

# Wichita Daily Times

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## INSTRUCTS JURY TO QUIT STANDARD

JUDGE ANDERSON DECIDES TO  
GIVE JURY THE ABOVE IN-  
STRUCTIONS.

## WILL NOT PAY THE FINE

Second Trial is Won by the Stand-  
ard Oil Company.

Associated Press.  
Chicago, Ill., Mar. 10.—Judge Ander-  
son today decided to instruct the jury  
in the Standard Oil case to find the  
company not guilty.

Chicago, Ill., Mar. 9.—Defeat for the  
United States government in the prosecution  
of the Standard Oil Company  
case, in which Judge Landis imposed  
a \$29,000,000 fine, was forecasted by  
Judge Anderson from the bench today.

Informing District Sims and his as-  
sistant, James H. Wilkerson, and their  
associates that the basis of the charge  
is 18c per 100 pounds was the law-  
ful rate on oil from Whiting, Ind., to  
St. Louis, Mo., had not been proved the  
court served notice upon the govern-  
ment that the case would fall through  
unless that fact was proved. The govern-  
ment's position in the case has been  
that the lawful rate was 18c and  
that by paying 6 1/2c instead of 18c on  
its shipments the Standard Oil Com-  
pany was violating the interstate com-  
merce law prohibiting rebates.

Assistant District Attorney Wilker-  
son pleaded with the judge in an effort  
to change his view of the case. He  
asked for delay to search the records  
of the case to see whether some  
important evidence could not be offered  
or whether any element had been  
overlooked.

Judge Anderson in compliance ad-  
vised the court until tomorrow morning,  
at which time he will either direct the  
jury to find a verdict of not guilty be-  
cause of lack of proof by the govern-  
ment or will resume the hearing of  
further testimony.

"If we fail to find more facts by an  
examination of the records," said At-  
torney Wilkerson, "it will be useless  
to attempt to go ahead on any other  
line."

## Trustees Exceeded Authority.

Texas News Service Special.  
Austin, Tex., Mar. 10.—When ad-  
vised today that the Arlington, Texas,  
school trustees had made a ruling for-  
bidding male students to call upon the  
girls during and after school hours, In-  
cluding Sundays, State Superintendent  
Bishop declared that the trustees had  
exceeded their authority and could  
not make the ruling effective on the  
school premises.

## Nebraska Man Offered Job.

Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., Mar. 10.—William  
Howard of Nebraska City, Nebraska,  
has been asked to become first assis-  
tant postmaster general.

## Fruit Damaged By Heavy Frost.

The frost which formed here last  
night is not believed to have been  
heavy enough to have caused much  
damage to fruits or garden vegetables.  
Reports from other points in North  
Texas, however, indicate that consid-  
erable damage has been done.

## Paris News Service Special.

Paris, Tex., Mar. 10.—A heavy frost  
this morning damaged early fruit. At  
Barstow the cold wave killed three-  
fourths of the peach crop.

## Texas News Service Special.

Denton, Tex., Mar. 10.—A heavy  
frost and ice this morning killed un-  
protected vegetables.

## Texas News Service Special.

Denison, Tex., Mar. 10.—Ice formed  
here last night and nurserymen say  
that fruit is damaged and that the crop  
will be cut short.

## CALIFORNIA GIRL TO WED A JAPANESE

By Associated Press.  
San Francisco, Cal., Mar. 10.—The  
engagement of Miss Helen Gladys Em-  
ery, a daughter of Rev. John A. Emery,  
archdeacon of the Episcopal diocese of  
California, to Gungrio Aoki, son of the  
late General Aoki of Japan, has been  
announced. The wedding will take  
place outside of California, as the law  
forbids the marriage of Orientals and  
Caucasians.

## NEW SUPERINTENDENT FOR INSANE ASYLUM.

Texas News Service Special.  
San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 10.—J. R.  
Nichols, the new superintendent of the  
Southwestern Insane Asylum, arrived  
here this morning. He said that the  
appointment was a surprise to him, as  
he was not an applicant.

## Homan Got Five-Year Term.

Texas News Service Special.  
Fort Worth, Tex., Mar. 10.—Lefwich  
Homan, formerly collector for the First  
National bank here, charged with ab-  
stracting money and jewels from the  
bank to the amount of nearly thirty  
thousand dollars, pleaded guilty before  
Judge Bucks in the district court today  
and was sentenced to five years in the  
penitentiary. He said that he was glad  
that he had been caught. Homan was  
prominent in society.

## Dead Man Was Jesse Cole.

Texas News Service Special.  
Fort Worth, Texas, Mar. 10.—The  
body of a white man found late yester-  
day near the Medina mills with the  
throat slashed was today identified as  
that of Jesse Cole, a former employe  
of the mills. The police believe he was  
murdered and are investigating clues.

## Preacher Charged With Alienation.

By Associated Press.  
Atlanta, Ga., Mar. 10.—Rev. Charles  
Wolfgram, ordained as a minister of  
the Holiness faith, was arrested last  
night charged with the alienation of  
the affections of Mrs. M. P. Lockhart.  
The complaint was made by Mrs.  
Lockhart's husband.

## OKLAHOMANS WILL BE HERE MAY 2ND

Secretary Gohlke of the Chamber of  
Commerce received a letter today from  
A. W. McKeand, secretary of the Okla-  
homa City Chamber of Commerce,  
acknowledging the receipt of an invita-  
tion to that body to visit Wichita  
Falls and accepting the same. Mr.  
McKeand's letter is as follows:  
Mr. F. H. Gohlke, Secretary Chamber  
of Commerce, Wichita Falls, Texas:  
Dear Sir—I have yours of March 5th  
and will say that our special train  
leaves Oklahoma City at midnight May  
2nd and will spend our first night  
out at Wichita Falls, arriving there ac-  
cording to our present schedule at  
6:05 p. m.

We will have our special train of  
four sleepers, one dining car, one chair  
car and one combination-baggage and  
library.

We will certainly be pleased to meet  
the progressive business men of Wich-  
ita Falls and beg to assure you we  
will have a live bunch of about 100  
Oklahoma City business men. We carry  
our own concert band.

Assuring you we hope to spend a  
pleasant evening with you, we are  
Very truly yours,  
A. W. McKEAND, Secretary.

## CONTRACT LET FOR A NEW RAILROAD

By Associated Press.  
St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 10.—A contract  
was let today to the Johnson Construc-  
tion Company of St. Elmo, Illinois, to  
build a railroad from Acme, Okla-  
homa, through Quanah to Paducah,  
Texas. The line will be fifty miles  
long. The construction begins im-  
mediately. St. Louis capitalists are sup-  
porting the new road.

## Girl Struck By Lightning and Lives.

Windom, Tex., Mar. 9.—Little Miss  
Toibert, the 12-year-old daughter of J.  
C. Toibert, who resides four miles  
south of here, while standing near the  
cook stove washing dishes was struck  
by lightning. The bolt came down the  
stove flue, splitting the pipe and strik-  
ing the child in the left foot, tearing  
the stocking and shoe into strings,  
leaving them on the floor, while she  
was hurled some ten or fifteen feet  
out onto the porch. Outside of suffering  
from the severe shock, the child  
was not injured.

## Dallas Pure Food Ordinance Invalid.

Dallas, Tex., Mar. 10.—The court of  
criminal appeals today declared the  
Dallas pure food law invalid, as it con-  
flicts with the State law upon the same  
subject.

## Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued yester-  
day to W. O. McKay and Mrs. Sarah  
Ann Fleming, Otis B. Carmen and Flor-  
ence E. Eads, W. T. Trull and Willie  
Lou Brewer.

## \$100,000 FIRE LOSS AT BIG SPRINGS

SEVEN BRICK BUILDINGS WENT  
UP IN SMOKE AT THAT  
PLACE TODAY.

## BLAZE AT ARLINGTON

Fire in Business District Threatens the  
Entire Town—The Property Loss  
May Be Heavy.

Texas News Service Special.  
Big Springs, Tex., Mar. 10.—Fire  
which broke out here at 8 o'clock this  
morning caused a loss of one hundred  
thousand dollars in the business dis-  
trict. The Newborough block, con-  
sisting of seven brick buildings, all  
owned by Mrs. Bauer and situated on  
Main street, were destroyed. A gas-  
oline explosion started the blaze.

The heaviest losers are:  
Dreben & Co., Soash Land Co., Jones  
& McGowan, Davis' barber shop, Mc-  
New barber shop and Wood & Ramsey.

Two frame buildings adjoining were  
also destroyed. These buildings were  
occupied by the Heflin confectionery  
and Johnson's jewelry store. Another  
brick block was burned here about six  
months ago.

## Many Stores are Doomed.

Arlington, Tex., Mar. 10.—Fire is  
raging in the business district and has  
gained great headway. Many stores  
are doomed and it is believed that the  
loss will reach a hundred thousand dol-  
lars. The firemen are fighting hard.

Later—The loss from the fire is now  
placed at \$25,000. It originated in  
Lampke's restaurant. The other losers  
are J. M. Cooper, Luttrell Bros., the  
Peoples' Lumber Company and the  
Woodmen of the World.

## Great Crowds Throng Court Room.

By Associated Press.  
Nashville, Tenn., Mar. 10.—So dense  
was the throng inside the bar today  
in the Cooper-Sharp trial for the murder  
of former Senator Carmack that  
Judge Hart could not reach the bench  
until two husky deputies cleared the  
way for him. As one lawyer remarked,  
half of Maury county came to Nash-  
ville today to hear Attorney General  
Garner's argument for the State.

Maury is Garner's home county and  
the brilliant young lawyer is very popu-  
lar there. Few of them got into the  
court room, however, owing to the con-  
gestion of people there.

Garner is a fine speaker and did not  
spare the defendants. Speaking of Col.  
Cooper, he said: "We find him cursing  
and swearing and applying in the  
presence of a lady the vilest epithets  
to Senator Carmack."

## Won't Allow Women to Qualify.

Texas News Service Special.  
San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 10.—Mrs.  
Rufus Lewis, chairman of the woman's  
school board campaign committee,  
wired Governor Campbell today that  
the board refuses to allow the newly  
elected women members to qualify  
and asks the postponement of the  
signing of the Terrell bill until next  
week. The women say they have been  
properly elected and expect to qualify.

## Will Ask for Writ of Error.

By Associated Press.  
Jefferson City, Mo., Mar. 10.—The  
appeal bond of \$100,000 will be the  
basis upon which a writ of error for an  
appeal to the supreme court of the  
United States to be granted to the  
Standard Oil Company of Indiana and  
the Republic Oil Company of Ohio,  
according to the action taken by the  
Missouri supreme court today.

## Higher Court Proceedings.

Texas News Service Special.  
Austin, Tex., Mar. 10.—The supreme  
court today refused the application of  
Bayl vs. Megandle from Bexar county;  
rehearings were refused the Postal  
Telegraph Co. vs the Sunset Construc-  
tion Co., the San Antonio Irrigation Co.  
vs. Deubehmann; Katy vs. Waggoner;  
G. H. and S. A. vs. Henry, and the Katy  
vs. Bailey.

## December and May.

Special to the Times.  
Los Angeles, Cal., Mar. 10.—Decem-  
ber and May were wedded yesterday  
when Elretta Hawkins, a pretty woman  
21 years of age, married Varum West-  
cott, aged 83 years.

## Heavy Rainfall in Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Mar. 10.—Four  
white persons and a negro were drown-  
ed in the Alabama river today. Last  
night's rain was the heaviest in twen-  
ty-five years.

## SCHOOL BILL HAS PASSED IN HOUSE

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BILL NOW READY FOR GOV-  
ERNOR'S SIGNATURE.

## MANY LOCAL BILLS PASSED

House Holds Busy Session This Morn-  
ing and Many Bills Were  
Disposed of.

Texas News Service Special.  
Austin, Tex., Mar. 10.—The house  
was set in lively motion this morning  
many local bills were called up  
for action. Senate bills were engrossed  
creating road laws for the counties  
of McLennan, Frio, Uvalde, Fayette,  
Val Verde, Jasper and Lee; also creat-  
ing independent school districts for  
Wichita Falls, Ballinger, Higgins, Mc-  
Lean, Grandview, and Hereford.

The bill was engrossed conferring  
civil and criminal jurisdiction on the  
county court of Ochiltree county.

Moller obtained a reconsideration of  
the vote which passed the bill amend-  
ing Galveston's charter, requiring police  
officers to give a thousand dollar  
bond, and succeeded in killing this bill.

The house finally passed the bill  
placing Potter county under the scalp  
law.

The senate today concurred in the  
house resolution accepting the Adams  
fund from the Federal government for  
the Agricultural and Mechanical Col-  
lege.

The senate passed the Greenville  
and Beaumont charter bills; also the  
Watson bill amending the insurance  
laws, which is similar to the Robert-  
son bill in the house.

## THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.  
New Orleans, La., Mar. 10.—Spot  
cotton steady and unchanged. Mid-  
dling, 9 1/4. Sales 2,250 bales.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.  
Open High Close  
March 9.42 9.45 9.43-45  
May 9.53 9.56 9.54-56  
July 9.63 9.69 9.66

Cotton—New York Spots.  
New York, Mar. 10.—Spot cotton  
quiet and unchanged. Middling 9.85.  
Sales 300 bales.

Cotton—New York Futures.  
Open High Close  
March 9.55 9.55 9.52-54  
May 9.48 9.51 9.50-51  
July 9.41 9.44 9.43-44

Cotton—Liverpool.  
Liverpool, Eng., Mar. 10.—Spot cot-  
ton 5.13d. Sales 6,000 bales. Receipts  
19,000 bales.

Chicago Grain Market.  
Wheat—Open High Close  
May 114 115 114  
July 103 104 102  
September 97 97 96

Corn  
May 69 69 68  
July 68 68 67  
September 68 68 67

Oats  
May 56 56 55 1/2  
July 50 50 49 1/2  
September 41 41 40 1/2

## Fort Worth Livestock.

Cattle—Receipts 2500 head.  
Hogs—Receipts 5000 head.  
Steers—Quality fair. Market steady.  
Tops sold at \$5.30.  
Cows—Quality choice. Market was  
higher. Tops sold at \$4.50.  
Calves—Quality fair. Market steady.  
Tops sold at \$5.50.  
Hogs—Quality choice. Market was  
steady. Tops sold at \$6.50.

## RUMORED THAT KATY WILL PUT ON NEW TRAIN SERVICE.

Texas News Service Special.  
Denton, Tex., Mar. 10.—Announce-  
ment was made here today that the  
M. K. and T. will run a new through  
train from Dallas through Denton to  
Wichita Falls, giving double daily  
through service for the first time.

The local officials of the Katy here  
have not been advised of the proposed  
new train service, but believe that such  
a service will probably be put on in  
the near future.

## RUSSIANS AND ARMENIANS CLASH AT LOS ANGELES.

By Associated Press.  
Los Angeles, Cal., Mar. 10.—A Rus-  
sian-Armenian race war broke out here  
last night, when fifty men and women  
participated in a general fight. One  
Armenian may die and two are in the  
hospital. Several Russians were badly  
used up.

## Negro Convict Was Lashed to Death.

Texas News Service Special.  
Seguin, Texas, Mar. 10.—Judge Per-  
ron today held that the negro convict  
Donald Hill met his death from a whip-  
ping administered by Wiley Cadell,  
Henry Deltelman and Pink Rosebud.  
Cadell was held to the grand jury un-  
der a thousand dollar bond; and Del-  
telman and Rosebud under five hundred  
each. It is charged that one of the  
men sat upon the blacks' head while  
the others lashed him to death.

## Double Tragedy at Fort Worth.

Texas News Service Special.  
Fort Worth, Tex., Mar. 10.—Frank  
Halliday, aged 42 years, a cab driver,  
fired twice at his wife at their home  
this afternoon, and then turned the  
weapon upon himself, putting a bullet  
in his head. Both will likely die. They  
had previously quarreled.

## Waco Man Drops Dead.

Texas News Service Special.  
Waco, Tex., Mar. 10.—R. J. Simpson,  
aged 58 years, dropped dead while  
working in the suburbs this morning.  
Heart failure was the cause of his  
death. He leaves a wife and nine  
children.

## CRUCIAL POINT IN OIL CO'S TRIAL

## By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., Mar. 10.—The retrial  
of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana  
on a charge of accepting rebates from  
the Chicago and Alton railroad enters  
today upon a crucial stage. In the face  
of adverse rulings by Judge Ander-  
son, the government attorneys over-  
night decided to abandon the addition  
to the bill of particulars covering de-  
fects pointed out by the court and be-  
gan their arguments in the hope of  
getting Judge Anderson to reverse his  
decisions.

## Priest Killed in Dispute.

By Associated Press.  
Newark, N. J., Mar. 10.—Rev. Father  
Erasin of St. Stanislaus church was  
killed and his domestic was shot and  
wounded today by three men as the  
result of a dispute over church mat-  
ters.

## A Fat Steer.

F. T. Jenne brought to town this af-  
ternoon a common corn-fed 4-year-  
old Texas steer, which weighs in the  
neighborhood of 1500 pounds.  
Mr. Jenne will ship the steer and  
have him on exhibition at the Fort  
Worth Fat Stock Show.

## 39 WERE KILLED BY THE TORNADO

By Associated Press.  
Brinkley, Ark., Mar. 10.—Twenty-  
nine persons dead and seventy-four in-  
jured is the local casualty list as the  
result of the tornado Monday night.

Governor Donaghey, who arrived  
yesterday, declared martial law and  
placed the situation in the hands of  
the sheriff.

All the dead and injured have been  
properly cared for and large forces of  
men are at work clearing away the  
wreckage.

One hundred convicts have been or-  
dered from the State penitentiary to  
assist in the work.

The citizens have expressed a deter-  
mination to rebuild the town and work  
in new structures will begin at once.

Meetings are being held in Memphis,  
Little Rock, Helena and other cities  
today for the purpose of raising money  
and supplies for the destitute.

The storm which wrought such havoc  
here entered the State from the  
southwest and passed over eleven  
counties to the northeast. Belated re-  
ports from small towns tell of ten  
deaths and the injury of many per-  
sons and large property losses.

## Bailey Calls at the White House.

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., Mar. 10.—Senator  
Bailey of Texas called at the White  
House today for the second time in his  
life. He said: "I called simply to  
pay my respects to President Taft. He  
is a gentleman of delightful personal-  
ity."

## THE RAILS HAVE BEEN PURCHASED

CONTRACT ALSO AWARDED FOR  
PORTION OF GRADE FOR ELEC-  
TRIC STREET RAILWAY.

## ALL EQUIPMENT ORDERED

Contracts Made for Everything Ex-  
cepting Coaches—Route of Line  
Virtually Decided Upon.

The Wichita Falls Street Railway  
Company yesterday closed a contract  
with the Colorado Fuel and Iron Com-  
pany for the rails for the electric  
street railway system.

A contract for the heavy grading  
at the Lake dam has been awarded to  
J. T. Moore, a well known railroad  
grade contractor. Work on the grad-  
ing will start within a few days.

Mr. Frank Kell, one of the stock-  
holders in the new enterprise, states  
that contracts have now been made for  
all of the equipment with the excep-  
tion of the cars, for which orders will  
be placed within the next few weeks.

The equipment purchased is of the  
best and most modern made and the  
character of the men behind the enter-  
prise assures Wichita Falls of a street  
railway second to none in the State.

While the route of the line within  
the city limits has not been finally  
fixed, it is planned to follow the fol-  
lowing lines: Starting at the corner  
of Seventh street and Ohio avenue the  
route is as follows: On Ohio avenue  
to Ninth street; on Ninth street to In-  
diana avenue; on Indiana avenue to  
Tenth street; on Tenth street to Lar-  
mar avenue; on Lamar avenue to Thir-  
teenth street; on Thirteenth street to  
Broad street; on Broad street to Ninth  
street; on Ninth street and the line  
of the continuation thereof to the site  
of the Lakeview addition.

## Thornberry Happenings.

Special to the Times.  
Thornberry, Tex., Mar. 8.—Mr. J. A.  
Webster left Saturday for Western  
Texas to buy a farm.

Miss Maggie Bryant of Chillicothe  
is visiting her uncles, Messrs. J. C.  
and J. P. Hopkins, and Mr. and Mrs.  
T. W. Bryant for a few days.

Miss Edith Blackstock of Petrolia  
is visiting our community and was  
the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Camp yester-  
day.

Rev. Melton of Bellevue will begin  
a meeting at the Baptist church to-  
morrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reed went over  
into Oklahoma Saturday to visit Mr.  
and Mrs. Arthur Stephenson.

The box supper that was held at  
the school house Saturday night was  
quite a success. The ladies are plan-  
ning to build a fence around the church  
and put in an artificial gas plant.

## Newsp Notes From Frieberg.

Special to the Times.  
Frieberg, Tex., Mar. 8.—Mrs. Abrams  
who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carey,  
has been quite sick, but was better  
yesterday.

The oyster supper the ladies of the  
church gave Friday night at the school  
house was quite a success. They are  
planning to build a storm pit at the  
parsonage.

Mrs. Maud N. Turner of Cheranchio,  
India, will be with us next Sunday  
in the interest of home missions and  
church extension, and foreign mis-  
sions. She will speak at the following  
places: Cashlan school house at 11  
a. m.; at Thornberry, at 3:30 p. m.,  
and Frieberg, at 7:30 p. m. Miss Turner  
will be dressed in native dress  
while lecturing.

## New Station at Paris.

Texas News Service Special.  
Paris, Tex., Mar. 10.—President Dav-  
idson and General Manager Nixon of  
the Frisco railroad, while here late  
last night, said that they will build a  
new station at Paris.

## TOTAL RAINFALL WAS 42 INCHES

In answer to many inquiries as to  
the amount of rainfall in Wichita Falls,  
George Simmons states that during the  
year 1908 a total of 42 inches was pre-  
cipitated. The greatest precipitation  
fell during the month of May, when the  
rainfall amounted to 12 1/4 inches. In  
June 7 1/2 inches fell.

Use a Detroit Jewel and save fuel.  
E. M. Rogers & Co. 245-10

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## Monarch Preserves

are known to be made from pure, fresh materials of the highest quality. No chemical preservatives or artificial coloring matter is used. Only the best of fruits, spices and sugar.

That's why they last longer go further and give perfect satisfaction.

2lb. tins of Monarch apple butter 40c, rich, spicy and delicious.

76 oz. net weight jars of plum, red raspberry, cherry and strawberry, preserves only \$1.00 each.

35 oz. net weight jars of plum, peach, blackberry and raspberry preserves.

**60c Each**

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PHONES 432 and 232.

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Roofing, Skylights, Ventilators, Guttering and first class Tin Work.

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### The Surpassing Greatness of Texas.

Houston Post.

The New York Commercial, in commenting on the recent visit and sojourn in Texas of Edward H. Harriman, referred to as railroad magnate, financier, developer and officially labeled in a high quarter as a "practical man," says there has been much public curiosity and speculation as to why he went to the State and what he went after. If he went after anything, it is the conclusion of the Commercial that he probably got it and on the right terms, too. But if he went to Texas merely to see the country and to enjoy it and learn more about it than he knew before, says that paper, "any one of these was in itself a good and sufficient reason for going there. More people ought to go to Texas than do—it would be a mighty good thing for them, and not a bad thing for Texas in most instances."

The Commercial then proceeds to pay a high tribute to the greatness of the State, in which the immensity of its resources is shown up to splendid advantage. "There is ample room in Texas," it affirms, "for 8,000,000 farms of twenty acres each, without destroying an acre of her superb forests—and the farms already under cultivation and yielding profit can be counted in myriads. The Lone Star State is also distinguished by the fact that she has the largest public school fund of any State in the Union and the lowest tax rate among those which levy direct State taxes. There are 246 counties in the State, she sends sixteen representatives to congress, has been great in great men all along down the line from Sam Houston to Hon. Joseph Weldon Bailey and is said by not a few observant and discriminating Americans to possess more politics to the square yard than any three other States combined."

Then, advertizing to the prevalent ignorance on the part of the masses respecting the State, the Commercial continues: "And yet, despite all all these things a surprisingly few people comparatively in other States or in the world at large know very much about Texas except in the abstract, understand the conditions there or appreciate the vast opportunities of the great Lone Star State. If you can't roll in and out of that commonwealth like a railroad magnate, keep your eye on Texas at least!"

### FREE! FREE!!

A \$30.00 Tailored Suit.

To the person writing "Fred Smith & Co. Male Fixings," on a post card the greatest number of times we will give absolutely free of cost a thirty dollar tailored suit.

### Read Carefully.

To avoid confusion we publish the following rules for contestants to be governed by.

Write Fred Smith & Co., Male Fixings, on one side of a United States postal card with pen and ink. The same must be legible without the aid of a magnifying glass. No one barred from the contest except professional penman and engravers. Contest closes March 10th, at 6 p. m. 245-15t-c  
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To My Customers:

The imperative need of an immediate surgical operation will necessitate my absence from the city for the next ten days or two weeks. During this time please refer all inquiries to phone 183, asking for Miss Rob Currie.

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### TIMES' ILLUSTRATED EDITION.

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The Times' special illustrated edition is now being printed. It will be 15,000 copies—the Times guarantees that number. The date on which the edition will be issued is April 9th; it had been intended to have it ready for distribution the 31st of this month, but unforeseen conditions necessitated a short delay and hence the date was set April 9th. On that day every subscriber to the daily and weekly editions of the Times will get a copy of the special edition. Those who want additional copies had better file their orders as soon as possible, so the papers can be saved for them; because the demand for the edition, aside from large orders from advertisers, will be very great. The price of the Times special will be 10 cents a copy whether one copy or one thousand. The half-tone cuts which are being made for this edition are without doubt the best ever used by any newspaper in Texas. The early history of this section, which has already been completed up to 1882, and which has been submitted to several of the oldest settlers, is pronounced by them to be just about as accurate as it will ever be written. There will be some stirring stories of Indian fights, told by those who actually took part therein.

Of course, Wichita Falls will be exploited in every legitimate, truthful way, and some of the towns in the country within 50 miles of this point, have waked up and have had pictures taken, data prepared, etc., and are coming in for their share of notoriety, which is a good thing for these towns, too.

The Times' illustrated edition will attract more homeseekers and investors to this section than anything that was ever printed, so file your orders for extra copies at once.

#### Experiences of a Piano Tuner.

The piano tuner was in a reminiscent mood, and the 'story of his life' was in order. The many peculiarities of the trade were discussed, and the conclusion reached that a good piano tuner is born, not made. A most acute sense of sound vibration is absolutely indispensable, for no ordinary mortal would ever be able to detect a vibration of one-tenth of a tone in a piano, and yet an expert tuner can do this.

Frequently pianos grow discordant very suddenly, and in many such cases obstructions are discovered to have lodged among the strings. Some of these finds are extraordinary.

"If I had kept and converted into money all the articles of value that I've found in pianos I've tuned, it would make a very neat sum for me to fall back upon in my old age. This is especially true with reference to grand pianos in the homes of the very wealthy.

"A few years ago I was summoned to tune a triangular piano in the residence of a wealthy family here, and on making a preliminary run over the keys I instantly detected an odd jangling in the upper register. This jangling, it seems, had also been detected by the young women of the family, but none of them had taken the trouble to investigate the cause of the unusual sound.

"It didn't take me very long to pick out from beneath the strings a diamond and ruby bracelet. A servant of that household was even then languishing in the Tombs on the charge of having stolen that bracelet.

"When bangle bracelets were fashionable I used often to find, between the piano strings and even sometimes underneath the keyboard, small coins and medals that had been lost from the bracelets. A famous Chicago woman, prominent in society in this country and abroad, suffered such a loss while visiting at the home of a New York family.

"It was a small gold Roman coin, with the head of Domitian, valuable from the numismatic point of view, but of many times greater value to the Chicago woman because it had been given to her by Carmen Sylvia, the Roumanian queen. She had lost it from her gold bangle bracelet of antique coins.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, March 10th, 1908.

**WEATHER FORECAST.**  
For Wichita Falls and vicinity  
—Tonight and Thursday, fair.  
—Frost Thursday morning.

Those who desire to see what this country is capable of producing in the way of fine cattle should see the herd of fifty belonging to R. M. Moore & Son, which will be on exhibition at the O. K. Wagon Yard on the 12th. This herd will be shipped to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.  
So far the investigation of Speaker Kennedy of the House of Representatives has revealed nothing further than that the name of some young lady stenographer appears on the State's pay roll and that warrants in her name have been drawn for services she did not render, and that Speaker Kennedy was in a position to know that she had not rendered any service whatever to the State when he drew the warrant and sent it to her while she was visiting in a city four or five hundred miles from Texas. If these charges are true, then it shows Speaker Kennedy up in rather an ugly light. A man can afford to be generous at his own expense, but when he takes advantage of the confidence of the people of a great State which has been placed in him to squander the State's money in the manner above cited, it is time his conduct should be investigated and explained.

**Lucky Baldwin Dead.**  
"Lucky" Baldwin is dead at the age of 81. His early activities on the turf won for him the sobriquet which clung to him throughout his long career simply because he was entitled to it. He went to San Francisco in 1858 when a young man of 25, but his real entry into horse racing began several years later, when he won a long shot in Syracuse, N. Y., and bought the first horses for his racing stables with his winnings. He was married four times and figures in many other sensational episodes, among which was holding up a directors' meeting in the Bank of California, in which he was interested, with two "sixshooters" until his attorney arrived to serve papers in an injunction to prevent a bond purchase of which he did not approve. He spent a dozen or more fortunes, but always came up smiling again. He was liberal with Baldwin, but is accredited with being mean in the ordinary affairs of life, even to the point of penuriousness. One woman sued him once for breach of promise and he publicly announced that the woman had no right to do so, as no woman who had a good reputation ever associated with him. Another woman shot a few of the white looks from his head, and another shot him in the arm. He fought men, drank liquor, ran horses and lived to be 81 years old and left an estate worth \$25,000,000. How he managed to do it no one knows, unless, as he had always claimed, he had a charmed life.—Live Stock Journal.

**The Unity Club.**  
The Unity Club met Friday, March 5th, with Mrs. Montgomery, with a Texas program.  
Leader—Mrs. Kemp.  
Music—Mrs. Montgomery.  
Roll Call—Current Events in Texas.  
Texas Artists and Sculptors—Mrs. Kemp.  
Texas Before the Footlights—Mrs. Anderson.  
Texas Musicians—Mrs. Greenwood.  
Texas Literary Talent—Mrs. Robertson.  
Mrs. Clark of Chicago, a reader of national reputation was present and favored the club with some of her most charming readings, which were greatly enjoyed by every member, and all considered themselves fortunate to hear one so talented.

**Fat Stock Show Notes.**  
The manufacturers' display at the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show to be held in Fort Worth March 13th to 20th, is an innovation which has met with the heartiest endorsement and encouragement of the manufacturers of that city.  
The whole of one side of the Coliseum building under the seats has been reserved for this display and more than fifty exhibitors have taken the 150 spaces provided for the display. Every industry in the city of Fort Worth will be represented in this display and the booths which have been erected are most artistically decorated and this will prove one of the most interesting features of the show.

Next Saturday, March 13th, the doors of the great Coliseum building at Fort Worth will be thrown wide open to admit the thousands who will visit that place for the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show. Special excursion rates have been made by all the railroads from points in Texas. One and one-fifth fares for the round trip during the eight days from the 13th to the 20th. On Fort Worth Day, March 17th, special rates of one fare for the round trip. The show will be bigger, better, more interesting than ever before.

More than \$30,000 in cash prizes is offered for competition at the National Feeders and Breeders Show to be held in Fort Worth March 13th to 20th. These inducements have served to draw the largest entry list in the history of the show, and horses and stock from all parts of the country will be seen during this week.  
Blue ribbon winners from the International at Chicago, prize stock from all over the United States will be exhibited in competition for the rich premiums offered. The railroads have made special rates from all points in Texas, and indications point to the largest attendance in the history of the show. March 13th to 20th.

Opening night of the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, March 13th, will be a memorable one. Confederate drill, great sham battles, a concert by the Old Fiddlers' Association, drills, band concert; everything to interest the visitor. Special rates of one and one-fifth fare for the round trip during the show will be made by all roads from points in Texas.

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2nd. **MESSALINE EMPIRE GOWNS** are on the way now and will arrive soon and be ready for your inspection—wait for them.

3rd. **DRESS AND WAIST PATTERNS.** The new Messalines, Foulards and Taffetas are things of beauty. They are put up this season in both dress and waist patterns. The designs and coloring are such as to make them becoming to all complexions and figures. The price fits all pocketbooks. You can't afford not to have a pattern now. Call and see them.

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#### MISCELLANEOUS.

**WANTED**—City property listed with us, as we have about exhausted our sales list. Moore & Stone. 226-1f

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**WANTED**—Sealed bids will be received at the office of Boller & Von der Lippe until 5 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, March 15, 1909, for the construction of a two story brick residence and a barn. A certified check for \$500.00 made payable to S. T. Scaling will be required with each bid, as a guarantee, that the successful bidder will make a good and acceptable bond within ten days after the contract is awarded. Plans and specifications may be had at the above named office by depositing a certified check for \$50.00 made payable to S. T. Scaling. All bids to conform to the specifications and requirements therein set forth. 245-1tc. BOLLER & VON DER LIPPE

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E. J. Ward has sold to T. M. Smyre his residence at the corner of Eleventh and Grace streets. Consideration \$6500.

T. M. Smyre to E. J. Ward, house and lot at 1629 Tenth street. Consideration, \$2,500.

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No one can crush an egg piced lengthwise between his clasped hands—that is, if the egg be sound and has the ordinary shell of a hen's egg.

It is safe to bet a man that he cannot get out of a chair without bending his body forward or putting his feet under it if he is sitting on it, not at the edge of it.

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According to a famous palm fancier the leaves of a palm should be washed not with pure water, but milk and water, which has a wonderful way of preserving them and preventing brown spots.

In polishing silver that has been laid away and badly tarnished, it is a good plan to dip a portion of a soft, old cloth in sweet oil or soft lard, then in whiting and rub the articles until the black has disappeared. Then finish with whiting.

Steel knives that are not in general use may be kept from rusting if they are dipped into a strong solution of soda (one part water to four parts of soda). Then wipe the knives dry, roll them carefully in flannel and put them away in a dry place.

If one is obliged to have the hands in strong soapy water while washing the dishes or doing other household duties, a little vinegar rubbed upon them after they have been taken from the water will greatly improve them and also tend to keep the skin white.

Lavender-scented sheets are said to induce sweet slumbers. The odor of lavender is exceedingly fresh, clean and wholesome. Old-fashioned housewives always scented their linen and drapery with sprigs of the sweet old flower; Italianorris root and French vetiver, a dried root, may be used as a substitute.

A mixture of chalk, pumice stone and common-soda, well pounded and passed through a sieve, then made into a paste with water, is excellent for removing stains from marble. It should be rubbed over the marble, left for a few hours, then washed off with suds and the surface polished with a soft cloth and a little sweet oil.

If there is any fear that a bed not usually slept in is damp, put a bright looking glass between the sheets and cover it up. In a few minutes examine it. If the surface is dimmed, there is cause for uneasiness. If a bright looking glass is not at hand, a tumbler, warmed and turned upside down, will answer the same purpose.

Place several lumps of copperas the size of a hen's egg on the sink drain and pour on boiling water. The salt will immediately dissolve, thoroughly cleansing and purifying the sink at once. This method is preferable to keeping the copperas already in the form of a solution, as the latter stains and may easily become overturned.

Those tiny hairs growing in your nostrils are useful even if they are unsightly. They are put there for the purpose of filtering the dust from the air before you breathe it into your lungs. The only way to remove them is to either clip them or pluck them out. This is easily done if you rub prepared chalk on your fingers.

Women who wish to preserve the beauty and contour of their figure must begin by learning to stand well. That is explained to mean the throwing forward and upward of the chest, the flattening of the back, with the shoulder blades held in their proper places and the definite curving in the small of the back, thus throwing the whole weight of the body upon the hips.

**Assignee Sale.**  
 On Saturday, March 20th, 1909, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at 706 Indiana avenue, Wichita Falls, Texas, the stock of dry goods, boots, shoes, notions, etc., formerly owned by V. G. Skeen. Also the counters, fixtures, show cases, and everything formerly owned by V. G. Skeen and now in said buildings.  
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 Arrives Archer City 5:15 p. m.  
 Arrives Olney 6:40 p. m.  
 Arrives Newcastle 8:00 p. m.  
 Leaves Newcastle 8:15 a. m.  
 Leaves Olney 7:30 a. m.  
 Leaves Archer City 8:55 a. m.  
 Arrives Wichita Falls 11:00 a. m.  
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Fort Worth and Denver City.  
 Northbound-- Arrives Leaves  
 No. 1 2 p. m. 2:10 p. m.  
 No. 3 12:45 p. m. 1:05 p. m.  
 No. 5 11:45 p. m. 12:05 p. m.  
 No. 7 2:05 a. m. 2:15 a. m.  
 Southbound Arrives Leaves  
 No. 2 11:35 a. m. 11:45 a. m.  
 No. 4 12:55 p. m. 1:15 p. m.  
 No. 6 3:15 p. m. 3:25 p. m.  
 No. 8 2:15 a. m. 2:25 a. m.

Wichita Valley.  
 West Bound Trains--  
 No. 1 Leaves 2:10 p. m.  
 No. 7 Arrives 12:05 p. m.  
 No. 9 Arrives 6:25 p. m.  
 East Bound Trains--  
 No. 2 Arrives 1:00 p. m.  
 No. 6 Arrives 3:15 a. m.  
 No. 5 Leaves 12:05 a. m.  
 No. 8 Leaves 8:00 a. m.

M. K. and T. Railway. Arrives  
 No. 271, From Dallas 10:15 p. m.  
 No. 9, From Denison 12:50 p. m.  
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 No. 272, To Dallas 6:30 a. m.  
 No. 10, To Denison 3:00 p. m.

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"All we have to do, gentlemen, is to think of the wrecks on either bank of the stream of death; of the suicides; of the insanity; of the poverty; of the little children tagging at the faded and weary breasts of weeping and despairing wives, asking for bread; of the talented men of genius it has wrecked; the men struggling with imaginary serpents produced by this devilish thing; and when you think of the jails, of the almshouses, of the asylums, of the prisons, of the scaffolds on either bank, I do not wonder that every thoughtful man is prejudiced against the stuff called alcohol.

"Intemperance cuts down youth in its vigor, manhood in its strength and in its weakness. It breaks the father's heart, bereaves the dotting mother, extinguishes natural affections, erases conjugal love, blots out filial attachments, blights parental hope and brings down mourning age in sorrow to the grave. It produces weakness, not strength; sickness, not health; death, not life. It makes wives widows; children orphans; fathers fiends, and all of them paupers and beggars. It feeds rheumatism, nurses gout, welcomes epidemics, invites cholera, imports pestilence and embraces consumption. It covers the land with idleness, misery and crime. It fills your jails, supplies your almshouses and demands your asylums. It engenders controversies, fosters quarrels and cherishes riots. It crowds your penitentiaries and furnishes victims for your scaffolds. It is the lifeblood of the gambler, allment of the burglar, the prop of the highwayman and the support of the midnight incendiary. It countenances the liar, respects the thief, esteems the blasphemer.

"It violates obligations, reverences fraud and honors infamy. It defames benevolence, hates love, scorns virtue,

and slanders innocence. It incites the father to butcher his helpless offspring, helps the husband to massacre his wife and the child to grind the paracidal axe. It burns up men, consumes women, detests life, curses God and despises heaven. It suborns witnesses, nurses perjury, defiles the jury box and stains the judicial ermine. It degrades the citizen, debases the legislator, dishonors statesmen and disarms the patriot. It brings shame, not honor; terror, not safety, and with the benevolence of a fiend it calmly surveys its frightful desolation, and unsatisfied with its havoc, it poisons felicity, kills peace, ruins morals, blights confidence, slays reputations and wipes out national honors, then curses the world and laughs at its ruin. It does all that and more—it murders the soul. It is the son of villains, the father of all crimes, the mother of abomination, the devil's best friend and God's worst enemy."

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**Personal Mention.**

Stafford Helm of Dundee was in the city today.  
 Dr. R. L. Miller and wife left this morning for Fort Worth.  
 W. E. McKain, a business man of Newcastle, was in the city today.  
 Sheriff W. S. Britton of Knox county was in the city today on business.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jackson are visiting relatives in Carralton and Plano.  
 C. E. Harkrider of Fort Worth is in the city looking after business interests.

Miss Etta Walling of Ardmore, Oklahoma, is the guest of John Pooshee and family.

County Commissioner W. S. Burnett of Burkburnett was transacting business in the city today.

Z. Monroe, station agent for the Wichita Valley at Goree, was in the city today on business.

Rev. W. A. Tampka and wife of Bowman were in the city today on their return from Archer City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Myles left this morning for Fort Worth, where Mr. Myles goes to have a surgical operation performed.

Tom Mankins, a well-to-do stockman and farmer from Atwood, Texas, was in the city today on his return from a business trip to Quanah.

Captain Will A. Miller and wife and their son, Stewart Miller, of Amarillo, were in the city today on their return from a business and pleasure visit to Corpus Christi.

Mrs. L. Furlman came up from Austin last night to look after some business matters and expects to return tonight. She reports that Mr. Furlman is in very poor health.

Mrs. A. R. Fain returned last night after an extended visit with relatives at Bainbridge, Georgia. Mr. Fain went to Memphis Sunday to meet her and returned with her.

Mrs. W. H. Davis, who has been visiting relatives at Savoy, returned last night, accompanied by her mother and sister, Mrs. W. D. Pedigo, who left for her home at Caldwell, Idaho, this afternoon.

**At the Opera House.**  
 Mrs. W. W. Perry the far-famed songstress whose wonderful voice has aroused and stirred our refined and cultured people to such a pitch of enthusiasm, will appear before the good people of Wichita Falls, Thursday night with a performance that surpasses anything that has been slated for the new opera house this season. Come to hear her you will get your money's worth many times over.

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**The Engagement of Loula Mann.**

After the interchange of considerable correspondence and numerous telegrams, the management of the Wichita Theater has succeeded in making arrangements with Manager Brady for the appearance in this city of the celebrated actor, Mr. Louis Mann, for the night of Friday, March 19th.

Mr. Mann is recognized as being one of the greatest actors on the American stage today and in the opinion of many critics, he is without a rival. His style of acting resembles that of David Warfield, and in fact, Warfield and Mann are considered as in a class by themselves.

In order to secure this attraction a large guarantee has been made. This attraction is by far the strongest which has ever exhibited in Wichita Falls, and from the record of our people in the past for recognizing and patronizing the best attractions, it is certain that Mr. Mann will be greeted by an overflowing house.

He appears this year in "The Man Who Stood Still," which is said to be the best play he has ever appeared in and is supported by a star cast.

**The Great Singer.**

You can't afford to miss hearing Mrs. W. W. Perry of San Augustine, the famous singer who is to appear before our generous public at the opera house Thursday night, March 11th.

She is considered by our music loving people to possess a quality of voice that is extremely rare, being full of artistic touches that come to an artist by constant application and thorough training.

**Don't's.**

- Don't grit your teeth and work harder. Ease up a little.
- Don't talk any more than you can help. Talking takes away vitality.
- Lie down in a dark place if only for fifteen minutes.
- Don't read anything in which you are not interested.
- Don't feel that everything must be done in one day. There are 364 more.
- Realize that it is better to leave things undone than overdo yourself.
- Avoid people and their woes at that time. Seek some one frivolous.
- Don't try to improve yourself. Give your mind a rest.
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**JEWELRY**

Rings, bracelets, lockets, chains, stick pins and hat pins are always acceptable presents.

Take time by the forelock and select from our new line. No old goods in stock.

Remember we carry high grade watches and make a specialty of repairing.

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Repairing a Specialty.

**There is More Difference**

In the quality of salt fish than most any article carried in a grocers stock. Yet to a great many people, and among others a great many grocers, a mackerel is a mackerel regardless of its color, fatness or the water from which it was taken or the season it was caught, and until the advent of the pure food law most any old thing would do for a white fish.

**IF YOU HAD THE WEALTH OF A ROCKEFELLER**

It would be impossible for you to buy better salt fish than we have gotten together for the Lenten season, as we have bought the very best the world produces. We have extra fat Norway Mackerel, Genuine No. 1 White Fish, Blood Red Alaska Salmon, Flat Herring, Genuine Holland Milcher Herring, Berlinger Roll Mopse, Deep Sea Ocean (Georges Middles) Cod Fish in Smoked Fish, Smoked Herring and Smoked Hallibut. We have bottled Anchovies in Oil, Anchovy Paste and Anchovy Sauce. An almost endless variety of canned fish. Give us your Lenten orders and see the quality we handle. If you think you don't like salt fish, most probably it is because you failed to get the right kind.

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