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(Original)

A number of detectives were lounging at headquarters awaiting assignments and swapping stories. All but one had told of some puzzling case that he had solved, and he was called upon to help the party pass the time.

"Come, Billy," said one of the number; "don't sit there mum when we're giving experiences. Tell us the most difficult case you ever tackled."

"You've all been giving that kind of cases. Suppose to vary the entertainment I give you the easiest case I ever tackled and you fellows guess how I solved it?"

"That's a good idea. Proceed."

"It was a case of identification, not one to discover a criminal, though I solved that, too, afterward. When I was on the secret service force of the town of Yardley a telephone came from a farmhouse a dozen miles in the country that the dead body of a man had been discovered lying beside a road so stripped and mutilated as to be unrecognizable. They wanted a police force sent out to attend to the matter. The captain told me to take the patrol wagon and a man or two and drive out to the place where the body lay. He charged me especially to find out the name of the murdered man, since it is bothersome for the police to keep a body and it's bad policy to bury it without identification.

"We drove out to the farmhouse from which the telephone was sent, where I found Farmer Bowers, who led me half a mile down the road and showed me the body. Whoever had done the job had taken great precaution to conceal the identity of his victim. Why he did so afterward gave me a clew by which I brought him to the gallows. The outer clothing had been taken off the body, and there was not a mark anywhere on his undergarments. A small bit of material had been cut out at the bottom of the shirt bosom, where shirtmakers usually place the owner's initials. The shoes probably bore the maker's name, for they had been taken away. As to the face, it had been mutilated beyond recognition. I looked for some defect on the body, like a mole or a birthmark, but there was nothing of the kind. No dog whined beside his murdered master. Indeed, there was no living thing about him, except the occupants of a dovecot on a barn near by and a cat in the road watching them.

"I confess I was puzzled. The only way I could see to find out who the man was was to take the body to the police station, publish the facts and wait for claimants. But this was not what the chief wanted. So I did a hard job of taking in surroundings and in fifteen minutes hit on an expedient. Two hours and thirty minutes after I arrived on the ground I had brought the murdered man's son from a distance of fifty miles to his father's body, which he identified at once beyond the slightest doubt. Now, how did I do it?"

There was a long silence, broken at last by one of the party, who claimed that some missing article, like a handkerchief with a name or initials on it or a paper tossed about by the wind, had been found. But the story teller averred there was no such article of any kind whatever. Then one man guessed that the cat mentioned belonged to the dead man and had his name and address on the collar. The reply to this was that the cat belonged on the farm where the barn stood. Then there was a guess that the man's son knew where his father was and came of his own accord. This would not do, for Billy had sent him a message to come and where to come to. One superstitious detective guessed that the murdered man's ghost gave the necessary information, and another suggested that it was a case of mental telegraphy. Finally every man gave up the conundrum and asked for the solution. The story teller resumed: "Among the doves in the cot," he said, "I saw several of a different breed entirely from the rest. They were fraternizing with the others going and coming to and from the cot, but not at all like them. The reason why I noticed these apparent strangers was because I have always had pigeons on my barn at home, and I had never seen this variety before. I had seen pictures of them, but I couldn't remember the breed.

"While I was thinking a boy came up to the crowd carrying a wicker basket with a cover. He said he had found it a short distance up the road. I couldn't see any connection between it and the murdered man unless possibly he had been carrying something in it. Why it occurred to me I don't know, but I connected it with the pigeons.

"Suddenly I recollected. They were carrier pigeons. It's wonderful how rapidly sometimes one idea will lead to another. Suppose these interlopers had belonged to the murdered man? Without waiting to think about the improbability of such a contingency I went to the barn, climbed to the dovecot, caught a carrier pigeon, wrote on one of my cards, 'Come at once to Bowers farm, one mile east of Gerretsville,' tied it to the pigeon's leg, carried him away from the barn and let him go.

"That pigeon must have flown with incredible swiftness. He was received by the family of the murdered man who owned him and who was when killed taking his birds out on a trial trip. Fearing something had happened, the oldest son was commissioned to answer the summons. An express train left just in time for him to catch it, making but one or two stops before reaching Gerretsville."

OSCAR COX.

The store will be closed Friday afternoon to get ready for the Big Sale

GREAT REMOVAL SALE!

I have sold my business to the Wichita Valley Mercantile Co. who will take the business over and move the stock into their new building on September 1st; and in order that I may pay off my debts and hand the business over to the new concern free of debt, cleared of all odds and ends, remnants or undesirable stock, I am going to put on a GREAT CLEARING SALE, offering my stock at prices that will force it to move.

SALE BEGINS AUGUST 8TH, ENDS AUGUST 29TH

"First Come, First Served"—Be There to Get First Pick of the Big Bargains.

\$575.00 Given Away During This Sale

As a special inducement to buyers during this sale I will give away absolutely FREE goods to the value of \$575.00.

To the first 500 persons who purchase goods to the value of \$1 will be given 500 presents worth 10c to 25c each.

To the first 500 persons who purchase goods to the value of \$2.50 will be given 500 presents worth 25c to 50c each.

To the first 100 persons who purchase goods to the value of \$5 will be given 100 presents worth 50c to \$1 each.

To the first 100 persons who purchase goods to the value of \$10 will be given 100 presents worth \$1 to \$2 each.

To the first 100 persons who purchase goods to the value of \$25 will be given 100 presents worth \$2.50 to \$5 each.

During this sale no presents will be given on grocery purchases

SAMPLE PRICES FROM ALL OVER THE STORE:

One lot men's dress shirts, worth 75c to \$1.50, going in this sale at **50c**

1000 pairs misses' and children's hose, worth 15c, going in this sale at **7-12c**

1000 yards beautiful figured lawns, worth 12 1/2 and 15c, going in this sale at **7-12c**

One lot huck pattern towels, regular 25c value, going in this sale at **12-12c**

One lot men's and boys' shoes, old and out of style, were worth \$2.50 to \$5, will start them at **\$1** and reduce the price 8c each day until all are sold or given away.

I am making a deep cut in the price on all men's suits, men's pants, boy's suits and knee pants.

One lot boys' knee pants, 35c to 75c, going in this sale at **17-1-2 to 37-1-2c**

One lot men's and youth's pants, worth 75c to \$2.50, going in this sale at **37-1-2c to \$1.25**.

One lot colored table damask, worth 35c going in this sale at **20c**.

One lot bleached table damask, worth 35c, going in this sale at **25c**.

400 yds. L.L. domestic, worth 7 1/2c, going in this sale at **5c**.

1 lot men's suspenders, French styles, fancy patterns, 25c, 35c, going in this sale at **12-1-2c**.

Ladies' black hose, splendid 15c value, going in this sale 3 prs. for **25c**.

The aim of this sale is to get ready money in the shortest-time possible. The prices are quoted to bring that ready money, and cannot be given for anything but cash.

S. Y. FERGUSON, Wichita Falls, Tex.

Call of the Democratic Convention for the Second Supreme Judicial District of Texas.

The Democratic convention for the Second Supreme Judicial District of Texas is hereby called to meet in the 48th District Court room, in the City of Fort Worth, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., Saturday, August 22, 1908, for the purpose of receiving a tabulated statement of the vote cast in the various counties in the District for the Associate Justices of the Court of Civil Appeals of said District, and ordering placed upon the official ballot as a candidate of the Democratic party at the general election in November, 1908. The name of the persons receiving the highest number of votes in said District for said respective offices and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention.

B. P. AYRES,

Chairman Democratic Executive Committee, Second Supreme Judicial District.

School Children's Bazaar.

The Woman's Home Mission Society will hold their annual school children's bazaar the first week in September. They will be prepared to supply you with anything you need for your children; dresses, bonnets, aprons, kimonos, and gowns. The exact date will be announced later. 76-21

British India has 86,912 miles of telegraph and cable wires in operation. Since 1902-03 the annual earnings of the cables between India and Europe show profits of from \$1,000,000 to \$1,200,000.

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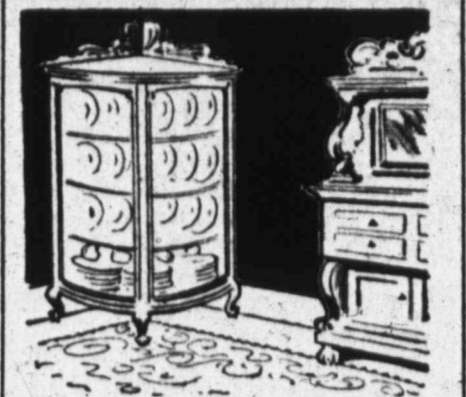
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See if you cannot afford one at these prices:
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We have just completed unpacking and placing our entire stock of new fall styles in the popular Dorothy Dodd line of Shoes.

These shoes have gained for themselves a wide reputation because of their neat and graceful styles, easy comfort and good wearing qualities.

The leathers used are all solid and genuine, from the outer soles to the uppers.

They are very soft and pliable but are also very strong and durable.

\$1 invested in Dorothy Dodd shoes will go farther and give greater satisfaction than the same amount in any other shoe.

Our sizes and styles are very complete, call and see them. We can fit any foot perfectly.

Prices range from \$2.50 to \$4.00.

Nutt, Stevens and Hardeman

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

There are so many of us suffering from intense nervousness, and when there is no organic trouble the cure lies largely in our own hands. The following article from the Pittsburg Leader give a few helpful suggestions:

The doctor had told her she had no organic trouble and the cure rested with herself. She had doctored and drugged for years, so learning this good news, she determined to try a new plan.

Here is what she did:

She cut out all medicine.

She stopped dieting; that is, she tested things till she found those that agreed with her and ate of them freely.

She ate slowly, laughing and talking much in the process.

She gave up violent physical exercise, but took a brisk walk each day.

She took a cold sponge bath each morning, going back to bed for five minutes afterward before beginning to

dress.

She gave herself massage of the abdominal, chest and throat muscles for five minutes, morning and evening.

She stopped overstraining her mind. When her head or eyes began to feel tired she rested them.

She neglected to worry and cultivated her amusing friends.

In a month she was well.

There are no surviving ex-presidents of the United States, but there are three living widows of presidents, Mrs. James A. Garfield, Mrs. Benjamin Harrison and Mrs. Grover Cleveland. Mrs. Garfield's time is divided between three places, Washington, her old home; Mentor, Ohio, and her summer home at Pasadena, California. Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, who is the niece of the first Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, is very popular in Indianapolis, where she has her home, and in Tuxedo, N. Y., where she spends a great deal of her time.

DAVIDSON'S PLEA FOR PEACE.

Just after it had been ascertained that Attorney General Davidson had won in the primaries, the people of Austin arranged to tender him a reception on his return to that city and, of course, he made a speech, and among other things of a commendable nature he gave utterance to the following plea of a victor in a hard-fought campaign of mud-slinging:

"As I stand here tonight with only the blue canopy of heaven above us and the stars keeping watch, I feel that I can truly say that I have risen above this campaign of slander waged against men, though it cut deep into my heart and I suffered the torture of an innocent man. The poisoned arrows hurled at me because I discharged my duty faithfully and without fear fell and lie buried in the earth, and I stand before you tonight unharmed and victorious.

"But, my friends, while we are assembled here, rejoicing in this hour of victory, let us remember that there is nothing grander than to be magnanimous. There is nothing in life more delightful to the heart than to know, notwithstanding all the bitter conflicts that arise among men, there comes a

time when passion and prejudice shall slumber. So, with a heart full of love and gratitude to all my friends, with hatred and malice to none, I shall take up my official life and your work again, trusting that the great Providence which governs and guides all may hold in the future blessings and prosperity to you and yours—the grand, noble people of Texas."

Will Make 100 Bales.

M. Fowler left at the Star office this morning a cotton stalk that had 92 bolls and squares on it. He has 120 acres in cotton west of town and says it will make 100 bales.—Burk Burnett Star.

Stop Your Leaks.

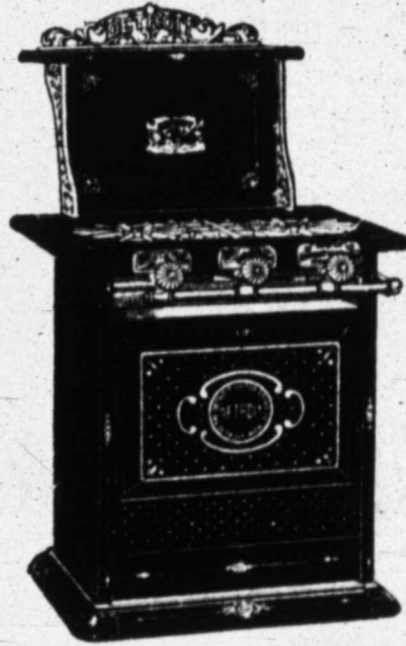
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WHAT ARE PURE FOODS, ANYWAY?

Pure foods do not always mean good foods. For example, preserves may be made from poor fruits or even evaporated fruits and still be pure. There are many grades of canned goods, such as fruits, vegetables, fish and meats. Many of them are the so-called "PURE FOODS," but there is but one BEST. WE OFFER Richelieu Coffees, Spices, Preserved Fruits, Canned Fruits, Olives and Catsups; Swifts Premium Hams and Breakfast Bacons; Heinz Pickles and Vinegar, and, in fact, the best of everything that a first class grocery should handle.

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WHERE THE RAILROADS STAND.

Houston Post.
As the campaign progresses it becomes more and more apparent that Mr. Bryan was correct when he affirmed that the real overshadowing issue of the campaign was to be found in the question, "Shall the people rule?"

The alignment is already proceeding at a rate that makes it certain the campaign will reach the exciting stage long in advance of that of previous national contests, and as the forces swing into line it is perceived beyond the peradventure of a doubt that it is to be a fight in which the plain people will be arrayed on one side and the corporations and such a following as they are able to control on the other.

What the issue will be depends on the patriotism of the masses.

It is within their power to restore the government to the hands of the people in the fullest meaning of the term, thereby insuring a government in which the equality of opportunity shall be open to every individual, however humble his walk in life, and the bread that labor earns shall not be snatched from its mouth.

There has at no time been occasion

to doubt how the sympathies of the great railroad systems of the country were inclined, and their reputation for activity in previous political contests made it practically certain that they would make no attempt to restrain themselves from taking part in the present campaign.

This conclusion has been affirmed by the action of the Western Passenger Association in notifying Norman E. Mack, chairman of the democratic national executive committee, that no reduced railroad rates would be put into effect for the Bryan notification meeting at Lincoln, Neb., August 12. Chairman Mack, in asking for the rates, called attention to the fact that reduced fares had been granted on the occasion of the Taft notification. In protesting by telephone against the association's refusal to grant such reduced fares to the democratic party, Mr. Mack evoked from the chairman of the railway association the explanation that no reduced rates had been put into effect for any event since the passage of the 2-cent fare law in that State. He also emphasized the fact that the Cincinnati rates were offered by the Central Passenger Association.

In reply, Mr. Mack says: "The action of the railroads is simply discrimination against the democratic party. They state that there is a 2-cent law in Nebraska which will not permit them to give a reduced rate to Lincoln. But I desire to call their attention to the fact that there is also a 2-cent rate law in Ohio, which did not prevent the granting of a reduced rate to the Taft meeting in Cincinnati. Besides, as I understand it, many of the railroads which compose the Central Passenger Association are also members of the Western Passenger Association."

Heretofore, the railroads have not been so open in their hostility to the democratic party as to discriminate in the matter of rates upon occasions of this kind, but it would seem that they have started out early in the present campaign to make the people feel their power, with the view both of coercing them into support of the republican ticket and warning them against further legislation to curb their rapacity.

The saloons have been the breeding places of all the disturbance which have caused our little city to lose favor in the eyes of the better class of people, who have been intending to make this their future home. Our pride has kept us from publishing the many outrages caused by drunkenness, but we feel that the limit has been reached and hereafter our readers will get a summary of the drunken brawls and no names or particulars will be spared publication. If the voters of this precinct are not here to see the true side of whiskey life, we will try to picture it as near an pen pictures can describe

it and leave the results to your better judgment at the ballot box.—Electra News.

That is the way to talk it, and print it, too, for that matter. In order to have a live town it is not necessary to allow it to be run wide open. And when it becomes known that a town is being run on that plan it is but an invitation extended officially to all the thugs and hold-up men to come to that town and ply their nefarious vocation. The business men of any town can put a stop to that kind of lawlessness and the Times shall make it a point to watch the columns of the News to see how well the people of that thrifty little town will back it up in the stand it has taken on this matter.

Federal authorities have in their possession evidence that a ship load of girls were recently brought to this country from France and distributed to proprietresses of resorts in Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Minneapolis and New Orleans. The attention of President Roosevelt was called to this wholesale traffic in white slaves, and the investigation which followed shows that the company which is peddling on the virtues of these French girls imported to this country annually about three thousand of them. The arrest of a man by the name of DuVal, who is at the head of the syndicate, has been made and orders have been given and are now being carried out to gather up all these French girls, and the steamship line which brought them here will be forced to carry them back at its own expense. The secret service men who worked up the case also have evidence in their possession showing that the same syndicate is exporting American girls to France and other countries for the same purpose it is importing French girls to this country.

The best way in the world to keep up the Bailey fight is for the friends of the senator (when they are in the saddle) to see that none but those who voted for Senator Bailey shall participate as delegates in democratic conventions.—Wichita Falls Times.

And from reading reports of several county conventions held last Saturday the Bailey men did not fail to bring up the old question and elect solid Bailey delegations to the State convention. This will do for a little while, but the day is coming when they will see their mistake. The Index does not believe that Mr. Bailey will sanction this and also believes that he can see his political doom if such continues.—Childress Index.

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For the little boys, the young boys and the old boys. Styles to suit every taste and prices to suit every purse.

1-3 OFF ON ALL SUMMER SUITS!

Men's Underwear.

200 sample shirts at genuine bargain prices. **25c to 40c**

NEW HATS TO FIT EVERY HEAD.

All men's and boy's Oxfords on sale this week.

300 pairs new Fall Pants for men and boy's.

Boy's.....\$.25 to \$1.00
Men's..... 1.00 to 6.50

150 sample Shirts, all sizes, with or without collars. 39c, 50c, 69c to.....95c

School Dresses

THAT WON'T FADE.

200 pieces the best Amoskeag dress Gingham per yard.....**12½c**

Percales of 100 different designs, per yard.....**7½c to 10c**

Every slipper in the house on sale this week.

New Bordered Foulards that wash well, per yard.....**18c**

Barefoot Sandals for ladies, misses and children, pair.....**65c**

LINEN NAPKINS for the girls and boys who carry their lunch to school, each 2½c, 3½c, 4c and.....**5c**

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EVERY PIECE OF LAWN AND EMBROIDERY WILL BE FOUND ON THE BARGAIN COUNTER THIS ENTIRE WEEK.

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WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. References exchanged. Call up phone 105 or R. N. Smith, at Broom Factory. 77-11p

WANTED—Horse 6 or 7 years old, about 17 hands high and weight 1,300 pounds. Good form and active. Bay preferred. Address E. B. McHam. 75-61c

WANTED—Experienced and inexperienced operators. Only young ladies living in the city need apply. Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company. 74-61c

FOR SALE—Choice lot, close in, \$850; three lots in desirable locations, \$330 each; two lots in nice part of town, \$250 each; one lot, best in town, \$1,300; one lot on Tenth street, \$1,300. Kelper & Jackson, phone 24, at Wichita Falls Implement Co. 75-61f

FOR SALE—To the highest bidder, a first class stock of staple and standard lines of Men's and Boys' Furnishings, Shoes and Clothing, in the best town in Texas. We will accept sealed bids until August 15th. Stock invoices about \$5,000. Address Rock & Duke, Wichita Falls, Texas. 73-4f

FOR SALE—A champion 8-foot binder, bought this season; a cultivator and other farming implements, at a bargain; five cows with calves, three of them Jerseys. Will be at the wagon yard four doors south of postoffice on Ohio avenue on Saturday, August 15. 76-21

Also have corn and cotton crop for sale. The farm is for rent. Apply to J. Brock, six miles south of Wichita Falls. 72-5tp

WANTED—The Times wants 100 ladies in Wichita Falls to call the paper up over the phone and each give us an item of news. Our number 167. Will you do it? 285-1f

THE TIMES Bryan Dollar CAMPAIGN FUND

All that Mr. Bryan and the democratic campaign managers want is enough money for the legitimate expenses of the campaign. They do not want a slush fund, nor will they accept contributions from favor-seeking interests.

They are depending on the great mass of common citizens in this work of reform, and if the democratic party is successful it will not be under obligations to the interest of anyone but the everyday American citizen.

Contributions for Bryan's Dollar Campaign Fund are being received by the Times. Bring in your dollar.

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St. Clair Sherrod \$1.00
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Five is the sacred number of the Chinese, who have five planets, five cardinal points, five tastes, five musical tones, five ranks of nobility and five colors.

Try our new Lindale table peaches. 20c per can. J. L. LEA JR.

CAUTION!

Mosquitoes breed disease, ask your doctor.

Flies will ruin your stock besides make your horse run away.

Spare your health and protect your horses and cattle by using Our Mosquito Lotion and Fly Oil. We guarantee it to keep them away.

Buy them now for 25 cts. a bottle at

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List your property for sale or rent with me and I will give you prompt attention.

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Everything in our House to be Slaughtered For 30 Days
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MONDAY MORNING, AUGUST 10, 8 a. m.

Come and See For Yourself--Everything Cash During This Sale

LOOK AT THESE PRICES

Lawn Swings, formerly \$7.50, while they last at \$5.25 Kitchen Cabinet, the best \$15 cabinet ever sold, during this sale while they last \$9.90 Solid Oak Bed Room Suits, the \$30 grade will go at \$18.85

These prices will give you an idea—Come and be convinced. Remember this sale will continue till we sell \$10,000 worth, then we will be a new firm ready for business at the same old stand

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WICHITA

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How to Get The Pick of the Market

It very often happens that the fresh vegetables that are sold from day to day are far from being the finest that are grown, in fact the great packing companies, such as the firm that puts up Monarch Brand goods, see to it that the very finest vegetables find their way to their canning factories, so in order to get the pick of the market you will find our Monarch brand leads them all.

Another good feature is that you can keep a supply of all the vegetables on hand for emergency calls without fear of their spoiling.

Monarch Brand.	
String Beans, two lb. cans.....	17½c.
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Corn, two " " " " " " " " " "	15c.
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WELCOME CALLER AT FAIRVIEW.

Mr. Bryan Shows Pleasing Courtesy to Man Who Knew "Old Hickory."

One of the recent callers at Fairview, the home of William Jennings Bryan, was Peter S. Morrison of Sheridan, Wyoming, who received especial courtesies from his distinguished host.

Mr. Morrison stopped off at Lincoln on his way home from Michigan for the sole purpose of shaking hands with the democratic nominee. Although within five years of the century mark, Mr. Morrison displayed a remarkable memory and recalled with clearness many stirring events of the early days of the republic. To have seen and spoken to Andrew Jackson while president of the United States and lived to this day to tell it was a surprise to Mr. Bryan.

"I often wanted to hear from him if he was as he has been pictured," remarked Mr. Bryan.

Mr. Morrison described the tall, slim figure of Jackson, and bringing his fist down on the arms of his chair and setting his features as if in imitation of him, said:

"He was a man of iron will. He would insist on the right, no matter what happened, and for that reason he probably became the most unpopular president that ever left the White House."

Was Once in Texas.

Mr. Bryan seemed fascinated with the reminiscences of the old man, who related how, among other things, during the Mexican war, he came near capturing Santa Anna, who only escaped by leaving behind his wooden leg and cutting the traces of his horse.

Mr. Morrison was driven to the station by Mr. Bryan himself, the horse having been especially ordered hitched up for the purpose, and he carried away with him as a souvenir of the visit a handsome silver-headed cane which was cut from the tree at the Hermitage, Andrew Jackson's old home in Tennessee.

Watermelon Turned Negro White.

New York American. Henry White, who is black, but who was nearly white from fright, startled the officers of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street police station yesterday afternoon when he dashed in shouting, "Have mercy on my soul! I'm poisoned!"

Acting Captain Walsh and Lieutenant Farr administered soap suds and olive oil until Dr. Herry of Harlem hospital arrived and applied a stomach pump. Within a few minutes White was feeling better.

White had started from his home for a drug store after consuming a very large portion of watermelon. As his pain grew more acute he began to run in some way getting the idea that he had been poisoned. He dashed in and out of drug stores, at every step gathering more and more of a crowd of followers.

Lieutenant Farr declared last night that when he started to aid White he thought he was dealing with a white man, but as the pain lessened and the fear diminished the negro gradually assumed his natural color.

Electra a Good Grain Market.

Saturday and Monday were busy days in the local grain market, 6,827 bushels of wheat being marketed and the farmers getting the benefit of a good market. About 2,000 bushels of oats were marketed Saturday and Monday, prices running up to 44 cents. At about 1 p. m. Saturday 33 loads of grain were counted within 100 yards of the News office.—Electra News.

Come and see us in our new location. We will appreciate your call, whether you buy or not. King & White, opposite Wichita Sanitarium. 72-4f

Of an annual output of manufactures valued at \$15,000,000,000 we export only about 5 per cent.

WILL RUN BUSINESS ON A CASH BASIS.

Beginning with August 1st, I placed my business on a cash basis, and will not hereafter put any work on my books. I have done this not only because I have occasionally lost an account, but also for the reason that all my time and energies are required for my work, and I do not have the time for bookkeeping and looking after collections.

If you want the best work for reasonable prices, come to the City Shoeing Shop.

74-5c G. M. CALLAHAN, Prop.

Wreck on the Northwestern.

This morning at about 9 o'clock the work train on the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, in charge of Conductor George Stearns, was wrecked at Mile Post 2, the heavy steel car carrying the steam shovel going into the ditch. The wreck was caused by the breaking of a truck.

None of the train crew were injured, with the exception of Conductor Stearns, who sustained a slight injury of his left wrist.

The work of clearing the track was commenced at once, and it is now believed that traffic on the line will not be interfered with more than a few hours at the most.

Effect of Prohibition.

Lawton, Ok., Aug. 8.—Comanche county shipped out its first consignment of confiscated "booze," which had been gathered in by Rufe Leflors and his deputies, since statehood became operative.

In this shipment there was approximately 2,000 gallons of liquor. Rev. Mr. Thompson of the State Agency, who is superintending the shipment, is also gathering statistics from the police court records. He finds that in the eight months since statehood 350 arrests, seventy-one for drunkenness, have been made in Lawton, as compared with 974 arrests, 231 for drunkenness, in the eight months prior to statehood.

SOME POSTSCRIPTS.

The treasures of the Louvre are now guarded by watch dogs.

Chili is now exporting nitrate at the rate of over 2,000,000 tons a year.

The deepening and lengthening of the Annisquam river has made an island out of Cape Cod.

Fifty rifles, 2,000 rounds of ammunition and a dispatch box of Dinzulu's have been discovered concealed in caves in Zululand.

It is said that the use of an oil or gas engine on the farm results in a saving of from 20 to 50 per cent as compared with horses.

There is nothing so wholesome and refreshing in summer as Welch's grape juice.

J. L. LEA JR.

American made automobiles are popular in Norway. The character of the roads there, however, make their use somewhat limited.

The Wichita Grain and Coal Company are the people that have the coal. Give us your order for your winter supply and save the annoyance of being out when the dealers are also out of coal. 72-4f

Make your arrangements to trade with us through August. We can take care of you to your satisfaction. 66-4f MORRIS & FARRIS, Phone 60.

R. M. Moore, with Bean & Stone only exclusive city real estate dealer in Wichita Falls. Ask him; probably he can tell you. 285-4f

See Benson for signs and toyie for house painting. 20-4f



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IF YOU WANT TO LIVE WELL TRY OUR STORE

PHONE 177

SHERROD & COMPANY

811 INDIANA AVE

Too Much Rain This Year

By Reason of the fact that we have had SO MUCH RAIN we have decided to put on our

GREAT ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE!

A month earlier than usual, so beginning

SATURDAY, JULY 25th, WE CUT OUR PROFITS OUT
and offer everything in the house at **Close Out Prices.**

Woolen Dress Goods	White Goods	Silks.	Summer Foot Wear
All our 75c and 65c Woolen Dress Goods go at 50c	All our 10c and 12 1-2c White Goods go at 8 1/2c	All our \$12 and \$15 Silk Dress Patterns go at \$9 85	\$4.00 Oxfords at \$3 00
All our 85c and \$1.00 Woolen Dress Goods go at 75c	All our 15c and 17 1-2c White Goods go at 12 1/2c	All our \$3.50 and \$4.50 Silk Waist Patterns go at \$2 85	\$3.50 Oxfords at \$2 75
All our \$1.25 and \$1.50 Woolen Dress Goods go at \$1 00	All our 20c and 25c White Goods go at 15c	All our \$1.25 and \$1.50 yard-wide Black and Colored Taffeta Silks go at \$1 00	\$3.00 Oxfords at \$2 25
	All our 65c and 75c Persian Lawns go at 50c	A lot of Fancy Silks to close out at less than cost.	\$2.50 Oxfords at \$1 95
	All our 85c to \$1.00 Persian Lawns go at 75c		\$2.00 Oxfords at \$1 65
			\$1.50 Oxfords at \$1.25 and \$1 00
All Summer Skirts	Lace Curtains	All Our Shirt Waists	Mens' and Boy's Straw Hats.
Go in This Sale.	At Your Own Price.	Valued from \$1.00 to \$5.00 to close at from 75c to \$3 35	At Half Price.
\$15.00 values at \$11 75	\$1.50 and \$1.25 Shirts at \$1 00	All our Colored Lawns go at cost.	A lot of Boys' Knee Pants to close at any old price.
\$10.00 values at \$7 45	Som ePremium Dishes at a bargain.	Trunks and Suit Cases at a big reduction.	
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Why the State is Not Prospering as It Should.

"Our statutes may be searched in vain for words to encourage commercial thrift or manufacturing enterprises."

Hon. J. O. Terrell made use of the language quoted above in his speech before the bankers' convention recently held at Fort Worth. No one would make use of or make so broad an assertion unless he knew it could not be refuted successfully. It must therefore be accepted as a lamentable fact. It should therefore be made the text from which a sermon should be preached by the entire press of the State, so that the statutes might be changed, in this respect if no other. It is a question which should be fully, freely and intelligently discussed, so that the next legislators will know that Texas wants the world to know that capital is wanted. It is to the best interest of the State that a law be placed on the statutes which will encourage commercial thrift and manufacturing enterprises. Can it be said of any other State in the Union that they have not a word on their statutes to encourage commercial thrift or manufacturing enterprise. The fact is, we people talk too much politics and too little on commercial thrift. We lose sight of the main chance. We forget that it is the manufacturing interest which creates wealth and gives employment to the laboring man. As an illustration, if all the cotton raised in Texas was manufactured by home mills, the laboring class who would operate the mills would receive approximately one hundred million dollars annually. Add to this the many other enterprises which would naturally follow and the pay rolls alone would be something astounding. All this would add to the values of the realty of every class, and by reason of the enhanced values the state and county rate of taxation would be greatly cut down, because the property would be worth intrinsically more and would continue to enhance in value. It is a very unwise and shortsighted policy to legislate against capital. It is worse than folly, and should make any legislator blush with shame, to have it said that the statute of Texas contains not one word of encouragement to commercial thrift or commercial manufacturing enterprises. It is good reasoning to say that the proper construction placed on its absence is accounted for, because of the antagonistic feelings expressed by the leaders in their frequent discussions of the "political issues of the day." No speech is considered complete unless a word picture of the millionaire in stripes is given to the audience. This

is not done in sincerity but as a vote catcher. Mr. Terrell says, and says truthfully "the thrifty energetic man is not always a scoundrel; captains of industry are not always pirates."

It is natural for the investor to hesitate and consider before letting his money go into a state, no matter how inviting, where there is the slightest question as to the friendliness of the state. Would you not hesitate before "kissing it good bye?" Can a state, and will a state be regarded as friendly to capital whose statutes may be searched in vain for friendly words. You will find no "Birdie, come" in it.

Should this not be changed, and would not the change be beneficial to the state, and would that not benefit the land owner, the poor man and the laborer? It is true the state has prospered under these conditions, yet what would have been the progress of the state had the conditions been of a nature that would have induced the heavy investment of capital throughout the state? You can encourage capital, yet protect labor. In fact labor is benefitted when capital is encouraged.

The contrary is the doctrine of the professional politician, and the sooner it becomes obsolete the more prosperous will the state become. Be independent, and turn down the professional politician and uphold the thrift and prosperity of the state. Let the statutes of Texas bid welcome to all legitimate capital, and have the capitalists feel that when he comes to Texas that he is among friends.—Jefferson Jimplecute.

To the Citizens of Wichita Falls.

After having been closed for several months undergoing extensive remodeling, repairing, and refurnishing, the St. James hotel dining rooms will be open to the public on Aug. 15th. We have spent several thousand dollars to place the St. James second to none. We have engaged the best cooks to be had and the cuisine will be maintained at a high standard. We solicit the support and patronage of the citizens of Wichita Falls, for which monthly rates will be made on application to the office. We will continue to run the Wichita cafe and lunch room. Special price of 25c per meal will be made to the citizens of Wichita Falls at the counter. Polite and courteous treatment accorded.

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75-121c C. R. Elsele, Supt.

Chicken Feed Wheat.
When you need chicken feed call us up. We have a fine lot on hand. Wichita Grain and Coal Co. 72-1f

Hay Bailing Ties

The best way to save your hay and straw is to ball it. We have just received a large supply of Hay Ties in a car to Wichita Falls and are able to supply any reasonable demand at the right prices.

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We have received a new line of up-to-now Harness, Collars, Bridles, Horse Covers, Fly Nets Etc.

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To close out at less than factory cost. These are good collars, but slightly shop worn. It will pay you to investigate.

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A few popular sizes to close out at reduced prices.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Cora Estleman is visiting friends at Allendale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gillis of Iowa Park were in the city today.

Mrs. Allen Darnell has returned from a visit to friends at Tulsa, Oklahoma.

H. R. Hanks has returned from a visit with his relatives at Gateville, Texas.

C. M. Dowlen, a prosperous farmer from Charlie, was here today transacting business.

Judge A. J. Fires of Childress was in the city today en route to Seymour on legal business.

E. A. McCleskey, a prominent citizen of Iowa Park, was here today transacting business.

E. M. Sellers of Wolfe City, Texas, is in the city prospecting for a location.

Mrs. R. C. Napier of Dalais is here for a visit to her mother, Mrs. S. J. Clansbey.

Linn Boyd returned Saturday night from Amarillo and will again make Wichita Falls his home.

J. A. Fooseh left today for Claremore, Oklahoma, where he goes for the benefit of his health.

Messrs. Tom Corridon and Lloyd Wilson spent yesterday with relatives and friends in Iowa Park.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kell of Harrison, Oklahoma, were in the city yesterday en route to Vernon.

G. M. Crockett and family left Saturday night for Quanah, Texas, where they will make their future home.

Thomas Wallington, of Trigg county, Ky., has taken a bookkeeping position in the Wichita Ice Company's office.

Mrs. M. T. Henderson, accompanied by her son, N. Henderson left Saturday night for a visit at her old home at Seguin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Suddith will leave in the morning for a three weeks visit to Mrs. Suddith's relatives near St. Louis.

J. C. Whaley, a capitalist of Gainesville, was in the city Saturday looking after his property interests in and around Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Finn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randall of Seymour were in the city today en route to Colorado Springs, Colorado.

C. C. Huff, general attorney for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, left yesterday for Guthrie, Oklahoma, on business for his company.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Murrell of Petrolia were in the city today on their return home from Oklahoma, where they had been visiting relatives.

Mrs. F. H. Gohlke and little child arrived here Saturday evening from Louisville, Ky., to join Mr. Gohlke, the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

J. C. Terry of Petrolia passed through the city today en route home from Henderson, Tennessee, where he had been visiting relatives for the past month.

Mrs. Lee Simmons and children returned Saturday night from Foss, Oklahoma, where they had been visiting relatives.

relatives. Mrs. Simmons was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. W. H. Coleman.

J. E. A. Barger, editor and proprietor of the Cass County Sun, of Linden, Texas, arrived yesterday to join his family on a visit with relatives and friends here.

After an extended visit of some months to her daughters, Mrs. H. C. McGlasson and Mrs. J. D. Avis, Mrs. Isaac Bush left today for her home in Grayson county.

Mr. H. F. Dowdy of Charlie, Texas, was in the city today on his return from Fort Worth, where he had been to have an operation performed on his son for appendicitis.

M. R. Patty of Hillsboro, who has been the guest of his cousin, J. R. Patty of this city, left today for Tascosa, where he will serve the Fort Worth and Denver hs operator.

To Rebuild at Quanah.

Quanah, Tex., Aug. 9.—The debris is now being cleared from the ruins of the Goodlet-Newberry-Rucker block, which was recently burned. The insurance has been adjusted and the work of rebuilding will commence at once. The parties who were recently burned out—Sanders-Lewis Hardware Company and Blount & Company—will enter into a new lease and occupy the buildings as soon as they can be rebuilt, which the owners state will be completed within the next ninety days. In addition to this there has been contract let last week for a large brick building to be constructed adjoining this property.

Charles Burke, who has been in a serious condition as the result of injuries received from an assault with a beer glass several days ago, is reported to be better today and there is a good chance for his recovery. Yesterday it was reported that Burke was dead and upon hearing the report Sheriff Davis placed John Young, the bartender who had struck him, under arrest again. When it was found that Burke was not dead, as reported, Young, who is already under a \$500 bond, was given his freedom.

Trouble! Trouble! Trouble! Tonight at the Majestic. 77-11



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Push the mercury down 5 to 10 degrees lower

Try it today. We have a splendid line of these cool fabrics to show you, and they cost so little that you really ought to have a suit made from one of them.

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I have had 17 years practical experience in the plumbing business and am the only practical man in the plumbing and heating business in this city. Will be glad to figure with you on anything in my line. Will give a strict guarantee, if necessary, on all work. We can furnish you with goods made by any of the leading manufacturers of the United States.

Am now making a special price of \$22.50 on Porcelain Bath Tubs, which can't be bought for the money by any of my competitors.

Will open up for the present at Abbott Paint Co., corner of Eighth street and Ohio avenue.
W. W. Coleman.

Only Five More Days to Buy these Goods at Cost

OUR STOCK MUST BE SOLD

BY AUGUST 15TH.

We have left quite a line of wash goods, silks, white waistings, dimities, nainsook, gingham, percales, laces, embroideries, bed spreads, crash toweling, shirt waists, skirts, petticoats, corsets, knit and muslin underwear, hosiery, belts, bags, ladies and childrens slippers, men's and boy's shoes, men's and boy's suits and hats, boy's knee pants, and we are offering them at

ACTUAL COST UNTIL AUGUST 15th

You will find the cost mark on display in our store. Don't buy your goods elsewhere until you have looked over our stock.

Here are a few Flyers:

MEN'S FINE OXFORDS Our entire line of Men's fine Floreheim Oxfords worth \$5 and \$6, close **\$3.75**

Remnants.

JUST ONE-HALF PRICE

We have quite a lot of remnants in lawns and woolen that we will sell at exactly **half price.**

Corsets.

A lot of odds and ends in corsets to close at less than cost **10c**
50c corsets go at cost price **39c**
75c " " " " **40c**
\$1.25 " " " " **85c**
\$1.50 " " " " **\$1.20**
\$2.00 " " " " **1.50**
\$3.50 " " " " **2.40**

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65c Hose, cost price **43c**
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Silks.

A big lot of odds and ends in silks in plain and fancy, worth 75c and 85c, to close less than cost **39c**
Our entire line of fancy dress silks worth \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, to close at less than cost **69c**

ROCK AND DUKE

NEW BAKERY WILL SOON BE READY FOR BUSINESS.

The oven for Hund & Peters' new bakery has been installed in the Nickle Store, and Mr. Hund says they will be ready to turn out bread the latter part of next week. The equipment of the new bakery will be thoroughly up-to-date. 76-3ap

The postponed benefit performance for the volunteer fire company at the Summer Garden will be given on Thursday night. A special program of music and new pictures will be given on that night. 77-1tc

We keep Swift's Premium breakfast bacon, boiled ham, and dried beef. We will be glad to slice any of these meats for you. 66-1f MORRIS & FARRIS, Phone 60.

Ice cold water melons for sale by the People's Ice Company. 72-1fc

Bobby's Pet Rat tonight at the Majestic. 77-1t

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Robertson are happy over the arrival of a pretty baby daughter at their home on Austin street last Saturday night.



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Wichita Falls and Southern.
Leaves Wichita Falls.....3:10 p.m.
Arrives Olney.....6:40 p.m.
Leaves Olney.....7:30 a.m.
Arrives Wichita Falls.....11:00 a.m.
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The county commissioners convened today for their regular monthly session. It is probable that the tax levy will be fixed at this session of the court.

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