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## ZERO WEATHER IN NORTH TEXAS

COLD WAVE COMES WITHOUT ANY  
WARNING AND FINDS MANY  
UNPREPARED.

## IS COLD IN MANY STATES

Mercury Sinks to Twenty-five Below at  
St. Paul, Minn.—Much Suffer-  
ing Results.

Old King Boreas swooped down from  
the north last night and his unexpected  
arrival caught many people unpre-  
pared for his stinging and freezing  
blasts. Early in the evening there  
was no indication of a cold wave, but  
by 10 o'clock a norther was blowing  
and by midnight the temperature had  
taken a fall of nearly forty degrees.

Water pipes were frozen in many  
homes this morning and the plumbers  
have been so busy that they have  
scarcely taken time to eat today.

Early this morning the temperature  
stood at ten degrees above zero and up  
to noon there had been no appreciable  
rise in the mercury.

A dispatch received this morning  
from the United States weather bureau  
says that there will be a further drop  
of from fifteen to twenty-five degrees  
over the northwestern and interior por-  
tions of Texas.

Nine Above at Fort Worth.  
Special to the Times.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 6.—A norther  
struck this section early this morning,  
bringing the coldest weather of the  
winter. All towns report a drop in  
temperature of from forty to fifty de-  
grees in two hours.

A wreck on the Texas and Pacific  
near Willis Point tied up several pas-  
senger trains in the cold, causing some  
suffering among the travelers.

Hereford, in the Panhandle, reports  
the lowest temperature at 5 above  
zero. It is nine above in Fort Worth.  
The cold will kill insects and help the  
farmers.

Three Above at Amarillo.  
Special to the Times.

Amarillo, Tex., Jan. 6.—The tempera-  
ture here fell fifty degrees during the  
night, the thermometer registering 3  
above zero. The cold came with a dust  
storm and high winds. There has  
been no snow.

The suffering among livestock is gen-  
eral.

Bitter Cold in Wisconsin.  
By Associated Press.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 6.—In Milwau-  
kee the temperature today was fifteen  
degrees below zero. At LaCrosse the  
thermometer registered twenty-two and  
at Green Bay eighteen below zero.

25 Degrees Below at St. Paul.  
By Associated Press.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 6.—The ther-  
mometer here today registered 25 de-  
grees below zero. At Regina, Canada,  
forty degrees below was reported.

Five Above at Hereford.  
Special to the Times.

Hereford, Tex., Jan. 6.—The tempera-  
ture dropped from fifty-five to five  
degrees above zero in a few hours to-  
day. There is little suffering among  
livestock.

Fierce Norther at Denison.  
Denison, Tex., Jan. 6.—A fierce north-  
er is blowing here and the thermom-  
eter registers seventeen degrees above  
zero.

Cold in Dallas.  
Dallas, Tex., Jan. 6.—The tempera-  
ture in Dallas dropped to twenty above  
zero today. This is the coldest weath-  
er of the winter.

Thirteen Below at Omaha.  
Omaha, Neb., Jan. 6.—At 6 o'clock  
this morning the mercury here regis-  
tered thirteen degrees below zero.

Nine Below in Chicago.  
Chicago, Ill., Jan. 6.—The mercury  
here today registered nine below zero.

COL. SIMPSON IS  
SLATED FOR JOB

Special to the Times.  
Austin, Tex., Jan. 6.—A report re-  
ceived here today from Washington in-  
dicates that John H. Simpson of Dallas,  
the recent gubernatorial candidate, is  
slated for appointment as gubernatorial  
revenue collector in this district, suc-  
ceeding Webster Flanagan.

Chairman Storey is Sick.  
Special to the Times.

Lockhart, Tex., Jan. 6.—Chairman  
Storey of the State democratic execu-  
tive committee, is confined to his bed  
with fever. He contracted a severe  
cold when he returned from San An-  
tonio Sunday and has been in bed  
ever since. His physicians say his con-  
dition is not serious.

Bad Fire at Springfield, Mo.  
By Associated Press.

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 6.—Fire to-  
day destroyed the Baldwin theater and  
office building and a number of other  
buildings in the business district and  
badly damaged the Colonial hotel. The  
loss is estimated at a quarter of a mil-  
lion dollars. Fire Chief Kanada was  
slightly injured.

Dispatcher Whitcomb Dead.  
Special to the Times.

Marshall, Tex., Jan. 6.—W. C. Whit-  
comb, chief dispatcher of the Texas  
and Pacific at Fort Worth, died in that  
road's hospital here this morning.  
Rheumatism reached his heart. He  
came here on a visit during the hol-  
idays.

Robbins Appointed Postmaster.  
By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Lyman E.  
Robbins was today appointed postmas-  
ter at Quanah, Texas.

## ROOSEVELT MAY VISIT FORT WORTH

Special to the Times.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 6.—At the of-  
fice of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Asso-  
ciation, it was announced today that  
Roosevelt, and Secretaries Garfield and  
Wilson and J. Ogden Armour will at-  
tend the cattlemen's convention here  
on March 16th. An effort is being made  
to induce Quanah Parker and his tribe  
to attend the convention at the same  
time.

INVESTIGATE RANGER'S DEATH.

Capt. Johnson Sent to Amarillo to In-  
quire Into Death of Doc Thomas.

By Associated Press.  
Weatherford, Tex., Jan. 6.—Captain  
Frank Johnson, commanding the ranger  
company in this city, has gone to  
Amarillo to investigate the killing of  
ranger Doc Thomas there yesterday  
by Deputy Sheriff Foster. The body  
of Thomas will arrive here tonight for  
burial. Johnson was ordered to go to  
Amarillo by Governor Campbell.

From Five to Nine Feet.  
By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—The riv-  
ers and harbors committee today de-  
cided to include in the new bill, upon  
representations by Congressman Bar-  
riss, the clause changing the depth of  
the Texas inter-coastal canal from five  
to nine feet.

Eight Below at St. Joseph.  
Special to the Times.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 6.—The mercury  
reached eight degrees below zero here  
last night.

## ROOSEVELT WON'T GIVE INFORMATION

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Presi-  
dent Roosevelt in a special message  
to the senate today declines to permit  
Attorney General Bonaparte to say  
why he failed to bring action against  
the United States Steel corporation on  
account of the absorption of the Ten-  
nessee Coal and Iron Company. The  
message was in response to a resolu-  
tion introduced by Senator Culberson.

The Unsavory Hains Trial.  
By Associated Press.

Flushing, L. I., Jan. 6.—In the trial  
of Thornton Hains as principal with  
his brother in the murder of William E.  
Annis, here today, the district attor-  
ney asked the witness if he had not  
said to Mrs. Hains that he would like  
to kiss her if she were not his broth-  
er's wife. The defendant's face be-  
came fiery red and he bit his lips, and  
turning to the court made a protest  
against the question. The witness an-  
swered "No." Further questions as to  
whether the witness ever sought close  
relations with Mrs. Hains were over-  
ruled.

Thirty-four Were Drowned.  
By Associated Press.

Odessa, Jan. 6.—In a collision be-  
tween the Russian steamer Sviatoslay  
and the Greek steamer Rissidon today,  
the former steamer sank and thirty-  
four members of the crew were drown-  
ed.

## ANNUAL BANQUET OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

That Wichita Falls, within less than  
ten years, would have a population of  
25,000 or 30,000 and even 50,000 and  
within less than twenty years would  
be a city of from 75,000 to 100,000 pop-  
ulation, was the confident prediction  
made by more than one speaker at  
the annual Chamber of Commerce  
meeting and banquet last night, and  
the enthusiasm and acclaim with which  
each such prediction was received was  
evidence that the confidence was shared  
by the citizens of Wichita Falls and  
the towns in the surrounding country.

Wichita Falls spirit—that combination  
of harmony, push and energy which  
has made her citizenship famous  
throughout the Southwest—than was  
afforded last night both in the business  
session and in the banquet that follow-  
ed. Harmony and progress were pre-  
dominant sentiments and the meeting  
was characterized by an enthusiasm  
that is seldom witnessed in any gath-  
ering anywhere.

The truth of the matter is that Wich-  
ita Falls has progressed to a point  
where everybody looks into the future  
with confidence in the solidarity of the  
city and its business institutions and  
last night was the first time that the  
business men of the city realized this  
fact. Small wonder then that the meet-  
ing was characterized with enthusiasm  
and that every citizen joined in the  
movement for a continuance of devel-  
opment and progress, on a larger scale  
even than has marked the past.

The annual business meeting was  
called to order in the Elks' hall at 7  
o'clock, about two hundred being pres-  
ent when the meeting was called to  
order.

Secretary Gohlke's report, which is  
published on another page, was the  
first order of business. After Mr.  
Gohlke had finished reading his re-  
port, a vote of thanks was tendered  
him for his very comprehensive state-  
ment.

Hon. L. H. Mathis was the first  
speaker on the program. His subject  
was "Let There Be Light," the gist of  
his talk being the necessity of more  
street lights in Wichita Falls. Mr.  
Mathis handled his subject in his char-  
acteristic style.

Frank Kell, in a talk on the "Accom-  
plishments of the Past and the Prob-  
lems of the Future," during his re-  
marks reviewed the progress of the  
past year and complimented the Cham-  
ber of Commerce and its efficient sec-  
retary on the good work done.

Among the problems of the future  
mentioned, was the establishment of a  
federal court in Wichita Falls, the devel-  
opment of the business streets, the devel-  
opment of a pleasure resort at Lake  
Wichita, the building of a street car  
system, and the fuller development of  
the agricultural resources of this sec-  
tion.

Judge A. H. Carrigan gave some in-  
teresting information on facts on street  
paving and pointed out that the city  
would be able to bond to the extent of  
\$30,000 for this improvement, which,  
according to the figures he had at his  
command, the sum of \$60,000 would  
pay Seventh to Tenth streets on both  
Ohio and Indiana avenues and cross  
streets of Seventh, Eighth and Ninth  
from the tracks to Indiana avenue. The  
city's share would be about 40 per  
cent of this cost, and the cost to the  
property owners would be added  
to the value of the property to a  
larger extent. This subject was received  
with intense interest by our citizens  
and applauded uproariously. There is  
no doubt but that the impetus given  
this subject will result in street paving  
as early as is practical.

J. B. Marlow, chairman of the inter-  
state fair committee, reported that the  
committee was not in a position to  
make a full report at this meeting, but  
would be in shape to do so by the next  
meeting. He called attention to the  
fact that the time was now ripe for the  
interstate fair movement to crystallize  
into working shape, so that premium  
lists and other matters could be han-  
dled in plenty of time and thoughtful  
preparation.

Which are You? the subject given  
Capt. R. B. Paddock of Fort Worth,  
was received in that intense stillness which  
is one of the greatest marks of appre-  
ciation that a speaker can receive.  
Captain Paddock described the spirit  
which had built Fort Worth and which  
he said was rampant in Wichita Falls.  
His remarks were congratulated on all  
sides as being of great profit to Wich-  
ita Falls in emulating the Fort Worth  
ways. It is regretted that his talk was  
not taken verbatim, and reproduced in  
these columns.

Mr. R. E. Huff responded to "Shall  
the work of the Chamber of Commerce  
be Continued and Extended," and he  
heartily endorsed the past work of  
the organization and the future work  
which was cut out for it to carry Wich-  
ita Falls on to its destiny of being a  
large city. Mr. Huff forcibly pointed  
out the need of more funds in accord-  
ance with the secretary's report and  
requested Judge Carrigan to take the  
floor and call for subscriptions for the  
ensuing year's pledges.

That Judge Carrigan met with suc-  
cess is left to the judgment of the read-  
ers of the following pledges made dur-  
ing the fifteen minutes campaign, which  
has placed Wichita Falls the second  
city in the State in amount of money  
raised for a commercial organization.  
From the funds raised at the meeting  
and the other resources which are  
available, the sum of \$10,000 for the en-  
suing year's work will be completed.

Monthly Subscriptions for 1909.  
J. A. Kemp, \$75; Frank Kell, \$50;  
First National bank, \$50; City National  
Bank, \$50; Coleman-Lysaght-Blair Co.,  
\$50; R. E. Huff, \$15; Moore & Rich-  
olt, \$15; T. R. T. Orth, \$15; R. M.  
Moore, \$15; N. Henderson, \$12.50. The  
following gave \$10 monthly: People's  
Ice Co., C. W. Bean, Judge Carrigan,  
Wichita Light Co., Farmers' Bank and  
Trust Co., Wichita Ice Co., Miles  
O'Reilly, St. James Hotel. The follow-  
ing gave \$5 monthly: C. C. Huff, P. H.  
Pennington, Popd Laundry, Dr. J. W.  
DuVal, Jourdan Furniture Co., B. J.  
Dean, G. D. Anderson, O. T. Bacon, W.  
McGregor, A. R. Duke, T. B. Noble,  
Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman, J. B. Mar-  
low, E. B. Gossline, L. H. Roberts, Beau-  
nett & Hardy, North Texas Furniture  
and Coffin Co., George Davis and the  
Times Publishing Co.

The following gave \$2.50 monthly:  
Judge Seury, W. A. Reid, W. L. Rob-  
ertson, A. A. Hughes, Herbert V.  
Hughes, J. H. Powell, L. H. Mathis,  
Clyde Thatcher, T. J. Taylor, Jones &  
Orriop, J. C. Ward, H. T. Canfield, No-  
len Mercantile Co., and M. J. Gardner.

The following gave \$1 per month:  
C. W. Beavers, W. E. Smith, A. L.  
Huey, Dr. Burnside, T. T. Reese, W.  
T. Arthur, J. Downing, D. P. Wood-  
ward, Ira Willis, T. B. Greenwood, I.  
Haier, W. Hendricks, T. P. Hickman,  
Abstract and Title Co., C. W. Morgan,  
Ben Crawford, O. E. Maer, Piner As-  
surance Co., Gene Sherrard, F. E.  
Cook, C. B. Felder, Otto Stehlik, H. C.  
McGlosson, C. C. Holden, A. H. Graves  
and J. F. Elliott.

A finance committee will solicit the  
city further and from the resources  
which can be counted upon the sum  
will at least amount to \$10,000 for the  
year 1909.

The nominating committee recom-  
mended that the following directors,  
which constitutes the personnel of the  
directorship of 1908, be elected as di-  
rectors for 1909. The compliment in  
re-electing the official board was unan-  
imously concurred in by the meeting.  
The directors are as follows: J. A.  
Kemp, C. W. Bean, Miles O'Reilly,  
Frank Kell, T. J. Taylor, G. D. Ander-  
son, Robert E. Huff, Wylie Blair, W.  
Lee Moore and Thos. R. T. Orth. A  
vote of thanks was extended the direc-  
tors.

President C. W. Bean presided over  
the meeting.

At the Banquet Hall.  
At 10:15 the business meeting ad-  
joined to the splendid banquet hall  
of the St. James hotel, where, in keep-  
ing with its reputation as a metropol-  
itan hotel, a banquet in appointment  
and cuisine second to not even the  
large hotels of Dallas and Fort Worth  
was served.

Mr. J. A. Kemp was toastmaster of  
the banquet and in opening the after  
dinner oration welcomed the visitors  
from other cities and members of the  
Chamber of Commerce as guests of Mr.  
Frank Kell and himself on this occa-  
sion. Mr. Kemp called upon Hon. L. H.  
Mathis to lead in the toasts of the eve-  
ning.

Mr. Mathis, with his customary elo-  
quence and entertaining powers, first  
offered felicitations on behalf of the  
Chamber of Commerce to Messrs.  
Kemp and Kell in so thoughtfully and  
generously providing the excellent ban-  
quet.

Mr. Mathis paid a glowing tribute to  
Captain R. B. Paddock of the Fort

Worth Board of Trade and said that  
Wichita Falls was glad to emulate the  
example of such a progressive city as  
Fort Worth. The opera house, which  
was made possible by the last annual  
meeting of the organization, was also  
referred to in a flattering manner as a  
fitting monument to the spirit of Wich-  
ita Falls.

Capt. Paddock responded to the toast  
"Wichita Falls and Its Surroundings"  
and took occasion to highly compliment  
the spirit he had just witnessed in the  
raising of a fund of \$10,000 for the  
Chamber of Commerce work for 1909.

Wichita Falls, he said, was the second  
city in the State of Texas in the list of  
money pledges for the support of their  
local commercial organizations, Fort  
Worth leading with \$16,000 and none  
of the other large cities of the State  
equalled the fund provided by the city  
builders of Wichita Falls. "Concentra-  
tion of effort and combination of capi-  
tal means much for your city," he said,  
"and the unanimity with which your  
people respond according to their re-  
sources, and the spirit they have mani-  
fested cannot help but build a large  
city."

Referring to the enormous diversity  
of natural resources and their immen-  
sity, brought to his mind that one of  
the greatest of coal fields lies within  
fifty-three miles of Wichita Falls and  
(Continued on Page 4.)

## FAMISHED DOGS ATTACK VICTIMS

By Associated Press.

Messina, Jan. 6.—Dogs now consti-  
tute a danger to the earthquake refu-  
gees. These animals, starving and of-  
ten rabid through lack of water, gnaw  
the corpses like hyenas and frequen-  
tly attack the refugees themselves.

Among the wounded who left Paler-  
mo last night was a young man whose  
eyes and right cheek were horribly in-  
flicted by dogs. After the earthquake  
he was buried in the debris up to his  
neck and while thus unable to move,  
he was attacked by the dogs and seri-  
ously hurt before his cries attracted  
help.

Coffman is ill.  
Special to the Times.

McKinney, Tex., Jan. 6.—Former  
Constable Louis Coffman, who is in  
jail here, charged with the murder of  
his wife, is ill with fever today and is  
being attended by two physicians. The  
wound in his hand is healing. He re-  
fuses to make any further statement  
than that his wife killed herself.

Corn Crop Short in Hunt County.

Mr. B. J. Hopson, a prominent busi-  
ness man of Wolfe City, Hunt county,  
was here today for the purpose of buy-  
ing twenty-five or thirty carloads of  
corn with which to supply farmers  
in his town. He says that little  
corn was made in Hunt County last  
year—not more than half the amount  
required to feed stock, but says a good  
portion of which was marketed at an  
average price of 9 cents.

## THE RED LIGHTS GO OUT ON MULBERRY

The red lights have gone out on Mul-  
berry row, and the females of easy  
virtue who held their residence in  
Wichita Falls "necro" are reported to  
have again shaken the dust of the city  
from their feet and have gone. It is  
promised this time, never to return.

Some eight or nine indictments were  
returned by the grand jury at its last  
session against women of the resort  
district charging them with keeping  
"disorderly houses." The cases were  
set for trial in the county court at 9  
o'clock this morning, but in the mean-  
time the defendants were given to un-  
derstand that if they left the city and  
did not put in an appearance that no  
effort would be made to bring them  
back for trial and that the cases  
against them would be dropped.

When the cases were called this  
morning none of the defendants an-  
swered and it is said that all have left  
the city.

Both the county and city authorities  
are working hand in hand to suppress  
the bawdy houses and from the deter-  
mined manner in which they are go-  
ing about the matter, it can be believ-  
ed that their absence will be longer  
than between the span of a lifetime  
which have been experienced at former  
times.

Cox & Snyder have commenced work  
on a new two-story residence for W. W.  
Brown at the corner of Twelfth and  
Grace streets.

## WILL ASK COUNCIL FOR A FRANCHISE

MEETING OF COUNCIL THIS AF-  
TERNOON TO CONSIDER A  
FRANCHISE GRANT.

## A STREET CAR SYSTEM

Judge Edgar Scurry, and Associates are  
Seeking A Franchise For An  
Electric Railway.

A special meeting of the city council  
is called for this afternoon at 4 o'clock,  
when it is understood that a franchise  
for an electric street railway will be  
asked.

Judge Edgar Scurry is said to be the  
applicant for the franchise, but who  
are his associates has not been made  
public.

It is understood, however, that the  
parties behind Mr. Scurry are amply  
able in a financial way, to build an  
electric street railway system here and  
that they will do so, as soon as they  
can secure a satisfactory franchise, and  
perfect other arrangements.

WALTERS PEOPLE WILL  
ASK COUNTY DIVISION.

Walter, Ok., Jan. 4.—To counteract  
the movement upon the part of Temple  
to divide the county court of Comanche  
county, holding half of the sessions at  
Temple, petitions are being circulated  
here asking Governor Haskell to issue  
a call for an election to form a new  
county, of which Walter is ambitious to  
become the county seat.

The petitions propose to cut off the  
south end of Comanche county six  
miles below the base line and to take  
a row of government townships from  
the east side of Tillman county. Wal-  
ter is situated just two miles east of  
the center of the proposed county east  
and west and six miles from the north  
line. The petitions are being general-  
ly signed, but the people outside of the  
towns are taking very little interest in  
the movement.—Lawton Constitution-  
Democrat.

Among the farmers who are mem-  
bers of the Chamber of Commerce of  
this city is Mr. J. W. Henderson, who  
dropped into the Times office this  
morning to renew his subscription to  
the Times. Mr. Henderson attended the  
banquet given last night by the Cham-  
ber of Commerce and enjoyed the  
feast as well as other features of the  
meeting, but says he enjoys reading  
in the Times of the many new enter-  
prises that have already been secured,  
more than those that are now in con-  
templation.

A New Line Into Mexico.

By Associated Press.  
El Paso, Tex., Jan. 6.—Advices from  
New York say that Harriman has de-  
cided to extend his new line from the  
Southern Pacific into Mexico, begin-  
ning at a point east of El Paso. The  
new road will tap the oil fields and the  
timber region. Two Mexican governors  
and W. R. Hearst are supporting the  
project.

Discusses Leather Tariff.

Sherman, Tex., Jan. 6.—Congress-  
man Randall, in discussing the tariff  
fight here today, said that leather and  
leather products should be placed upon  
the free list in which event hides would  
go on the free list. He added that if  
the tariff were retained on leather it  
would also be retained on hides.

Brown Succeeds Newman.

New York, Jan. 6.—W. C. Brown,  
formerly vice president of the New  
York Central, today was elected pres-  
ident of the New York Central and  
Hudson River railroad company, suc-  
ceeding W. H. Newman.

J. W. Stone and S. T. Sealing sold to  
Trevathan & Bland this morning lot 4  
in block 175, 50x150 feet on Indiana  
avenue. Consideration, \$7,000. The  
purchasers expect to put up a one-story  
brick building on the lot in the near  
future.

## FIRST RAIL LAID ON NEW RAILROAD

Special to the Times.  
Abilene, Tex., Jan. 6.—The first steel  
on the Abilene and Southern railroad  
was laid here this morning. This road  
will go to Ballinger. The grading is al-  
most completed to Winters. Morgan  
Jones, builder of the line, witnessed the  
driving of the first spike.



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## A FATAL CARD.

How It Killed the Religious Depart-  
ment of the London Times.

When the Thunderer decided to de-  
vote one or more of its columns daily  
to an ecclesiastical department all Eng-  
land sat up and admired. The man  
chosen to conduct the column was a  
rather elderly and occasionally con-  
vivial younger son who for years had  
contributed church news to the paper,  
but had never dreamed that he should  
attain the extreme honor of actually  
becoming one of the editors of the  
Thunderer, that world-slaking power.  
The promotion went to his head, made  
him dizzy. He saw himself a power  
in the land, one who perhaps would  
make or unmake ecclesiastical dig-  
nities.

On the morning of the announcement  
of the new venture the new incumbent  
came into town on his usual train from  
Sorbition, his head swimming with de-  
light. At the foot of Ludgate hill he  
met an old friend, whom he forthwith  
led into the Green Dragon bar.

"Arthur," said he, "we really must  
celebrate. What d'you suppose has  
happened? Oh, you'd never, never  
dream it! Look! What d'you say to  
that, old boy?"

"That" was a newly engraved card  
on which appeared this announcement:  
MR. CECIL APPELEY BOTSFORD-  
HETHERINGTON,  
Ecclesiastical Editor, The Thunderer.

"My word, old chap, it's the most de-  
lightful news I've heard in an age!"  
cried his friend. "Let's have just one  
more. Here's to you! Success!"

Before he reached Temple Bar the  
ecclesiastical editor had met five other  
friends. To the fifth he observed:

"D'ye know, Ned, with that card I  
could call on the archbishop of Can-  
terbury. Yes, He'd see me immedi-  
ately. Won't he? Look! This indicates pos-  
sibility of extraordinary responsibility 'n'  
dignity."

Halfway to the office of the Thunder-  
er Mr. Botsford-Hetherington halted a  
hansom.

"Have you," he inquired, with much  
gravity, "have you a fast and well ap-  
pointed cab? Yes? Very well, then,  
You may drive me to Lambeth palace."

At the palace a footman took one of  
the new cards and conducted the owner  
of it to a pleasant reception room,  
where he snuggled in a vast chair and  
instantly went to sleep.

The archbishop of Canterbury hap-  
pened to be very busy with his chap-  
lain, but at the sight of the card he  
felt sure that something of importance  
was at hand and sent his chaplain to  
inquire. That tall, slender, dark, ascet-  
ic gentleman strode slowly to the re-  
ception room and after a slight but  
decorous struggle succeeded in waking  
the caller.

"His grace," said the chaplain, "begs  
to know how he can serve the Thun-  
derer?"

"Tell his grace," responded Mr. Bots-  
ford-Hetherington, "that I'm awfully  
busy thinking and I'm sorry I shan't  
be able to see him till tomorrow. Very  
sorry."

Forthwith he relapsed into slumber.  
Two sturdy men deposited him in his  
fast and well appointed cab and or-  
dered the driver to deliver him at the of-  
fice of the Thunderer. There the ec-  
clesiastical editor and the ecclesiastical  
department simultaneously vanished.—  
Harper's Weekly.

## Truth Versus Politeness.

Ethel was going to take supper with  
a little friend.

"Now, dear," said her mother, "when  
you are leaving you must bid Marian's  
mamma good night and tell her you  
have had a very pleasant time."

When the little girl returned her  
mother asked if she had done as she  
told her.

"Not exactly, mamma," was the re-  
ply. "Marian took the biggest piece of  
the apple and spilled lemonade on my  
new dress, so I couldn't say what you  
told me, but I told her mother good  
night and said I guessed Marian had  
had a very pleasant time."—Judge.

## Called Him In Writing.

A tourist in an out of the way re-  
gion of England put up one night at  
an amiable old lady's cottage, the vil-  
lage inn being full. Now, the tourist  
was very deaf, which fact he took  
pains to impress upon the old lady, to-  
gether with instructions to wake him  
at a particular hour in the morning.  
On waking a good deal later than the  
time appointed he found that the ami-  
able old lady, with commendable re-  
gard for propriety, had slipped under  
his door a slip of paper on which was  
written:

"Sir, it is half past 8!"—Harper's  
Weekly.

## Her Husband's Business.

"Now, madam," said the gas man  
with the gray curl in the middle of his  
forehead after he had asked her twenty  
questions more or less apropos of  
her application for the privilege of  
paying for gas, "what is your hus-  
band's business? What is he doing  
now?"

"I can't be sure, of course," the wo-  
man replied, "but I have my suspi-  
cions. I had to divorce him before he  
died."—New York Press.

## A Stinging Retort.

Wax Bead (proudly): I am going in  
a necklace which I am assured cannot  
be told from real pearls. Brass Ring  
(sarcasmically)—Aw, they're stringing  
you.—Baltimore American.

## As a Caution.

Weeks—The true American always  
saves the under dog in the fight. Wise  
—Yes, and then gives him a swift kick  
for being chump enough to get into it.  
—Boston Transcript.

In infants levity is a prettiness, in  
men grown a shameful defect, but in  
old age a monstrous folly.

## With Grateful— Appreciation

## To the Many Good People

Who have during the year 1908 enrolled themselves on our  
list of customers and to those who have honored us with  
their patronage through the earlier years, we pledge you  
our very best efforts to continue to conduct our business in  
such a manner as to maintain your respect and confidence.  
¶ We are just closing the most satisfactory years business  
in our history. We have exceeded our own expectations,  
and to the loyalty of our many customers we owe it all.  
¶ The coming year opens with conditions favoring renewed  
prosperity and increased business to those who prepare to  
meet it. We are satisfied that the collection of goods we  
offer contains the choicest assortment of merchandise found  
in this part of the glorious state. With full confidence of  
being able to please you better for the year 1909 than we  
have in the past, we solicit your valued patronage and wish  
one and all a

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$149,858.88	Capital Stock	\$75,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,395.88	Surplus	3,750.00
Cash on hand		Undivided Profits	4,467.70
In bank	\$26,363.97	Deposits	139,030.81
In other banks	41,629.78	Bills Payable	NONE
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$222,248.51</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$222,248.51</b>

The above is correct

T. C. THATCHER,

Cashier.

Deposits September 23, 1908	\$ 70,549.92
Deposits November 27, 1908	109,190.47
Deposits December 31, 1908	139,030.81

## FIGHT ON FOR SPEAKERSHIP.

Eight Candidates After Place in Nebraska House.

Lincoln, Neb., January 4.—The Nebraska Legislature will meet at noon Tuesday for its thirty-first session, and practically all the members tonight are in the city preparatory to the caucus to be held tomorrow night. Both houses will be controlled by the Democrats, the House by the pronounced majority of sixty-nine Democrats to thirty-one Republicans, and the Senate by nineteen to fourteen.

There is a spirited contest among the Democrats for the House speakership, with eight candidates for the honor in the field, and with the strength of three or four so nearly equal as to make a protracted session of tomorrow night's caucus probable. The Republicans will probably give their complimentary votes for speaker to Daniel M. Nettleton of Clay County, speaker of the last House.

Of chief interest in the way of legislation, and closely allied with the speakership contest are the questions of a bank deposit guarantee law and

a equity option bill, for which will be introduced early in the session. The majority members are divided on both questions, particularly on the matter of county option, and it is said a majority of the Democrats are opposed to it. On the bank deposit guarantee bill, the advice of conference with W. J. Bryan will be required, and probably followed in drafting its main provisions. The inauguration of Governor-elect Shallenberger will occur Thursday.

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## THE DRUG FIEND.

Hashish Makes Its Slave Utterly Useless For Any Service.

One of the drugs that are most striking in their effects is hashish, or Cannabis indica, largely taken in Asiatic countries, where it is used by itself to meet its votaries. Its chief peculiarity is to make one believe with all his might whatever is suggested to him.

If he is an Arab, tell him that he is a sultan, and straightaway he orders heads to be cut off. Tell him he is a rooster, and he will crow. I knew of two Americans who experimented on themselves, and when the first was told that he was like a locomotive he snorted and whistled and kept going round the table puffing and blowing until he dropped from sheer fatigue.

The other somehow conceived the idea that he was dead and forthwith gave elaborate directions for his own funeral till he waxed wroth at the unseemly mirth of his companions when they should have wept.

Hashish makes its slave utterly useless for any service, and so with the other drugs. Their victims one and all end in becoming do-nothings. Self made do-nothings, or those who are so by drug taking, are much worse than useless.

As they usually do not begin till as adults they reach the working period of life, they become wretched-burden on the real workers, since our social system lacks any constitutional enactment whereby, as occurs in a community of bees, the workers systematically put their drones to death.

The opium fiend from long living in an unreal world becomes transformed into the most all round liar in the land, the very embodiment of untruth. One of them victimized me with a loan that he might go and close the eyes of his dying mother when her eyes needed no such closing for years afterward.

Another sent from a western city to his wife a telegram which purported to come from an undertaker demanding money to pay for shipping his body home. This money, when it came, he, and unfortunately no undertaker, pocketed and then went his way.

We all know what the confirmed drunkard becomes, but not till the judgment day will the whole story be known of the griefs and tears of the innocent ones whom the drunkard made to suffer while he was here. Everybody's Magazine.

## AVERTED A TRAGEDY.

Nerve Displayed by Daniel O'Connell at a Critical Moment.

Daniel O'Connell, the famous Irish agitator, had a contempt for physical danger. On a certain occasion a meeting had been convened, and a large crowd assembled in a room on the first floor of a building in a small city in Ireland.

O'Connell was about to address the people when a gentleman, pale with fear, made his way to the platform and hoarsely whispered:

"Liberator, the floor is giving way! The beams that shore it up are cracking, and we shall fall through in a few minutes!"

"Keep silent," said O'Connell. Then, raising his voice, he addressed the assembly:

"I find that the room is too small to contain the number who desire to come in, so we must leave it and hold the meeting outside the building."

At this a few rose and went out, but the majority retained their seats. Then O'Connell said:

"I will tell you the truth. You are Irishmen, therefore brave men. The floor is giving way, and we must leave this room at once. If there is a panic and a rush to the door we shall all be precipitated into the room below, but if you obey my orders we shall be saved. Let the twelve men nearest the door go quietly out, then the next twelve, and so on till all have gone. I shall be the last to leave."

His instructions were obeyed to the letter, and he waited, patient and calm, till all had gone out in safety. Then he walked quietly across the sundering, cracking floor, reaching the door just as the shattered beams gave way. And thus, by the force of his strong will, a terrible accident was averted.

## His Glorious Victory.

The commanding officer had surprised the young lieutenant and his daughter trying to occupy the same chair.

The lieutenant sprang to his feet and saluted.

"Sir," he said, "I have the honor to report an engagement at close quarters in which I have been entirely victorious. It now merely remains for you to give your sanction to the terms of surrender."—London Scraps.

## Influence of Pluck.

The blindest, the most purely instinctive, effect of mere pluck has a lifting power and deserves our thankful admiration. Every degree and every form of courage tends to raise the whole tone of life within the range of its influence in proportion to the amount and the quality of the endurance exercised.—Hilbert Journal.

## His Phenomenal Luck.

"You say he is lucky?"  
"You bet."  
"In what does his luck consist?"  
"Marriage; you see, is his hobby."  
"Well?"  
"Every woman he marries gets a divorce."

## Wooden.

Tenement Teske.—And de novel says de heroine had a willowy form, used to pine for her lover and would spruce up when she seen him coming froo de gate. Shanty Sue—Gee, where did she work—in a sawmill?—Exchange.

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## STARVING THEY FIGHT FOR FOOD

Correspondent Describes Situation in  
Stricken Reggio.

London, January 4.—A correspond-  
ent at Reggio, in describing the situ-  
ation there, says:

"I have witnessed shocking episodes  
enacted by famished survivors, and  
have myself felt the pangs of hunger.  
For long hours I had nothing to eat  
except a few lemon rinds picked from  
the mud, and I sought desperately for  
a morsel of bread. I came across a  
man who held in his hand half a roll  
which he had found among the ruins.  
I offered him large sums for even a  
small portion of it. He glared at me  
with wild eyes, clutched me compul-  
sively and threw me from him. Then  
he rushed off like one possessed, car-  
rying the precious bread with him.

"On approaching the military au-  
thorities I was sent to a place among  
the ruins where a municipal assessor,  
surrounded by a howling mob, was dis-  
tributing tickets for bread and raw  
meat. A desperate struggle was go-  
ing on. The troops, themselves hun-  
gry, were unable to restrain the fam-  
ished throng. Soon the crowd got ab-  
solutely beyond control and the assess-  
or was thrown down and in the crush  
his arm was broken. Then what a  
task to distribute the small portions  
of food corresponding to the various  
tickets. The soldiers had requisitioned  
a few oxen, horses and donkeys, lean  
wounded and dying animals, which  
were hurried to the beach, slaughtered  
and cut up with bayonets. The pieces  
were distributed among the people,  
who were with difficulty kept back  
by soldiers with rifles. No sooner was  
one piece, still warm, received, than  
it was torn to shreds by ten eager  
mouths, and people struggled on the  
ground for any morsels that fell.

"When Deputy Camagna appeared  
on the scene the starved people  
crowded around him shouting, 'You  
who are in authority, tell the govern-  
ment to take us away from here or  
have us all shot to end our suffering.'

"What remains of Reggio presents  
a strange aspect at night. The sur-  
vivors are sleeping under canvas in  
Marina street, the Corso Garibaldi  
and about the railway station, or are  
blousing round great fires under the  
moon, which sheds its clear light on  
the fantastic ruins. From time to  
time reports of revolver and rifle shots  
are heard as soldiers on patrol fire on  
anybody who is seen wandering about  
the ruins in a suspicious manner. Un-  
happily, this is the only means of re-  
straining looters from pillaging what  
remains of the houses of the rich.  
Some of the people are becoming dis-  
couraged because they believe the na-  
tion will not help them. They reason  
thus: 'We have had exaggerated dam-  
age done by previous earthquakes, and  
now, although the disaster is immense,  
nobody will believe us. It is the fault  
of the boy crying wolf over again.'



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our jewelry to make buyers of them.

*Ad. Tonville*  
JEWELER

## ANNUAL BANQUET OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(Continued From Page 1.)

was connected with this city through  
the enterprise of its city builders.

B. J. Bean sounded the keynote of  
the evening when he said: "When this  
city has attained from 75,000 to 100,  
000 population, it will be gratifying to  
me to be able to say that I have done,  
as far as I could, in assisting in the  
upbuilding of our city."

Mr. J. B. Hawley, former city en-  
gineer of Fort Worth, responded to the  
toast of "Street Paving" and said that  
the statements of Judge Carrigan,  
which he had listened to, were more  
than conservative and that he could  
not add a great deal more to the full-  
ness of that report.

Mr. G. J. Gibbs of Vernon made a  
happy talk, in which he remarked that  
when a man from Wichita Falls stepped  
off the train at Vernon the citizens  
of Vernon immediately called a com-  
mittee meeting to wait on the gentle-  
man and see what he was after. He re-  
ferred to the Xmas cartoon of the Tel-  
egram, in which Wichita Falls was  
characterized as saying: "Santa, just  
give us a chance and we will get what  
we want." This spirit, he says, was  
known throughout the length and  
breadth of the Panhandle and could do  
no other than to build a large city.

Secretary F. H. Gohlke, in response  
to calls, took occasion to say that when  
a man had adopted publicly work as a  
vocation and entered a new field he  
had some cause to worry about the suc-  
cess of his efforts or failure at one  
point had a bearing on his future work.  
This condition, while sometimes the  
fault of the spirit of the community,  
did not in this instance give him any  
opportunity for uneasiness, as since he  
had become acquainted with the citi-  
zenship of Wichita Falls and the city's  
concrete resources he felt at ease over  
the future which had been pictured at  
the meeting and that the enthusiasm  
manifested would only spur him on to  
increased efforts.

Mr. E. B. Carver of Archer City gave  
a toast: "Here's to Kemp and Kell,  
who are doers. Here's to the Chamber  
of Commerce, and here's to the best  
city west of the Mississippi river—  
Wichita Falls."

Messrs. W. E. Forgy and J. D. Pow-  
ell of Archer City, J. W. Groves of Ol-  
ney, W. G. Thompson of Nacogdoches,  
Sam Sealing of Dundee, Henry Williams  
of Newcastle, H. B. Hines and W. B.  
Ferguson of Iowa Park responded in  
flattering tones of the spirit of Wich-  
ita Falls, which they had had the pleas-  
ure to witness and would carry home  
with them convictions that nothing  
could grow in the way of carrying  
forward this city of fortunate location  
and resources.

Chief Engineer Thompson of the  
Wichita Falls Route congratulated him-  
self in casting his fortune with some  
of the citizens of Wichita Falls and  
said that some of the plans which were  
being prepared by himself for ultimate  
railroad extensions would have an im-  
portant bearing on the future develop-  
ment of this city.

J. E. Huff of Kansas City and Wich-  
ita Falls said that he often marveled  
at the growth of Wichita Falls, but  
since he had occasion by his presence  
to witness the reason he had little room  
for astonishment.

Mr. Mathis proposed that Captain  
Paddock of Fort Worth be voted a title  
of honorary membership in the Wich-  
ita Falls Chamber of Commerce, which  
question was put by Toastmaster Kemp  
and was unanimously concurred in by  
the membership. Captain Paddock in  
response said that an honorary mem-  
bership in the Wichita Falls Chamber  
of Commerce and the wonderful co-op-  
erative and generous spirit manifest-  
ed at the evening's sessions was an in-  
spiration to him and that he would  
have to go home and gather his people  
together and build a fire under them so  
his aggregation of world-beaters would  
not be outclassed by Wichita Falls.

C. C. Huff moved that a rising vote  
of thanks be extended Messrs. Kemp  
and Kell for the impetus they had given  
to the city by their very generous sup-  
port of all leading issues and having  
the Chamber of Commerce as their  
guests on this occasion. Messrs. Kemp  
and Kell responded to this evidence of  
good will in complimentary terms of  
the citizens who had stood by them in  
their efforts.

The Directors' Meeting.  
The directors of the Chamber of  
Commerce, who were re-elected for the  
ensuing year, met this morning for or-  
ganization and elected R. E. Huff as  
president, Frank Kell as first vice pres-  
ident, Chas. W. Bean as second vice  
president, W. L. Robertson as treas-  
urer and F. H. Gohlke as secretary.

A number of important matters were  
taken under consideration and commit-  
tees appointed to present the matters  
in shape so that tangible results can  
be secured. Messrs. Bean, Taylor and  
Anderson were appointed a committee  
to consult with Mr. Bahan, owner of  
the gas franchise in this city, for per-  
flecting on lighting the streets of the  
city with gas.

The more any one knows of the  
benefits of gas, the more they will  
use it in the city in connection with the

building of a union depot at Wichita  
Falls.

Messrs. Frank Kell, Miles O'Reilly  
and Judge Carrigan were appointed a  
committee to take under advisement  
the matter of paving the streets in the  
business section at an early date.

It was decided that sidewalks should  
be placed where needed, especially in  
the gaps where some property holders  
would not comply with the general im-  
provement as undertaken by their  
neighbors. R. E. Huff and J. A. Kemp  
were appointed a committee to confer  
with the city council and the city at-  
torney on the matter and to urge the  
council to make an appropriation to  
cover the cost of the sidewalks where  
needed and to sue the delinquents.

Messrs. R. E. Huff, A. A. Hughes and  
J. T. Montgomery were appointed a  
committee to go into the status of the  
legality of the question of building a  
high school on the site of the city park  
and also to report on the ability of the  
community to provide further school  
facilities which are badly needed.

Mr. Bean and Secretary Gohlke were  
instructed to present an estimate of the  
cost of sending a stereopticon exhibit  
into the central states for the purpose  
of running special excursions to this  
city.

The secretary was authorized to car-  
ry out his recommendations for having  
the membership pledges collected  
through the banks, thus relieving the  
office of a great deal of work which  
could be more profitably employed in  
other ways.

All of the directors were present,  
except Messrs. Blair and W. Lee Moore  
who were absent from the city. The di-  
rectors appreciate the responsibility  
placed upon them in carrying out the  
policies of the association and have en-  
tered into the volume of work before  
them with a vim.

Just received a fresh shipment of  
Bayle's chip potatoes. Sherrod & Co.  
Phone 177. 186-17

Adam had cause to remember his  
first New Year's Eve for many a day.

For good gies, use Empson's pump-  
kin. King & White have it. 178-17

If you have a new leaf to turn pre-  
pare to turn it now.



### THE LAP OF LUXURY

is here displayed—a basketful of the  
Finest Groceries

Obtainable—a complete stock, fresh  
appetizing and at prices that mean a  
weekly saving to the family purse-  
bearer. Coffee and Tea fit for the  
gods, Jams, Canned Goods, wholesome  
Flour, Pickles that please—everything  
to gladden the heart of the apprecia-  
tive housekeeper. The mistake of a  
lifetime to pass our door.

## Sherrod & Co.

811 Indiana avenue. Phone 177

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ERS AND DECORATORS

Especially attention to  
Graining, Kalsomining,  
Staining, Enameling  
and all first class work.  
Give us a trial; all work  
guaranteed. Also mak-  
ers and users of

Benson's Superior  
Wood Stains

Not only as good, but  
better than any on the  
market. Estimates  
cheerfully furnished on  
all work.

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Wichita Falls, Texas

# Wichita Theatre

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JAN. 6TH

Adelaide  
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AN AMERICAN COMEDY  
OF MODERN LIFE

The  
Woman's  
Hour

By  
FREDERICK PAULDING.

Cast of Superior Excel-  
lence. Complete Scenic  
Production. Comedy of  
Wit, Merit and Strength.

Management.  
FRANCIS X. HOPE.

PRICES—25c to \$1.50.

## COMING

Saturday Night January 9th—"Uncle Josh Perkins."

# OVER THE WISHBONE

CHRISTMAS has come and gone and the New Year is  
here. We made a resolution last year which was to  
this effect. To make our goods and services so valu-  
able that the housekeepers who patronized our store  
would not only become customers of ours but would  
tell others.

While we did not make this resolution known generally  
we have kept it perfectly and our new store is the result. To  
say we are greatly pleased is putting it mildly and in appreci-  
ation of the reception our efforts have met we are going to  
make that resolution public this year, and improve our servi-  
ce in general whenever possible.

We want you to do us the favor of reporting any mistakes  
that may creep into our services. We do make mistakes al-  
though they are never intentional and we are always anxious  
to rectify them when we know about them. We have no  
greater or better wish for ourselves than that we can please  
you perfectly in the grocery and dry goods line, and we have  
no better wish for you than that you shall be happy in every-  
thing that you are getting the best the city affords.

## Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman



# A. R. DUKE

## AND COMPANY

### The Conover Piano

Listen to What One of  
Your Citizens Have to Say

K. O. Williams Music Co.,  
Wichita Falls, Texas.  
The beautiful Mahogany Pi-  
ano I have just purchased from  
you is without doubt a perfect  
gem. The tone is even, pure  
and sweet, the action is perfect  
and evenly balanced. Person-  
ally I am delighted to recom-  
mend your piano and method of  
doing business.

MRS. GEORGE WIGMAN.

ON DISPLAY AT  
**K. O. Williams Music Store**  
THE ONE-PRICE PIANO STORE.  
In Front of Postoffice Wichita Falls, Texas.

Thanking our many patrons for the business entrusted  
to us during the year 1907, and with

**BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR**

WE ARE,  
RESPECTFULLY,  
721 Indiana Ave., Phone 87.  
**Anderson & Patterson**  
Insurance, Real Estate and Rental Agents.

Hot and Cold Baths.  
Polite Attention.

Competent Workmen.  
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A watch, when out of order, should  
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tation and ability to put it right, and  
not entrusted to any promiscuous  
craftsman. We employ none but thor-  
oughly competent workmen, and guar-  
antee you first class repairing in any  
department. Our assortment of watch-  
es is very complete and our prices very  
reasonable.

**BURGESS & WAITS**

**HOOPER**  
IS THE BEST  
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In "THE BEST BUILT  
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**IMPERIAL BARBER  
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Always in the lead with the best  
workmen in the city, and our baths are  
Salt Glo, Vapor Massage, Shower and  
Plum Tub. The best service for your  
money is our motto. We want your  
business.

**T. M. SIMS**

712 Indiana Ave.

### WANT ADS.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for  
light housekeeping. 1011 Indiana ave-  
nue. 203-31p

FOR SALE—One Shetland pony. See  
Mark Walker at First National Bank.  
198-1f

WANTED—A good cook and house girl  
at once. 1204 Travis avenue. Phone  
506.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light  
housekeeping. 311 Tenth street.  
204-31p

WANTED—To rent two or three un-  
furnished rooms. Address P. O. Box  
293. 206-1f

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5-room house  
in suitable location. Must be modern.  
Address A, care Times. 204-31p

LOST—Schultz trade mark watch fob.  
Finder return to People's Ice Company  
and receive reward. 202-31c

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close  
in. Bath, lights and phone. 811 In-  
diana avenue. Phone 145. 203-1f

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for  
light housekeeping. 1011 Indiana ave-  
nue. 203-61c

FOR SALE—Choice residence lots.  
Will build house on monthly payments  
where all cash is paid for lots. See  
Kitt Cowan, 607 Lamar ave. 206-61p

WANTED—Young business man, of  
good address wants position as clerk,  
collector or collector. Able, industrious  
and sober. Address C, care Times.  
205-31p

LOST—A new overcoat made by  
M. Born. Has Olney townsite map in  
coat pocket. Will pay a reward of  
\$5 for return of same to the Times of-  
fice. 204-21p

FOR SALE—A good farm. Will sell  
all or any part, from 40 acres up.  
Terms, part cash, balance secured by  
good security or city property. In-  
quire or address Mrs. E. S. Bigger.  
187-1f

FOR SALE—All the notes, and ac-  
counts of the Wichita Falls Implement  
Co. Anyone wishing to buy them can  
see them by calling at my office or get  
particulars by calling me up at phone  
No. 590. Edgar Scurry, receiver. 204-1f

LOST—On the evening of Dec. 29th a  
check book on First National bank  
containing three ten-dollar bills, one  
two-dollar bill and five bills on R. T.  
Pickett for \$9.25 in favor of R. H.  
Clark. Will pay reasonable reward for  
return to R. T. Pickett. 202-41p

FOR SALE—I have for sale a number  
of fat hogs which I will slaughter the  
first cold spell. Will deliver them to  
anyone in Wichita Falls for 7 1/2 cents  
per pound. Address C. Dean, R. F. D.  
No. 2, Wichita Falls. 200-101c

FOR SALE—Twenty residence lots one  
block from High School building on  
Holliday avenue between 14th and 15th  
streets. \$25.00 cash and \$10 per month.  
Apply in person or by phone, for map  
and prices. N. Henderson, owner.  
198-1f

FOR RENT—Forty acres of irrigated  
land one mile from corporate limits.  
Splendid new five-room house with  
hall, cistern, barn, hog shed, three hog  
pastures. An ideal home and place for  
fruit and truck raising, hogs and poultry.  
Good team young mules, harness,  
wagon, etc., for sale. For particulars  
see or phone C. W. Bean, Room 7 Moore-  
Bateman building. 204-1f

GOMPERS' IN LETTER SAYS  
PEOPLE ARE WITH HIM.

President of A. F. of L. Confident Prin-  
cipal Candidate for Will Be  
Restored.

New York, January 5.—At a meet-  
ing of the Central Federated Union  
there was read a letter received from  
Samuel Gompers, commenting for the  
first time on the prison sentence im-  
posed upon John Mitchell, Frank Mor-  
rison and myself for alleged contempt  
of court. Mr. Gompers' letter follows:  
"Permit me to thank you for your  
message. Many workers and fellow  
workers and sympathizers in all walks  
of life have also telegraphed and  
written to me, and while I would like  
to reply to each one, yet I find it im-  
possible to carry in a letter all that  
I wish to say."

There is a making the acknowl-  
edgment of your message, to say,  
from the many communications of this  
character which have been sent to  
me, I believe I am right in saying the  
great mass of the liberty-loving Amer-  
ican people are with John Mitchell,  
Frank Morrison and me at this cru-  
cial time, in the effort we have made  
and are making to maintain the prin-  
ciple of justice and right and the  
constitutional guarantee of freedom of  
speech and of the press.

Regardless of results we are con-  
fident that the principle for which we  
contend—and for which we may suffer  
—will be restored, maintained, and  
permanently guaranteed to all our  
people, the workers included. Tem-  
porary inconvenience or suffering of  
any one, or of a few men, is of lesser  
importance than the establishment of

### WHISKEY NOT SNAKE BITE CURE.

It's a mistake about whisky being a  
cure for snake bites. E. T. Baruch,  
an expert on snakes and snake bites,  
says so.

Whisky may be all right for bad  
colds, weak hearts and other ailments,  
Baruch said, but it's a mistake to use  
it for snake bites. When a person  
has been bitten by a poisonous snake,  
every precaution should be taken to  
prevent the venom from being dis-  
tributed through the body by the blood.  
Whisky is a stimulant and it increases  
the circulation of the blood and thus  
facilitates the distribution of the poi-  
son through the body.

I believe that in many instances  
where persons have been bitten on  
poisonous snakes and died that they  
would have survived had they not used  
whisky. Sometimes two poisons will  
counteract each other, but this is not  
true in the case of whisky and snake  
venom.

Three things I always carry with  
me when I am hunting poisonous  
snakes: A sharp pointed knife, a  
stick of caustic and some strong cord.  
If I am bitten on the leg I at once  
bind the leg with the cord above the  
wound and then use the sharp pointed  
knife and the caustic. This is a much  
safer method than drinking a quart  
of whisky.

After two years of snake hunting in  
the West, Baruch returned to Kan-  
sas City, where he formerly was em-  
ployed. He lives at 501A Park ave-  
nue.

Baruch said that he has been inter-  
ested in snakes ever since he can re-  
member being interested in anything.  
Snakes were his playthings when he  
was a small boy. He would go into  
the fields, find a snake and lie down  
on the ground and watch its actions  
for hours. He carried harmless snakes  
around in his coat pockets. Now he  
makes a living out of the snake busi-  
ness.

Baruch is a killer of snakes and  
manufacturer of snakeskin waistcoats,  
hat bands, scarfs, cigar cases and  
pocketbooks. He deals in venom, rat-  
tlesnake oil and sells mounted skele-  
tons to museums.

I'm always behind in filling my or-  
ders for snakeskin novelties, he said.  
A waistcoat made of rattlesnake hides  
and ornamented with the rattlesnake  
for about \$25. Waistcoats made from  
the hides of nonpoisonous snakes sell  
for less money.

It requires from one to three weeks  
to train a snake hide properly. I kill  
the snakes and manufacture all the no-  
velties I sell. It is a difficult task to  
mount a snake skeleton properly.

A rattlesnake yields about two drops  
of venom. It requires about 200 rat-  
tlesnakes to yield an ounce of venom.  
One rattlesnake has about one-half  
ounce of oil. It sells for \$2.50 to \$5  
an ounce, according to the quality.

Snakes are the most dangerous in  
July and August when they are moon-  
eyed. In winter time when snakes  
are hibernating they shrink from three  
to six inches in length. The hides  
of snakes are the most valuable and  
are the easiest tanned when the snakes  
are killed immediately after they shed  
in the late summer.

Baruch has traveled with various  
snake shows and he is able to "expose"  
the tricks of the snake charmers.

The billing of the snake's head act  
and other similar stunts of snake  
charmers are fakes, Baruch said. All  
of them are accomplished by slight  
of hand. Kansas City Star.



25c to \$2

A Guaranteed  
Pocket Knife

Have 150 patterns to select  
from. Full line shears and  
scissors. Two pair given in ex-  
change for every faulty pair  
returned. Everything in Hard-  
ware.

**Maxwell's Hardware**  
721 OHIO AVENUE.

equal justice to all the people of our  
republic.

Under the circumstances, and in  
view of my many duties, you will real-  
ize the impossibility of my dealing  
more fully with this subject in this  
communication.

WANTED—Subscribers for the Times.

### Pay for What You Get

and insist on getting what you pay for.  
We do not lay claim to doing the cheap-  
est work, but we do claim that our  
work is as good as the best.

It has been truly said that "poor  
work and cheap work go hand in  
hand." If we do not do your work we  
both lose.

We assure you that we understand  
our trade. Ere we came here we work-  
ed two weeks for a Barbed Wire Fence  
Company.

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### Brown & Cranmer

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MATERIAL AND GEN-  
ERAL CONTRACTORS

NO TROUBLE  
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SUNSHINE ON THE ROAD

that leads to where good things to eat  
are to be had—

FANCY CAKES AND PIES

that top off a meal with delightful sat-  
isfaction. Home-made affairs have gone  
way back and set down since our bak-  
ery proved its value. The public has  
shut its ovens and surrendered to bak-  
ings that add to its health, happiness  
and the family purse. That's why our  
bakery is always crowded. Have you  
given us a trial yet?

**CITY BAKERY**

703 Indiana Avenue.

**Gus. S. Landman**  
**ELECTRICIAN**

No job too small or  
too large for me to  
handle efficiently.

House wiring a spec-  
ialty. All kinds of  
electrical supplies  
carried in stock.

809 Indiana Ave.

Phone 33. Wichita Falls



# GREAT COST SALE

**F**OR TEN DAYS before invoicing, we will offer our entire stock of goods at cost for cash. This sale will begin Saturday, January 2nd, 1909. And continue for ten days. This is the first sale of this kind we have made in six years. It is a well known fact that we carry the highest grade merchandise of any house outside the largest cities. This is an opportunity you will not have again in years. We will sell .. .. .

Stein-Bloch clothes ..... at actual cost for cash  
Stetson Hats ..... at actual cost for cash  
Imperial Hats ..... at actual cost for cash  
Stetson Shoes ..... at actual cost for cash  
Packard Shoes ..... at actual cost for cash  
Hamilton Brown Shoes ..... at actual cost for cash

Cluett Shirts ..... at actual cost for cash  
Parker & Finn's fancy vests ..... at actual cost for cash  
James R. Keiser's Neckwear ..... at actual cost for cash  
Lord & Taylor's Hosiery ..... at actual cost for cash  
Trunks, Grips and Umbrellas at actual cost for cash

In Fact Every Article in the House at Actual Cost For Cash Except Dunlap  
WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS Hats and Carhart's Overalls WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

# WALSH & CLASBEY

## Secretary Gohlke's Report

The following is the report submitted by Secretary Gohlke at the Chamber of Commerce meeting last night:

To the President, Board of Directors and Members of the Chamber of Commerce: Gentlemen—In accepting the office of secretary last August while in a distant State, I did so with a vague idea of the resources of this community, and I confess, with some apprehension of the opportunities I would be called upon to exploit. Shortly after my arrival and introduction to the very magnificent Wichita Falls spirit, and with but a preliminary study of conditions here I became convinced that the making of a good sized city and a more productive contiguous territory lie within the constructive powers of its citizenship aided through an aggressive publicity campaign and coupled with equally important cooperative methods affecting its agricultural development, the expansion of its trade territory, and the furtherance of civic improvements. It is an established fact that cities can be made to grow in such proportion as co-operative citizenship and progressive methods are adopted in the development of its commercial and natural resources. This statement is borne out by the encouraging results of the past five months' work. These results have neither exceeded nor fallen short of my expectations. We have, however, arrived at a point where the foundation has been laid and further work should show correspondingly greater results.

The following financial statement, together with brief reference to matters undertaken by this organization during the past five months, is submitted for your information.

Financial Statement for Months of August to December, 1908, inclusive.

**CASH RECEIPTS.**  
August Dues ..... \$ 519.00  
September Dues ..... 539.00  
October Dues ..... 531.00  
November Dues ..... 565.00  
December Dues ..... 467.50  
Non-resident donations ..... 60.00  
Miscellaneous ..... 13.50  
Returned by factory location committee ..... 52.00  
Sub-rental ..... 10.00  
Cotton Fund ..... 1,001.51  
Total ..... \$3,789.51

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

Old Accounts:  
Office Fixtures:  
Overdraft and old bills ..... \$ 70.41  
Typewriter, mimeograph,

card and letter files ..... 81.85

**Cotton Prize Fund:**

Expense of advertising and printing ..... 155.25

Cash Prizes ..... 1,000.00

**Advertising:**

26,000 envelope inserts ..... 65.00

Expense half-tones, photographs, and printing 5,000 pamphlets and large envelopes ..... 313.00

Paid space in newspapers, trade and farm journals ..... 407.37

Miscellaneous advertising, including expenses trying to secure teachers' convention ..... 27.80

**Exhibits:**

Agricultural exhibit at Oklahoma City and Dallas fair ..... 351.98

City Hall celebration ..... 57.75

**Special:**

Expense Father Dolje's trip to San Antonio to secure hospital ..... 17.20

**Office Expense:**

Salaries Secretary and stenographer ..... 980.65

Rent, light, fuel, telephone, janitor, printing, stamps and attendance at meetings in other cities ..... 362.75

Total ..... \$3,893.01

**SUMMARY.**

Cash receipts deposited in bank ..... \$3,789.51

Total disbursements ..... 3,893.01

Overdraft ..... \$ 103.50

Uncollected pledges which are collectible:

October ..... \$ 5.00

November ..... 9.00

December ..... 104.50

Cotton fund ..... 7.00

Rent ..... 2.50

Total ..... \$ 128.50

Unpaid bills ..... \$ 1850

Resources ..... 100.50

Net resources ..... \$ 6.00

The amount of monthly collectable pledges in December was \$575. of which pledges amounting to \$500 expired January 1st, there being about seventy-five \$1.00 memberships signed up after the finance committee made their rounds and which expire at varying dates during the ensuing year.

It will be seen from the foregoing statement that less than one-third of the revenue for the past five months was devoted to advertising, namely:

Literature, paid, and fair exhibition of a letter-written map, of by dis-

its. The paid space was rapidly decreased until now this item costs only \$10 monthly. It was done in the first place to feel out various territories and to get established with periodicals for the purpose of following up with free reading articles of such stuff as might be newsworthy and acceptable and at the same time result in greater good than paid advertising. I have made it a part of my routine to send out such matter to the press of Texas and Oklahoma as may be construed as a news item and which directs attention to our city's activity. The expense of this service is confined chiefly to stamps and stationery.

What is needed now is a large issue of folders for envelope insertion in the shape of a panorama view of the city, with brief data on the back. We should devote enough money to this class of advertising so we can keep our business men well supplied during the entire year. Illustrations and descriptive matter can be changed occasionally. There are enough pamphlets on hand for follow-up purposes to last probably six weeks, at which time there should be another edition of a pamphlet which will, by its attractiveness, command attention. There are about 1500 names of enquirers in my files, which should be followed up with new matter from time to time. The majority of these enquirers are of an agricultural nature. Of late the number of inquiries has noticeably increased.

Our fair exhibits at Oklahoma City and Dallas were productive of much good and the publicity received through the grain map installed at these exhibits far exceeded my anticipations. So many compliments were paid this feature by experienced advertising men and business men that I took the matter up with the Katy railroad officials at St. Louis and received permission to install said map under glass cover in the city ticket offices in St. Louis and Kansas City. I am also insured by Denver road officials that the map could very likely be installed in Denver and New Orleans railroad offices, one of which would come before a large influx of substantial business men in the winter months and the other in the summer. Chicago and Memphis are valuable gateways to be represented in, and from the endorsement given this feature I feel confident that suitable places could be secured for its exhibition, and I would therefore recommend its use. A value holder to contain a supply of the folders referred to could be attached to the stand for convenience of those who are in a hurry. The money expended for the creation of a letter-written map, of by dis-

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**"The Home Furnishers"**



Do You Use

**"BELLE OF WICHITA"**

IT IS THE 'BEST FLOUR ON THE MARKET'

**Wichita Mill & Elevator Co.****STOVES OF ALL KINDS**

OUR LINE IS NOW COMPLETE

**Cook Stoves**

We have them from a small cast stove to a large steel range

**Heating Stoves**

Anything in this line you want, our stoves are right and our prices are right. On vehicles of all kinds we are in line. On implements we lead.

CALL AND SEE US

**ROBERTSON-RUSSELL**  
HARDWARE COMPANY**Furniture and Stoves**

We have just received and have on display at our store a fresh car of new Furniture, Stoves and Ranges

**Heating Stoves From \$4 to \$65****Cook Stoves From \$7.50 to \$65****"The Favorite"**

Cook and Heating Stoves and Ranges are the best on the market and we are sole agents for this line of goods in Wichita Falls

**Art Squares, Mat-  
tings and Lincoliums**

We have a large line to select from and the prices are reasonable. We want you to see them. It's no trouble for us to show goods and meet prices

**Wichita Furniture Co.**Two Doors South of Postoffice.  
Phone 575 Ohio AvenueJOSEPH A. KEMP, President P. P. LANGFORD, Cashier.  
A. NEWBY, Vice President. W. L. ROBERTSON, Asst. Cashier**City National Bank**CAPITAL \$ 75,000.00  
Surplus and Undivided Profits 165,000.00

We offer to the business public the services of a reliable and conservative banking institution, that is at all times prepared to grant any favor consistent with sound banking. Call and see us.

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

**MOORE & RICHOLT**

"Pittsburg Perfect" Electric Welded Fences

26 and 42 inch Field Fence, 31 36, 46 and 56 Poultry and Garden Fence  
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tributing \$1,000 in cash and advertising the fact to farmers in all the tributary territory, was well spent and amply repaid itself. It has also brought our organization in closer touch with the farming element, which we should follow up by calling a farmers' congress in the near future for the purpose of securing co-operation in the building of better roads to our city. Everyone realizes that good highways to a trading point is productive of a greater volume of trade and if we are to maintain a growing trade center of the Wichita Falls trade territory the good roads movement will have to be given early and close attention.

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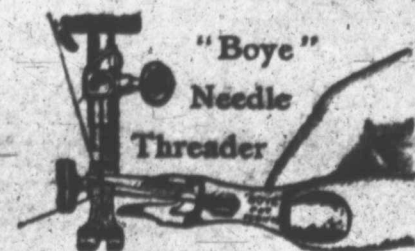
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### Secretary Gohlke's Report

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To the President, Board of Directors and Members of the Chamber of Commerce: Gentlemen—In accepting the office of secretary last August while in a distant State, I did so with a vague idea of the resources of this community, and I confess, with some apprehension of the opportunities I would be called upon to exploit. Shortly after my arrival and introduction to the very magnificent Wichita Falls spirit, and with but a preliminary study of conditions here I became convinced that the making of a good sized city and a more productive contiguous territory lie within the constructive powers of its citizenship aided through an aggressive publicity campaign and coupled with equally important co-operative methods affecting its agricultural development, the expansion of its trade territory, and the furtherance of civic improvements. It is an established fact that cities can be made to grow in such proportion as co-operative citizenship and progressive methods are adopted in the development of its commercial and natural resources. This statement is borne out by the encouraging results of the past five months' work. These results have neither exceeded nor fallen short of my expectations. We have, however, arrived at a point where the foundation has been laid and further work should show correspondingly greater results.

The following financial statement, together with brief reference to matters undertaken by this organization during the past five months, is submitted for your information.

Financial Statement for Months of August to December, 1908, inclusive.

**CASH RECEIPTS:**  
August Dues ..... \$ 549.00  
September Dues ..... 539.00  
October Dues ..... 531.00  
November Dues ..... 565.06  
December Dues ..... 467.50  
Non-resident donations ..... 60.00  
Miscellaneous ..... 13.50  
Returned by factory location committee ..... 53.00  
Sub-rental ..... 10.00  
Cotton Fund ..... 1,001.51  
Total ..... \$3,789.51

**DISBURSEMENTS:**  
Old Accounts .....  
Office Fixtures:  
Overdraft and old bills ..... \$ 70.41  
Typewriter, mimeograph

card and letter files ..... 81.85  
**Cotton Prize Fund:**  
Expense of advertising and printing ..... 155.25  
Cash Prizes ..... 1,000.00  
**Advertising:**  
26,000 envelope inserts ..... 65.00  
Expense half-tones, photographs, and printing 5,000 pamphlets and large envelopes ..... 314.00  
Paid space in newspapers, trade and farm journals ..... 407.37  
Miscellaneous advertising, including expenses trying to secure teachers' convention ..... 27.80  
**Exhibits:**  
Agricultural exhibit at Oklahoma City and Dallas fair City Hall celebration ..... 57.75  
**Special:**  
Expense Father Dolje's trip to San Antonio to secure hospital ..... 17.20  
**Office Expense:**  
Salaries Secretary and stenographer ..... 980.65  
Rent, light, fuel, telephone, janitor, printing, stamps and attendance at meetings in other cities ..... 363.75  
Total ..... \$3,893.01

**SUMMARY:**  
Cash receipts deposited in bank ..... \$3,789.51  
Total disbursements ..... 3,893.01

Overdraft ..... \$ 103.50  
**Uncollected pledges which are collectible:**  
October ..... \$ 5.00  
November ..... 9.00  
December ..... 194.50  
Cotton fund ..... 7.00  
Rent ..... 2.50  
Total ..... \$ 218.50  
Unpaid bills ..... \$-1850  
Resources ..... 109.50  
Net resources ..... \$ 6.00  
The amount of monthly collectible pledges in December was \$575.00 of which pledges amounting to \$500.00 expired January 1st, there being about seventy-five \$1.00 memberships signed up after the finance committee made their rounds and which expire at varying dates during the ensuing year.

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Our fair exhibits at Oklahoma City and Dallas were productive of much good and the publicity received through the grain map installed at these exhibits far exceeded my anticipations. So many compliments were paid this feature by experienced advertising men and business men that I took the matter up with the Katy railroad officials at St. Louis and received permission to install said map under glass cover in the city ticket offices in St. Louis and Kansas City. I am also insured by Denver road officials that the map could very likely be installed in Denver and New Orleans railroad offices, one of which would come before a large influx of substantial business men in the winter months and the other in the summer. Chicago and Memphis are valuable gateways to be represented in, and from the endorsement given this feature I feel confident that suitable places could be secured for its exhibition, and I would therefore recommend it as a valuable holder to contain a supply of the folders referred to could be attached to the stand for convenience of those who are interested.

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Judge Henry Sayles of Abilene is in the city.

G. P. Meade, a prominent citizen of Fort Worth, is in the city.

Stafford Helm of Dundee was looking after business matters here today.

T. T. Meade, a real estate man from Olney, was transacting business here today.

Thad W. Shaw, a popular drug salesman out of Dallas, is in the city on business.

J. M. Clark Jr. of Pittsburg, Texas, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. V. G. Sken, and family.

Miss Lula Havener returned this afternoon from a visit with friends and relatives at Henrietta.

Mrs. T. B. Noble returned from Fort Worth this afternoon, at which place she was the guest of her friend, Mrs. S. E. Morrison.

M. W. Boger, a prominent stockman and farmer of Jolly, was transacting business here today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kell, who have been visiting friends in this city, returned this afternoon to their home at Loveland, Oklahoma.

Mrs. E. L. Humphreys and children of Seymour, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parker of this city, returned home this afternoon.

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Miss Imogene Brown returned yesterday from Denison, where she spent the holidays with relatives. She was accompanied on her return by her aunt, Mrs. I. S. Fehr, who will visit with relatives and friends here.

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The theater box-office window is larger than the church contribution plate. Perhaps that may account for it.

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Development.

"Remember," said the earnest inventor, "it isn't so many years since the telephone caused laughter."

"That's true," answered the man who has trouble with central. "At first it caused laughter; now it causes profanity."—Washington Star.

Proof.

Mrs. Shellpod—Hiram, some of them there hobos hev stole the wash often the line ag'in! Farmer Shellpod—How dew you know they was hobos? Mrs. Shellpod—Becuz they tuk everything but th' towels.—Chicago News.

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Luck.

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" asked the young man.

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AMUSEMENTS

The attraction at the Wichita Theater tonight will be Adelinde Thurston in "The Woman's Hour." Dramatic critics everywhere have made the most flattering mention of Miss Thurston's appearance in every city where she has been and it is considered by Wichita Falls people that they are highly fortunate in seeing her in this city.

Manager Bean reports a good seat sale for tonight's performance.

TO GET POWER FROM SEA.

Wave Motors Are to Supply Light and Heat Without Fuel.

Washington, January 3.—Light and heat without cost for fuel or power is one of the things that the Lighthouse Board is looking for. Incidentally, it is the thing the rest of the world is looking for, too, but the world is not so fortunate as the Lighthouse Board, to whom it has been offered in the shape of a wave motor, and the board is going to send an expert to look into the merits of the device.

A successful wave motor has been the dream of mechanical genius for generations. It would offer an almost unlimited source of cheap light, heat and power. It would have waterfalls and rivers beaten seven different ways and there would be about 9000 miles of coast line in the United States where that sort of a motor could be installed.

Models of the motor have been built of a size to go in an ordinary tub, and it has been found that all that is needed to start the motor wheel working is to disturb that water, and that it does not matter whether the motion is from north to south, or east to west, or circular; the motor wheel grinds on just the same.

Company Has Contract.

The company which is pushing the project has made a contract for two big motors on the coast to light a big amusement pier. It is this installation that the Lighthouse Board has been invited to inspect.

The principle involved in the action of the wave motor is also applied to windmills, and it is claimed that these wave motors are the most sensitive ever devised. In fact, they are said to be 20 per cent more sensitive than the anemometer used by the Weather Bureau. They are being built in sizes ranging from 1 to 300 horse-power. In places where the wave motors are installed they will be used to supplement the power of the water-driven wheel. As the wave motor works all the time, the energy in the form of electricity is taken off and utilized through a storage battery, which in emergencies acts as a reservoir of power.

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## THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 6.—Spot cotton market quiet and unchanged. Middling 8 1/2c. Sales 1,350 bales.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.

	Open	High	Close
January	8.96	9.04	9.03-04
March	8.99	9.04	9.03-04
May	9.08	9.13	9.12-14

Cotton—New York Spots.

New York, Jan. 6.—Spot cotton market quiet and unchanged. Middling 9.25. No sales reported.

Cotton—New York Futures.

	Open	High	Close
January	8.96	9.01	8.94-95
March	8.91	9.03	9.02-03
May	8.95	9.03	9.02-03

Cotton—Liverpool.

Liverpool, Eng., Jan. 6.—Spot cotton market 5.06d. Sales 15,000 bales. Receipts 15,000 bales.

Cotton—Liverpool Futures.

	Open	High	Close
Jan.-Feb.	4.84 1/2	4.84 1/2	4.82
Feb.-March	4.80 1/2	4.81 1/2	4.80 1/2
March-April	4.80	4.81 1/2	4.80
April-May	4.80 1/2	4.80 1/2	4.79 1/2

Chicago Grain aMarket.

	Open	High	Close
Wheat—	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2
July	98 1/2	99 1/2	98 1/2
September	95 1/2	96 1/2	94 1/2

Corn—

	Open	High	Close
May	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
July	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
September	62 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2

Oats—

	Open	High	Close
May	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
July	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
September	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2

Fort Worth Livestock.

Cattle—Receipts 2700 head.

Hogs—Receipts 2900 head.

Steers—Quality fair. aMarket steady.

Tops sold at \$5.10.

Cows—Quality fair. aMarket steady.

Tops sold at \$3.25.

Calves—Quality fair. Market was steady. Tops sold at \$5.50.

Hogs—Quality fair. Market lower.

Tops sold at \$5.80.

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To the Lovers of Good Coffee.

The Royal Electric Coffee Mill is the only mill made in practical style for the retail trade that makes perfect Cut Coffee, thereby increasing the quality 20 per cent, over the old style mills that crush the coffee.

This new Electric Coffee Mill is equipped with knives of razor sharpness, and cuts the berry into uniform particles (doesn't crush or grind it), and the little oil cells remain unbroken. The oil known as Caffeine cannot evaporate, and is preserved indefinitely. This is one reason why a pound of coffee cut in the mill will make from ten to twelve cups more of full strength coffee than will the same coffee ground the old way. But the main thing about this mill is that you can have your coffee cut as fine as the finest sand, and it will still be free from that fine dust that is produced by the old method of grinding, therefore you will always have a clear cup of coffee. Instead of the muddy effects which are the results of the old method of grinding.

Royal Electric Cut Coffee is especially adapted for percolators or French drip coffee pots.

Without attempting to be technical, we will give you some reasons why this is true: Raw Coffee is chemically changed in the roasting. The most important chemical change in the formation of an oil known as Caffeine, produced from the elements in the original state. It is this oil which gives the rich and appetizing flavor to the roasted coffee. Scientific experiments have established the fact that the only way to extract the Caffeine satisfactorily is to bring the infusion to the boiling point, and allow it to simmer for a few minutes—according to the degree of fineness to which the particles have been granulated. The method of simply pouring boiling water through pulverized coffee fails to extract a large part of the coffee strength. When you boil this pulverized or powdered coffee, it yields readily all its Caffeine, but the result is a muddy infusion which will not settle, and muddy coffee is condemned on

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## Steel Cut Coffee

THIS IS THE MILL WE USE

On account of its appearance, its disagreeable sensation in the mouth, and even more because of the injurious effect of taking into the stomach the small insoluble particles held in suspension in the liquid. These are the reasons why the use of pulverized coffee is being discontinued. So with the old mill that crushes the Coffee.

It is impossible to make a perfect drink from Coffee ground in the old way, where are mixed particles of all sizes, large and small. (The same principle of boiling or baking potatoes—the small ones are cooked too much before the large ones are half done.)

The Caffeine is all extracted from the small particles before the large have yielded their full strength. As soon as the Caffeine is extracted, the grounds are of no value as a food product, and if you continue the boiling that causes the unpleasant woody taste which destroys the pure coffee flavor. To get the greatest efficiency from each particle of coffee all must be of nearly the same size. This is what the Royal Electric Mill does for you, by a new cutting process which accomplishes the purpose completely, leaving nothing more to be desired.

The lover of good coffee finds here a richness of flavor never found in coffee ground in the ordinary way at any price. This is the first element of real goodness, but in addition it will appeal to all who have the management of the household upon the score of economy and health. When the prudent housewife stops to figure out the cost she will buy Royal Electric cut coffee, because it is granulated into very fine, clean particles all of the same size, which give their full strength uniformly, and because of the absence of other flavors to be overcome. This is no idle boast. The general rule in making coffee is to use six parts of water to one of ground coffee; by having your coffee cut in the New Royal Electric Mill the same strength is obtained by using one part of coffee to nine parts of water. This is where you get your ten to twelve cups more of coffee to the pound.

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