

BOY SUES GOVERNOR FOR PRICE OF PUPS

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 27.—Governor T. M. Campbell of Texas has been sued in a magistrate's court by a boy, who demands \$100 for two dogs.

After the governor spoke at Meridian on October 11th he held an impromptu reception, to the great satisfaction of the throngs in attendance. On the outskirts of the crowd was a 16-year old boy who had two hound puppies tied with a rope, and he was trying to sell the dogs for any price. They were of the maggy fox hound variety and nobody wanted them. To get rid of the lad a man told him to go to Governor Campbell; that he was buying dogs for the State and was paying big prices for them.

"Whatchereckon he'd give for my dogs?" asked the boy.

"Oh, any price," the man said. "The State pays the money and the governor doesn't care; go see him."

Leading the two dogs, the boy pushed his way in to where the governor was talking to a crowd of his admirers and asked him to buy the dogs. The governor saw at once that there was a joke on, and he humored it.

"All right, buddle; how much do you want for them?"

"I reckon they are worth \$100 for the pair," said the boy.

"All right," said the governor, helping along what he thought was a bit of pleasantry, "ship them to me at Austin and I will send you the money."

Happy as a June bug, the boy skipped off to make arrangements to ship the two puppies, and the governor continued to talk with his friends.

Now, one of the dogs didn't belong to the boy, but to a neighbor's boy, and the boy who sold them to the governor went to this boy and made a trade with him, giving him \$5 for his dog, \$46 less than the governor agreed to pay.

The boy crated the dogs and shipped them c. o. d. from Meridian to Governor Thomas M. Campbell, Austin, Tex. When the bill was presented to the governor it was turned down and

the dogs were sent back to the shipper at Meridian.

When the governor refused to receive the dogs or pay the \$100 the boy got busy, had a talk with his friends and decided to act.

"Yil just make him pay me," and without further delay he brought suit in a justice's court against Governor Campbell for \$100, the agreed price of the pair of hound puppies.

XMAS SHOPPING.

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As the holiday season comes around year after year there is a growing realization that the Christmas happiness in one man's home is the Christmas hardship in many another home.


Christmas shopping is quite generally left until the last day before Christmas. What this means to the clerks behind the counters, to the cash girls running back and forth with heavy parcels; to the drivers and "tall boys" on the delivery cars, to the packers and shippers, express messengers, and behind these to the great army of women and girls who manufacture the Christmas toys and candies and knick-knacks in a factory and shop and sweat shops, is little realized by those who gather around the glittering Christmas trees.

Don't wait until the "holly days" to do your shopping unless a thin purse compels you to wait. Some shoppers are like the loafers who sit on the curb and then go to the barber shop on Saturday night to get a hair cut.

To Christmas Shoppers—Buy your presents early—early in the day and early in December. That will be your biggest gift of the holiday to the workers behind the counters and on the delivery wagons.

Wichita Falls stores are already displaying an abundance of holiday goods. Displayed in attractive designs in show windows and counters, they are commencing to attract the usual attention of the prospective buyers, and business men state that the increase in sales is commencing.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Nov. 27th, 1907.

The esteemed Dallas News, in commenting on a little item clipped from the Times regarding the publishing of railroad time tables gratis, by small papers, is inclined to lay all the blame on the law and says "if you want to know when the train arrives and departs, ask the polite ticket agent, and if you get left blame the law makers who have made a law that will not permit editors to publish railroad time tables unless paid for in cash." The News is partly correct and partly not correct. The railroads had contracts with most newspapers before the law was made, but immediately canceled them at the time set for the law to be effective. They also seemingly construed or misconstrued the law to give them the right to repudiate all honest indebtedness accrued on contracts made with newspapers for advertising up to the time the law was made effective, and in some instances, at least, the papers which ran their advertising received nothing—not even transportation. The railroads placed this construction on the law of their own motion and in the face of the ruling of the assistant attorney general who, in his construction of the law relative to newspaper advertising contracts with railroads, said it was not the intent of the law to abrogate or interfere with contracts already entered into. These are the facts, and the esteemed News, in justice both to the Texas law-makers, the editors of papers and the railroads, should state the facts as they exist. The law is bad enough without the railroads, by a false construction, making it appear really worse than it is.

Bowie District Appointments.
The North Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church South was closed at Sherman yesterday. The following appointments were made for the Bowie district:

J. E. Roach, presiding elder; Bowie station, J. A. Old; Fruitland circuit, E. A. Maness; Bellevue circuit, R. E. Porter; Crafton circuit, to be supplied by P. L. Warren; Henrietta station, H. H. Vaughan; Wichita Falls, J. A. Stafford; Byers mission, A. P. Johnson; S. P. Pirtle, supernumerary; Blue Grove circuit to be supplied by P. W. J. A. Kerr, supernumerary; Post Oak circuit, to be supplied by R. L. Patterson; Iowa Park, J. L. McGehee; Holliday mission, to be supplied by J. B. Parr; Archer City mission, A. N. Julian; Montague circuit, S. M. Black; Nocona station, W. T. Harris; Nocona circuit, C. P. Martin; student to the Southwestern University, Finis Crutfield.

Nineteen members of the Vernon Commandery of the Knights Templar came down from Vernon yesterday afternoon to participate in the ceremonies at the funeral of N. Weaver. The Vernon Templars were C. S. McCollach, T. J. Youngblood, T. M. Hall, E. E. Hackett, R. W. Walker, J. T. Williams, Rev. J. B. Riddle, D. L. Smartwood, J. E. Seitz, J. Gibbs, R. E. Slaughter, W. S. Lundy, A. D. Moore, J. R. Proffit, Wm. Stalcup, Dr. R. W. Hix, H. E. Key, Hugh Klug and J. F. Holt.

Select Your Christmas Goods Before the Rush.

It is human nature to procrastinate, particularly in buying Christmas goods. We have an unusually large display of holiday goods. Come in at once, make your selections and if you wish to lay aside your purchases, we will gladly do so. By doing this you will have first choice from a complete stock. The Nickle Store. 169-37

A man named Bogus, who is wanted in Tillman county, Oklahoma, to answer to a charge of illegally disposing of mortgaged property, was arrested at Electra by Charles Yeary night before last and yesterday Marshal J. G. Bills came down from Davidson, Okla., and returned last night with Bogus.

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Many bales of cotton have been put on the market since the certificates are being issued and are being sold at figures above the prices previously offered. A number of the certificates are circulating in the business channels of the city and are being readily accepted at par value for all purposes.

The farmers are generally accepting the certificates without objection and are more than pleased with the advance in the price of their cotton.

The Weatherford Herald is our authority for the statement that the Weatherford banks have already put into circulation \$125,000 of cotton script and of this amount \$85,000 has been redeemed and the remainder is being redeemed as rapidly as it falls due.

Rev. Farley Returned.

Rev. R. E. Farley was formally appointed pastor of the new Methodist Episcopal church in this city at the meeting of the Austin conference of their church at Dallas this week. Rev. Farley returned from the conference yesterday and will at once enter upon the discharge of his duties as pastor of the local church.

Rev. Farley will at once set himself to the work of raising funds and organizing for the building of a suitable church edifice for the congregation in this city.

Hereafter the churches at Frieberg and Thornberry will have a pastor of their own and Rev. E. M. Wisdom of Rosen Heights, a suburb of Fort Worth, has been appointed to the pastorate of those churches.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church will give an oyster supper at King & White's grocery, opposite the postoffice on Saturday evening, beginning at 5 o'clock. Oysters will be served in every style and there will be good music. Free seats and no charge for election returns. 168-31

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THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

THE approaching year's end brings with it the season for reckoning up the measure for good and ill, which Father Time has handed out to each one of us since the last harvest. To the tiller of the soil, the carpenter, the man with the dinner pail, the active toilers in life's various fields of endeavor, and every man and woman whose efforts add to the welfare of the nation, this self-balancing of life's ledger becomes a duty and a pleasure. The time honored custom of setting aside a certain day each year when the entire Christian world may unite in grateful homage to a beneficent Providence for the blessings and success which have fallen to the shore of each is one of the privileges bequeathed to us by those stern soldiers of fortune who rendered their first Thanksgiving service on Plymouth Rock, in 1620. During the year Nineteen Hundred and Seven all lines of legitimate endeavors have given stupendous returns to the worker, while harmony and good-fellowship have sounded the universal key note of the nation's prosperity. The year just passing has been fraught with the most cordial relations between us and our customers and business associates, hence, we take this opportunity of offering our mead of thanks and praise, and of tendering to you our most hearty congratulations upon the achievements of the past, along with our sincere wishes for a further and greater measure of good to you in the future. We sincerely trust that our business and social relations will, with the help of an Almighty Providence, continue to be what they always have been in the year gone by, and that the ties shall be more closely cemented with the coming of each anniversary.

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE

When Gold Mining Becomes Fashionable.

From the Colorado Journal.

It is characteristic of mining camps that they usually enjoy their period of greatest activity at times when other lines of industry are most depressed. There is no evidence that a general depression throughout the country is at hand and no good reason why the business of the country should fall off because it has not enough currency with which to carry on its operations; but nevertheless it is significant that with the least disturbance in financial conditions the camps of Colorado begin to show signs of new life. Gelpin county, the Ohio Creek and Cripple Creek districts, have started on a period of such heavy ore production that the mill owners have found it necessary to open other reduction plants and in other ways are giving signs that these districts are ripe for a large increase in production.

All that is needed is for mining to be again made fashionable. It is odd the way the waves of interest in prospecting and mine making come and go over the country. General prosperity has a tendency to divert interest from mining affairs, but just as soon as other lines of industry get the least bit in the dumps, the tide flows hillward again and the camps begin to look up. It is as though the world recognized the truth that mining is the basic industry and turned to it the moment the lesser industries ceased to be attractive.

That is a grand, grand psalm which begins: "I will lift my eyes to the hills from whence cometh my help." The strength of the business structure comes from the hills in which its foundation is laid; in times of adversity the business world turns to them. Then it is that a large part of the Colorado population which had grown cold to the mines finds itself suddenly zealous to own a producer and mining again becomes fashionable.

There is as yet lacking the new district that usually opens the fashion, but the districts mentioned are such strong old ones that time and again they have furnished the State a fresh outlet for its desire to mine, and there is no good reason why they should not be called into requisition at least once more. Anyhow, if they keep on making new strikes and increasing their production of ore at the rate they have been going in recent months, will again find themselves the center of interest once more with all the world headed their way.

Silver Dollar Again Prominent.

New York, Nov. 27.—After an enforced retirement from active participation in the business of the city for a period of nearly fifteen years, the great American silver dollar has come forth again into the highways and byways to assist, by the weight of its influence in restoring public confidence to the financial situation.

In fact, it has already accomplished much in that direction. For several weeks past, men with bulging pockets, from which came sounds like the clinking of heavy chains, have frequently been seen in the streets. The uninitiated have not recognized this clinking as the sound that money makes, but the number of the initiated has increased greatly within the last few days.

During the recent financial crisis fifty tons of silver dollars came out of the vaults of the subtreasury into general circulation.

Wise financiers say that in times when the people hoard their wealth it is part of the mission of the silver dollar to remind individuals of their duty to keep their money in the banks.

Since 1893 the "cart wheel" has not been in evidence in the East, nor in any other part of the country, for that matter, except in the South, where there is always a demand for it during the cotton picking season.

But the money stringency here brought the silver dollar again into use. Banks short of small bills eagerly gathered in the despised coins. The demand was so great that the subtreasury in this city was called upon to supply more than \$1,500,000 in silver dollars. It met the demand without by any means exhausting its supply.

Ex-County Attorney C. C. Huff is the latest man to run up against the city ordinance which prohibits the obstruction of the sidewalks. Last night Mr. Huff left a load of coal on the sidewalk in front of his office. This morning a complaint was filed against him in the corporation court. Mr. Huff announced that he would make a fight against the charge.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Aaron Brubaker of Burkburnett was here today on business.

E. B. Carver of the Club ranch was here on business today.

Mrs. W. H. Harris left this afternoon for Stratford to visit relatives.

L. P. Douglas of Electra was transacting business in the city today.

Mrs. G. W. Lawler left this afternoon for Iowa Park to visit relatives.

Judge S. C. Walker of Holliday was transacting business in the city today.

Mrs. S. A. Bass left yesterday for Dallas to spend several days with friends.

R. E. Huff returned today from Frederick, Okla., to spend Thanksgiving at home.

L. H. Lawler left yesterday for Waco to attend the meeting of the Royal Arch Masons.

Mrs. J. G. Hardin of Burkburnett was here today en route to Goodnight, to visit her sister, Mrs. Longvine.

Sheriff A. M. Davis and family left today for Mangum, Oklahoma, for a few days visit to friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. W. Gordon of Frederick, Okla., is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bentley.

Walker Hendricks has returned from Frederick, after spending several days in that thriving little city.

Rev. W. F. Fry and family are expected to arrive here from Goldsboro, North Carolina, tomorrow and it is probable that the regular services will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Prohibition

Is the leading subject of the day, but we want to say a word about our new line of Christmas goods. Our entire stock is new. No left-overs. We wish to call especial attention to our toys and dolls. The assortment is unusually large. Select your gifts here before they are all picked over. Remember, we are giving away a beautiful \$20.00 doll. Ask about it. The Nickle Store, Mrs. L. B. Hardesty, Prop'r's

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Statement From Ex-Sheriff Howard.

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It has been currently reported in Wichita Falls by the antis that I have been actively engaged in promoting the interests of the prohibition cause in Wichita county with a motive of again becoming a candidate for sheriff. To those circulating the report I want to say that I am not a candidate for sheriff or any other office at the next election and I do not know that I will ever seek office again in Wichita county. I am a prohibitionist from principle, and believe it to be to the best interests of Wichita Falls and Wichita county that the licensed saloon be closed and feel confidence enough in our present officers to believe that if a majority of our citizens vote for local option, they will enforce the law. I shall do everything within my power to have the saloons closed. Respectfully,
W. J. HOWARD.

Verdict for the Defendant.

A suit which has been on trial in Justice Brothers' court for several days past recalls the sudden disappearance of Contractor Deam, who skipped out several weeks ago, leaving his carpenters unpaid and his creditors generally to hold the sack. The suit was brought by a carpenter against Arthur Reed and the sum demanded was \$13.50. Deam was doing some work on Mr. Reed's house for which the latter said he had paid for. The carpenter was working under Deam, but claimed that Reed was really the man to whom he looked for his pay. The latter denied any liability in the matter and the suit was filed and tried before a jury in the justice's court. The jury this morning returned a verdict in favor of the defendant.

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The Church of the Good Shepherd. The following is the order of the Thanksgiving services at the Episcopal church of the Good Shepherd:
Morning prayer and sermon. Subject, "Gratitude." Celebration of the Holy Communion. Offering in behalf of the aged and infirm clergy.

Tomorrow while all the greatest football elevens in the land are tearing at each other's throats, do not forget that there will be a red hot contest at the ball park between the first and second elevens of the Wichita Falls high school.



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