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A BIG FOUR FLUSHER

HASKELL BITTERLY DENOUNCES HEARST AND PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

SUMMONED TO CHICAGO

Treasurer Haskell Will Meet With Bryan and Democratic Leaders For a Hearing.

Special to the Times. Oklahoma City, Ok., Sept. 25.—Advices received here today from over the state show that the sentiment is divided as to Haskell's guilt in connection with the Standard Oil charges made by Hearst and Roosevelt, and that a large number of democrats do not hesitate in saying that the governor should resign as treasurer of the national democratic committee for the sake of the party.

William Hoster of the Hearst staff and a Chicago detective are here investigating Haskell's record. Muskogee, Haskell's home, will be visited by the sleuths.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 25.—Governor Haskell, treasurer of the democratic national committee, passed through Kansas City this morning en route to Chicago, where he will confer with Bryan and the leaders of the democratic party regarding the charges against the governor by President Roosevelt and Hearst. He declined to reply to the additional accusations made by Hearst last night.

Haskell denied that he intended to resign his position as treasurer of the national committee. He said that he was highly honored with being classed with Schwab, Carnegie, and Morgan in Hearst's charges, coupling him with the steel trust. He declared that Roosevelt was the "biggest four-flusher in political business today," and added, "you ought to hear what they think of the rascal down in Oklahoma."

Hearst Reads More Letters. At the independence league State convention in New York last night, W. R. Hearst not only charged Governor Haskell with being a tool of the Standard Oil Company, but also charged him with having been connected with the steel trust. In substantiation of his charges he said:

"If Mr. Roosevelt should drive out the steel trust the democratic party is quite ready to receive it, for this same C. N. Haskell, according to court records, is one of the men who helped to organize the steel trust. In the Court of Common Pleas of Putnam County, Ohio, John P. Bailey, ex-partner of Haskell, sued the Illinois Steel Company, and the following paragraphs are extracted from the complaint:

"Plaintiff avers that within and during the year commencing July 1, 1897, one Charles N. Haskell, who was during said time an attorney at law at the special instance and request of said defendant (the Illinois Steel Company) acted as agent and attorney for the said defendant (the Illinois Steel Company), in the acquisition by said defendant of certain property, and in the formation and organization of the steel company (a part of the steel trust) and in the sale by the said defendant officer, certain stocks to the said Federal Steel Company and in the sale and transfer by said defendant to said Federal Steel Company of certain ore lands, so called, and certain properties.

"Plaintiff avers that said service of said Charles N. Haskell rendered to said defendant by him as aforesaid, were and are of the amount and value of \$50,000 and were and are but a fraction of 1 per cent of the profit realized by said defendant from said services and that said charges, fees and compensations are reasonable and just.

"Plaintiff avers that afterward, said Charles N. Haskell duly sold, assigned and transferred to this plaintiff all his claims and demands against his defendant and this plaintiff is now the owner and holder thereof."

Mr. Hearst read the official attestation to the foregoing.

"It appears," said he, "not from my assertion, but from court records, that Mr. Haskell is not only a Standard Oil tool, but a steel trust organizer."

"No wonder he can get money for Mr. Mack and no wonder Mr. Bryan and Mr. Kern do not want to relinquish so valuable a campaign treasurer."

"Before I read you a few more letters regarding the Standard Oil I want to read you Mr. Haskell's opinion of that corrupt corporation, expressed

publicly in a speech at a banquet at Tulsa, Ok., on February 25, 1908:

"My friends, we often hear—for want, perhaps, of some clearer thought—we often hear a speaker assail the Standard Oil company. I sometimes think that the speaker has merely heard the name mentioned and does not know what the purpose of the company is, or its plan of business. The Standard Oil company has done wonders in the United States. The Standard Oil company, by the application of good sense to its business, by the application of genius and discovery of the component parts of the raw material, has made oil products reach values that we never dreamed of a few years ago."

"Fellow members of independence party, I think that we all know more about the 'purposes of the Standard Oil company' and 'its plan of business' than we did a few years ago."

"We all know that the Standard Oil Company 'has done wonders in the United States,' or at least in the United States senate. We all know that the Standard Oil company by 'the application of genius and discovery' has developed some pretty 'raw material' in the organization of the democratic party."

MARTIN FELL DEAD.

Body Was Carried a Block Hanging Over the Dashboard Before It Fell to the Ground.

Special to the Times. San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 25.—Samuel Martin, aged 52 years, fell dead in his wagon at the Southern Pacific crossing on Commerce street today from heart disease. The wagon had gone a block with the lifeless body hanging over the dashboard before it fell to the ground.

"A Mother's Birthday Gift." This is without doubt one of the most pathetic and sweetest stories ever put into life motion pictures.

Colquitt Stops in Dallas.

Special to the Times. Dallas, Tex., Sept. 25.—Railroad Commissioner Colquitt was here today en route to Fort Worth. It is believed that he is collecting further data regarding Texas freight rates, to be presented at a hearing soon.

MEETING OF TEXAS SYNOD.

Important Meeting of Presbyterians in Session in Vernon.

Special to the Times. Vernon, Tex., Sept. 25.—The Texas Synod of the Presbyterian church is in session here today with a hundred and eighty delegates from over Texas attending, and seventy-five ministers present. The convention will continue through Sunday. The meeting is one of the most important ever held in this section.

The following arrangements have been made for services over Sunday:

Morning Service.
First Presbyterian church, moderator of synod; Methodist, Rev. A. W. Halsey, D. D., New York; Baptist, Rev. W. H. Claggett, Dallas; Church of Disciples, Rev. A. C. Davis, Abilene; Main street Presbyterian, Rev. Oehler, Taylor.

3 p. m.—Sunday school rally.

Evening Services.
First Presbyterian, Rev. A. W. Halsey; Church of Disciples, Rev. T. P. Tucker; Methodist, Rev. W. A. Provine; Baptist, Rev. C. T. Schaefer; Main street Presbyterian, Rev. B. A. Hodges.

CANDLES AND ACETYLENE.

Man and Wife Seriously Injured in Explosion at Marfa Last Night.

Special to the Times. El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. James Walker were injured by a gas explosion at Marfa last night. They had entered a shed, containing an acetylene tank with lighted candles to make repairs. The explosion which followed destroyed the shed and the tank, but it is thought that both of the victims will recover.

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BIG CORPORATION TO BE PROSECUTED

Special to the Times. Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—County Attorney Brady and special anti-trust counsel George W. Allen today are in close consultation with Assistant Attorney General Lightfoot, preparing a secret petition. They decline to disclose what action they are planning, but indicate that thunder clouds are gathering for several big corporations.

FORAKER TO ANSWER A LYINGCHING AVERTED

WILL DEFEND HIMSELF WHILE BITTERLY ATTACKING HEARST, ROOSEVELT AND TAFT.

WILL REVIEW HIS RECORD

Will Show That He Refused Fees From Standard Oil Co.—Says Roosevelt Has Guilty Conscience.

By Associated Press. Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 25.—Senator Foraker has prepared a statement which will be made public tonight, replying to the charges made by Mr. Hearst and President Roosevelt. In addition to his own defense, he bitterly assails Hearst, Taft and the president, charging Taft with consorting with Standard Oil magnates himself, and declaring that Roosevelt's action indicates a guilty conscience.

It is stated upon good authority that Foraker will say that his temporary employment by the Standard Oil company was open and above board and that he never made any attempt to conceal such employment.

He will review his legislative record to show that he was never influenced by such employment. He will show the part he took in the enactment of the Elkins law, approved in 1903, under which Senator Foraker declares all prosecutions have been brought against the Standard Oil company.

It is said that Senator Foraker will produce letters showing that he has refused employment and compensation by the Standard Oil company.

Today Foraker said that if he said anything in his defense which will work harm to the republican party he regrets it, but that his duty to his party is subordinate to his duty to his family to leave them a good name more priceless than any other possession.

Hear Mr. Smith in his two beautiful illustrated songs. New, never before sung in the city.

Death of Louis H. Luecke.

Mr. Louis H. Luecke, who, for the past three weeks has been confined to his bed with an attack of typhoid-malarial fever, died at his home in the southern part of the city at 11:55 p. m. last night. For the past week he has been very low and his death was not a surprise to the immediate friends of the family.

Deceased was a native of Missouri and at his death was 42 years, 5 months and 14 days of age. For the past fifteen years he has been a respected citizen of this city, following the trade of a blacksmith and carriage maker. He was an honest, upright citizen and the widow and two children who survive him have the sympathy of all in their great sorrow, which has deprived them of a loving husband and a kind and indulgent father.

Rev. E. Deffner, pastor of the German Lutheran church, of which the deceased was a consistent member, will conduct the funeral services from the family residence at 3:30 this afternoon. A short service will also be held at the church, after which interment will take place at Riverside cemetery.

EPIDEMIC GROWS LIGHTER.

Average Number of New Cases in Manila Falls Below 50 Daily. Manila, P. I., Sept. 25.—The epidemic of cholera is believed to be diminishing. The daily average of new cases in the city has fallen below thirty, and the low death-rate indicates that the plague is present in light form.

Don't miss seeing the big feature picture tonight at The Majestic, "The Little Detective."

LOSS OF LIFE SMALL.

Typhoon Which Swept Philippines Results in Few Fatalities.

By Associated Press. Manila, P. I., Sept. 25.—Reports from the typhoon indicate that the loss of life was small. The towns of Eabagan and Samar were destroyed, leaving many homeless. The town of Romblon on the island of the same name, was badly damaged. Tacloban, with a population of five thousand persons, suffered seriously.

Lieutenant Rowell of the Philippine constabulary was drowned in the heavy surf at Vigan.

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CLAY COUNTY SHERIFF GETS NEGRO FLEEING AWAY BEFORE ATTEMPTED DEED IS KNOWN

ENTERED GIRLS' ROOM

Surprised by Their Father and Sgt. Later Arrested and Spirited Away to Gainesville.

Special to the Times. Henrietta, Tex., Sept. 25.—Excitement ran high in Henrietta this morning when it was learned that Harrison Loftin had made improper advances to the two daughters of Robert McMillan early this morning and had not Sheriff George quickly spirited the negro away to Gainesville, a lynching would undoubtedly have taken place.

With the motive either of rape or robbery the negro entered the home of Mr. Harrison at about 2:30 o'clock this morning. Going into the room occupied by the two young ladies of the household the fiend crawled into their bed. This at once awakened the young ladies and their screams brought Mr. McMillan to the rescue.

A desperate encounter followed, in which the negro attempted to use a revolver, but was overpowered and the weapon taken from him by Mr. McMillan, who fired a shot through the negro's forehead, with no other effect than to stun the brute. The shot brought Mr. Scurry, a neighbor, and a son of Mr. McMillan's, who stood guard over the negro while the father went to summon the sheriff.

The report of the affair did not become generally circulated about town until this morning after sun-up and in the meantime Sheriff George had improved the opportunity to get out of town with the negro, whom he took to Gainesville.

Had any considerable number of citizens known of the affair early this morning it is believed that nothing could have prevented a lynching. The affair early this morning has aggravated the feeling against the negroes at this place and a number of blacks are leaving town in fear of an attack.

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Negro Escapes Lynching.

Special to the Times. Gainesville, Tex., Sept. 25.—Harrison Loftin, a negro, narrowly escaped being lynched by a mob at Henrietta late last night and was brought here today by Sheriff George of Clay county for safe keeping. He had entered the home of a white citizen, who fired, wounding him in the head, but not seriously. A crowd pursued the black, but the authorities protected him. He is now in jail here.

JOY FOR THE INDIANS.

Annual Payment of Lease Money to be Made to 3,000 Redskins.

Lawton, Ok., Sept. 24.—Three thousand and Indians of the Kiowa, Comanche, Apache and affiliated tribes will assemble at the Mount Scott store at the foot of Mount Scott, the middle of next week. The occasion of that assembly is the annual payment of lease money to those Indians who have their allotted lands rented out. The payment will be all the way from \$2 to \$100 per head, according to the amount of land leased. Indian Agent "Stecker, sub-agent of the various tribes, Attorney Louie McKnight of Anadarko, special Indian attorney, and several special pay agents, will be there to conduct the payment. It is the plan of the heads of the tribes among the Indians to hold a great Indian council during the time of the payment. In this council, Chief Quannah Parker of the Comanches, Geronimo of the Apaches and Lone Wolf of the Kiowas will take prominent parts. The prospective sale of remaining pasture lands will be one of the chief topics of discussion.

STABBED THREE TIMES.

Martin Dean Charged With Assault to Murder Upon Ham Moore.

Special to the Times. Hillsboro, Tex., Sept. 25.—In a difficulty at Woodbury late yesterday between Martin Dean and Ham Moore, prominent white men, the latter received three wounds inflicted by a pocket knife. Moore is in a critical condition. It is said the men quarreled in a saloon, hurling bottles, etc. Sheriff Cox arrested Dean, who is now out on \$500 bond charged with assault to murder.

Frieberg News Notes.

Special to the Times. Frieberg, Tex., Sept. 24.—The revival is very interesting and many are taking part. Some conversions last night. We are having large congregations to hear Dr. Albritton every night. Our services for Sunday will be as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. At 11 a. m., a baptismal service for children. Immediately after this service, a sermon by Dr. Albritton. At 12 m. the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Services at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Brown and family moved into our community yesterday, and will live in the same house with Mr. Elbert Reed. Mr. Brown was formerly connected with the Reed-Brown company of Wichita Falls. He will now have charge of the Rigby Bros. gin.

Haskell Indorsements.

Special to the Times. Dallas, Tex., Sept. 25.—Democrats here are confident that Haskell will accept the invitation to speak at the State Fair on Democratic Day, October 20th, and are preparing for a big celebration. The invitation to the governor is receiving many indorsements.

Election Proclamations.

Special to the Times. Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—The secretary of state is sending out today election proclamations, to the 3,908 precincts in the State.

CAUGHT BY GIN SAWS.

Walter Malone Suffers the Loss of Three Fingers at Clareville.

Special to the Times. Beville, Tex., Sept. 25.—Walter Malone suffered the loss of several fingers and sustained a broken wrist at Clareville today, eleven miles west of here. He was caught by the gin saws while working. He was brought here for treatment.

Officials to Visit Stamford.

Stamford, Tex., Sept. 24.—Private advices received in Stamford are to the effect that B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the executive board of the Rock Island and Frisco railway systems; Frank Trumbull, president of the Colorado and Southern railroad, and some other railroad men of prominence, will visit this section of the State in the early part of October. The object of their visit is not disclosed, beyond the fact that President Trumbull is making an inspection of his lines.

Arrangements are being made by the Stamford Commercial Club to entertain Messrs. Yoakum and Trumbull on the 6th of October. There will be no program, more than some short speeches, and the event will be as informal as possible. The public will be invited and the hope is expressed by that organization that representatives of the near-by towns will be present on this occasion.

TRAIN WAS BOMBARDED.

Volley of Rocks Hurlled Against H. and T. C. Passenger Near Ennis.

Special to the Times. Ennis, Tex., Sept. 25.—When the H. and T. C. passenger train arrived here early this morning from Groesbeck, Conductor Jack Williams reported that miscreants had bombarded the train with rocks while near Groesbeck, smashing many car windows. Many passengers narrowly escaped injury. The officers are hunting for the assailants, but have no clue.

Bryan in Indiana Today.

By Associated Press. Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 25.—After a good night's rest at his hotel, Bryan and his party left today over the Big Four for Terre Haute, Ind., where he will speak late in the day.

Fresh cauliflower, watermelons, apples, pears, grapes, new string beans, both green and yellow, nice tender celery, onions, and okra, all at Sherrad & Co.'s. Phone us your order. Phone 177. 118-2t

Fresh coconuts at Sherrad & Co.'s. Phone 177. 114-4f

BROKERS CHARGED WITH LARCENY

By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 25.—A. O. Brown and three other members of the failed stock brokerage firm were arrested on charges of grand larceny as they were leaving the federal court room, where they were examined before the United States commissioner today.

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TWENTY-FIVE DEAD

AWFUL WRECK REPORTED ON NORTHERN PACIFIC NEAR LIVINGSTON MONTANA.

EAST BOUND PASSENGER

Collided With Freight Near Young's Point—Details of the Wreck are Lacking.

By Associated Press. Helena, Mont., Sept. 25.—A special from Livingston, Montana, says that the Northern Pacific passenger train, eastbound, which left Helena at midnight, collided with a freight train at Young's Point, and that twenty-five persons, including the engineer, fireman and brakeman, were killed.

TAFT IN IOWA TODAY.

Republican Candidate Makes Many Addresses—His Voice Improves.

By Associated Press. Clinton, Iowa, Sept. 25.—Iowa welcomed Judge Taft today and listened to his voice throughout the day as his special train stopped at Clinton, Dayton, Muscatine, Wapella, Burlington, Ottumwa, and Des Moines. His voice was decidedly improved today. His first address was made before a large crowd at Clinton at 8 o'clock this morning.

If you want to buy or sell anything see 100-261 KEIPER & JACKSON.

FOR BREACH OF PROMISE.

Son of Senator Elkins is Sued for \$100,000 Damages by Actress.

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, W. Va., Sept. 25.—Blaine Elkins, the youngest son of Senator Elkins, has been served with a summons in a suit for \$100,000 damages on an alleged breach of promise to marry by Louise Lonsdale, a New York actress.

Do you want a real bargain in city property? We have it. Keiper & Jackson. 106-112

Fire at Reding, California.

By Associated Press. Reding, Cal., Sept. 24.—Two hotels, three saloons, three warehouses and a general merchandise store and a score of lodging houses were destroyed by a midnight fire here last night. The loss is over \$300,000.

Gas Franchise at Henrietta.

M. W. Bahan to whom the city council here granted a gas franchise several weeks ago has secured a similar franchise at Henrietta.

Get it while it's hot—your winter coal. Best McAlester, niggerhead and Young county coal. Maricle Coal Co., successors to E. B. Stonecipher. Phone 437. 106-12t

ROBBED SECOND TIME.

Postoffice at Woodbine Burglarized for \$200 in Cash and \$100 in Stamps.

Special to the Times. Gainesville, Tex., Sept. 25.—For the second time in six weeks, it was discovered today that the postoffice at Woodbine had been robbed. Two hundred dollars in cash and \$100 worth of stamps had been stolen. The safe was dynamited and wrecked. No one heard the explosion. A posse is hunting for the burglars.

HAS SIXTY-THREE DESCENDANTS.

Mrs. Marie Schaeffer Celebrates 93rd Birthday in San Antonio.

Special to the Times. San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 25.—Mrs. Marie Schaeffer today celebrated her ninety-third birthday, with thirty-five descendants present. She has sixty-three descendants, including 3 children, 23 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren.

J. A. Wheeler of Bell county, a cousin of the late General Joe Wheeler, was in the city yesterday, the guest of J. L. McConkey. Mr. Wheeler is a member of the executive board of the Texas Farmers' Union. While here, arrangements were made for Mr. Wheeler to speak at the court house in this city on November 7th.

A men's meeting will be held at the Frieberg M. E. Church at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The meeting will be led by Dr. Albritton.

Automobile Rules for Pedestrians.

Rule One—Pedestrians crossing boulevards at night shall wear a white light in front and a red light in the rear. Rule Two—Before turning to the right or left they shall give three short blasts on a horn at least three inches in diameter. Rule Three—When an inexperienced automobile driver is made nervous by a pedestrian, he shall indicate the same, and the pedestrian shall hide behind a tree until the automobile has passed. Rule Four—Pedestrians shall not carry in their pockets any sharp substances which are liable to cut automobile tires. Rule Five—In dodging automobiles, pedestrians shall not run more than seven miles an hour. Rule Six—Pedestrians must register at the beginning of each year and pay a license fee of \$5 for the privilege of living. There shall be no rebate if they do not live through the entire year. Rule Seven—Pedestrians will not be allowed to emit cigarette smoke on any boulevard in an offensive or unnecessary manner. Rule Eight—Each pedestrian before receiving his license to walk upon a boulevard must demonstrate before an examining board his skill in dodging, leaping, crawling, and extricating himself from machinery. Rule Nine—Pedestrians will be held responsible for all damage done to automobiles or their occupants by collision.

What the Papers Say.

We notice that Wichita Falls is now closing up a deal for another railroad from that place to the northeast. It goes without saying that they will get his road, for they succeed with every enterprise they undertake. They always succeed. Give Vernon the ten men who have made Wichita Falls what she is today, and we will show a better town than our southern neighbor in a few years. It takes enterprising men to do the act when it comes to building cities. None others need make an attempt.—Vernon Record.

What Wichita Falls has done other towns can do—but will they? Wichita Falls, for instance, pays nearly \$1,000 a month to its commercial club. Wichita Falls believes in advertising, in push, progress and prosperity. Wanting a thing, Wichita Falls doesn't go begging—she goes bargaining. There is a moral to the success that has come to Wichita Falls. Let's don't envy her success, however, but rather let us emulate her example.—Fort Worth Telegram.

Rangers Located Here. Captain Johnson of the rangers made a statement this forenoon in which he asserted that the rangers have come here to stay and will operate in and out of the city, having their headquarters here. He was accompanied on this trip by Ranger McCauley. The personnel of the ranger party to be stationed here is not given out, but it is presumed that it will be about that shown heretofore.—Amarillo Panhandle.

Mark Twain Caught Out.

A poet, a pair of trousers across his knees, sat in his attic trying to thread a needle. "The proper way," he said, "is to hold the thread still and push the needle toward it or to hold the needle still and push the thread toward it." Mark Twain says both ways are right. Then he says they are both wrong. Taking down "The Prince and the Pauper," the poet read: "He did as men have always done and probably always will do to the end of time—held the needle still and tried to thrust the thread through the eye, which is the opposite of a woman's way." Then the poet, taking down "Huckleberry Finn," read: "Bless you," child, when you set out to thread a needle don't hold the thread still and fetch the needle up to it. Hold the needle still and poke the thread at it. That's the way a woman most always does, but a man always does 't'other way."

Who Would Want to Be a Lama? The lama pilgrims among the Tibetan Hindus, as they pursue their mountain pilgrimages, literally measure off the distance with their bodies. The distinguished traveler Sven Hedin, writing of his discoveries in Tibet in Harper's Magazine, describes them as lying down full length on the ground, making a mark on the road, rising and stepping forward to the mark, once more to fall full length. One such walking journey as this, says Dr. Hedin, equals thirty ordinary ones. Among the lamas also are to be found those who immerse themselves in a dark cave for life, food being passed in through a passage or hole underground. Should the dish be one day untouched those outside may know that the sacrificial prisoner has died, since all good lamas must die seated, in the wooden frame which was fashioned for him when he was entombed.

Useless. There was some speculation as to whether the instrument would benefit the old gentleman or not. One was holding the ear trumpet, while another was explaining its use and showing old Mr. Borrowers how to hold it to his ear. "Say something to him through it," Joe said to the other. Now, Joe had long waited for an opportunity to reach Mr. Borrowers' ear. So, speaking very distinctly into the trumpet, he said: "You've not paid me that sovereign you owe me yet, Mr. Borrowers."

But the old gentleman put the instrument down, with disappointment on his face, and they could see it was a failure even before he had time to say: "That thing's not a bit of good to me!" And he sighed, but his sigh was not so deep as that which came from Joe.—London Express.

Talking Down. The superintendent of a Sunday school class in Philadelphia recently called upon a visitor to "say a few words" to the class, the members of which are mostly children of tender age. The visitor, a speaker well known for his verbose and circumlocutory mode of speech, began his address as follows: "This morning, children, I purpose to offer you an epitome of the life of St. Paul. It may be perhaps that there are among you some too young to grasp the meaning of the word 'epitome.' 'Epitome,' children, is in its signification synonymous with synopsis."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Explosive Diamonds. A curious fact about diamonds is that it is not uncommon for the crystals to explode as soon as they are brought up from the mine. Sometimes they have burst in the pockets or the warm hands of miners, due to the effect of increased temperature. Large stones are more likely to do this than small ones. Valuable stones have been destroyed in this way. To safeguard them some dealers place large diamonds in raw potatoes for safe transport from South Africa.

Nonreversible. Lang—Didn't you tell me that you made yourself solid with Mrs. Vane by asking her if she was herself or her daughter—couldn't tell them apart, and so on? Strang—I did. What about it? Lang—Why, I tried the same gag with the daughter, and it didn't go for a cent.—Boston Transcript.

Took the Cue. "Now," said the teacher, who had been describing the habits of bears, "what is the fiercest animal in the polar regions, Johnny?" "Why—er—er," stammered Johnny. "Come, don't you remember? The pol?" "Oh, sure; the polecat!"—Philadelphia Press.

An Explanation. Little Dot—Mamma, I was playing with your best tea set while you were away, and when you bring it out for company you'll be shocked, 'cause you'll think one of the cups has a hair in it, but it isn't a hair, Mamma—What is it? Little Dot—It's only a crack.—Pick-Me-Up.

Called the Turn. "What's the old lady doing now?" asked the old stocking in the work basket. "She's getting out her needle and yarn," replied the scissors. "Well, well," exclaimed the stocking, "I'll be darned."—Philadelphia Press.

Health and Beauty.

The hair brush should be kept scrupulously clean. Very hot water externally applied will stop dangerous bleeding. Cleanliness is essential to a good complexion, and a daily bath is not a luxury but a necessity. For hives take common white flour and powder the affected parts. This will relieve itching. A little healthy tan on the face is not really an affliction, but too much is unbecoming, particularly in the evening. To improve the contour of the face, try filling the cheeks with air, and letting it explode with a soft explosive sound. Do this fifteen or twenty times a day. Gray hair requires more care than brown, blonde or black, in order to bring out the delicate shade. If not carefully washed and not immaculately clean it will be streaked and inclined to show yellowish tones, which are far from pretty and not nearly so becoming and dignified as pure white or gray.

When the excessive light of the gas jet or the electric bulb tires weak eyes resort to the good old tallow candle. In sick rooms, where a candle would do the best service during the night, it is entirely forgotten and the tired eyes of the invalid are forced to endure a light that perhaps is constantly working injury and adding nervousness to the other malady. Cold cream should always be massaged into the skin to remove the lines

and wrinkles caused by squinting and this should be done by a rotary motion with the very tips of the fingers. Massage wrongly done is more harmful than no massage at all. After the cream massage be sure to remove from the surface any cream which may remain. It not only spoils the appearance, but collects the dust and dirt of the highways. Last of all, powder should be applied before going out. It forms a sort of cover for the skin, intercepting heat and offering a protection against the dust. New crop rolled oats in both small and large packages. NUTT, STEVENS & HARDEMAN. 118-2t

A new disease called limber neck, is destroying chickens near Ewan, N. J., one farmer having lost nearly 500. The fowls lose all control of their necks, and their heads droop until they almost touch the ground. Buggies! Buggies! Just received car. Our prices are right. Come and see us. Jackson Bros. 96-d-w-tf

A Yorkshire terrier owned by J. T. Willett of South Portland, Maine, which has won the first prize at the Bangor dog show, weighs one and one-quarter pounds. New crop rolled oats in both small and large packages. NUTT, STEVENS & HARDEMAN. 118-2t

H. V. COLLIER,

THE TAILOR

My First Showing of Fall Goods should interest you, for nowhere will you find a wider range of Prices and Styles to select from than I am showing this season. When you come in here you get the Style, Color, and I ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEE my work to be First Class in every respect. I make it a point to know how to do this; use my fund of experience and knowledge to make your suit add to your appearance.

H. V. COLLIER,

The Tailor 722 Ohio Avenue

A Tongue Twister. A member of the "Players" club whose simple delight in life is collecting old blue china returned the other day from England and as usual after such a trip had some new blue treasure got on one of his customary off the beaten path tramps. He showed it freely, talked about it eloquently, but always when asked where he found it evaded answering. Finally one who had noted several such evasions said to him: "You've reached the very worst stage of the collector's mania. You refuse to tell the place of your treasure house for fear of rival looters."

"You are wrong as to my motive, but right as to the fact that I won't tell. I can't, but I'll write the name for you." Laboriously he wrote on a card this fearsome thing: "Mynyddyswyn." As his questioner stared with startled eyes at the nerve shattering word the collector explained that it was the true and lawful name of a parish in Monmouthshire, near Pontypool, England.—New York Sun.

The Funeral Sponge. "If you attend a Persian funeral they hand you at the door a small, fine sponge." The speaker, a popular undertaker, smiled. "It is amusing to think of," he said, "imagine it—by means of these sponges all the mourners' tears are collected and preserved in tiny vases of crystal. They are used afterward as medicine, for they are thought to have wonderful healing power. During the service each mourner keeps his sponge ready, and every tear that wells into his eye is sopped up before it has a chance to escape. The undertaker tip-toes politely about, he extends tentatively the crystal vase, and those who have anything to add to its contents squeeze their sponges solemnly there-in. Then, with a bow of acknowledgment, the undertaker tips-on his way, extending the vase politely, now to the right, now to the left, murmuring in his gentle and soothing voice: "Have you shed, sir? Madam, have you shed?"

Too Scarce to Throw Away. "They pipe water now through the burning Australian desert that lies between the coast and the Kilgourie gold fields, a distance of about 250 miles, but in my day in that forsaken country water was the scarcest commodity known," said a San Francisco mining engineer. "It was often hard to get enough water for drinking purposes, and the man who was reckless enough of his money to buy a bucketful for a bath was the talk of the community. I once indulged in this luxury, and after I had finished I noticed that the water was carefully collected again by the vendor. "What are you going to do with it?"

I asked the man, "Sell it to some other fellow for half price," he answered, "and after that I'll sell it several more times, for, you see, it's too scarce, mister, to throw away after only one of two men have washed in it."

A Modest Request. The young man and the girl were standing outside the front door, having a final chat after his evening call. He was leaning against the doorpost, talking in low tones. Presently the young lady looked round to discover her father in the doorway clad in a dressing gown. "Why, father, what in the world is the matter?" she inquired. "John," said the father, addressing himself to the young man, "you know I have never complained about your staying late, and I am not going to complain of that now. But for goodness' sake stop leaning against the bell push and let the rest of the family get some sleep."

Sweet Revenge. Mrs. Shopper (after inspecting everything in the store)—I don't see anything here that suits me. I suppose I may as well go down to Stacey's and see what they have. They usually have a good assortment. Salesman—Here's a card of one of their salesmen. Won't you kindly ask for him? Mrs. Shopper—Ah! A friend of yours, I presume? Salesman—No, madam, he has owed me \$10 for the past three years.—Puck.

Highly Practical. "Your business college for young ladies seems to be all right." "It is all right." "Do you give the girls a good practical business training?" "In reply to that question I can only say that 99 per cent of our graduates marry their employers the first year."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Absent Treatment. "What is the matter with Mrs. Spicy? I saw her sitting on her porch as I came by gritting her teeth and looking daggers into vacancy." "Her husband is a half hour late, and she is giving him absent treatment."—Chicago Journal.

Excelsior. Uncle—And what will you do when you are a man, Tommy? Tommy—I am going to grow a beard. Uncle—Why? Tommy—Because then I won't have nearly so much face to wash.—Harper's Weekly.

Getting Personal. "How does a man get a game leg, pa?" "Well, you see?" "Is it by getting into a game and having it pull-d?"—New York Press.

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About Morgan Jones' New Line.

Fort Worth Telegram.
Colonel Morgan Jones has returned from a trip to Central West Texas. While away, he signed up a contract with the people of Winters to build a line from that place to Abilene. Winters has raised a bonus of \$50,000, besides right-of-way, etc., for the building of this line. Abilene has about completed the raising of a bonus of \$25,000 and terminal ground for the same proposition.

The signing up of the contract with Winters means the road will be built that far. Whether it will then be extended southward, through the old town of Runnels into Ballinger or whether it will be deflected and run into San Angelo the future alone will tell.

Colonel Jones asked a bonus of \$60,000 and right-of-way from the people of Ballinger to build the road into that city. On the face of the proposition this looks like a good sized sum, and it is for that matter, but three different surveying lines run from Winters to Ballinger show that to build a road between the two points will prove a most expensive proposition, for low grades are absolutely essential to insure economic operation of railroads in this day and time.

It is understood that the people of Ballinger offered Colonel Jones \$40,000 and right-of-way. It is also understood that Colonel Jones declined this proposition. It may be stated here that Colonel Jones has been building railroads for some time in Texas and he has yet to lower the first proposition asked for a bonus. It is recalled by old timers that once upon a time Colonel Jones offered to build a line for Wichita Falls for a given sum. The people of Wichita Falls made a counter proposition. The counter proposition was rejected and later a much greater sum than the original one asked by Colonel Jones was offered by Wichita Falls for the line.

It would appear at this distance that the continued prosperity of Ballinger would demand that every energy be exerted to secure this road. If Colonel Jones should go to Winters and then deflect his road to San Angelo—and Colonel Jones is keeping his own counsel as to his intentions—it would mean that Ballinger would be cut off from the richest territory now contributing to the growth of that place.

What Ballinger can today secure for even the big amount of \$60,000 will be worth a hundred times that sum in less than ten years to that place. Waco, it will be recalled, declined to meet the demands of the Santa Fe when that road was being constructed, and Waco today is paying ten times the amount of the bonus asked yearly in the loss of trade as a result of her action at that time. It is not believed that Colonel Jones will modify his conditions. He has never done so in the past. He is one of the few men engaged in constructing railroads in Texas who doesn't have to wildcat his projects to carry them through.

Natural Gas for Ours.

Since the natural gas well was brought in at Petrolia a little over a year ago, there have been occasional agitations for a pipe line which should convey this most desirable and cheap fuel to Henrietta; but while all could see the sinfulness of this immense force going to waste, and could understand the great advantage to accrue were it piped here, the sundry agitations have come to naught. The recent discovery of the second well, with its assurance that the Clay county field is a gas producer to be relied upon, has given this subject definite shape; and M. W. Bahan and others decided to put the project through with a pipe line across the eleven miles from the great gasser to this city.

The proposition of Mr. Bahan and associates was placed before our city council Wednesday night and a franchise was granted for the period of 25 years which gives the operators, under approved conditions, the right to lay its pipes in any all the streets of Henrietta. From the main the company agrees to carry the tap to the curbing of any premises whose owner desires the gas for fuel or lights, and to charge not more than 50 cents per 1,000 cubic feet. The company has six months in which to install its lines and arrange for delivery, but expects to be ready for operations within 60 days. The work of laying the pipe in Henrietta's streets will probably begin within a few days.—Henrietta Review.

The Texas Reawakening.
Toledo Blade.
The Southwest is beginning to feel the effects of the confidence reappearing in business. From Texas comes news that the packing plants of Fort Worth are calling for workers, offering employment to men and women for indefinite periods. The cotton plantations are also in need of much more labor than is available in the State. Every line is reported to be putting its employees back on the pay rolls. There are few mechanics out of work and before winters the railroads are expected to be advertising for laborers.

Texas suffered with no little severity from the panic of 1907 and the consequent depression. But thanks to the large crops, the State has recovered with remarkable speed. The merchants are discovering renewed demand for goods and have been forced to rush orders to replace their depleted stocks. There is a better tone throughout the Southwest and a determination to forget that there has been a panic.

Orders have been coming in to the machinery manufacturers of the East with such briskness that the Manufacturers' Record ventures to predict a very active market for the winter and spring.

A few months may see the dull times chronicled with the past.

Caught Trying to Steal Skull.

New York Tribune.
While engaged in digging a trench for a steam heating plant boiler, at the old Dutch Reformed Church, in this place, this morning, workmen discovered several skulls and a number of mule balls. The gruesome signs caused the laborers, four in all, to drop their shovels and picks and disappear. The skulls, according to members of the church, are those of revolutionary soldiers who were killed by the British troops, who, it is said, used the belfry of the church as a hiding place, and from there killed any number of the American troops.

A liquor dealer offered \$10 to one of the workmen for one of the skulls. The fellow, after digging up one of the skulls, climbed out of the trench and started to walk away. The Rev. Mr. Conners saw that he had something under his shirt, and made him put the skull back again.

We are offering some very fancy apples, peaches, pears, grapes and bananas. Try them.

NUTT, STEVENS & HARDEMAN.
118-21

Louis F. Marten of St. Charles, Mo., has inclosed his whole back yard with mosquito netting—400 yards being required—so that he can take exercise undisturbed and protect his grapes from English sparrows.

R. M. Moore, with Bean & Stone only exclusive city real estate dealer in Wichita Falls. Ask him; probably he can tell you. 285-47

Ralph Martin of Spokane, whose flesh on one side of the breast was nearly cooked by a stroke of lightning, is being cured by lying at full length in the sun, the affected parts being covered by a piece of gauze.

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- For Representative 105th District, G. E. HAMILTON of Childress.
- For District Attorney, 30th Jud. Dist., F. A. MARTIN of Graham.
- 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.

MUST HAVE STEPPED ON THE RECORD'S TOES.

Buying newspapers to be directed secretly by political agents has become a part of Standard Oil policy. It has found that editors, when properly superintended, make efficient gardeners in its vineyard. Newspapers bought or sustained with Standard Oil money are not required openly to espouse the cause of Standard Oil, indeed, even if their servility were animated with that degree of enthusiasm they would be restrained, for such a course would hamper them in their chief function, which is to promote the political welfare of Standard Oil's agents. It is a case of "you elect your man and he will do the rest." Let it perform that service and it may rant all it please against Standard Oil, for what cares Standard Oil about public sentiment so long as it can put on its pay roll men who by false pretense or bold defiance can maintain themselves in places of power?—Dallas News.

That is quite plausible, and if the

Standard had been pursuing such a policy it was doubtless moved by some such sinister philosophy. In its way, it is almost as bad as if a newspaper were to contract with a railway pool for \$12,000 worth of "advertising" in a year, and render "editorial influence" for all railway policies under the pretense of "independent journalism."

The fortunate thing about such a transaction is that the newspaper is apt to be found out sooner or later and is sure in such event to suffer the loss of editorial influence in spite of protestations of its innocence.—Fort Worth Record.

It has been suggested that the Chamber of Commerce, for the accommodation of cotton farmers, subscribe for a telegraphic cotton market service and display the bulletins at its rooms. Other towns in Texas have adopted this method and are being greatly benefited thereby. For a service that will give a market bulletin every half hour during the opening until the close of the different exchanges, will not cost a great deal—probably not more than \$30 per month, and if the service can be obtained for that price it will enable the seller of cotton to know just exactly what he can afford to sell his product for on the day's market without depending on the cotton buyers. The Times hopes the Chamber of Commerce will take the matter up and investigate into its merits.

Defense Opens in Paul Murder Case.

Special to the Times.
Carthage, Tex., Sept. 25.—The defense in the case of Dr. Paul, charged with the killing of Attorney Short at Carthage several months ago, today began introducing testimony. A large part of the time was taken up by the lawyers arguing on the admissibility of evidence, several warm tilts having taken place. It is expected that the trial will last at least two weeks. A large crowd came to attend the trial. There have been no disturbances.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 25.—The total cattle receipts today were 1,800 head.

Steers—Quality choice. Market was higher. Tops sold at \$4.50.

Cows—Quality fair. Market higher. Tops sold at \$3.15.

Calves—Quality fair. Market was steady. Tops sold at \$4.25.

Hogs—Receipts 3,000. Quality fair. Market steady. Tops sold at \$6.75.

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Yardmaster Injured.
Special to the Times.
Brownwood, Tex., Sept. 25.—Yardmaster Dyess of the Frisco railway here was seriously injured this morning, when he fell from the pilot of a locomotive. He was struck by a car and his back was bruised. He will recover.

Earl Greer Robbed and Beaten.
Special to the Times.
Wills Point, Tex., Sept. 25.—Dispatches received here today from Tex. line say that Earl Greer, a son of W. J. Greer, was found there this morning gagged, robbed and beaten up. His conditions is critical. The details are not given. He was well known here.

Progress of Max Miller Trial.
Special to the Times.
Ablene, Tex., Sept. 25.—The taking of testimony in the case of Max Miller, charge with the killing of George Turley in El Paso, was resumed here this afternoon. Several more witnesses who have just arrived in the city, will take the stand. The case is likely to go to the jury by Saturday night.

Danced With Sam Houston.
Special to the Times.
Terrell, Tex., Sept. 25.—Mrs. Simma Cummings, aged 90 years, left for her home at Forney today. Notwithstanding her great age, Mrs. Cummings always travels alone and enjoys traveling on the cars. While about to board her train, she spoke to a small crowd at the station, telling of the time when she danced with Sam Houston.

Wedding Rings.
Some one wanted to know without asking directly how long a certain woman had been married.

"About fifteen years," said a man who is a jeweler.

"How do you know," asked his wife. "You don't know anything about her. You never met her until tonight."

"I can tell by the size of her wedding ring," said the man. "The width of wedding rings changes about every five years. Their size repeats itself at certain periods, but, figuring that way, the woman must have been married fourteen years ago, if not fifteen. She isn't old enough for forty-five; consequently she must belong in the fifteen year class."

Subsequent inquiry proved the jeweler was right.—New York S.

The Same Medicine.
"Doctor, do you remember three years ago that you predicted positively that I would be a dead man in six weeks?"

"Why, yes, I!"

"Well, I've got a friend in the next room who is despondent about himself. Just tell him there is no hope for him, will you?"



A Lady from Childress

said the other day that although she had done a great deal of shopping and considered herself a splendid judge of values, she had not seen anything for many seasons to equal the showing we are making of the various styles in

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FOR SALE—A good second hand lan-
guage. See W. W. Jackson. 117-5tc

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-
keeping. Apply at 1004 7th st. 117-3tp

WANTED—Bellboy at the St. James
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WANTED—To sell you an Eclipse wa-
ter filter. McCullough & Giles. 113-6tp

WANTED—Good milk cow. Call on
J. E. Lee at Ziegler's tin shop. 118-6tp

WANTED—Sewing at 1412 14th st.
All work neatly done. Mrs. V. A.
Fields. 117-6tc

WANTED—To buy a house; pay \$100
cash; balance at \$20 per month. Kei-
per & Jackson. 113-4fc

FOR RENT—Bedroom for gentlemen.
Bath, lights and phone. Apply at 1106
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WANTED—To figure with you for
making your sewer connections. Mc-
Cullough & Giles. Phone 66. 113-6tp

FOR SALE—Good second hand piano.
Inquire G. B. Lejos, opposite Mansion
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WANTED—100 good democrats to con-
tribute \$1 or more to the Times Bryan
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FOR SALE—Four lots, one house and
furnishings. Price \$3,200. Apply at
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FOR SALE—Good 5-room house, brand
new, \$1450. Bargain. Buy quick.
Keiper & Jackson. 106-4fc

FOR RENT—Desk room. See Keiper
& Jackson, next door to postoffice.
Phone 444. 106-4fc

LOST—No. 9 Wilson special 26 inch
hand saw on street this morning.
Finder return to Fred Smith shop and
receive reward. J. W. Barnett, 118-1tc

FOR SALE—Or rent, a three-room
house by R. M. Miller, 3 blocks north
of the court house on Lamar street.
1118-3tp

STRAYED—Dark brown mare, with
white mark on forehead. Brand on
shoulder flower duce L. Report in-
formation to Otto Stellik. 117-3tc

FOR SALE—Good gentle driving
horses for ladies or gentlemen. See
Joe Bowers at Farmers' wagon yard.
116-4tc

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

WANTED—Furniture to repair, pic-
tures to frame and upholstering of all
kinds to do. Wichita Furniture Co.,
next door to postoffice. 107-4f

WANTED—You to have me repair
your cook stoves and heaters. Phone
305. Fields Furniture and Stove Re-
pair Co., 1007 Ohio avenue. 99-4f

WANTED—White woman who wants
to do general housework in a good
country home. Address H. Willis, R.
F. D. No. 4, Wichita Falls; 116-6tp w-2tp

LOST—A lady's gold watch, Elgin
movement, 17 jewels, owner's name in
back of case; fob chain. Finder return
to this office and receive reward.
116-3tc

FOR SALE—Five room house nearly
new, close in on Lamar Avenue. Will
take pair of mules as part pay. In-
quire of owner, 910 Fourth Street.
115-6tp

WANTED—The Daily Times wants
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Why is it?
A lot of men organize to control the output of a product and thereby increase its price. That is called business.

Other men organize to protect their labor. That is called restraint of trade. A lot of men secure the enactment of a law that will give them a premium on what they make and sell at a profit. That is called protection of industry.

Other men organize and demand that they be not discriminated against. That is called an attack upon the judiciary. The "400" holds a function and spends \$30,000 for dainties, \$50,000 for flowers and display \$2,000,000 worth of diamonds. That is called an evidence of prosperity.

The "1,000" ask for an opportunity to work for a living wage. That is called an evidence of shiftlessness.

A body of men scheme until they get a franchise. That is called a vested right.

Another body of men ask for an equal chance before the law. That is called interference with vested rights.

One body of men organize a big manufacturing company and exploit the labor of children. That is called business enterprise.

Another body of men insist upon abolishing child labor. They are charged with interfering with the rights of employers.

One body of men limit production. This is called business enterprise.

Another body of men force strict apprenticeship rules. They are charged with preventing American youth from learning useful trades.

A corporation threatens to close down unless a preferred candidate is elected. That is called good business judgment.

Another organization advises its membership to vote a certain way. That is called an effort to deliver the labor vote.

One corporation forces another corporation out of business by threats, bribery and intimidation. That is called competition.

An organization of another kind seeks by argument to prevent unfair competition. That is called labor union tyranny.

Will somebody please explain why there should be this distinction without a difference in the matter of def-

initions—and always in favor of the corporations, the "400" and the vested rights?—Maupin in Commoner.

Cattle Increase in the Panhandle.

The Panhandle of Texas shipped out more cattle last year than ever before and yet, at this time, apparently contains more cattle than it had at this time in previous years. This fact is set down in black and white in the annual report of the general live stock department of the Colorado and Southern and Fort Worth and Denver lines, which will presently be issued in pamphlet form.

This showing is considered the most marvelous on record in view of the fact that the last two years have witnessed the breaking up of many of the big ranches in the northwestern portion of the State. Yet in the face of this rapid disappearance of the large tracts of pasture, approximately 1,000 more carloads of cattle were carried out of the Panhandle last year than ever known before.

The increase in cattle shipments when everyone, including the Fort Worth and Denver officials, had expected a material decrease, is taken by many live stock agents to mean the entrance of the small stock farmer into the domain of the extensive cattle raiser. In other words, where formerly one ranchman was found with 1,000 head of cattle, now 1,000 little stock farmers are found with three or four cattle. Especially is this true in the Chillicothe valleys, where grading of cattle has been in progress the past five years.

Speaking of this unexpected increase in cattle shipments out of the Panhandle, a representative of the livestock department of the Denver said:

"This report, showing such a big increase—about 1,000 cars on our line alone—is a great argument in favor of the statement that the number of cattle in the Panhandle is increasing, and it might also be switched into an argument for the other side, by assuming that last year all of the big ranchmen shipped out their cattle after cutting up their big ranches into small farms."—Amarillo Panhandle.

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NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED

Oat Meal in all style packages, Pettijohn's Breakfast Food, Quaker Puffed Rice, Quaker Corn Flakes, Dr. Price's Food, Post Toasties, Shredded Wheat Biscuits, Grape Nuts, Fresh Grits and Hominy. We have some Very Fine Mackerel--new pack. Our Stock of Fruits--New Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Grapes, all varieties, Pears--are the choicest the market affords. Phone us your order.

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SKEEN'S CLEAN-UP SALE!



HAVING decided to make a change in business I am going to close out my entire stock of Dry Goods at cost and less than cost for cash. Below we give you a partial list of our many bargains. Many things we fail to mention through lack of space or oversight. But we will positively make marked reductions on every item and many things will be sold for less than cost. **Sale Starts Monday Sept. 28.**

Men's Clothing

A few Men's Suits that are worth up to 15.00; choice\$5.00
 A few Men's Pants that are worth up to 1.75; choice.....75c
 A few Men's Elastic Seam Drawers that are worth up to 50c; choice.....25c

Boys' Clothing

Boys' Long Pant Suits, formerly \$12.50 Now 6.25
 Boys' Long Pant Suits, formerly 11.00 Now 5.50
 Boys' Long Pant Suits, formerly 10.00 Now 5.00
 Boys' Long Pant Suits, formerly 8.00 Now 4.00
 Boys' Long Pant Suits, formerly 7.50 Now 3.75
 Boys' Long Pant Suits, formerly 6.50 Now 3.75
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at \$7.50; now\$3.75
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 6.50; now\$3.25
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 5.00; now\$2.50
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 4.50; now\$2.25
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 4.00; now\$2.00
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 3.50; now\$1.75
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 3.00; now\$1.50
 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, formerly sold at 2.50; now\$1.25

Shoes

We have always sold Shoes that we could stand behind, and we have stood behind them. We made every complaint good, even at our cost; however, we had very few complaints, because the lines we were handling were the best to be found. The prices will be as follows for high or low cut shoes:

All our \$5.00 shoes now\$3.50
 " " 4.50 and \$4.00 shoes now 3.00
 " " 3.50 shoes now 2.50
 " " 3.00 " " 2.00
 " " 2.50 " " 1.75
 " " 2.00 " " 1.50
 " " 1.75 " " 1.35
 " " 1.50 " " 1.10
 All Soft Soles up to 75c will go at... .35

Staples

We have a limited line of Staples in Domestic Percalés, Calico, Texas Dells Outings, etc., that we will make a sub-

stantial reduction on as long as they last.
 All Calico worth 5 and 6c, now.....4c
 A line of Percalé, was 7½c, now.....5c
 A line of Percalé, was 10c, now.....7½c
 A line of Percalé, was 15c, now.....10c
 All A. F. C. and Red Seal Gingham formerly 12½ and 10c, go at.....8 1-3c
 All Amoskeg Apron Ginghams, formerly 7½ and 8 1-3c, now.....5c

Ladies' Purses and Bags

We have a new line of Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses ranging in price from 50c to \$7.50, that we will move at the following prices:

All \$.50 Bags to close at.....\$.35
 All .75 " " " "50
 All 1.00 to \$1.25 Bags to close at..... .75
 All 1.50 to 2.00 " " " " 1.10
 All 2.50 to 3.00 " " " " 2.00
 All 3.50 to 4.00 " " " " 2.75
 All 6.50 to 7.50 " " " " 4.50

All Notions at greatly reduced prices, including Hair Goods, Hair Ornaments, Belts, Buckles, Combs, Neckwear, etc.

Silks and Velvets

We have on hand a large line of new fancy Silks, also Staple and black Silks at the following prices:

\$15.00 Dress Patterns reduced to...\$10.00
 1.25 Black Taffetta reduced to..... .75
 1.25 Raw Silks, tan only, cut to... .75
 4.50 to 6.50 Waist Patterns, only 3.50
 2.00 Velvet, black only, now 1.25
 1.25 Velvets, full line colors, now .75
 .50 Mera China & Taffetta Silks .35

In connection with these lines we have a large line of Braids and Trimmings in wash and silk braids, all at greatly reduced price.

Corsets

We have always taken great pride in this department, trying at all times to carry in stock the most complete line to be found. Below we give a partial list with prices and reductions:

All our Silk Brocade Corsets that sold at 12.50, now\$7.50
 All our Silk Brocade Corsets that sold at 6.50, now\$4.00
 All our Serge and Batist Corsets that sold at 5.00 and 4.50, now\$3.50
 All our 3.50 and 3.00 Corsets, now... 2.00
 " " 2.50 and 2.00 " " 1.25
 " " 1.50 Corsets now..... 1.00
 " " 1.00 and 1.25 Corsets now..... .75
 " " .75 Corsets now..... .50
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Notions

We have made it an infalible rule to at all-times carry a complete line of Notions. These will be slaughtered without reference to cost—

All Pearl and Wash Buttons were formerly 10 and 15c, go at 5c per doz.
 All 20 and 25c Pearl and Cloth Buttons will be sold at.....10c per doz.
 All 35 and 50c Dress Combs go at.....25c
 Velvet Grip Hose Supporters at.....10c
 All other Hose Supporters at..... 5c
 Ladies' Hose Supporters were 35c, at 15c
 All Elastic worth up to 15c, to close... 5c
 All Elastic worth up to 25c, to close... 10c
 All Collar and Cuff Buttons, were sold at 35 to 50c, now.....15c

Dress Goods

The latest creations from the World's Fashion Center will be found here—every item a good one and no old stock to work off; nothing but clean, up-to-date merchandise at prices that should interest you.

Fifty Patterns in Shadow Stripe and Checks, in browns, blues, green and gray, that were sold at 3.50, 9.00 and 10.00, now.....\$6.50
 All our 7.50 patterns now 5.00
 A full line of colors in Panama, worth 65 and 75c per yard, will go at.....45c
 Ladies' Flannels, were 65c, now.....40c
 A few pieces of 50c Dress Flannel at...25c

Millinery

We have one of the largest and most complete lines of Millinery ever shown in Wichita Falls, consisting of Street and Dress hats for Ladies, Misses and Children, on every item of which we will make a positive reduction. We will also make reduction on Shapes, Plumes, Fancy Feathers and Ornaments.

Hosiery

A full line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hose of the Famous Armor Plate Brand; also a complete line of Silk hose. **Note the Prices:**

All our Ladies', Misses' and Children's 15c hose now..... 10c
 All our Ladies', Misses' and Children's 20c hose now..... 15c
 All our Ladies', Misses' and Children's 25c hose now..... 20c
 All our Ladies', Misses' and Children's 35c hose now..... 25c
 All our Ladies', Misses' and Children's 50, 65 and 75c hose now.....45c

All Silk hose, were 1.50 and 1.75, at \$1.10
 All 2.50 Ladies' Silk Hose now..... 1.50
 All 3.00 Ladies' Silk Hose now..... 2.00
 All 3.50 Ladies' Silk Hose now..... 2.50

Ladies', Misses and Children's Underwear

We have a complete line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Underwear in two pieces and Union Suits that we will make following prices on to clean up:
 All 35c garments, to close, at.....25c
 All 50c garments, to close, at.....35c
 All 65 and 75c garments, to close, at...50c
 All 1.25 and 1.50 garments go at.....\$1.10
 These prices also apply to Muslin Underwear.

Quilts, Blankets and Comforts

A line of these goods carried over from last season, and in order to convert them into cash we make the following prices:

A line of Cotton Filled Comforts worth 1.50, now\$1.00
 A line of Cotton Filled Comforts worth 2.50, now\$1.50
 Silkoline Comforts worth 3.50, at...\$2.25
 Satine Comforts worth 5.00, at\$6.50
 Satine Comforts worth 7.50, at..... 4.50
 All Wool Blankets worth 15.00, at...\$10.00
 All Wool Blankets worth 12.50, at... 7.50
 All Wool Blankets worth 10.00, at... 6.50
 All Wool Blankets worth 7.50, at... 5.00
 All Wool Blankets worth 6.00, at... 4.25
 All Wool Blankets worth 5.00, at... 3.50
 Half Wool Blankets worth 3.50, at... 2.50
 Half Wool Blankets worth 2.50, at... 1.50

Ladies Suits, Skirts and Cloaks

We are going to move out this line quick, and in order to do so will make the following prices—every garment marked in plain figures:

All \$35.00 Suits will go at.....\$17.50
 All 30.00 " " " " 15.00
 All 25.00 " " " " 12.50
 All 20.00 " " " " 10.00
 All 15.00 " " " " 7.50
 All \$20.00 Skirts " " " "\$10.00
 All 18.00 " " " " 9.00
 All 16.50 " " " " 8.25
 All 15.00 " " " " 7.50
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Also great reductions on Laces, Embroideries, Linings, Linens, Towels, and Cotton, Linen and Turkish Crashes.

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 Wichita Falls

W. E. SKEEN

Seventh Street
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PERSONAL MENTION

C. Lealle of Mabeldean was transacting business here today.

Mrs. T. B. Wilson and children from Holliday were in the city today.

C. S. Whiteside, one of Seymour's business men, was in the city today.

H. A. Moore, a prominent business man of Amarillo, is here today on business.

F. P. Avis returned last night from a pleasant trip to New York City and Canada.

Mrs. W. E. Allison of Vandalia, Illinois, is in the city looking after property interests.

Evan James Jr., of the firm of Jones & Orlopp, is transacting business in Kell City, Oklahoma.

B. N. Ferguson of Iowa Park was in the city today, en route to Frederick, Oklahoma, on business.

M. Dodson, one of the leading citizens of Burkburnett, was among the local visitors in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lee of Holliday are in the city visiting Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ziegler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Perry and daughter, Miss Jewel, of Kell City, Oklahoma, are in the city visiting relatives.

N. B. Coff, a sugar broker from Colorado Springs, Colo., was in the city today, the guest of his friend, Wiley Blair.

I. W. Gullahorn, who has been quite sick for several weeks with fever, is now on the road to recovery and expects soon to be out again.

Messrs. Sanford Wilson and E. B. Carver, two of the leading business men of Archer City, were here today looking after business matters.

Messdames H. C. McGlasson and Geo. Moore and little son, who have been visiting relatives in Manard, Minnesota, are expected home tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Coleman, living at the corner of Thirteenth street and Bluff avenue are the parents of a pretty girl baby, who arrived at their home on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Frankie Lee left this afternoon for Seminole, Oklahoma, to take charge of her school. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Norma Richardson, who will visit relatives there indefinitely.

New crop rolled oats in both small and large packages.

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Buggies! Buggies! Just received car. Our prices are right. Come and see us. Jackson Bros. 96-1&w-1f

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here is a treat worth coming miles to enjoy. Don't miss it under any circumstances.

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Free Delivery to Any Part of the City.

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A jury in the county court yesterday awarded a judgment of \$250 to H. C. McGlasson against B. P. Hatcher. McGlasson sued Hatcher for the amount above for his part of the commission in a real estate deal here.

We are offering some very fancy apples, peaches, pears, grapes and bananas. Try them.

NUTT, STEVENS & HARDEMAN. 118-2t

Messrs. Grant and House of the Oklahoma City Milling Company, were here yesterday, the guests of Frank Kell of the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company. The visitors were taken on an automobile ride up the Wichita valley and were delighted with the country. They were so well pleased, in fact, with Wichita Falls and the tributary country that they will probably make some investments in this section.

We have just received a fresh shipment of Roll Herring Sardines and Mackerel. Phone us your wants.

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The Summer Garden will give a benefit to the Christian Endeavorers of the Presbyterian church tonight. One half of the gate receipts will be given to the society. They will appreciate your attendance on this occasion.

Illustration of a train.

"The Wichita Falls Route"

The Wichita Falls & Northwestern Ry System.

Time Card Effective Sept. 1st, 1908.

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Wichita Falls and Southern.

Leaves Wichita Falls 3:10 p. m.

Arrives Olney 6:40 p. m.

Arrives Newcastle 8:00 p. m.

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Leaves Olney 7:30 a. m.

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Carrying a Heavy Load. Charleston News and Courier. The elephant is the only animal that is able to carry such a load as the republican party, and it will collapse this year.

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Thirty-six silk petticoats at \$4.96. Net waists, voile and panama skirts must be sold, regardless of cost. Ladies, don't miss this opportunity. You need the goods, we need the money. CLOPTON MILLINERY PARLOR. 117-21a

Miss Eva Haines of Wichita Falls has been chosen the seventeenth teacher in the Vernon public schools. Miss Haines comes well recommended and the board has no doubt made a good selection.—Vernon Record.

Proclamation.

In the absence of Mayor Noble, B. J. Bean, mayor pro tem, issued the following proclamation yesterday:

Whereas, The time will soon arrive for the laying of the cornerstone of the City Hall of Wichita Falls, and

Whereas, The ceremony of laying the cornerstone will be conducted under the auspices of Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., Friday afternoon, October 2nd, at 3 o'clock,

Therefore, I, B. J. Bean, Mayor Pro Tem, of Wichita Falls, proclaim the hour from 3 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, October 2nd, as a time to be observed by our business men, merchants and citizens generally and do hereby call upon each and all of them to close their respective places of business during such period and assist in celebrating a momentous occasion in the progress of our city.

Signed this 24th day of September, A. D. 1908.

B. J. BEAN, Mayor Pro Tem.

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