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## INJURIES NOT FATAL

**ORVILLE WRIGHT NOT FATALY HURT IN AEROPLANE ACCIDENT YESTERDAY.**

## MACHINE TURNED OVER

**Lieutenant Selfridge Lost Life in Aeroplane Accident—Wright Not Dangerously Hurt.**

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—Orville Wright, the aeronaut who was severely injured in an accident to his aeroplane at Fort Meyer yesterday, showed great improvement today. The attending physician, after a call this morning, said: "Mr. Wright is doing very nicely."

## WILBUR WRIGHT MUCH AFFECTED.

By Associated Press. Lemans, France, Sept. 18.—Wilbur Wright was much affected when informed of the accident to his brother, Orville Wright, at Washington, which occurred yesterday. Preparations had been made by Wilbur to try for the Michelin and Aero club prizes and although a huge crowd had gathered to witness the trials and everything was in readiness for the flight, he at once countermanded the orders and the trials were postponed.

## No Word From Selfridge's Relatives.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—Nothing has been heard at Ft. Meyer from Lieutenant Selfridge's relatives and until word is received the body of the unfortunate officer will be held at the Fort Meyer hospital. At 10 o'clock tonight, Wright is reported to have a slight fever, but this considered natural.

## Machine Turned Completely Over.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—Hurting through the air, turning completely over and dropping with a dull crash, the Wright aeroplane tonight buried Orville Wright and Lieutenant Thomas E. Selfridge under a broken mass of splintered wreckage.

Wright was taken from the mass of broken wood, smoking engine and torn cloth with a broken thigh and several broken ribs and severe cuts and bruises. Lieutenant Selfridge followed him in the tender hands of soldiers and onlookers a moment later with a fractured skull and terrible cuts on his head and face, unconscious, and a mass of blood. He died three hours later without regaining consciousness. He spoke as they came to lift him out. "Take this thing off," he said, then lost his senses never to regain them. Wright was conscious, but was in a dazed condition and unable to speak intelligently of what had happened and why. "Please take care of my leg—my leg," was all he could say.

**Victims Rushed to Hospital.**  
The immense throng of spectators crowded about the two injured men who so few seconds before were aloft trying to break the world's record for two men in an aeroplane, held by Orville Wright and Major George O. Squier. They were with the greatest difficulty held back from the sufferers by the guard of cavalrymen. Ambulances and stretchers were sent for in an instant and in a very short time the two men were conveyed without more than a temporary examination and blood-staunching with proffered handkerchiefs to the Fort Meyer hospital, half a mile away.

## Broken Propeller Causes Accident.

The accident happened at 5:19 o'clock, after the two men had been in the air for five minutes and had traveled the circuit of the parade ground three and one-half times. The immediate cause was the breaking of one blade of the left propeller. These propellers were installed yesterday and today is the first time they have been used. The old ones had stood the strain splendidly, but Mr. Wright was anxious to try the new ones, and see if the old ones were warped. Evidently the new ones were not strong enough, or perhaps they had been injured in transit from Dayton. However, one of the blades on the left hand propeller tore away and was seen to drop, while the aeroplane was just beginning its turn to the left, over the shed which houses it.

## Fleet Sails for Manila.

By Associated Press. Albany, West Australia, Sept. 18.—The American Atlantic fleet under the command of Admiral Sperry, left here this afternoon for Manila, where it is due to arrive on October 2nd or 3rd.

## WILL HEAR ACCUSATIONS.

**Texarkana City Council Will Hear the Charges Preferred By Mayor Against Chief of Police.**

Special to the Times. Texarkana, Tex., Sept. 18.—Chief of Police Towery won the first round in his fight with Mayor Beddingfield today, the city council overruling the charge that the chief permits the police to accept cash bonds from prisoners. Towery was suspended pending trial. The council tonight will hear the accusations preferred by the mayor that Towery rents property for immoral purposes.

## Want New City Directory.

Special to the Times. Austin, Tex., Sept. 18.—The Business Men's League is negotiating for the publication of a new city directory, none having been issued in over two years.

## DRIVEN TO SUICIDE BY ACCUSATIONS

Waterbury, Eng., Sept. 18.—The body of Major General Luard was found today close to the railroad crossing here. He was crossing the track when he was run down by a train.

General Luard's wife was mysteriously murdered in the latter part of August in a desolate wood a short distance outside of London. No trace of the murderer was found, but the motive was apparently robbery, as valuable rings had been taken from her fingers.

Later developments show that General Luard committed suicide by throwing himself in front of the train. A letter left by him states that such awful accusations had been made against him in connection with the death of his wife that he could no longer stand the strain.

## BURGLARS ARRESTED.

**Robbers Who Entered Mark Twain's House Captured.**

By Associated Press. Redding, Conn., Sept. 18.—Two burglars who broke into the residence of Samuel Clemens, "Mark Twain," here last night, were captured today on a railroad train after a desperate fight in which Deputy Sheriff Banks of Redding was shot in the leg. The prisoners are believed to be professional crooks from New York, who came to Redding for the express purpose of entering Clemens' villa.

## The First Bale at Burkburnett.

J. F. Waggoner carried off the premium offered by the business men of Burkburnett for the first bale of cotton sold here this season. Mr. Waggoner arrived with the first bale last Saturday and carried off the premium, which amounted to \$40.

The cotton was raised on J. F. Burroughs' place, known as the old ranch farm, four miles west of town. The cotton was quite spirited by the local buyers, W. T. Willis buying it at 10¢.

It is estimated that between four and five thousand bales will be ginned here this season.—Burkburnett Star.

## Grand Jury Will Investigate.

Special to the Times. Dallas, Sept. 18.—Hunter Love and Eugene Clark were arraigned today in the city court charged with attacking Dan Freeman, a turfman, Sunday night. Freeman was badly beaten up. Both denied they knew anything of the deed or the parties. The grand jury will investigate.

## Phone 437, Maricle Coal Co., for best coal, at Stonecipher stand, 106-12t

Five well dressed young men were arraigned in New York charged with playing "craps" on the street. They all claimed to have been looking at the game. "You are fined 25 cents each," said the magistrate. "If you use the city's streets you must pay for the privilege."

## TAFT GETS READY FOR WESTERN TRIP

By Associated Press. Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 18.—Preparations for his Western trip continue to engross the attention of Judge Taft, to the practical exclusion of all other matters. He devoted the early morning hours to work on the speeches and expects to devote the entire afternoon and evening to the same task.

## THEY WILL NOT MEET

**BOTH THE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES NOT TO SPEAK AT CHICAGO BANQUET.**

## BRYAN WILL BE THERE

**Republican Speakers' Bureau Failed to Put the Date on Taft's Itinerary.**

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 18.—The contemplated meeting of Judge Taft and William J. Bryan at a banquet here on October 7th has fallen through, according to a statement made by Chairman Dixon of the republican speakers' bureau today.

Judge Taft will address the Independent Railway Men's Taft club in Chicago Sept. 23," said Mr. Dixon, "but his itinerary will not allow of his speaking at Chicago Oct. 7." It is said that it was Judge Taft's wish to speak at the banquet, but the speakers' bureau was not officially consulted in making the engagement.

Mr. Bryan, however, will attend the banquet, which will be given by the Chicago Association of Commerce.

## May Be Joint Debate.

Galesburg, Ill., Sept. 17.—An official invitation was today extended to William J. Bryan to come to Galesburg Oct. 7 and appear on the same platform with W. H. Taft at the semi-centennial celebration of the Lincoln-Douglas debate in this city.

Mayor Shunway and the citizens on the celebration committee have received assurances that Mr. Bryan will come if he can arrange to make train connections to be at the Association of Commerce banquet in Chicago the same evening. The committee in charge of the celebration will hold a meeting tonight and take up the question of arranging a joint debate.

## TODAY'S MARKETS.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 18.—The total cattle receipts today were 3,000 head.

Steers—Quality choice. Market was higher. Tops sold at \$4.25.

Cows—Quality fair. Market steady. Tops sold at \$3.10.

Calves—Quality fair. Market steady. Tops sold at \$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts 3,800. Quality fair. Market higher. Tops sold at \$6.85.

## Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Suicides.

By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 18.—For some inexplicable reason Silver Welt, aged 14 years, committed suicide today by hanging himself in the cellar of his home in Mount Vernon. He is the youngest suicide in Mount Vernon police records.

Young Welt when sent to the cellar to arrange the coal bin for a supply of coal seemed in the best of spirits and no cause is known for the act.

## TO SPEAK IN AUSTIN.

**Republican Candidates are Scheduled to Deliver Addresses Tomorrow.**

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Sept. 18.—J. N. Simpson of Dallas and Charles Ogden of San Antonio, republican nominees for governor and lieutenant governor respectively, are scheduled to speak here tomorrow. The republicans are making elaborate preparations for their reception and the meeting.

## BATTERED BY HURRICANE.

**Steamship Colon Came Into Port Half Masted—Three of Crew Lost Lives.**

By Associated Press. Colon, Sept. 18.—The steamship Colon, half-masted and showing other evidence of distress, came into port this morning. She had been badly battered by a hurricane on Sunday. Three members of the crew lost their lives while repairing the water tank in the hold.

## For Information of Light Users.

We have telegraphic information that the delay of shipment of coils for our dynamo is due entirely to the fault of the factory, which made a partial shipment of the coils on Wednesday. These coils are due to arrive here tonight and in the event they arrive we will be in a position to give our patrons better service by tomorrow night.

CHAS. MALONE, Manager.

Another shipment of Jersey Farm Creamery to arrive today. Phone us your Saturday's order. 112-1t TREVATHAN & BLAND.

## FELL FOUR STORIES

**HOUSTON PAINTER SLIPS THRU SKYLIGHT AND RECEIVES FATAL INJURIES.**

## PROMINENT REPUBLICANS

**Will Be Sent to Texas By Chairman Lyon—Other News Told in Short Telegrams.**

Special to the Times. Houston, Tex., Sept. 18.—Allen G. Reed, aged 27 years, a painter, while working on top of a four-story building today stepped through a skylight, alighting upon the edge of a table in a room below. He received a severe wound on his side, which may cost him his life.

## Found Dead in Cotton Patch.

Special to the Times. Waxahachie, Tex., Sept. 18.—R. C. Cofer, aged 25 years, was found dead in a cotton patch near Midlothian. The coroner rendered a verdict of death caused by heart failure.

## Lyon Ready to Leave for Chicago.

By Associated Press. Dallas, Tex., Sept. 18.—Chairman Lyon of the Texas republican executive committee is here today and on Monday goes to Chicago to aid in the national campaign. He will send prominent men of his party to address the Texans.

## Heavy Rains Damage Cotton.

By Associated Press. Wharton, Tex., Sept. 18.—Heavy rains continue to fall in this section, damaging the cotton and rye crops. In many places the country roads are under water and traffic is badly hampered.

## WANTS FLOUR MILL.

**El Paso People Will Subscribe \$50,000 For Immense Concern.**

Special to the Times. El Paso, Tex., Sept. 18.—The citizens' committee today reports that \$20,000 has been subscribed for the erection of an immense flour mill which a California company offers to build. El Paso promises to subscribe \$50,000 of the necessary amount.

## THE TRIGGER CAUGHT.

**Twelve-Year-Old Girl is Fatally Injured.**

Special to the Times. Merkel, Tex., Sept. 18.—Elizabeth Baker, aged 12 years, the daughter of J. W. Baker, was fatally injured this morning by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. The family was traveling overland to New Mexico and as the girl was drawing the weapon from the wagon the trigger caught, emptying the load into her side and shattering her arm.

## New Goods Just in.

Cranberries, mackerel, kraut, oatmeal in 2-lb and 5-lb packages. Evaporated fruits—apricots, peaches and apples, dried prunes and grapes. Phone No. 60. 112-3t MORRIS & FARRIS.

## Helen Maloney Granted a Divorce.

By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 18.—Helen Maloney was today granted a final decree annulling her marriage to Arthur Osborne. The decree was granted by Justice Girard in the Supreme Court, on the application of Miss Maloney's attorney.

## Will File Complaint.

Special to the Times. Waco, Tex., Sept. 18.—All owners of slaughter pens who have so far failed to comply with the city health board's orders to put them in a sanitary condition, will have complaints filed against them today by the city authorities.

## First Show of the Season.

Remembrance of former pleasant hours spent under its charms made a welcome for Elmer Walters' "A Millionaire Tramp" at the Gilliss a foregone conclusion. Not to see a "Millionaire Tramp" is to miss adding to theatrical memory one of the most impressive, beautiful and artistic dramas that the stage affords. The story of Jay Pierpont and Theresa Hampton is as much a departure from the ordinary dramatic plot as its personages are from the stereotyped characters so common behind the footlights. If you have not been to the Gilliss this week, go. "A Millionaire Tramp" is a play worth while.—Kansas City Gazette, August 13, 1908.

## OFFERED NEW POSITION.

**Pettibone Offered Presidency of Houston Belt and Terminal Co.**

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 18.—F. G. Pettibone, vice president and general manager of the Santa Fe road, arrived here today from Brownwood and it is said he will accept the presidency of the Houston Belt and Terminal Company. This position has just been vacated by W. H. Green, formerly president of the Trinity and Brazos Valley. An official offer has been made to Pettibone.

## Seven Miners Killed.

By Associated Press. Yuzovo, Russia, Sept. 18.—Seven miners were killed and a large number injured yesterday by the caving in of the roof of the Verofsky mine. The accident occurred after working hours, when many men had come to the surface.

## FORAKER DENIES HEARST'S CHARGES

By Associated Press. Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 18.—That he had been several years ago an attorney for the Standard Oil Company, terminating such service before the federal prosecution of that concern, but that such employment had nothing to do with matters pending in congress or in which the federal government was interested, was in substance the brief statement made today by Senator Foraker in answer to the charges made by William R. Hearst in Columbus last night.

## Not Shown by the Records.

By Associated Press. Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 18.—A hasty search of the supreme court books failed to find any record showing that Senator Foraker had appeared for the Standard Oil Company in any cases brought against that company in 1889 and 1890.

## NO ADVICE YET.

Just When the Orient Will Be Into Chillicothe is Uncertain. Up to this good hour the Denver railroad has not been notified to the effect that the Orient road is ready to receive freight destined to points north from Chillicothe, though all traffic arrangements have been agreed upon by the Denver with the new line. The latest advices received from Chillicothe are to the effect that the Orient now has its steel within a few hundred yards of the Denver line, but the connections between the two roads have not been put in.

## PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

Dr. Wells Struck By a Part of Exploded Torpedo. Belton, Tex., Sept. 18.—Dr. Wells of the Baylor university faculty received a painful wound at Temple early this morning while at the Katy station there. An engine passed over a torpedo, exploding it, and a part of missile struck Wells' side and badly lacerated his ear.

## Mining Company Incorporates.

Special to the Times. Austin, Tex., Sept. 18.—The Dallas and Gillespie County Mining Company with a capital of \$10,000 was chartered today. They will operate in the Llano and Mason districts. Incorporators: T. P. Barry, G. C. Nunnally and T. B. McCormick of Dallas.

## BRYAN SAYS TIDE RUNS TO DEMOCRATS

By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 18.—Wm. J. Bryan arrived here at 10:15 o'clock and proceeded at once to the democratic headquarters in the Hoffman House. Mr. Bryan stated in an interview that he was satisfied in the event of his election that the legitimate interests would not be jeopardized or suffer. He said that the tide was turning in favor of the Democratic party.

## ARE BACKING TAFT

**BRYAN CHARGES STEEL TRUST IS ASSISTING THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.**

## ABOUT TARIFF REVISION

**Democratic Nominee Says G. O. P. is in a Hurry to Make Change After Long Inactivity.**

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 17.—In a speech here yesterday William J. Bryan declared that the interests of the farmers were with the democratic party. Speaking of President Roosevelt's reference to swollen fortunes, Mr. Bryan declared that:

"You don't find them among the farmers, the laboring men, the merchants, the teachers, the preachers, the priests or among those who produce the nation's wealth.

"You find them in the hands of just a few people," he said, "and those are the people who have secured favors and privileges from the government and when Mr. Roosevelt brings up his indictment against these owners of swollen fortunes, he brings an indictment against the republican party, for it is the republican party that has permitted the abuse of governmental power that has led to the accumulation of swollen fortunes."

Mr. Bryan attacked Mr. Taft and his platform generally, but, with respect to the revision of the tariff, he inquired:

"Why are they in such a hurry? They have had a chance all this time and when they promised immediate revision, it meant that they knew the patience of the public was strained to the point of breaking, and they say, 'If you will just let us in once more, we will do what we ought to have done years ago.'"

He said there was little chance of the republicans reducing the tariff and injuring the trusts that had fattened under it. "The reason you cannot reduce it," he asserted, "is that the republican party gathers its campaign funds from these men who purchase the right to get the money back from the pockets of the people.

"The republican leaders expect to get their money this year like they have secured it before, but they are not willing that the people should know by publication before election where the money is coming from."

**Steel Trust Supports G. O. P.**  
He inquired: "What answer does Mr. Taft make?"

"Mr. Taft," he said explained nothing. The steel trust today is supporting the republican party and the republican committee dare not say before election the amount of money it will collect from the officials of the steel trust to help in its campaign."

He said the republican party had regulated the trusts only by being regulated by them. On the other hand, the democratic party insisted that the principles of private monopoly was wrong, and instead of creating trusts and then spending money trying to catch them, "we say prevent a trust from being organized."

President Roosevelt had not prosecuted the steel corporation, he said, and there was no hope that Mr. Taft would do so. It was not, he said, destroying business to make the trusts do business honestly.

## BAILEY GETS PRIZES.

**Senator's Live Stock Receives Awards at Cooke County Fair.**

Special to the Times. Gainesville, Tex., Sept. 18.—The committee making the awards for the Cooke county fair today gave prizes to Senator Bailey on horses, cattle and sheep. The senator received twelve prizes. The live stock came from his nearby farm.

## PLAY HOUSE CANNOT OPEN.

**Waco City Council Firm in Insisting on Better Wiring.**

Special to the Times. Waco, Tex., Sept. 18.—The city council has issued an ultimatum refusing to permit the Auditorium, the principal playhouse here, to open next Monday unless the management revines the theatre according to the city's orders. A lawsuit is expected.

## Robbed by a Negress.

Special to the Times. San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 18.—Otto Krause of Marion reported to the police today that he was robbed of \$120 by a negress. The police so far have been unable to arrest the woman.



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[Those having friends or relatives visiting in or out of the city will confer a favor by reporting same to the Times. Phone—Office, 167 residence, 111.—Editor]

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- For Representative 105th District, G. E. HAMILTON of Childress.
- For District Attorney, 30th Jud. Dist., P. A. MARTIN of Granam.
- For County Judge: M. F. YEAGER.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: J. W. WALKUP.
- For District and County Clerk: W. A. REID.
- For County Treasurer: TOM W. McHAM.
- For County Tax Assessor: W. J. BULLOCK.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1: PETE RANDOLPH.
- For County Attorney: T. B. GREENWOOD.

By a vote of two to one, Amarillo refused to vote a tax of 50 cents on the one hundred dollars valuation and to issue \$25,000 worth of bonds for school purposes. There are but two ways to explain the result of such an election. The taxpayers either thought the tax sought to be levied and the bonds voted would not be rightfully used, or else the better element of the city felt too confident that the issues would carry and did not take the trouble to vote, and allowed a few "sore-heads" and "knockers" to seecrily club together and vote no schools. This is very unfortunate for Amarillo and no doubt is the direct result of the local option election held there when, by a close vote, the saloons were voted out of the town. There are people who believe that unless a town has open saloons, that fact will kill it, and if the town does not die quick enough to suit them they, by their votes, do what is in their power to make good their prediction or threat to kill the town because a majority of its citizens have decided to close the open saloon.

Under the present postal laws it is no longer permissible for a newspaper to print lists of prize winners at any euchre party, fair or game of chance, or even to announce such affairs in advance. Following is a portion of Section 499 of the postal laws and regulations on unmailable matter:

"Nor shall any newspaper, magazine, pamphlet or publication of any kind containing an advertisement of any lottery, or gift enterprise of any kind offering prizes dependent upon chance or containing any list of prizes awarded at the drawing of any such lottery or gift enterprise, whether said list is of any part or all of the drawing, be carried in the mail or delivered by any postmaster or letter carrier."

Disbarment from the mails is not the only punishment prescribed under the above section, as any person who deposits in a mail box, or offers for delivery, any such matter as described above is guilty of a misdemeanor, which is punishable by a fine of \$500 or one year's imprisonment, or both.

The government is not consistent. Not many years ago it carried on one of the most gigantic lotteries over in Oklahoma that was ever pulled off in this country, yet it has passed stringent laws forbidding the newspapers from publishing anything that sounds like lottery. But the Index will acquiesce "like a little man."—Mineral Wells Index.

### WHO SHOULD KEEP THE PUBLIC ROADS UP?

The following communication, addressed to the Times for publication, was received by this paper this morning:

Wichita Falls, Tex., Sept. 17, 1908.  
Editor Times—Is it anybody's business to work the public roads? Everybody who has been on the Burkbursett road in wet weather this year will

agree that it is no one's business to work it. Within a mile of the city limits the water stands like a lake for forty yards for several days after a rain. It is now almost axle-deep in mud from the last rain and was in this condition all the wet spell this year. It is impossible for heavy hauling to be done over it in such a condition.

I understand that the commissioner has agreed to work it.

Is it not to the interest of the business men of Wichita Falls to take an interest in the matter with the heavy fall trade in view?

### TAXPAYER.

In reply to the above the Times will say to Taxpayer that it is the duty of our county commissioners' court to levy and collect a sufficient tax to keep the public roads in reasonable good condition. That this has not been done is very evident and the blame for this neglect should be lodged where it properly belongs. It is false economy to allow our public roads to get in the condition that many of them leading into this city are now reported to be in. Apparently the county authorities seem to have looked to the business men of Wichita Falls to keep these roads in good repair, and Taxpayer evidently shares in that opinion. The fact of the business is that Wichita Falls pays fully one-third of the tax of the county, and her business men pay three-fourths of this tax, and when they do this it occurs to the Times that the business men of Wichita Falls have done their full part towards paying the expense of keeping up the roads, and it would be a rank injustice to expect them to "dig up" every time a road gets in bad condition. The fact of the business is that our business men have had so many calls made upon them for money with which to support institutions for which a regular tax should have been levied and collected on the whole people of the county to support that they are getting just a little bit sore. Wichita county taxpayers are a liberal minded people, and do not expect private citizens to contribute of their individual funds to keep up and maintain the public roads. That is a matter for our commissioners court to handle and if it has not been handled properly, don't blame the business men of Wichita Falls for the neglect.

The Chicago Record-Herald of Wednesday, September 9th, says: "Nathan Strauss of New York, noted throughout the nation as a practical philanthropist and brother of Oscar S. Strauss, secretary of the department of Commerce and Labor in President Roosevelt's cabinet, was yesterday selected as chairman of the Democratic Business Men's League. The appointment was made by the democratic national committee, and had the approval of William Jennings Bryan, who conferred with party chieftains throughout the day in Chicago. It is the purpose of the democrats to make this organization one of the features of the national campaign. E. M. Goltra of St. Louis, one of the best known manufacturers of that city, will act as secretary of the league. Both Mr. Strauss and Mr. Goltra have accepted the positions tendered them and will use as much of their time and influence as possible, it is declared, to further the interests of the new organization. Mr. Strauss has been in Europe for more than a year where he was engaged in promoting his plan for the supplying of pasteurized milk to the poor in New York. In a statement given out in New York, he said: 'I hurried back to the United States from a European trip in order to take part in the campaign and contribute in so far as I am able to the election of Bryan and Kern. I am a strong admirer of Mr. Bryan and I believe his election to be for the best interests of all the people in this country. As a business man, I have every confidence that Mr. Bryan would, as president, afford equal protection to the legitimate business interests and individuals who labor for a living.' The suggestion that Mr. Strauss become chairman of the Business Men's League came from Chairman Mack of the national committee, who met Mr. Strauss in New York Saturday. The fact that Mr. Strauss is one of the active heads of the large dry goods business in which the Strauss brothers are engaged in New York was considered one of the most important reasons why he should head the league. His selection gave fresh significance to the development of two noted brothers being arrayed against each other in the present campaign. Oscar S. Strauss is counted on as one of the strongest supporters of Taft and Sherman."

The first new made catsup in the city. No artificial coloring. No preservative. Try our Richelieu brand. 112-It TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Trying to keep a pet kitten from falling off the roof of his home, Raymond Dager, 8 years old, living at 834 Hutchinson street, Philadelphia, fell off himself yesterday, breaking his right arm. The lad had gone upon the roof against his mother's wishes.

Two ostriches, broken to sulks and caught to trot, will be raced at the coming Mineola fair, on Long Island. The ostriches have trotted a mile in little less than 2:30. They are called Fleetfoot and Fleetwing, and are driven to high sulks built for them.

## A Child of Nature.

(Original.)

"There's a man in the front office looking for some property in Boonton county. Perhaps we can sell him the Gardner tract. You go in and talk it up at what you think you might get out of him, then call me and ask what I think about selling at the price you give. I'll ask if you're crazy to part with such a property at the figure, and we'll have a sham battle over it. I'll go out mad, and you sell the property because you're mad too. See?"

"Good scheme. We'll try it on."  
Dobson of Dobson & Cram went into the front office, where he found a young man who in his innocence admitted that his father had recently died and left him \$10,000 and a small farm. His purpose was to sell the farm and buy a larger tract somewhere which was liable to improve in value.

"I've got just the thing you want," said Dobson, taking out a beautifully drawn map. "There's 800 acres of it, which we can sell you at \$100 an acre. This will leave you a couple of thousand for improvements besides your farm. There's only one trouble about my selling it to you. My partner is dead set upon our taking it ourselves. I would be in favor of it, too, but we've got so much now we can't pay the taxes."

The young farmer studied the map deliberately and after he had finished said he would go and look at the property. Dobson touched a bell. An office boy entered and was directed to call Mr. Cram. The junior partner came in and was informed by Mr. Dobson that he had offered the Gardner tract at \$100 an acre, whereupon a violent quarrel ensued, at the end of which Mr. Cram left the room in a huff, threatening to enjoin his partner from making the sale. Dobson was so angry that he vowed the trade should be made before Cram had a chance to interfere.

The young man took the book and paid two ten-dollar bills to bind the bargain. Before he left the office he had drawn a check on his bank for \$8,000 and had a deed for 800 acres of swamp and hill land, the latter covered with a second growth of worthless timber.

"Goodbye, Mr. Dobson," he said at parting. "I shan't forget your effort in my behalf, and I hope it won't get you into trouble with Mr. Cram."

He had no sooner gone than the two partners were congratulating each other on the sale.

"Shake, old man," said Dobson. "You played your part beautifully."

"But you landed him. He's as innocent as a kitten."

Two years passed during which neither Dobson nor Cram heard anything of the Gardner tract or its purchaser, when one day Cram said to Dobson: "The young man we scooped with that swamp and timber land in Boonton county is in the other room and wants to see you. Look out for him. Some one may have put him up to getting even. The law can't touch us, but he may have some game to play."

"Trust me for games."

Dobson went in where the young man was waiting, with outstretched hand and eyes beaming with kindness.

"Mr. Dobson," said the youngster, "that property has turned out better than was expected. There's coal on it."

"Good!" exclaimed Dobson, slapping the boy on the back. Inwardly he said, "Why didn't you say gold or diamonds?"

"Yes; they say it's the finest anthracite in the state."

"Splendid!" Another slap on the back.

"I'm indebted for my good luck to you. Do you remember how you sold me the property before your partner could interfere?"

"Yes; I remember that."

"Well, one good turn deserves another. I've got an offer of \$250,000 for the property from a coal company. I feel that I shouldn't keep all this good luck to myself, seeing that you were so kind to me. I'll divide. I'll sell to you for half, \$125,000, and turn you over the coal company's written offer, good for thirty days."

"My dear fellow," said Dobson, striving to maintain a countenance that would not betray his seeing through the stupendous game, "you are the very soul of honor. I'll speak to Cram about it."

Going to Cram's office, he shut the door and as soon as he could control his laughter told him how the young farmer was trying to pay them in their own coin. After a pretended consultation he returned to the boy and said: "That partner of mine will be my ruin. Do you know, he's so mad about my selling the property to you that he won't consent to my having anything to do with the matter, and our partnership forbids any purchase unless both consent. I'm awfully sorry. There's a gentleman waiting to see me."

There was a coolness in the last words, a steely look in the eyes, that was not lost on the youngster. He went away, not in anger, but in sorrow, and thinking what a despicable man Mr. Cram was.

A few days later Mr. Cram rushed into his partner's office with a newspaper in his hand.

"Great Scot, Dobson! What's this? 'Big find in coal. Sale of a tract in Boonton county. A young farmer made rich.'"

He went on to read that the story told them by the grateful boy was true, and that they had thrown away a fortune. EDWARD E. KIMBALL.

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Looks Still More Like Bryan. St. Louis Republic. Close presidential elections are generally decided in October—often in the last half of that month. But if October this year makes good the promise of September, William Jennings Bryan is going to the White House.

When the Denver convention adjourned hundreds of good practical politicians felt that Bryan had been nominated to lead a forlorn hope. This impression has grown weaker with every day that has passed until now, when news from many parts of the country strengthens the notion that it is Taft who is leading the forlorn hope.

Republican disensions in Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois and West Virginia spell nothing good for Taft. The exploitation of Mr. Speaker Cannon's record by the democratic congressional campaign committee and the remarkable exhibition he has made of himself in his attack upon Bryan have accomplished wonders in teaching the people what kind of a congress they have when the republicans control the house of representatives.

The remarkable demonstrations attending Bryan's trip across Ohio do not look well for Taft in his own State. The cry of distress which comes from republican leaders in Chicago and the liberate business opinion of Mr. James J. Hill have their origin in the knowledge that the tide of sentiment is turning strongly toward Bryan in all the agricultural States of the Middle West and the Northwest.

The republicans may raise a big slush fund and rush a hurrah campaign all through October, but there is hard common sense in the American people which sees the difference between the false pretenses of the Chicago platform and the honest purposes boldly and plainly proclaimed by the democratic party at Denver.

Business has no reason to be alarmed at the thought of Bryan's election, and it is not alarmed. The tariff standard, patters fear Taft more than they love him. Bryan is just as conservative as Taft is, and his personal popularity is vastly greater than Taft's.

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The Lord loveth a cheerful liver.  
A cracked mirror often affords a  
much wanted excuse.  
It is easy to join in the shouting af-  
ter the victory is won.  
Even the smallest trouble is easily  
found if one looks for it.  
Charity means love—love of human-  
ity, not love of display.  
You cannot make a schoolboy be-  
lieve that history repeats itself.  
People who prefer dodging trouble  
to meeting it squarely are always on  
the jump.

How can an assessor go about fix-  
ing the value of the dog that the baby  
loves?  
The older we get the more we won-  
der why a child likes to ride on a  
merry-go-round.  
Ever notice how easy it is to per-  
suade yourself to do something you  
really want to do?  
Civilization has its drawbacks.  
There are not nearly so many hazel-  
nut patches as there used to be.  
What has become of the motherly  
old lady who always had a few pep-  
permint lozenges in her pocket?  
Ever hear of any particular trouble  
among the children of a home where  
the cookies were always on the lower  
shelf?

After all, it is a good thing that it  
takes time to accomplish a reform. If  
they came too easy we'd have chaos to-  
morrow.

A woman can elevate her eyebrows  
and condemn a sister more emphati-  
cally than a man can condemn a broth-  
er in an hour's oration.

Perhaps pies like mother used to  
make would be more easier found if  
we had "tasters" like we had before  
we ruined them by over-indulgence.

The genuine optimist is the man  
who gets along without an automobile  
and gladly waits the time when air-  
ships will be within reach of his purse.

It is very easy for a man to be good  
natured around the house when every-  
thing goes smoothly, but commend us  
to the man who can keep sweet and  
help keep the children interested while  
the mother is taking an afternoon nap.

If you want to buy or sell anything  
see  
100-20. **KEIPER & JACKSON.**

**TALKING THROUGH HIS HAT**  
Is What a Voice in the Audience Told  
Hearst.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 16.—The Ken-  
tucky campaign of the Independence  
party was opened tonight at Phoenix  
hall park by Thomas L. Hisgen, the  
candidate for president, and W. R.  
Hearst.

It was the first public appearance in  
Louisville of either of the speakers,  
but each was given a cordial welcome  
by the crowd of 1,500 people.

Mr. Hisgen, who was the first speak-  
er, was heartily cheered.

At the end of his speech the candi-  
date declared himself to be the "only  
candidate of the three who can call  
Mr. Roosevelt's bluff and do justice to  
the high-class scoundrels who are rul-  
ing the country."

Mr. Hisgen introduced Mr. Hearst.

Turning immediately to the situation  
in New York State as developed by the  
recent republican and democratic con-  
ventions, Mr. Hearst said: "The situa-  
tion in New York aptly typifies on a  
small or more easily comprehended  
scale the conditions in the United  
States at large. The two old parties  
offer the people merely a choice be-  
tween a candidate owned by corpora-  
tions and a candidate owned by a boss,  
who is in turn rented by any corpora-  
tion needing him. Chanler is but a  
gilded watch charm on Murphy's  
chain. Hughes' sole claim to public  
esteem is his opposition to race track  
gambling—one lone service rendered  
the people set over against how many  
how many to corporations."  
"What business had Bryan to take

such allies as Murphy and McCarren  
and allow them to choose the issues  
and lay out the lines of battle? I  
stood with him when he fought corrup-  
tion—now that we have a new Bryan  
—a dangerously new Bryan—a dis-  
gracefully new Bryan—I fight him as  
hard as I fought for him."  
"You are talking through your hat  
now," came a voice from the crowd.  
A yell went up from the crowd and  
the laughter and cheers came almost  
continuously during the rest of the  
speech.

**Piano Sale.**  
You can buy a \$400 grand upright  
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Easy terms. Ross & Heyer Co., Wich-  
ita Annex building. 111-21

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Wichita Falls. Ask him; probably he  
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Another barrel of those fancy Cape  
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112-11 **TREVATHAN & BLAND.**

**Ready for Business.**  
The Wichita Grain and Coal Com-  
pany has received its steam corn-  
sheller, and it is located on the spur  
of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern  
railway, across the river, north of the  
Hardin elevator. The company is in  
the market for all the ear corn it can  
buy and will pay the highest market  
price for same. 111-11

**Piano Sale.**  
Ross & Heyer Co., Wichita annex,  
are selling beautiful new pianos at fac-  
tory cost. Examine them and be  
convinced. Easy payments. Only a few  
more days. 111-21

Earl Hill, who killed Elbridge Davis,  
a farmer, at West Bainbridge, last  
Thursday, was turned over to the po-  
lice yesterday by his father, who  
claims the reward of \$50, and will get  
it.

Let us rent your property for you.  
Kelper & Jackson, next door to post-  
office. 106-11c

Another shipment of Jersey Farm  
Creamery to arrive today. Phone us  
your Saturday's order.  
112-11 **TREVATHAN & BLAND.**

When a package containing some  
turtle eggs, that had been sent by mail  
from the South, was opened at Morris-  
town, Pa., it was found that the eggs  
had hatched, and there were two little  
kicking turtles.

Now if you like good pumpkin yam  
potatoes try some from Sherrod & Co.  
Only 40c per peck. 105-11

A cow attempted to fight a locomo-  
tive near Bloomfield, N. J., holding up  
the train for half an hour and refused  
to get off the track until her owner was  
summoned. He called the cow by her  
name and she followed him home.

Fresh celery, lettuce, onions and rad-  
ishes for Saturday's trade. Phone  
your orders early.  
112-11 **TREVATHAN & BLAND.**

Do you want to sell your property?  
If so, list with us and we will put same  
in our monthly bulletin of city prop-  
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WANTED—Bellboy at the St. James hotel. 111-1fc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, southeast exposure. 1108 Indiana avenue. 113-31c

WANTED—100 good democrats to contribute \$1 or more to the Times Bryan campaign fund. 84-1f

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WANTED—To rent a house on outskirts of city or within a mile of city limits. Address Box 642. 107-6tp

FOR SALE—A first-class piano in good condition. Mrs. W. J. Hilburn, 403 Lee street. 111-3tc

FOR SALE—Good coal heater, small range and refrigerator. Apply to W. E. Rock, 1306 Burnet avenue. 111-3tc

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WANTED—To rent 100 or 150 acres of land with teams, tools, etc., furnished. Good references given. Address Box 264. 110-3tp

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LOST—Eight dollars, \$5 in currency and \$3 in silver at 4 o'clock yesterday at the rear of Senate saloon or Kerr & Hursh's. Finder return to Times office and receive reward. 112-11p

FOR RENT—Four office rooms in Lory building; two on first floor and two on second floor. Second floor rooms are front corner rooms. See J. J. Lory. 106-6tp

FOR RENT—Brick store room, corner Eighth street and Ohio avenue, opposite the postoffice. Ward & Young. 104-4fc

WANTED—Furniture to repair, pictures to frame and upholstering of all kinds to do. Wichita Furniture Co., next door to postoffice. 107-1f

FOR SALE—Twenty head of work mules. Prices reasonable for cash. Apply to C. Waller, 4 miles north of town. 89-26tp

WANTED—You to have me repair your cook stoves and heaters. Phone 305. Fields Furniture and Stove Repair Co., 1007 Ohio avenue. 99-1f

FOR SALE—Sideboard, dining table, refrigerator, gasoline stove, iron bed, two chairs, matting to cover 12x14 floor, all in good condition; set single buggy harness. For sale cheap. In rear of Argyle hotel. 110-6tp

WANTED—The Daily Times wants live correspondents in every town within a radius of forty miles from Wichita Falls. Address News Editor, Daily Times, for particulars. 107-1f

#### Piano Sale.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

R. U. Barkley of Olney was transacting business here today.

Ed. Grogan, a prominent citizen of Byers, was in the city today.

Judge J. H. Barwise of Hartley, Texas, is in the city visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson of Childress are in the city visiting friends.

Homer McGregor, a prominent merchant from Petrolia, was here today on business.

Miss Maude French of Dallas is in the city, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. L. J. Graham.

Miss Dora Landrum of Bowie was in the city today en route to Petrolia on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Mattie Bateman, who lives near Electra, was in the city today looking after business matters.

Mrs. Jennie Chapman of Lawton, Oklahoma, is in the city visiting her uncle, W. P. Collier and family.

Mrs. J. C. Ralston of Iowa Park, who has been visiting Mrs. W. F. Ehlert of this city, returned home yesterday.

Rev. F. J. Schaefer of Dallas arrived in the city today to look after his property interests in and near this city.

Mrs. Fannie Tanner of Greenville is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Graham, 1005 Travis avenue.

Editor Adams of the Petrolia Round-Up, was a visitor in the city today and while here made the Times office a pleasant call.

### Frieberg News Notes

Miss Jennie Polson, who has been visiting Mrs. Al Andree and Mrs. O. M. Johnson, returned to her home at Fort Worth yesterday.

Dr. H. A. Waller and wife are the parents of a new baby girl, which arrived at their home on Eleventh street yesterday afternoon.

G. P. Cummings of Fresno, California, who has been visiting his brother-in-law, W. P. Collier and family of this city, left for home today.

Miss Sarah D. Ulmer is substituting today for Mr. Nunnally at the Commercial school, he and Agent Thomas being out of town on a business trip.

The ice cream social held in the school house yesterday by the ladies of the M. E. Church at Frieberg was quite a success in spite of the unfavorable weather.

Mrs. W. E. Skeen, who has been visiting relatives in Dallas and Austin, returned this afternoon, accompanied by Mesdames J. C. Skeen of Dallas and J. F. Ausbury of Chicago.

L. H. Miller, formerly editor and proprietor of the Alford Budget, was in the city today. Mr. Miller has discontinued his publication at Alford and is moving his plant to the new town of Newcastle in Young county, where he will publish a paper at an early date, called the Newcastle News.

T. P. Hickman, president of the carpenters and joiners' union of this city, left this afternoon for Salt Lake City to attend the national convention of that organization as one of ten delegates from this State. He expects to be absent about two weeks.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold an all day meeting at Lake Wichita Monday, September 21st. All the ladies are cordially invited and requested to be at the church Monday at 9 a. m. with their baskets and conveyances.

### Strayed or Stolen

Out of Mr. J. D. Avis pasture on Holiday creek, two miles south of Wichita Falls, one bay shetland filley, about fifteen months old; four white feet, white in forehead, and small white spot near hip. \$10 will be paid for the return or delivery of the colt.

110-d&w-tfc. WILEY BLAIR.

The News editor was born and raised in a cotton district. Our father before us bought cotton for thirty years and so it was with our paternal ancestor, as we have often heard him express it—the farmer who sells his cotton as he gathers it always comes out best in the end. Of course, in some isolated cases, farmers have made money by holding, but ordinarily they will lose. Take for instance the history of those who would not sell last year when cotton was a bit a pound.—Ladonia News.

Rocky Ford cantaloupes at Sherrod & Co.'s. Six for 25c. The good kind. 112-24



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Arrives Newcastle ..... 8:00 p. m.  
Leaves Newcastle ..... 6:15 a. m.  
Leaves Olney ..... 7:30 a. m.  
Arrives Wichita Falls ..... 11:00 a. m.

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Special to the Times.

Waco, Tex., Sept. 18.—A decision of State wide importance was handed down today by Judge Surratt in the district court, refusing Dr. S. A. Morse a license as a physician. Morse had sought to mandamus the State board of medical examiners to grant him a license. The board had refused, alleging unprofessional conduct. Morse claimed that the statute providing such action was invalid, but Surratt upheld the law. The plaintiff says he will appeal.

### QUARANTINE AREA REDUCED.

No Change in Texas, But Oklahoma "Fever Tick" Line Moves South.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 16.—The feature of the final session of the Interstate Association of Live Stock Sanitary Commissions today was the adoption of the report of the special committee appointed to recommend the lines for the cattle quarantine for the coming year. Texas is one of the States in which the lines remain closely as they are at present. The Oklahoma line, it is recommended, be moved slightly southward. States for which no change is proposed are Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama and California.

In almost every case where a change of line is recommended the recommendation proposes moving the line further southward, thus decreasing the quarantine area. The constant fight which the Federal, State and county governments are making against the cattle tick is bearing bountiful fruit.

"In the last two years, not including this year's recommendations," said Dr. Tati Butler, State Veterinarian of North Carolina and chairman of the committee whose report was unanimously adopted today, "the quarantined area has been diminished by 85,000 square miles."

"This result has been brought about through the combined efforts of the counties, States and the general government. The national government is spending something like a half million dollars a year for the eradication of the tick. It is only a question of time until it will be good-bye to the tick, and then such a thing as the cattle quarantine will be unknown, unless some other disease comes along against which we shall have to quarantine."

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