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INTEREST IN CAMPAIGN CENTERS IN NEW YORK

**HARD FIGHT BEING WAGED BY
LEADING PARTIES FOR EM-
PIRE STATE'S VOTE.**

SIZE OF THE MAJORITY

**That Tammany Will Roll Up For Bryan
in Greater New York is Subject
of Much Speculation.**

By Associated Press.
New York, Oct. 22.—With the heavy
artillery of both political parties trained
on New York State, the interest is
being centered today in the vote Tam-
many Hall may roll up in this city.
Charles Murphy, the leader of Tam-
many, said today that no poll had been
made of the city and he did not know
whether any figures would be announc-
ed later. He stated that everything
looks bright for Bryan and Chanler,
and thinks that Bryan and Chanler will
get about the same vote in the State.
Bryan's meeting at Madison square
garden Tuesday next will be the occa-
sion of a democratic rally of every as-
sembly district in New York. The de-
mand for tickets to the garden quickly
exhausted the supply and stands will
be erected on the outside of the amphi-
theater for overflow-assemblages.

In addition to Bryan, Governor Smith
of Georgia, Congressman Clayton of Al-
abama and former Congressman Lentz
of Ohio will address the meeting.

Eleven Thousand Yesterday.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 22.—Yesterday's
contributions to the democratic cam-
paign fund, made public today, aggre-
gate close to eleven thousand dollars
and were headed by one donation of
four thousand dollars from Senator
Pettigrew of South Dakota and a thou-
sand each from Senator Clark of Mon-
tana and Tom Johnson of Ohio.

Trust of Sunshine—A Meter on Rain.
By Associated Press.
Ravenswood, W. Va., Oct. 22.—W. J.
Bryan was up at sunrise and a short
time afterward was speaking to a good
sized crowd here. Most of his auditors
were farmers.

He took occasion to puncture the re-
publican contention that the farmers
owed their prosperity to the republican
party and said that if the republicans
had anything to do with the fertility
of the soil or the sunshine or rain that
hereafter there would be a trust on
the sunshine and a meter on the rain.

**Power Comes From Difficulties Over-
come.**

The teacher of the old school who
showed his pupil the way out of every
difficulty did not perceive that he was
generating an attitude of mind greatly
militating against success in life. The
modern instructor, however, induces
his pupil to solve his difficulties him-
self; believes that in so doing he is
preparing him to meet the difficulties
which, when he goes into the world,
there will be no one to help him
through; and finds confirmation in this
belief in the fact that a great propor-
tion of the most successful men are
self-made.—Herbert Spencer.

PIERCE MAY FORFEIT BOND.

District Attorney Hamilton to Push
the Prosecution.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 21.—District Attor-
ney James R. Hamilton, who has
charge of the prosecution of Henry
Clay Pierce, in event he is brought to
Texas, said today that unless Pierce
surrenders to the court at St. Louis his
\$40,000 bond will be declared forfeited,
as the action of the United States su-
preme court remands Pierce back to
the St. Louis court. If Pierce goes
back to St. Louis, then he will be held
until the arrival of Sheriff Matthews
from here, and Pierce will be brought
back to stand trial. In event Pierce
refuses to go to St. Louis and remains
in Massachusetts, District Attorney
Hamilton said that a new requisition
will be issued by the governor of
Texas on the governor of Massachusetts
for the extradition of Pierce.

Negro Killing in Dallas.
Special to the Times.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 22.—Charlie Davis,
a negro, was shot and killed on the
streets this morning by Paul George,
another negro. George claims that
Davis assaulted his two daughters.

PEST HOUSE BURNED.

Houston Citizens Brave Contagion and
Rescue Smallpox Patients.

Special to the Times.
Houston, Tex., Oct. 22.—Fire de-
stroyed the pest house at the edge of
this city this morning while the guards
were absent. Seven patients suffering
from smallpox narrowly escaped cre-
mation, flying in their night clothes.
Nearby residents braved contagion to
rescue the sick patients. Two are miss-
ing and a spread of the disease is
feared.

Taft in Indiana.

By Associated Press.
Milan, Ind., Oct. 22.—Judge Taft has
adopted an itinerary in this State
which calls for fifty speeches and will
take the candidate through the State
from south to north. He began the de-
livery of sixteen speeches required of
him today at Lawrenceburg before 8
o'clock this morning. His day's work
will end at Evansville.

POLITICS DO NOT AFFECT BUSINESS

A prominent real estate man, while
discussing the business outlook said
that conditions here were remarkable
in view of the fact that a presidential
campaign was demanding the atten-
tion of the country. He said that busi-
ness was pretty much at a standstill
elsewhere and that there probably
would be no recovery until the presi-
dency had been decided. Continuing,
he said:

"There has been considerable talk
that Mr. Bryan's election would be
harmful to the business interests of
the country. That kind of talk should
not be tolerated for a moment. As a mat-
ter of fact, the election of a democrat
would do absolutely nothing of the
kind. If anything it would have a ten-
dency of calling the country to its
senses and serving notice upon the law-
less corporations that no amount of ce-
leration or manufactured panics will de-
ter the people from governing them-
selves as they see best. These are lib-
eral days and the election of Mr. Bryan
would confirm that liberalism."

AS PRESIDENT ELECT.

Bryan Expects to Visit South Immedi-
ately After the Election.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 22.—Advices
were received here today from Bryan
that he will visit the South immedi-
ately after the election and that he ex-
pects to come as the president elect.

Kern's Son Critically Ill.

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 22.—John W.
Kern, democratic vice presidential nomi-
nee, arrived here today from Syracuse,
New York, and found his son in a crit-
ical condition. There is slight prob-
ability that Kern will resume his cam-
paign before next week, when it will
be arranged for him to speak in In-
diana.

Sued for Tearing Up Highway.

Special to the Times.
San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 22.—The
county commissioners today instructed
the county attorney to bring suit
against Dr. C. F. Simmons for tearing
up the Pleasanton road with a traction
engine to build a railroad. The road
was recently macadamized.

TOKIO ENTERTAINS AMERICAN SAILORS

By Associated Press.
Tokio, Japan, Oct. 22.—The munici-
pality of Tokio today entertained the
men and officers of the American fleet.
There was a luncheon at noon, attend-
ed by Admiral Sperry, Ambassador
O'Brien and half a dozen members of
the embassy staff and half a dozen
naval officers.

An hour later Hibya park was open-
ed to three thousand blue jackets and
marines and there is every form of en-
tertainment for the men. The utmost
good order prevailed all through the
day.

MONOPOLY'S LOGICAL RESULTS.

Houston Post.
In his speech at Nebraska City, Mr.
Bryan used a forcible illustration to
show the inherent wickedness of the
trust system. Eight years ago when
he visited Nebraska City, a prosper-
ous starch factory was in operation
there. Subsequently, the starch trust
acquired the property and now the Ne-
braska City starch establishment is no
more. The trust removed the machin-
ery and now the buildings are being
wrecked. The farmers living in the
vicinity of Nebraska City no longer
have a great starch factory to bid for
their corn, and the people who were
employed by the establishment have
been compelled to move away or enter
other employment.

The trust acquired the factory and
closed it down, not because it was not
profitable to operate, but because it
was necessary to curtail the supply of
starch in order to increase and main-
tain the price of starch and depress
the price of corn.
Some years ago the glass trust ac-
quired a number of glass factories in
Indiana, and immediately closed them
down and abandoned them. Thus one
of Indiana's natural resources is now
idle and the thousands of people who
depended upon the glass industry in
that state for a living are no longer
permitted to enjoy the opportunity to
labor that the glass industry there
once afforded.

It is the inevitable trend of mono-
poly to diminish production and increase
price. In this way the price of the raw
material which the monopoly must
have is depressed while the price the
consumer must pay is increased.
Thus the producers are railed on one
side and the consumer on the other.

The working people of the United
States must learn some day, if they
have not already learned it, that di-
minished production greatly curtails
their opportunities to labor, increases
idleness and swells the cost of living.
In the larger view of human require-
ments, scarcely can never benefit the
masses. Abundance is the rule of gen-
uine prosperity. Abundance means
wider opportunities to work, lower
prices for the necessities of life and a
fairer distribution of the joint profits
of labor and capital.

The facilities of production are now
more apparent than ever to the work-
ing people of the United States, but
will become still more apparent, and
distressing so, if the people permit
the commercial interests of the coun-
try to induce them to vote the repub-
lican ticket on the theory that dem-
ocratic success might produce hard
times.

Democratic success this year will
mean a better chance in this world
for the average man, because it will
sound the death knell of privilege in
the United States. It is privilege that
is corroding the foundations of Nat-
ional prosperity and the republican
party is the mother of privilege. A
vote for Taft is a vote for conditions
that would become well nigh unen-
durable before a decade had passed.

75 NIGHT RIDERS ON SHERIFF'S LIST

By Associated Press.
Union City, Oct. 22.—Sheriff Haynes
of Lake county, has a list of the names
of seventy-five men suspected as be-
ing members of the night riders band
who took part in the murder of Cap-
tain Rankin on Monday night and will
make arrests in the next day or two.
A detective who has been at the
Lake recently claims to be in posses-
sion of sufficient evidence to justify
the arrest of the men whose names ap-
pear on the sheriff's list.

After a jury in a Western Kansas
court had been out an extraordinary
long time in a very ordinary case, the
members filed into the court room and
the foreman told the judge they were
unable to arrive at a verdict. The court
rebuked them, saying the case was a
clear one, remanding them to the jury
room for a second attempt, adding: "If
you are there too long I will have to
send you in twelve suppers." The
foreman, in a rather irritated tone,
spoke up and said: "May it please your
honor, you might send in eleven sup-
pers and one bundle of hay."

In order to insure a change of ad on
day of publication, advertisers MUST
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is impossible to make the change after
that hour. By complying with this
request, our advertising patrons will
have but little complaint of the ser-
vice rendered.

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THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, Oct. 22.—Spot cotton mar-
ket quiet and 10 points higher. Mid-
day 9.40. No sales reported.

Cotton—New York Futures.
Open High Close
December 8.88 8.96 8.93-94
January 8.75 8.84 8.83-84
Market closed steady.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
Open High Close
December 8.67 8.70 8.69-70
January 8.58 8.66 8.65-66
Market closed steady.

Cotton—Liverpool.
Liverpool, Eng., Oct. 22.—Market for
futures opened and closed steady.

Open High Close
Oct-Nov. 4.69 4.69
Nov-Dec. 4.63 4.64
Dec-Jan. 4.62½ 4.63½

Chicago Grain Market.
Wheat— Open High Close
December 99½ 100½ 99½
May 103½ 103½ 103½
July 98½ 98½ 97½

Corn— Open High Close
December 63½ 63½ 63½
May 62½ 63 62½
July 62½ 62½ 62

Oats— Open High Close
December 47½ 47½ 47½
May 49½ 49½ 49½
July 45½ 45½ 45

Fort Worth Livestock.
Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 22.—Today's
cattle receipts were 3,200 head.
Steers—Market steady. Tops sold at
\$3.65.
Cows—Quality fair. Market lower.
Tops sold at \$2.85.
Calves—Quality choice. Market was
steady. Tops sold at \$4.70.
Hogs—Receipts 3,200. Market high-
er. Tops sold at \$5.65.

TO SEETLE TEXT BOOK KNUDDLE.

Legality of Books Adopted to be Deter-
mined by Trial of School Trustee.

Special to the Times.
Austin, Tex., Oct. 22.—It was an-
nounced this afternoon that the entire
text book knuddle will be thrashed out
and the legality of the books adopted
by the State school board determined
at the trial of School Trustee Morris of
Fiskville, who is charged with refus-
ing to use the Myers arithmetic. Su-
perintendent Cousins has been sub-
poenaed.

If the railroads persist in their ef-
forts to increase the freight rates on
commodities shipped into Texas they
need not complain if the next Texas
legislature attempts to partially even
matters by a radical reduction in pas-
senger rates and in local State freight
shipments. Retaliatory measures are
not always advisable, but they are at
times necessary. Railroads expecting
a fair deal, must give out the same
kind of measure.—Brownwood Bulle-
tin.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS COLD WAVE

A dispatch from the U. S. weather
bureau this afternoon says a cold wave
is scheduled to strike Northwest Texas
tonight and tomorrow.
Late this afternoon the temperature
is dropping and there is every indica-
tion that the rains will be followed by
a norther.

The safest preventive against the
spread of contagious diseases is plenty
of ventilation. Plenty of fresh air for
the sick, plenty of fresh air for the
well. Most of all, constantly surround
the sick room with a free current of
fresh air at all times, and let this air
be straight from the open. Exposure
to plenty of pure air and sunlight rap-
idly weakens and destroys most of
the malignant disease germs. People
breathe air containing disease germs
every day, but the germs are so dilut-
ed and scattered through such quanti-
ties that they are harmless.—Waco
Times-Herald.

The following story amused a crowd
of men in the Right Way lobby a few
nights ago, says the Battleville Enter-
prise. A boy rushed to a policeman
and said: "Say, there's a man around
there what's been fightin' with my father
for almost an hour." "Why didn't
you call me before?" asked the police-
man. "Well," said the kid, "paw was
getting the best of it up to a few min-
utes ago."

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CROPS ARE DAMAGED AND TRAFFIC IS DELAYED

LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA.

Officers Having Wm. Hatfield in Custody
Stop in Fort Worth.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 22.—William
Hatfield, alleged to be J. C. Dunham,
charged with the murder of six persons
at San Jose, California, arrived here
this morning from Sherman in the cus-
tody of Sheriff Langford and Deputy
Sheriff Buffington and started for Cal-
ifornia over the Texas and Pacific at
12:40 this afternoon. Hatfield appear-
ed to be on good terms with the offi-
cers, and expressed confidence in his
acquittal. He says he expects to re-
turn to Texas.

Texas Postmasters Close Convention.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 22.—The Tex-
as postmasters closed their convention
today after electing the following offi-
cers: D. Dool of Brady, president;
J. A. Smith of El Paso, William Gilford
of Thornton and J. S. Sargent of Or-
ange vice president, and L. L. Carter
of Arlington, secretary.

NO REQUISITION FOR H. C. PIERCE

Special to the Times.

Palestine, Tex., Oct. 22.—Governor
Campbell today announced to the Tex-
as News-Service reporter that he pos-
itively would make no requisition upon
the Massachusetts governor for H. Clay
Pierce, saying that it was up to the
Missouri governor to arrest Pierce and
then turn him over to the Texas au-
thorities.

Governor Campbell said that the
former requisition upon the Missouri
governor was still in force and that
Texas will take absolutely no action
unless Pierce forfeited his bond, be-
coming a fugitive from justice. In such
a case he will make a new requisition
upon Missouri and Massachusetts.
Mrs. Campbell left today for the
Dallas Fair, the governor remaining
here.

Many Drowned in Typhoon.

By Associated Press.
Manila, P. I., Oct. 22.—Additional de-
tails of the damage wrought in the
Cagayan valley by the typhoon on Oc-
tober 12th indicate that the loss of life
in the disaster will reach five hundred.

At Aparri the survivors say that
three hundred residents in the sub-
merged fishing village, which is located
some distance below Aparri, were swept
away and drowned.

It is reported that many were drown-
ed at Itagay and that the town was
almost entirely destroyed.

Trial of Mexican Revolutionists.

Special to the Times.
El Paso, Tex., Oct. 22.—The trial of
five Mexicans, charged with fomenting
a revolution against Mexico will likely
go to the jury this afternoon in the fed-
eral court. The defendants on the stand
today denied any connection with the in-
surrection. The court room was full
of rifles, cartridges and dynamite cap-
tured in the possession of the prison-
ers.

Thirty Earthquake Shocks.

By Associated Press.
Plauen, Saxony, Oct. 22.—Thirty
earthquake shocks were experienced
in the Szwickau region yesterday.
They were accompanied by thunder
like reverberations and the people were
greatly alarmed. There was another
severe shock today.

TO START NEW DAIRY FARM

J. O. McDowell of Timpon, Texas,
has leased the old race track grounds
northwest of town from N. C. McIn-
tyre and will establish a dairy and live-
stock farm there.

Mr. McDowell has fifty Jersey cows
on the road to this city from Timpon
and if they have not been delayed by
the washouts they should arrive here
tomorrow.

If the horsemen of this vicinity show
any interest in the project Mr. McDow-
ell states that he will have the track
placed in good shape and will offer
every encouragement to speed contests.

HEAVY RAINS CAUSE FLOODS IN NORTHWEST TEXAS AND CENTRAL OKLAHOMA.

TRAINS ALL HELD HERE

Washouts and Wrecks Block Traffic
on Both the Katy and Denver.
Freight Wreck Near Jolly.

Wichita Falls was the center of an
unusually heavy rain, wind and hail
storm last night, which flooded the
streets and caused washouts on all
railroads entering the city, seriously
delaying traffic.

The rains, which started shortly after
nightfall, continued to pour down
in torrents throughout the night and
up to noon today had scarcely abated.
Last night several vehicles were
stalled and wrecked in the streets,
where the dirt had settled in the sewer
ditches recently filled.

So far as can be learned no one was
seriously injured from this source.
The rainfall extended from Fort
Worth to Childress and dispatches
from other points indicate that a great
part of West Texas and Oklahoma
was included in the rain area.

At about 8:30 o'clock last night a
violent hail storm swept over the city
and is reported to have extended as
far north as Vernon.

Cotton has been considerably dam-
aged by the rain and hail, but the crop
is not entirely destroyed as was at
first thought after the hail storm.

The northbound trains on the Katy
from Gainesville and on the Denver
from Fort Worth are delayed by wash-
outs and wrecks and early this after-
noon it was impossible for the officials
to give any information as to when
the tracks would be open for traffic.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morn-
ing an extra southbound Denver freight
out of this city went into the ditch at
a culvert about two miles this side
of Jolly station. The washing away of
the roadbed under the track had al-
lowed the rails to go down into the
ditch and the locomotive following the
rails ran into the ditch, turning com-
pletely over in the water. Engineer J.
W. Smith and Fireman Tom Schell,
both of this city, were caught in the
cab and had a narrow escape from
drowning. Engineer Smith succeeded
in breaking the cab window, and crawl-
ed out, dragging Schell, who had grab-
bed onto his foot, with him. Both
men suffered severe cuts and bruises,
but their injuries are not serious.

Four carloads of cattle belonging to
a Seymour live stock man and the ca-
boose piled up in the ditch and many
of the cattle were killed outright, while
others were badly crippled.

Owing to a washout between this city
and the scene of the wreck the wrecker
from this place had not been able to
get to the wreck at noon today. An-
other wrecker sent out from Fort
Worth is also reported to have been
held back by washouts between Hen-
rietta and Bowie.

A washout on the Katy near the Lit-
tle Wichita river bridge this side of
Henrietta prevents passage over that
line and it is probable that all south
bound trains will be held here at least
ten hours.

North along the Denver the track is
in good shape and both the Wichita
Falls and Southern and the Wichita
Falls and Northwestern arrived on
time this morning. The Little Wichita,
however, is endangering the tracks of
the Southern.

Floods Serious in Oklahoma.

By Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, Ok., Oct. 22.—Ser-
ious floods occurred through portions
of central and northern Oklahoma as
the result of a heavy downpour of rain.
Reports of loss of life are unconfir-
med.

The Canadian and Arkansas rivers
are out of bank at Tulsa. The Arkan-
sas river rose ten feet in twenty-four
hours, and is still rising.

One-third of the town of Pawnee in
which there are fifteen hundred inhabi-
tants, was covered last night with six
feet of water.

Four Railroads Suffer Heavily.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 22.—Four rail-
roads entering Fort Worth today re-

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Public Land Sale!

I will, as the agent of the Heirs of the Estate of J. L. YOUNG, sell at Public Outcry on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1908** between the hours of 10 a. m. and 6 p. m.. the following property:

PERSONAL
Cattle, Horses & Farm Tools for Cash to the highest bidder.

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Two (2) Lots in Byers, Clay County, Texas, to the highest bidder, for Cash.
320 Acres of Improved Land—the finest Red River Valley land to be found in Clay or Wichita Counties, it being the J. L. Young homestead farm, 2 miles from Byers, Clay County, Texas, at Old Benvenue.

SALE WILL TAKE PLACE ON THIS LAND, AT THE FARM HOUSE

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One-fourth Cash, balance in five annual payments, deferred payments secured by Vendor's lien on the land, bearing 8 per cent interest, note containing usual 10 per cent attorney's fees clause

The land is to be sold at Public Outcry to the highest bidder. The right is expressly reserved to refuse any and all bids. Remember the time and place and be there.

Write me at Wichita Falls for further information.
EDGAR SCURRY,
Attorney in Fact for the Young heirs.

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THE BOOSTER'S COLUMN

Secretary Gohlke returned from Dallas where he installed the Wichita Falls Country exhibit. Mr. Gohlke said: "There are many extensive and handsome county exhibits particularly from West Texas. Foreseeing our apparent inability to gather a large exhibit on short notice the necessity of some feature to attract attention resulted in working out the corn and wheat map of the Wichita Falls country. The body of the design is in wheat with the big Wichita and Red rivers designated by depressions in which yellow and red corn represent those streams. County lines are laid out by single lines of white corn and railroads by double lines. The adjoining counties and junction towns are named as are all railroads and other features. The gas and oil wells are located and the big lake looms up. This feature has stopped thousands of visitors at the booth and compliments on its makeup and advertising value were frequently heard. The vantage point of Wichita Falls and its railroad facilities came before many prominent Dallas business men who said they had not realized what Wichita Falls had in these respects."

Bayliff, Wilbarger, Olney and Byers have good exhibits which necessitate naming Wichita Falls as the railroad center in many instances.
Mr. C. P. Maricle will remain with the exhibit until Saturday morning when Mr. J. T. Young, who had charge of the Oklahoma City exhibit, will take hold and stay with it throughout the fair. Mr. Young is a consistent worker and will exploit this section to advantage.

Texas Building at Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition.

In a report of a meeting of the executive committee of the commercial secretaries' organization, the Dallas News yesterday said:

"Chairman F. H. Gohlke of Wichita Falls, in behalf of the Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition committee, reported that interviews with several leading railroad officials resulted in encouragement and individual indorsement of a Texas building at Seattle next year, in which a comprehensive exhibit of Texas products and resources would be maintained. He added that to insure the raising of the necessary money the General Managers' Association of Texas should be urged to guarantee a portion of the needed sum of \$25,000, on condition that the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association raise the balance and present feasible working detailed plans. Chairman Gohlke was authorized to request the General Managers' Association to subscribe half of the required amount along the plan outlined. It is believed that the railroads are interested to the extent of co-operating with this important movement, inasmuch as this exposition presents a feature of placing Texas' opportunities before many thousands of actual home-seekers attracted to the northwest as a result of the extensive advertising of that country over the Middle West. Dollar subscriptions will be made all over the State to secure the financial aid required."

"After adding J. F. Turner of Shafter Lake to the executive committee the meeting adjourned, to meet at the call of the chairman."

Chamber of Commerce Membership.

W. A. Strickland holds the record as a "getter" of new members. Mr. Strickland turned in the names and dues of the following parties, in addition to two members secured on the 15th: R. D. Blannar, G. W. Clevinger, L. Hamilton, S. D. Stephens, E. L. Walsh and T. P. Hickman.

J. T. Young corraled O. E. Maer and J. H. Burnett. These gentlemen did not buck up a bit when the brand was

applied. There a lot more willing ones and when all of them are rounded up Wichita Falls will have the strongest aggregation of boosters in Texas. The moral of this fact alone will increase the value of real estate.

H. W. Wood, of the Wichita Produce Company, requested ten copies of the "Progress of a Progressive City" for mailing purposes. Mr. Wood concludes his letter with: "If every member of the Chamber of Commerce will place ten copies of this work in the hands of as many people living in other parts of Texas and other States I believe results will follow." The secretary is very willing that such should be done. Envelopes are provided with pamphlets and senders should write their name on outside, which will make it of personal interest to the recipient.

Paper From Corn Stalks.

Millions of dollars annually will be added to the income of farmers of the corn belt if the government chemists are correct in their belief that they have solved the problem of making print paper from corn stalks. The cost of wood pulp from which the newspapers of America are supplied with paper and the possibility of exhausting the supply have long been incentives to experimenting with other materials. The necessity of finding some substitute is evident when it is recalled that for The Star alone more than an acre of timber must be cleared every day in the year.

Corn stalks, because of their abundance and their apparent fitness for paper making, have attracted the attention of investigators, and chemists of the Department of Agriculture began to work on the problem several years ago. It was only recently, however, that they determined that the success of their experiments warranted a public announcement.

Now they are enthusiastic. For they predict that the new paper can be made on a large scale at half price of the paper made from wood pulp. This outcome, of course, would mean the opening up of a great market for the farmers in the use of a product that hitherto has been practically wasted.

Dr. S. H. Bristol, the chemist in charge of the work, has made corn stalk paper in five different shades. The white is said to be made from the hard outside shell of the stalk, while the pith furnishes the yellow grades.

The important thing is that the chemists believe they have devised processes of treatment that will lower the cost of paper made from corn stalks. The stalk is reduced to pulp by cooking under what is known as the "soda process." Only two and one-half hours of cooking is necessary, against thirteen or fourteen when wood chips are put in the digester with a caustic soda solution.

So far the work has been done in the laboratory on a small scale, but the department is going to begin operations at once on a more elaborate plan. Then they expect to prove the economy of the new material.

What the successful manufacture of corn stalk paper would mean to the Southwest is evident when it is considered that according to the reports of the Department of Agriculture Kansas has seven million acres of corn, Missouri and Nebraska about seven and a half millions each and Oklahoma millions. With corn planted thickly as it is sown for fodder each acre ought to produce more than five tons of corn stalks.

While nobody knows what price corn stalks would bring for paper it is evident that they would add millions to the wealth of the Southwest.—Kansas City Star.

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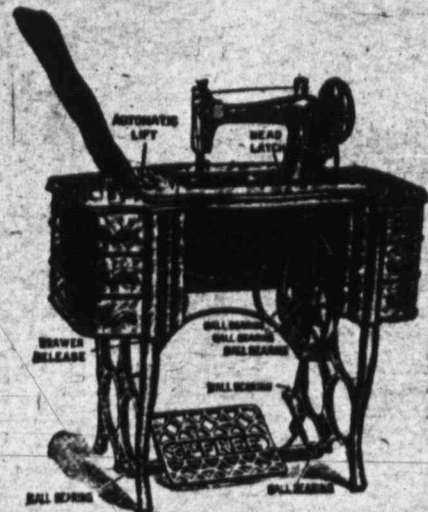
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pers on the other, through the enjoyment of special privileges, have occasion for fearing his election. And observation tells us that it is these interests alone, supplemented by evidence in human form of the fool-killer's leniency, which either quake in their boots at the thought of it or preach that doctrine.—Oklahoma City Oklahoman.

Texas Frogs.

Down in Texas they are raising frogs as large as chickens. At least such is the circumstantial report of a hard-headed Iowa man who has been investigating the new industry. Everything is on a big scale in Texas, including distances, floods and sectional political fights. The tuneful and intelligent frog naturally grows to fit its environment, and experimenters in the Burbank field are hopeful of shortly achieving a frog whose succulent hind quarters will rival a porterhouse steak in size and delicacy of flavor. The one serious drawback, the obstacle which so far has prevented the successful launching of the Lone Star Giant Frog Company, Limited, is the inability to utilize the croak as a profitable by-product. It is a well-known scientific fact that the batrachian croak, in volume, melody, intensity, timbre and symphonic quality, increases in a geometrical proportion to the size of the frog, but since the disintegration of the People's Party there has been no big market for this commodity. But the industrial possibilities of cannibalizing the croaks of the mammoth Texas frogs dazzle the imagination. The epicure, the gourmet, would then be enabled to have served with each pair of frogs' kickers the identical croak that inspired the mottled green songster in its native Texas marsh, an ideal and unrivaled preventive against imitation and substitution. The export field for frogs' canned croaks is also large and tempting. Could anything better be devised for "booling" and actor off an English stage? The time may yet come when the voice of the Texas batrachian will thrill the Thespian temples of London. There is, however, one serious and alarming danger that threatens to canker in the bud this new and promising Texas industry. Lone Star scientists have noted that the evolution of increased size has wrought a profound change in the modest and gentle nature of the retiring frog. Instances are noted where the psychosis has resulted in the development of a Berserker ferocity that spits at fear and revels in terror. And cow-punchers in prohibition counties tell with bated breath of awful battles in the moonlight on the prairie between blood-thirsty giant frogs and belligerent rabbits in which not even a hair was left to tell the tale of disaster.—Washington Post.

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

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J. L. Mears was the first man to bring in a dollar since the fund has been reopened. W. J. Bullock was the next man up with his dollar. Mr. Bullock previously contributed a dollar and this suggests that there are others who have contributed who will probably want to give more help.

Other contributors are T. M. Sims and Alex Kaha, who have each given a dollar.

Bray and Business.

Every now and then in these piping times of peace we run across a relic of the Paleozoic period in human form who stands around with his knees knocking together in mortal fear of a financial cataclysm in the event of Bryan's election. We get it first-hand from these leather-bound mummies that business will go to smash, the rains cease, the sun stand still, the earth's surface dry up and famine, gaini and ghastly, stalk abroad in the land if, by some hook or crook, the republican party should be dislodged from power.

It so happens that we have been having a taste of the effects of republican rule and republican policies upon the business welfare of the nation within the past year—a period so fresh in our minds that we trust the memory of the average man runneth not to the contrary. We call attention to the matter because it will admirably serve as an example of business conditions under the stewardship of that party.

It also happens that we had a taste of democratic rule and democratic policies in recent years which serves to show the effect of the same upon the business world.

By comparing the one against the other we are enabled to determine the differences which exist, if any, and which of the two parties is best qualified by that standard of measurement for guiding the business destinies of our people.

The last democratic administration was in power from March 4th, 1893, to March 4th, 1897. Taking only the full calendar years of that period, because the figures are available only for such a comparison, we find that, according to Dun's Review, the business failures for the year 1894 were \$172,992,856; for 1895 \$173,196,060; for 1896 \$226,096,134.

The republican party has been in power since March 4th, 1897. It is in power today. By going to Dun's figures again we find that the commercial failures from Oct. 1, 1907, to Aug. 1, 1908—ten months, mind you—amounted to \$219,945,836, just \$6,000,000 less

for a period of ten months than for the entire twelve month period under the last year of democratic rule. If the figures were available for the full twelve months dating from Oct. 1st, last, it is manifest that the total would greatly exceed the figures for the last democratic year.

The conclusion is inevitable from these figures that the republican party can produce more business failures within the period of a year than the democratic, both in point of number and volume of liabilities. The figures show it; and we have but to look around us to witness an abundance of evidence showing as much.

But it is manifestly unfair to assume that the democratic party under Mr. Bryan's leadership is the same as it was under Cleveland's. It stands for vastly different policies today than it stood for in Cleveland's time. It is, in truth and in fact, a progressive party today, whereas in Cleveland's time it was reactionary.

The prosperity of this nation, however, is, and in the very nature of things can be, only incidentally affected by the success of any political party. It rests upon the bounties of God and the willingness of our people to work. We can only produce things to eat and wear in the event that the sun continues to shine, the rains descend, and the earth pours forth its harvest. And if God is with us, we can do this with Bryan in the White House as well as Mr. Taft.

We will search in vain through Mr. Bryan's platform, or in the policies for which he stands, for anything which menaces the prosperity of the legitimate business interests of the country. We have said that he will be bound as firmly by the things which his platform omits as the things which it contains; and we know that he is a man of his word. Moreover, he is a just man, patriotic in superlative degree, and animated by high ideals. It is not within his nature to do anything which would disturb or injure a single legitimate enterprise or interest. Only the predatory interests, the interests which produce millions on one hand and pau-

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A strong argument in favor of compulsory education in Texas is the fact that there were 93,370 children of school age in this State who failed to enter the public schools last year. Perhaps one-half of these children were sent to private schools, but the other half received no schooling at all.

Eighteen thousand acres of public land are to be opened to settlement in the Pecos Valley, Texas, on November 7th. It is a sop intended to impress you with the idea that republicans are bringing good times, but it amounts to no more than a crumb to a hungry man.—Appeal to Reason.

The Appeal to Reason seems to have got its wires slightly crossed. The Federal government has no lands in Texas to be opened for settlement or for any other purpose. Texas controls her own public lands and when they are placed on the market can be purchased by anyone who has the price without regard to the political opinions of those wishing to make investments.

The "Booster Edition" of the Quannah Tribune-Chief, consisting of thirty-two pages, and every column filled with illustrations and descriptive reading matter detailing the resources of Quannah and Hardeman county, is on the Times' exchange table, and truly it is the best special edition gotten out by any paper on the Denver road. To get out this work required a large force of men, and cost the proprietor many hundreds of dollars, but the Times learns through a private source that the citizens of Quannah have subscribed and paid for every copy of the edition of 20,000, and the papers have been mailed out to prospective home-seekers, and no doubt the results will be all that the people of Quannah can reasonably expect.

According to Collier's Weekly, that paper has succeeded in getting a confession from the two men who faked the Standard Oil letters from Mr. Archbold that put Senator Foraker out of politics. The thief, a negro employed by Mr. Archbold, stole the letters and together with a white man, sold them to Mr. Hearst for the sum of \$12,000. The letters were photographed and then given back to the thief who restored them to the owner, who never discovered they had been stolen until a year afterward. Mr. Hearst has never told how he came to be in possession of the letters, but so far it is not denied they are photographs of the originals.

The Omaha Bee is a stalwart republican paper and its criticisms of measures advocated by Bryan have been severe and unmerciful. Some say, doubting the sincerity of the editor, clipped from the republican platform and enclosed it to the editor, saying it was an extract from a speech recently delivered by Bryan. The Bee proceeded to rip the supposed speech of the democratic presidential candidate into shreds, declaring that it meant nothing but a "cheap bid for votes." The next day it dawned on the editor that he had attacked the main tariff plank of his own party. Now the Bee can say nothing in defense of the tariff plank in the republican platform for the reason that it is only "a cheap bid for votes."

From all appearances, the republican party no longer considers it beneath the dignity of its presidential candidate to stomp the country in search of votes. Mr. Taft, at the outset of this campaign, evidently thought he had an easy thing of it, and would spend the time in fishing, and by occasionally making a speech or giving out an interview. But the situation has changed. Taft is making speeches daily and as often as he can. Mr. Bryan is doing the same thing. As to the result—this cannot be accurately forecasted, but from the opinions of those best posted, it is in doubt with the chances in favor of Taft. Nearly every test vote that has been taken by either party indicates that Bryan has gained many votes—so many, in fact, that such States as Indiana and Ohio are likely to go either way. Even in New York it looks as if the republicans had abandoned all hope of electing their State ticket in order to secure the electoral vote for Taft. They are only claiming the State of New York by a plurality of 25,000. In that State, more than a million and a half votes will be cast on November 3rd. Chairman Mack for the democrats is claiming that Bryan will be elected by a landslide, while Mr. Hitchcock for the republicans is just as confident of the election of Taft.

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WANTED—Stock to pasture. Have 150 acres of volunteer oats and wheat, which is good. Located 1 1/2 miles south of town. Apply to J. W. Henderson. 139-1f

WANTED—To rent a five-room house. Must have good barn. Address P. O. Box 591. 141-11p

FOR RENT—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply at 810 10th street, or O. C. Dickson, day caller. 140-31p

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping, furnished, on corner of Eighth and Burnett, 1109. 139-31c

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms nicely furnished. Everything complete. Large closets, lights, phone and private entrance. Gentlemen or arrange housekeeping. Protection desired. Phone 305. 140-31p

FOR SALE—Good coal heater. 1304 Twelfth street. 137-1fc

FOR SALE—Baled sorghum, cured without rain. N. C. McIntyre, 513 Lee street. 137-61p

FOR SALE—Team of fine roan draft horses. Also cow and calf. F. J. Barhof, 16th and Bluff. 135-61p

FOR SALE—Nine room house on Tenth street; \$2600; one-half cash, balance on easy terms. Kelper & Jackson. 139-61c

FOR SALE—Fifty-four nice residence lots near new school building, for sale by Duncan & Smith, Room No. 1, Ker & Hursh building. 139-61c

FOR SALE—Or trade, a good farm for good residence or business property. Address P. O. box 305, Wichita Falls, Texas. 132-101p

FOR SALE—Twenty-five good-sized fat hogs; one full blood Poland China male; some brood sows and small sheats. Call or address A. L. Brubaker, Iowa Park, Texas. 140-61c

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1401 Lamar avenue. 141-31p

FOR SALE—One second-hand piano, cost \$450, almost as good as new, \$200; \$25 cash, balance \$15 per month; one second-hand piano, cost \$400 new, in good condition, \$135; \$25 cash; balance \$15 per month; one new piano slightly shop worn; sells for \$400; would take \$225; \$35 cash, balance \$15 per month. See W. W. Jackson, at Kelper & Jackson's. 138-61c

FOR SALE—Sixteen acres of land within the city limits, not over three-quarters of a mile from postoffice. Lies just south of factory district. Fine proposition for suburban home, or can be cut into city lots and sold at handsome profit, or could be utilized by dairyman or truck grower. Will double in value in next two years without improving same. If purchased within the next few days will take the small sum of \$2,000 with only \$1,500 cash. Call and let us show you this wonderful bargain. Marlow & Huey. 141-31c

FOUND—A sum of money. Owner can have same by calling on H. F. Robertson at City Hall, describing kind and amount of money and paying 50c for this ad. 139-31c

LOST—Link watch fob made of silver coin. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 141-31p

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LIES ABOUT THE FEET.

A Shoe Clerk's Comments on His Customers' Peculiarities.

"I don't see why people always lie about their feet," said the shoe clerk as his customer departed after giving him a bad half hour. "I don't mean on the size of their foot, for it's only natural to wish to have, or, rather, to make other people think you have, small feet. But why a great burly man with his feet as stubby with bunions should insist that his shoes never trouble him and that he never has any trouble in getting a fit is beyond me. Why, if I put an ordinary shoe on such a man he would cuss with pain, and he knows it. He knows also that I have to hunt around until I find some freak shoe that will fit his misshapen old foot, but all the time he declares that he never has bunions or corns like most people. Women who seem to be sensible enough in all other ways come in here and declare that they do not know what a corn is, when they wince with pain every time I touch their little toe. When they are forced to declare that the shoe hurts in one spot or another they insist it is because their feet have a shape peculiarly their own. Sometimes they will admit they have a 'little callous' place, but a corn, oh, dear, no! Sometimes in a thin, lightweight shoe I can fairly see the corns bunching out under the leather, but I have to say diplomatically that the fit is 'not good,' or that the customer has a 'peculiarly sensitive foot,' or some other nonsense. If I want to keep their trade."—New York Press.

PUMPKIN PIE.

Praise For This Culinary Triumph and Gastronomic Delight.

American literature is replete with the praise of pie, and Harriet Beecher Stowe says, "The pie is an English institution, which, planted in American soil, forthwith ran rampant and burst forth into an untold variety of genera and species." The average American echoes, "Let it run." He has the same desire that possessed Simple Simon of Mother Goose fame when he met the pie man. But Mother Goose flourished before the pie reached the acme of its glory. The most famous pie of which she wrote was a meat pie, for she said: Sing a song of sixpence, pocket full of rye; Four and twenty blackbirds baked in a pie. When the pie was opened the birds began to sing; Wasn't that a dainty dish to set before a king?

A pie containing live blackbirds sounds like a fairy tale, but it is not, as a Venetian publisher of a cookbook printed in 1569 gave a recipe for making pies "that the birds may be alive in them, and fly out when it is cut up." The pie revelers who sat down before such a dish may have thought that the very pinnacle of culinary art had been obtained, but the pumpkin affords gastronomic delights to every American citizen beside which blackbird pies, ortolan pies, lombard pies or battalia pies are and of right ought to be back numbers.—Washington Star.

A Tart Retort.

A good story is told of a prominent society woman at Newport whose name cannot for obvious reasons be given here.

It appears that an extremely wealthy matron who was not always enjoyed her present social pre-eminence was making certain supercilious references as to a young girl who had been presented by the lady first mentioned. "By the way," languidly asked the wealthy matron, "who is your friend Miss Blank?"

"Miss Blank is a charming girl," was the smiling response, "well bred, as you see, accomplished, entertaining." "Oh, yes, of course," continued the other, "but, my dear Mrs. So-and-so, you know what I mean—who is she?" "My dear woman," retorted the first lady, "I can no more tell you who Miss Blank is than I could have informed those who asked me who you were when you first came to Newport."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Pompeii and Herculaneum.

Pompeii was buried in ashes and was easily disinterred, while Herculaneum received the full force of the crimson lava, which hardened rapidly to the consistency of marble and must be quarried in order to reach the city beneath. Owing to this difficulty only a small amount of excavating has been done in Herculaneum as compared with that which has taken place at Pompeii. In addition, another town sprang up on the lava above Herculaneum, which would have been endangered by the undermining necessary to exploration with pick and shovel.—New York American.

About Due.

A country woman residing near the town of Silgo, thinking her husband was rather late in coming home on Saturday with his pay, went to the police office to inquire if he was there. "Is Pat here?" she asked. "No," replied the constable, "but sit down. We're expecting him every minute."—London Opinion.

Hire an Expert.

If you want a thing well done, don't do it yourself in spite of what the proverb says. If you really want it well done hire an expert. If you try to do it yourself you are pretty sure to botch it.—Somerville Journal.

Exquisite Harmony.

Piper—The varta pest music I never heard whatever was done at Jamie Macnuchlan's. There was fifteen or us pipers in the wee back parlor, all playing different tunes. I thought I was floatin' in heaven.—Punch.

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NEW STAMPS COMING SOON

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DESIGNS ARE APPROVED

Expected that Postoffices Will be Supplied Early in November.

It is expected that some time during the early part of November the United States postoffice department will begin to place on the market the new issues of postage stamps. The bureau of printing and engraving has just completed designs for the new stamps as suggested by Postmaster General Meyer.

The new stamps will be the following denominations: One cent, 2-cent, 3-cent, 4-cent, 5-cent, 6-cent, 8-cent, 10-cent, 15-cent, 50-cent and \$1. The \$2 and \$5 denominations now in use will not be reprinted. It will be some weeks before all the denominations will be put on the market. However, the 2-cent stamp will be the first distributed and it is expected that shipments to postmasters will commence some time in November.

The new issue has been designed with the object of obtaining the greatest simplicity commensurate with artistic results. The profile has been taken in each instance instead of a full view, giving a bas-relief effect. All the stamps are of a similar design, containing a head in an eclipse, the only decoration being laurel leaves on either side of the eclipse. The lettering is in straight lines, at the top being "United States Postage," and at the bottom the words "Two Cents." The one cent stamp bears the head of Franklin, while all the others will be that of Washington, taken from busts by Houdon.

Thus one of the most notable differences in the new issue will be the minimum of lettering. The colors are the red and blue of the early stamps.

Director Ralph of the bureau of engraving and printing regards the new stamps as the most artistic ever issued by the government.

What Figures Will Do.

State Secretary Davis in his defense of the new school book law says that the average cost for the new books to the school children in Texas, is 89 cents.

Using the average as a basis for his calculations, Bob Barker, a popular

conductor on the M. K. & T. has figured out some startling facts.

Mr. Barker has receipts to show that he has purchased \$23.50 worth of new school books this year. A very simple calculation by division shows that Mr. Barker has a fraction more than 26 children according to the Secretary of State's statistics. Mr. Barker just discovered this the other day and is now preparing to send a letter to President Roosevelt, whose partiality to the parents of large families is well known.

Notice.

There will be held at the First M. E. church South Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. and all day Friday a missionary rally, conducted by Miss Daisy Davies, secretary of the young people's work, Woman's Board of Missions, and Miss Mabel Head, assistant secretary of the Woman's Board of Home Missions.

We are fortunate to have these two secretaries of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Boards with us. They are coming at a great expense of money, time and strength to spend themselves freely for us, that we may be better prepared for the service. It is an opportunity that may not come our way again soon, hence we should be eager to grasp and use it to the utmost. Charts, maps, pictures and helpful devices and books and other literature will make an interesting exhibit. The addresses promise to be most helpful. We extend an invitation to all the other church societies of this and nearby towns. We will provide homes for the delegates. We hope that each and everyone interested in this work at all will join with us and help us make it a success. We want to share this grand privilege with you.

MRS. C. S. CAMPBELL,
Press Reporter Pro Tem.

Not As Bad As Painted.

Upon a petition signed by our seventy names, the commissioners of Wichita county, Texas, ordered a prohibition election at Burkburnett, to be held Nov. 3, upon the date of the state and national elections. On account of the saloons Burkburnett has become a notoriously tough town and the better element of citizens have determined to wipe out the evil if possible. If Burkburnett should vote prohibition it would precipitate a terrible drought over a large area of the Big Pasture.—Harrison, Okla. Herald.

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CHARGE THAT ROOSEVELT FAVORED STANDARD OIL CO.

New York, Oct. 20.—The World has the following article on Mr. Roosevelt and Standard Oil, from its Washington correspondent:

Has the Standard Oil company been persistently favored by the Roosevelt administration over other companies seeking concessions in Oklahoma?

The facts established by official documents seemingly justify an affirmative answer. These facts, which are admitted by officials of the government are:

First—That the Prairie Oil and Gas company is a subsidiary of the Standard Oil company and has a monopoly of the oil transportation business in Oklahoma.

Second—That the Prairie Oil and Gas company secured its original pipe line permit under favored conditions not given to other pipe line companies.

Third—That the company has persistently refused to conform to the regulations promulgated by Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock and that its refusal has been sustained by Secretary Garfield in a modification of the Hitchcock order of 1906, under the terms of which the company is now the only pipe line company in Oklahoma that has been given such permit.

Fourth—That the company has been specially favored by regulations drawn to conform to the demand made by the general counsel of the Standard Oil; that the corporation need not avow itself a "common carrier."

Fifth—That this regulation, which is equivalent to a contract between the government and the Standard Oil company, gives the Standard Oil absolute control of the oil industry in Oklahoma, because it is the only buyer and fixes the price of the product.

Sixth—That the favoritism shown the Standard Oil company by the Roosevelt administration was in defiance of the policy of the interior department and was made in the face of a personal protest by Mr. Hitchcock, when he was secretary of that department.

Secretary Hitchcock reached the conclusion early in the first administration of President Roosevelt that the Standard Oil company, through the Prairie Oil and Gas company, its subsidiary company, was trying to monopolize the oil business of Oklahoma. After vainly appealing to Mr. Hitchcock to issue permits to it to construct pipe lines, the Standard went to its friends in con-

gress in 1904. It appealed to Mr. Sherman, now the republican candidate for vice president; Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, and Representative Vreeland of New York. The result was the passage of a bill to permit the construction of pipe lines under conditions to be imposed by the secretary of the interior.

Mr. Hitchcock refused to make the sort of conditions the Standard wanted. The late Governor Higgins of New York wrote to President Roosevelt complaining of Mr. Hitchcock's action and urging him to intercede with Mr. Hitchcock and have the permit granted.

President Roosevelt did so, and Mr. Hitchcock, under protest, issued the permit in April, 1904. It was within a few weeks of this time that the Standard Oil company contributed in a lump sum \$100,000 to the republican national campaign fund.

Mr. Hitchcock stoutly contended his policy in dealing with the oil industry in Oklahoma was being overridden by the president, through political influence. In order to vindicate his position, Secretary Hitchcock issued a pamphlet giving the exact evidence of the transaction. The pamphlet appeared in 1906, when Mr. Hughes was candidate for governor.

The president was greatly chagrined when he learned of the action of his secretary of the interior and wired from Oyster Bay to have the pamphlet suppressed. Agents of the interior department collected it from the newspaper offices in Washington and Chicago and a copy is not now obtainable. All of the copies were shipped to Oyster Bay.

Secretary Hitchcock followed up his war on the Standard by issuing an order rendering all pipe line privileges subject to the control of the laws of Oklahoma, which had the effect of making them "common carriers" and requiring them, as such, to transport the oil of any company, whether controlled by the Standard or any other producing concern. The Standard then refused to transport the oil of the independent producers.

Complaints from independent producers were referred to Secretary Garfield, who had succeeded Mr. Hitchcock. That official demanded that the Standard comply with the "common carrier" order. The Standard refused and Mr. Garfield finally agreed to modify the

Hitchcock order by eliminating the "common carrier" order. There was a howl of protest from the independent producers, which inspired Mr. Garfield to issue another order characterizing the construction of pipe lines by the Standard as "extensions", not subject to the Oklahoma law relating to "common carriers."

President Roosevelt caused the interior department to deny the charge that the administration had favored the Standard Oil company.

CONSOLATION.

The Musician Reminded the Poet of the Case of Guarnerius.

The musician with a compassionate smile watched the poet trimming the fringe from his cuff.

"After all," he said, "your verse may live when Marie Corelli, Winston Churchill and Hall Caine himself are forgotten. Remember the case of Guarnerius."

"Who was he?" the poet asked. "A pauper and a violin maker. Guarnerius in the seventeenth century made violins that everybody thought too thick; hence they brought only \$2 apiece. Musicians would buy them and have them pared down."

"Guarnerius insisted that they were not too thick. When he heard of one of his instruments being pared down he flew into a frightful rage. He had a grinch against the world because it wouldn't agree with him about violin making. He died a pauper because the world would have none of his violins."

"A Guarnerius is now and then to be picked up. Usually it is a pared instrument, and its value is not very high. But find an unpared Guarnerius and you can get anything you like for it. It is one of the world's few perfect violins."

"But Guarnerius died a pauper. The Hall Caines and Winston Churchills of the violin world of his day refused with sneers to drink with him. He, too, trimmed his cuffs."—Los Angeles Times.

Crack or Break.

Edwin and his mother went for a walk Sunday afternoon. Coming to a tree of cherries, the mother bent a low limb so that the little fellow could pick some. Seeing some fine ones higher up, he begged to be allowed to climb the tree. "Oh, no," said his mother, "that would be breaking the Sabbath."

"And we are only cracking the Sabbath now, are we, mamma?" inquired Edwin.—Delineator.

A clever man turns great troubles into little ones and little ones into none at all.—Chinese Proverb.

The Bachelor's Button.

"What is a bachelor's button?" "One that ain't there."—Cleveland Leader.



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The stronger business men will choose good times as a matter of course--and will proceed to make the choice effective by a campaign of real advertising. There will be better, bigger, more effective advertising done this Fall than ever before.

The afraid-merchant will wonder "where the money is coming from to pay the bills." He will, in some cases, decide that he must not "take the risk." That will be HIS DECISION FOR "HARD TIMES" in preference to "good times," so far as he, personally, is concerned.

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PERSONAL MENTION

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Judge Geo. E. Miller of Fort Worth is in the city.

L. F. Wilson of Kansas City is here on business today.

J. A. Lowry of Holliday was transacting business in the city today.

Attorney W. T. Allen of Henrietta was in the city today looking after legal business.

Allie Dodson, one of the well-to-do farmers from Burkburnett, was here today on business.

H. D. Holley, a business man from Burkburnett, was looking after business matters here today.

J. T. Cockrell, one of Seymour's enterprising citizens, was looking after business matters here today.

H. B. Jackson, a prominent business man of Orange, Texas, is in the city looking after business interests.

S. A. Pitzer of Abilene was in the city today on his return from a business trip through the Panhandle country.

C. O. Quansstrom, one of the thrifty farmers from the Frieberg neighborhood, was in the city today and reports very little damage done to crops in his immediate section by the storm last night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Womack returned last night from Daingerfield, where they had been called by the serious illness of Mr. Womack's mother. The Times regrets to learn that her condition is still serious.

C. C. Bunnenberg of Montgomery City, Mo., arrived last night to spend several days here looking after his farming interests. Mr. Bunnenberg was much pleased at the evidences of growth and progress since his last visit here.

Good Duck Shooting.

The lake between the city and the ball park was the scene of good duck shooting this morning, and over fifty ducks were killed. All the small lakes in this section of the country are now fairly swarming with ducks and geese and the hunters are out by the scores.

Notice.

I have sold the Crescent Candy Company to N. W. Self, who has assumed all indebtedness of the company and all accounts due the company are payable to him.

In this connection, I wish to thank the merchants of Wichita Falls for their patronage and support of a home industry and ask a continuance of the same to the new owner.

141-3te W. L. DILLIARD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor, corner of Bluff avenue and Third street last night a 13-pound girl.

Wees of the Amateur.

Wife—I wonder why the grass doesn't come up? Hubby—I'm sure I can't tell. You don't suppose you planted the seeds upside down, do you?—London Tit-Bits.

Pride went out on horseback and returned on foot.—Italian Proverb.



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The Allegheny Mountains.

Not more than five of our presidents down to Lincoln's time ever crossed the Allegheny mountains, and four of these were western men who had to cross the mountains to reach Washington—Presidents Jackson, Polk, General W. H. Harrison and Taylor. President Monroe crossed the mountains on his return trip from west to east in 1817. Van Buren came west in 1842, two years after the expiration of his presidential term, and saw the mountains then for the first time. It was on this trip that he got upset and dumped in the mud near Plainfield, Hendricks county.—Exchange.

The Original Almack's.

The original Almack's club in London, afterward known as Willie's rooms, had a curious origin. It began as a tavern, started by Lord Bute's butler, McCall, who proposed to give it his own name, McCall's, but his friends warned him that the tremendous unpopularity of Scots in London at that time, for which McCall's master was largely responsible, would spell ruin to an establishment so called. "Very well," said McCall, "I will call it Almack's." The present Almack's club is a more fashionable organization which chose to adopt the old name.

Literal Thirst For Work.

The lawyer who made a bluff at a big practice turned lastly to part from his companions. "I am sorry, but I must go," he said hurriedly. "I have a case at home which I must absorb to the last detail." "I guess," said one of the party, "it's a case of beer."—Baltimore American.

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CROPS ARE DAMAGED

(Continued From Page 1.)

port \$20,000 loss because of floods and storm damage, exceeding that of last spring.

The Santa Fe near Ardmore, Oklahoma, is washed out, and the Katy delayed by South Texas rains. It will be twenty-four hours before the Denver track is repaired. "A second freight is reported to be ditched near Henrietta. A large force of men are being rushed from there to the washouts and wrecks. Rain is still falling throughout Northwest Texas and Oklahoma.

Fort Worth streets were flooded this morning.

Four Inches at Gainesville.
Special to the Times.
Gainesville, Tex., Oct. 22.—Four inches of rain fell here today, flooding the streets, damaging farm property and delaying railroad trains.

People Flee Water at Tulsa.
Special to the Times.
Tulsa, Ok., Oct. 22.—The Arkansas river this afternoon was up eleven feet and was still rising rapidly. The residents of West Tulsa are moving out. Reports from the country say that the loss of livestock is heavy.

Barely Escape Drowning.
Special to the Times.
Abilene, Tex., Oct. 22.—J. W. Germany and wife and two sons, immigrants, camping at a creek near here, were barely rescued from drowning in an overflow this morning. Germany lost his back, mules and a hundred dollars.

Many creeks are higher than ever known, due to last night's downpour. Hundreds of head of stock are reported to have been drowned in the southern part of the county.

Red River Rises.
Special to the Times.
Denison, Tex., Oct. 22.—A severe electrical storm prevailed here this morning. Red river rose five feet at the long bridge. Wires are down and many phones are out of commission.

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