our city. We have a careful buyer for this department who knows his business. There are too many different goods and too many different prices to list you by quoting them. There are new goods arriving every day. It is to your interest to see them.

Our Shoe Department, like it is every season, is way ahead of every shoe department in town. One reason for this is because we buy from high class manufacturers that know how to make good shoes. Our stock consists of Hanan, Crossette, Abbott and Star Brand shoes for men; Selby, Lewis and Star Brand for Ladies, and Children—the kind that are made in St. Louis by Roberts, Johnson & Rand shoe Co. Every time we sell you a pair of shoes we know you are coming back to us for your shoes for all time to come, because they will please you every time.

Yours to please,

P. H. PENNINGTON CO.



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Brokers and stock gamblers have suffered, but so have manufacturers and merchants. It has been difficult for the most legitimate business enterprises to borrow the funds necessary to carry on their business. For several months Wall street has been trying to borrow money from the West. Every bank of any proportion throughout the Middle West almost daily receives from Eastern brokers lists of applicants for loans. The obligations of most of these applicants are gilt-edged, for the West would naturally loan on no other kind. The applicants include department stores, manufacturing concerns, trusts and railroads, each of which asks for short time loans of from \$5,000 up, offering from five to seven per cent interest. According to a bank statement just issued at this writing by the bank commissioner of Kansas, the banks of that State alone are carrying more than fifteen million dollars of this class of paper, and other States are each probably carrying as much or more. The West is loaning money to the East, and the interest is going in the opposite direction from what it did a decade ago. A few weeks ago a Kansas bank made a bid for some of the deposits of its State treasury, and the bonds which it offered as security, as required by the State law, were bonds of the City of New York. Yet it was only ten years ago that New York had millions of dollars in mortgages on Kansas.

LITERARY CLUB.

Juniors and Seniors Unite in Organization at the High School.

On Friday, October 11th, the seniors and juniors of the high school united in organizing a literary club, which is intended to be beneficial as well as a pleasure.

At stated intervals the members of said organization will meet, having prepared an essay or reading, etc., for the entertainment of the club.

Professors Fairchild and Guice acted as temporary chairman and secretary respectively.

The officers elected were: President, Geoffrey Shaw; vice president, Maud Walker; secretary, Mae Stewart; assistant secretary, Katy Stonecipher; treasurer, Winnie Goodwin; door-keeper, Merle Wagner.

Two committees were appointed. The program committee is composed of Ruby Morris, Charles Ingram and Lewis Stuckey. The committee on By-Laws and Constitution is composed of Winnie Goodwin, Katy Stonecipher and Catherine Coffield.

Minstrels Coming.

Now that A. G. Allen's United Minstrel Shows is billed to appear here on Saturday, October 26th, it brings us back to our boyhood days, when we lived at the old home place. At that time it was called A. G. Allen's New Orleans Minstrel Shows. Since that time it has absorbed other minstrel organizations and united them into one grand and complete attraction. For nearly twenty-six years it has visited the principal cities and towns of the South and West. As time wore on it has kept apace and it is now the cleanest, most complete minstrel show in all this broad land of ours. Adding yearly new ideas, new features, but still keeping the original idea of a real jubilee, where the old-time negro songs and dances that we loved so in our youth are indulged in, and the management assures us that none of these old-time features have been eliminated, but on the contrary they have kept them and added the up to date ideas. The performance is given in a canvas theatre, amply seated, with stage and scenery the same as you see in the cities. Polite uniformed ushers are in attendance to see that you are properly and comfortably seated. Two performances are usually given, one at 2 p. m. and one at 7:30 p. m. A spectacular street parade is given at 12 o'clock noon on the day of the performance, and a grand free band concert by Prof. McCammon's band of twenty musicians just before each performance.

A Serious Accident.

Mrs. J. C. H. Looney, who resides on Fourteenth street, while engaged in baking bread this afternoon happened to a serious accident. It seems that Mrs. Looney came recently from one of the Eastern States and brought very little household effects with her, having to purchase here, among other things, a cook stove. She was led to believe that a cheap stove was as good as any. She bought it. The result was the accident. The bread burned up at the bottom, was cold on top and dough in the middle. Her husband, who was busy at noon in his office selling a farm, came in at 4 p. m. nearly starved to death. The result was a good sized family roar, a visit to the W. F. Jordan Furniture Co., the purchase of a new Charter Oak stove, a reconciliation and good bread and peace in the family.

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I now have on display a beautiful line of cut glass in
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You don't have to go away from home to get what you want in cut glass. Take a look at my show window
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The largest and cheapest stock of
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ever offered in the south. I need more room and will give you bargains for a short while. I have just received 2 large cars. These goods MUST move. Come and get choice.
Job Barnett

The Wm. Cameron Lumber Co. has just received a car load of red picket fence, which is now on sale at their yard. 126-52

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PERSONAL MENTION

Arthur McCarty went over to Seymour today.

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

Mrs. W. W. Jackson left today for Dallas to visit the fair.

Mr. M. M. Redmond of Seymour was here today en route to Vernon on business.

Messrs. I. S. Lightle and Lank Thornberry were doing business in the city today.

Messrs. J. W. Stone and Jim Marlow are in Electra today, attending the lot drawing sale.

H. C. Crim, one of the leading citizens of Bowie, was transacting business here today.

Miss Etta Soule, who spent the summer in Colorado, has returned to her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bellah of Dundee passed through the city today en route to the Dallas Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Felder returned today from Terrell, where Mrs. Felder had been visiting relatives.

Judge J. H. Barwise of Clarendon was transacting business and shaking hands with friends here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Fancher of Seymour were in the city today en route to Dallas to attend the fair.

H. D. Hockersmith, a prominent business man of Vernon, was here today en route to Fort Worth on business.

C. W. Bean and family left this morning for a visit with friends at Fort Worth and Dallas until Sunday.

Mrs. P. C. Maricle returned today from Fort Worth, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. S. Cockrell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Carpenter and children of Plano were here today to attend the funeral of Sadie Cyrene King.

Jack Skeen, who recently resigned his position at Simpson's drug store, is now traveling for Feldheim & Co., importers of laces and dry goods. Jas. Smith has succeeded Mr. Skeen at the drug store.

Deputy Tax Collector J. A. Freeman went to Electra this afternoon on official business.

Walter Haggard of Bowie, who has been teaching music in Seymour, was here today en route home to visit relatives.

George Wyatt and Cliff Armsparger of Parish, Kentucky, stopped off here a few hours today for a visit with Otis T. Bacon.

Mrs. M. G. Scoville of Kell City, Oklahoma, is in the city, the guest of the Wichita Hotel. She will leave in the morning for a week's visit to Dallas.

D. B. Keeler, vice president of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad and General Superintendent G. F. Cotter passed through Wichita Falls this morning, while en route to Fort Worth, after a trip into the Panhandle.

A. C. Wilson, one of the dispatchers at the Fort Worth and Denver office in this city, left this morning for Dallas for a visit with friends and to attend the fair. J. L. Pope of Palestine is working in Mr. Wilson's place.

W. A. Carrigan, who is in the employ of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad company, came home today from Kell, Oklahoma. He will leave in the morning for Mineral Wells where he goes to be treated for rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Thornberry and children of Thornberry, Texas, left this evening for Big Springs, Texas, where they go to make their future home. This excellent family will be greatly missed by the good people of Thornberry, among whom they ranked at the top. The best wishes of all their neighbors and friends go with them to their new home.

Olympic Passion Play and Holy City, accompanied by a song, only 10 cents, and every cent remains in your city.

If you once use Richelleu oyster cocktail sauce, you will use no other. A pint decanter for 35c. Try it. **TREVATHAN & BLAND.**

Olympic Passion Play and Holy City, accompanied by a song, only 10 cents, and every cent remains in your city.

Conductor C. A. Roberts on southbound passenger No. 8, was fined \$10 and costs in the corporation court last night for blocking the Seventh street crossing last Sunday morning.

Everybody come to the Olympic and bring 10 cents to see the Passion Play. If you have not the amount we will credit you.

Thatcher is the leading stove man in Wichita Falls. **133-4f**




IF YOU HAVE Never Tried

anything we sell, we should be glad to have you make the experiment. If you have you will come again without being asked. We point out to you that our Fall models in men's clothes are in from the shops and unpacked. They are Stein-Bloch-made and include sack business suits, raincoats, overcoats, and some particularly attractive special styles for young men. These clothes are made by expert tailors, will fit and last as no other clothes we have seen.

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Warning.
Notice is hereby given that gathering of pecans and hunting on our premises, located five miles northeast of this city, is strictly forbidden and trespassers will be prosecuted as the law directs. **138-4f** **MARTIN & GARDNER.**

THATCHER IS SELLING THE WESTERN HEATERS. **134-4f**

Olympic, 10 cents tonight. Passion Play. Remember the money stays in your town.
The Wichita Grain and Coal Company are leaders in the coal and feed trade. Phone us. No. 33. 104-4f-d&w
If you have not the price come and see the Passion Play at the Olympic for nothing.

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Full Evening Associated Press Report

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BANK FACED

DEPOSITORS LINED UP AT KNICKERBOCKER TO WITHDRAW

STATEMENT OF

Declares That Bank Wants—Stocks Open Lower.

Company Suspended By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 22.—Knickerbucker Trust Company money to its depositors the statement being company could not be rapidly enough to meet demands.

Call Money Goes By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 22.—the stock market took a slump, Union Pacific fell 7 points; Reading 7 points; St. Paul 4 points. At that time it went to fifty per cent.

Lending at Sixty By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 22.—call money was lending at 60.

Six Million Dollars By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—Secretary ordered \$6,000,000 distributed to the leading national banks. Secretary Cortelyou refuses to discuss the matter.

Cortelyou Leaves For Chicago, Ill., Oct. 22.—Secretary Cortelyou will leave at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Wheat Takes Another Dip By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 22.—market opened very weak and closed nearly two cents lower. A break occurred at Liverpool and the stock market was factors in the decline.

New York, Oct. 22.—The main office of the Knickerbucker Trust Company when it opened this morning, and branch offices of the company on Broadway and 125th street in office about seventy-five in line and others are arriving. Many of those who withdraw money were from the excitement when the office business. The line of persons who were gathered their way to the pay out their funds. Secretary Allen, who is in down town offices, gave following statement: "There is nothing to be out. We have \$8,000,000 in funds and are prepared to meet demands. The company is perfectly safe."

DRAWING FOR LOTS AT ELECTRA

All northbound trains on Oct. 22 and Denver today carried passengers loaded with passengers at Electra, where the big drawing place tomorrow morning. It is stated that over a thousand tickets have been sold, the purchase price being in the Northern and Western.

Among the passengers for the afternoon were a Pullman car of people from an Ohio town among the lots that are to be sold are a number of residences and other buildings.