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ANTI-FUTURE TRADE SENTIMENT GROWS

TEXANS AT WASHINGTON PIONEERS IN OPPOSING GAMBLING IN FARM PRODUCTS.

WHEAT CORNER DISCUSSED

Kansas Congressman Thinks Measure to Prohibit Future Deals Will Have Much Stronger Backing Now.

Washington, D. C., April 16.—The corner in wheat, which has already resulted in the increase of the price of bread in some sections, has revived interest in the legislation to prohibit dealing in futures in farm products. During the last session of congress, Representatives Burleson, Henry and Smith of Texas made a hard fight for the enactment of such legislation, their efforts resulting in an interesting hearing before the house committee on agriculture on this subject.

At this hearing there was present, besides various State and National officers of the Farmers' Union, Hattie Summers of Dallas, who made a clear and telling argument in favor of legislation to stop gambling in farm products. Members of the committee took the keenest interest in the case which Mr. Summers and the representatives of the Farmers' Union made on this subject, and the only opposition which was made apparent by the line of questioning by members of the committee came from certain congressional districts from the grain States, who appeared to object to it on the ground that it would affect the operation of the wheat and other grain exchanges of the central West.

Protests Pouring In.

Since the recent corner in wheat, President Taft, Attorney General Wickesham and members of congress have received numerous protests against future dealing in wheat and other grains, and have been asked to urge congress to pass drastic measure prohibiting this evil. Representative Scott of Kansas, chairman of the house committee on agriculture, who enabled the Texas members to get a hearing on the anti-gambling bills before the committee, said today:

Kansan Gives View.

"Events of the past two or three weeks have brought this proposition of dealing in futures of farm products very sharply before the people. We know that a practical wheat corner exists, that the price of flour has gone up and that an increase in the selling price of bread is threatened. If that increase be only a cent a loaf the total for a day, a week or a month will be something enormous, the greater part of which must be paid by the poor.

"I think a measure to prohibit the dealing in futures of farm products will have more backing than ever before. This business of boosting up the price of wheat after the producer has sold it is bad business, and the results of this proposition in increasing the cost of flour and bread constitute an outrageous tax upon the people."

Cause For Recent Panic.

"I am convinced that the inception of the panic of 1907 was due to dealing in futures, thus tying up an enormous amount of money that would otherwise probably have stemmed the tide of hard times."

At the department of justice it is stated that no action has as yet been taken against the men who are supposed to be in conspiracy with warehouse men, dealers and railroads to bring about this condition in the wheat market. It is expected that if the government does proceed against them, it will be under the laws regulating interstate commerce, and that portion of the statutes prohibiting conspiracies in restraint of trade.

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WILLIAMS MAY GET THE APPOINTMENT

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., April 16.—Nothing definite has yet been given out regarding the appointment of a State railroad commissioner, but the latest report is that W. D. Williams of Fort Worth is likely to be selected.

Ralston's whole wheat bread at the Cream Bakery, 10 cents a loaf. 289-3tc

ALLEGED THAT JURORS HAD EXPRESSED OPINIONS.

Texas News Service Special. Jackson, Miss., April 16.—A motion for a new trial in the case of William Sorby, slayer of Postoffice Inspector Fitzgerald, was filed here today. The motion alleges Jurors Hurst, Johnson and Key expressed an opinion that Sorby should have been hung prior to being summoned as veniremen and Key said that he hoped to live long enough to see him hung. The motion contains twenty-seven counts, and the conclusion of the arguments is not expected until late this evening.

Leading Promoters in the City.

Messrs. W. T. Van Brunt of New York and Palmer L. Clark of Chicago, both promoters of National reputation, are in the city today in consultation with Messrs. Kemp & Kell in regard to the building up of Lake Wichita and making of it one of the best summer resorts in the Southwest. Mr. Clark is the owner of a famous summer resort at St. Joseph, Mo., and comes here on the invitation of the owners of Lake Wichita to give them the benefit of his experience and advice and make suggestions. Mr. Van Brunt comes with a view of interesting himself in the proposition.

Negro Hanged in Louisville.

By Associated Press. Louisville, Ky., April 16.—William Carter, a negro, was hanged here early today. Carter was condemned for the murder of William Walker, foreman at the Mengal box factory.

WATERS-PIERCE MANDATE AT AUSTIN

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., April 16.—The mandate from the Federal Supreme Court ending the Waters-Pierce litigation in favor of the State arrived here this morning and first goes to the third appellate court, then to the district court. It is announced that the corporation's officials will pay the fine of nearly two million dollars as soon as the papers are arranged.

Assistant Attorney General Lightfoot will file the mandate with the appellate court this afternoon and tomorrow will seek an order from District Judge Wilcox directing State Receiver Eckhardt to take charge of the property. Lightfoot will then go to Beaumont to obtain an order from the Federal Judge there directing Federal Receiver Dorchester to surrender the property to the State.

Taft Back in Washington.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., April 16.—President Taft and his military aid, Captain Butte, returned to Washington early today. The trip was without incident.

Don't miss seeing Reno, the great magician, tonight at the Majestic. 11

BAN ON BALLS AND RECEPTIONS

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., April 16.—An amendment tacked onto the appropriation bill in the house this morning provides that no part of the funds assigned to the State university be given that institution if the university authorities permit the benefits received from the funds to be jeopardized by allowing a "final reception" or any other such function in 1909 and 1910, and that such function cannot be held directly or indirectly by the university.

The amendment was offered by Representative Nickels and adopted by a large majority. Nickels was formerly editor of "The Teksan," the university paper and condemned the final ball in his articles.

TEXANS WILL RAISE FRUIT IN MEXICO.

Texas News Service Special. Terrell, Tex., April 16.—Terrell capitalists are organizing a company which has purchased seventeen hundred acres near Tampico, Mexico, for agricultural purposes.

I. L. Brin is president; W. H. Allen, treasurer; P. M. Payne, manager. All are Terrell citizens. The company will raise fruit on a large scale.

Bank Robbers in Michigan.

By Associated Press. Harrisville, Mich., April 16.—Burglars last night blew open the safe of the Algona county savings bank here and escaped with five thousand dollars.

BAKERS MAY RAISE PRICE OF BREAD

SAY THEY ARE LOSING MONEY ON EVERY LOAF THEY SELL.

CORNER COSTS MILLIONS

Texas Uses Fifteen Million Bushels of Wheat Annually—Milling Interests Affected.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Tex., April 16.—Locals bakers today are seriously talking of raising the price of bread as a result of the increased price of flour, following the Chicago corner of wheat.

The bakers say they are losing money on every loaf sold.

Texas requires about twenty million bushels of wheat annually for bread and if the price holds up, the corner will cost Texas fifteen million dollars this season.

Three big milling plants are located here which ship flour to hundreds of cities throughout the Southwest and Fort Worth will be the most effected of any city in the southwest.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—Liverpool.

Liverpool, Eng., April 16.—Spot cotton, 5,540. Sales 10,000 bales. Receipts 20,000 bales. Market opened firm and closed barely steady.			
Open	High	Close	
April-May	5.40	5.40-5.35 1/2	
May-June	5.44 1/2	5.45 1/2-5.45 1/2	
June-July	5.48	5.48-5.39	
July-August	5.50	5.50-5.42	
Oct.-Nov.	5.41	5.41-5.35	

Cotton—New York Spots.

New York, April 16.—Spot cotton market opened quiet. Middlings, 10.60. No sales reported. Future market opened quiet and closed steady.			
Open	High	Close	
May	10.40	10.40-10.27-28	
July	10.42	10.42-10.28-29	
October	10.24	10.24-10.11-12	

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.

New Orleans, La., April 16.—Spot cotton market very steady at 10.3-16c. Sales 1850 bales. Due to arrive 2450 bales.			
Open	High	Close	
May	10.27	10.27-10.21-23	
July	10.46	10.46-10.41-42	
October	10.14	10.14-10.08-09	

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.

Future market opened barely steady and closed steady.			
Open	High	Close	
May	10.27	10.27-10.21-23	
July	10.46	10.46-10.41-42	
October	10.14	10.14-10.08-09	

Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat	Open	High	Close	
May	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	
July	116 1/2	117	117	
September	106 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	
Corn				
May	68 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	
July	66 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	
September	66 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	
Oats				
May	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	
July	48 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	
September	40 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	

ROBERT OGDEN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press. Atlanta, Ga., April 16.—Robert Ogden of New York was today elected for the tenth time as president of the Conference for Education in the South. C. L. Coon of Wilson, N. C., spoke on "Public Taxation and Negro Schools."

President Ellis of the University of Texas urged a knowledge of things as a bulwark against waste.

Senate Adjourns Until Monday.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., April 16.—The senate held a brief session this morning, passing a bill amending Cleburne's city charter.

Lockett of McLennan introduced a bill requiring railroads to maintain suitable facilities at all stations. The senate then adjourned until Monday.

Double Tragedy at Dallas.

Texas News Service Special. Dallas, Tex., April 16.—The lifeless body of Tom and Mary Rice were found in an alley late last night with their throats cut. It was at first supposed to be a case of double murder, but a note found in the man's pocket stated that he had cut his wife's throat and then his own, saying that his wife was untrue.

Ralston's whole wheat bread at the Cream Bakery, 10 cents a loaf. 289-3tc

TWENTY MAY HAVE PERISHED IN FIRE

SAN FRANCISCO ROOMING HOUSE WAS DEATH TRAP FOR MORE THAN A SCORE.

SIX BODIES RECOVERED

Eight or Ten Others Believed to Be Buried in the Ruins.

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Cal., April 16.—Fire early today destroyed St. George's hotel, a lodging house. Three hundred guests were thrown into a panic.

While it is not known how many lives were lost, the clerk reports that at least twenty guests have not been accounted for.

Six men were burned, one probably fatally, and many were injured by jumping from the upper stories.

Twenty May Die.

Six bodies have been recovered and there are probably eight or ten others buried in the ruins. The bodies are charred beyond identification.

GRANDFIELD WOMAN ELOPES WITH HER AFFINITY.

How B. A. Walker, a blacksmith and esteemed citizen of our neighboring town of Grandfield, pursued his eloping wife and paramour through Texas and a large part of Oklahoma, is interestingly related by the Chronicle of Clinton, Okla., where Mr. Walker arrived hot upon the scent, but a few hours after the elopers had left for Arapahoe. The chase was resumed and the outcome we have not learned.

According to the Chronicle, Mrs. Walker, who is described as a particularly attractive blonde, with her little daughter Eva, had been visiting at Altus, where she met her affinity. They, in company with a 20-year old brunette of striking appearance, a single woman, together with her affinity, pooled their issues, formed an eloping syndicate and left Altus.

The story goes that the little girl, Eva, was being harshly treated by her ma's paramour, whom the mother affectionately called "Curly."

Mrs. Walker is said to be hardly twenty-three years old and the child is but five.—Frederick Leader.

Real Estate Transfers.

Fred Joehrendt to Mrs. Hattie May Abbott, lot 2 in block 173, Wichita Falls; \$1,500.

W. C. Smith et al to W. S. Warren, lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 12, Iowa Park; \$150.

J. L. Kunnell and wife to Jas. A. Seay, 175 acres of S. O. Fowler survey; \$3,200.

Minnie May Addicks to M. M. Murray, lot 10 in block 206; \$3,615.

Geo. L. Woodward to W. S. Duffie, 156.4 acres Waggoner colony; \$1,123.

J. R. Chandler et ux to Mrs. M. H. Jackson, lot 14 in block 118; \$1,900.

George Kovorik et ux to W. J. Davis, lot 7 block 22; \$1,600.

W. A. Herndon et ux to W. W. Swartz, lots 19 and 20, block 62, Wichita Falls; \$300.

W. L. Dillard et ux to J. D. Jones, part of lots 6 and 7 in block 125; \$1,200.

L. W. Van Doozen to Fred and Chas. Lautenslager, tract in Wichita county; \$875.

Fred Littken et ux to John Littken, tract 16L2 acres Wichita county; \$2,850.

CALLED TO CHICAGO.

George Cotter of the Denver to Attend Burlington Conference.

George F. Cotter, general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver, has been called to Chicago, to attend a meeting of all the Burlington operative officials. He left Wednesday night, going by way of Denver, where he will meet officials of the Colorado and Southern.

This will be the first meeting of Burlington officials Mr. Cotter has attended since the C. and S. property passed under the control of the Hill lines.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Robbers Get \$9,000 at Lucien, Okla.

Enid, Ok., April 16.—Robbers dynamited the safe of the bank at Lucien, east of here, last night and escaped with a thousand dollars in currency and notes to the amount of nine thousand dollars. The interior of the building was wrecked.

Ralston's whole wheat bread at the Cream Bakery, 10 cents a loaf. 289-3tc

LET CONTRACT FOR NEW ROUND HOUSE.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Tex., April 16.—The contract was let here today to the O'Rourke Construction Company for the erection of a new Texas and Pacific round house to cost a hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to replace the one destroyed in the recent fire. The new building will be fire proof.

Switch Engine Strikes Carriage.

Texas News Service Special. Texarkana, Ark., April 16.—A Texas and Pacific switch engine struck a carriage containing J. R. Terry and wife this morning, hurling both out. Both were seriously injured. The horse was killed and the carriage was splintered.

PACKERS CHARGED WITH VIOLATING REVENUE LAWS.

By Associated Press. Topeka, Kan., April 16.—Indictments were returned today by the Federal grand jury against the Cudahy Packing Co. of Kansas City, Kansas, on 737 counts for defrauding the government out of \$8,000 by violations of the international revenue laws.

BEAUMONT MAN OFFERS \$50,000 FOR JOHNSON-JEFFRIES BOUT.

Texas News Service Special. Beaumont, Tex., April 16.—James Gossett of this city today wired an offer of fifty thousand dollars for the Johnson-Jeffries fight. He says he means business.

WILL SPECIALIZE IN WATERMELONS

R. E. Huff, T. R. T. Orth, G. D. Anderson, Wm. Huff and Secretary Gohlke went to Burkburnett last evening on the Northwestern motor car to attend a meeting of the Burkburnett Commercial club. The club is just being organized and the members voted their thanks to the Wichita Falls party in showing a friendly interest in their undertakings and pledging their co-operation.

The incorporation of the town is one of the first matters the club is taking up. In addition to this the organization will lend its efforts to encourage and systematize the growing and marketing of watermelons, which that section is seriously thinking of specializing in and will no doubt become well known for its product before very long.

WANT STATE'S RAILROAD EXTENDED TO DALLAS.

Texas News Service Special. Palestine, Tex., April 16.—Mayor Hearne and President Ozmgnt of the board of trade, left here today for Dallas to interest the business men there in the extension of the State railroad from Palestine to Dallas. They are confident of succeeding.

DIED AT RIPE OLD AGE OF 91 YEARS

Mr. Thomas Murgatroyd died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. F. Boren, 505 Lamar avenue, at 9:30 o'clock this morning at the ripe old age of 91 years and 16 days.

He was born in Fairfax, Canada, April 1, 1818, and came to Wichita Falls for a visit with his daughter about a year ago and since that time has been a resident of this city.

He has been an intelligent, devout Methodist for more than seventy years. He leaves a son and six daughters, none of whom are here excepting Mrs. Boren.

His funeral will be conducted by Rev. W. T. Morrow at the residence of O. H. Boren, 505 Lamar avenue, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

KATY ROAD SECURES A COUNTER INJUNCTION.

Texas News Service Special. Oklahoma City, Ok., April 16.—Texas cattlemen were favored by the temporary injunction issued today by the Federal court in Guthrie offsetting the Osage county injunction which keeps Texas cattle from the Osage nation. The federal injunction was granted on the application of the Katy railroad and restrains the Osage county officials from refusing to accept Texas cattle for pasturage.

Mr. Homestead, the funniest man on earth, is at the Majestic, also playing many different instruments, of which he is pronounced by all as great. It

TWO AMERICANS WERE KILLED

IN ARMENIAN MASSACRE, SAYS REPORT FROM ADANA IN ASIATIC TURKEY.

SIXTY ARMENIANS DEAD

Reported Also That Famine Prevails in Macedonia and Old Servia in Thousands are Suffering.

By Associated Press. Constantinople, Turkey, April 16.—Information received here today from Adana, Asiatic Turkey, declares that two American missionaries were killed in the anti-Armenian outbreak at that place.

Reports from Macedonia and old Servia say that a famine is prevailing in those districts. Eight thousand families are suffering, the correspondent declares, and more than a hundred persons have already died of starvation.

One report says that sixty Armenians were killed and many houses have been looted and burned. Ambassador Leisman had no direct news of the reported killing of two American missionaries. He has sent Vice Consul Debbas to the scene.

Troops Leave for Capital.

By Associated Press. Saloniki, Turkey, April 16.—A battalion of troops left here by train last night for the capital. Another departed this morning and others are preparing to leave.

Horrible Massacre Going On.

Berlin, Germany, April 16.—A dispatch received today from Messina says that the city of Adana has been aflame since last Wednesday evening and that horrible massacres are being carried out on the streets.

Arrivals at the St. James.

K. A. Meyers, New York; A. J. Harrington, Fort Worth; M. W. Bahan, Corsicana; L. P. Walker, Oklahoma City; J. J. Echols, Oklahoma City; P. E. Winstrom, Denison; W. R. Hepscom, Denison; D. M. Darling, Fort Worth; E. W. Dickson, St. Louis; G. A. Hunter, Dallas; V. T. McClelland, Louisville; T. W. Gerard, Louisville, Ky.; J. J. Giddings, Erlvne; L. E. Stuck, Fort Worth; E. E. Hubbard, Chicago; T. E. Hopson, St. Louis; J. K. Richards, Quanah; Tom Voorlies, St. Louis; S. R. Maxwell, St. Louis; R. E. Flood, Fort Worth; A. A. Zachary, Ft. Worth; W. B. Smith, Anson; T. W. Shaw, Dallas; T. E. Consigny, Denison; E. A. Sterling, Sapulpa, Ok.; W. B. Patterson, city; J. E. Reilly, Fort Worth; D. R. Crow, Fort Worth; W. A. Logan, Dallas; C. M. Bland, Dallas; R. L. O'Neill, St. Louis; W. J. Harbin, Waxahachie; L. R. Black, Independence, Kan.; F. W. LaRue, Cinto, Ark.; R. L. Dyers, Fort Worth; W. H. Osborn, Chicago; T. J. Remas, Stamford; E. S. Lyne, Dallas; Robt. Joiner, Dallas; F. H. Bullis, Chicago; J. F. Agnew, Cinto, Ark.; S. J. Eisman, Oklahoma City; Wm. Campbell Jr., St. Louis; S. A. Elrod, Lawton, Ok.; W. C. Oberst, Kansas City; J. H. Stine, Chickasha; Harry King, Oklahoma City; W. R. Metcalf, Cinto; J. Well, Waco; H. R. Phillips, Waco; H. McMurray, Dallas; J. A. Harris, Fort Worth; J. Chambers, Fort Worth; A. Emory, Chicago, Ill.; W. O. Hammond, Baltimore, Md.; J. M. Wilson, Dallas; W. M. Ballard, Philadelphia, Pa.; J. R. Barnhill, Whiting La.; E. Vautrain, Fort Worth; W. C. Gibson, Leonard; S. Y. Young, St. Louis; B. C. Daugherty, Fort Worth; Frank Baker, Haskell; E. C. Turner, San Antonio.

Senator Perkins Ill.

McKinney, Tex., April 16.—Senator Tom W. Perkins became seriously sick while visiting his family here yesterday. He is reported much improved today and will return to Austin sooner than was expected at first.

HANDSOME HOUSE FOR S. T. SCALING

The contract for the building of S. T. Scaling's residence on the ten-acre block just this side of the suburban residence of M. S. Skinner, was awarded yesterday to Hickman & Hamilton, including all barns and outouses.

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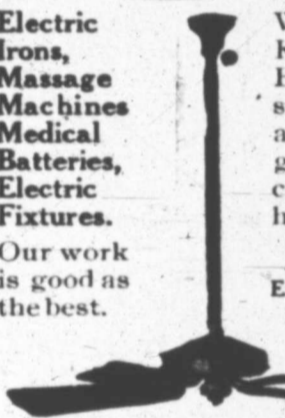
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BRAKEMAN WANTS \$25,000 DAMAGES FOR INJURIES.

D. E. McIntyre filed suit in the district court yesterday against the F. W. and D. C. Ry. Co. and Wells-Fargo Express Co., for \$25,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained in an accident October 8 of last year, in which the plaintiff alleges he sustained serious injuries as a result of being struck by an express truck while riding past the depot platform on the ladder of a box car, the plaintiff then being in the employ of the railroad company as a freight brakeman.

In his petition the plaintiff alleges that at the time of the accident he was earning \$110 per month and that since his partial recovery he has been able to earn only \$40 per month, being incapacitated for his former employment.

John W. Veale is attorney for McIntyre. The case will be heard during the coming term of court.—Amarillo Panhandle.

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Wichita Falls and Southern.
Leaves Wichita Falls 3:10 p. m.
Arrives Archer City 5:15 p. m.
Arrives Olney 6:40 p. m.
Arrives Newcastle 8:00 p. m.
Leaves Newcastle 6:15 a. m.
Leaves Olney 7:30 a. m.
Leaves Archer City 8:55 a. m.
Arrives Wichita Falls 11:00 a. m.
C. L. FONTAINE, G. P. A.

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 a. 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 a. m. 3:25 a. m.
No. 8 2:15 a. m. 2:55 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 8:09 a. m.

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

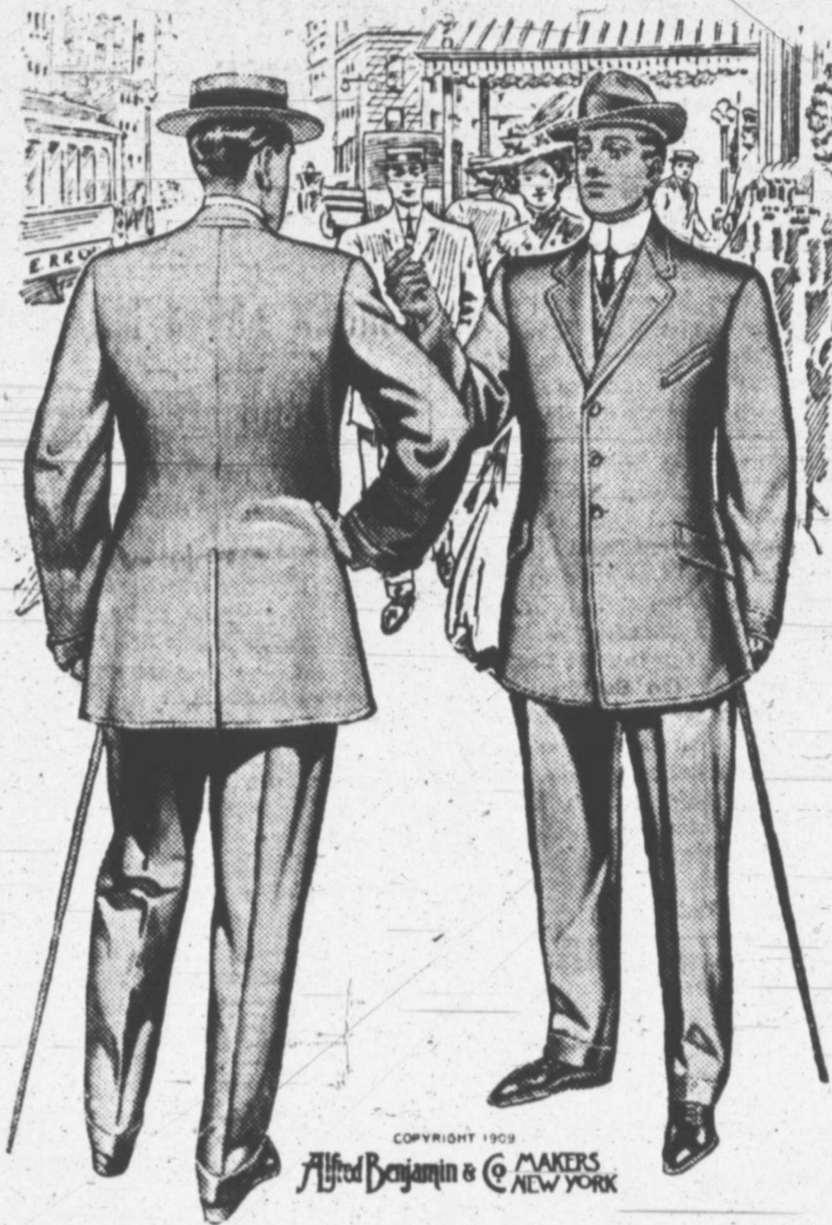
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OUR DUTY impels us to assist in the building of religious institutions, regardless of denomination, and **TO DO OUR PART** we will donate 10 per cent of the total sales on each Wednesday for four consecutive weeks, commencing with April 14th, to the building of the First Christian Church and the First Methodist Episcopal Church, each church to receive ten per cent of the sales of two entire days, in the order named:

- First Christian Church, - - April 14th
- First Christian Church, - - April 28th
- First Methodist Episcopal Church Apr. 21
- First Methodist Episcopal Church May 5

THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY of the First Christian Church will assist our sales department April 14th and April 28; the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will assist in a like manner on April 21st and May 5th. Special prices will be made on these days in all departments. This assistance will be rendered to any religious denomination erecting a church in Wichita Falls costing \$10,000.00 or more.

YOURS TO PLEASE

Pennington's

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS

Owing to a delay in my fixtures and the decorating of my new place I could not move on April 1st. At the present I think I will be in my new place by April 15, where I want to meet all my friends and customers. Remember the place—next door to Lawler's Barber Shop. Watch for opening of this fine Jewelry Store.

A. S. FONVILLE THE JEWELER

Wagons! Buggies! Harness!

We wish to announce that we have opened up a vehicle store on Ohio avenue, three doors south of the postoffice, where we carry in stock a full and complete line of the famous

STUDEBAKER SURRIES, RUNABOUTS, BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, PHAETONS, FARM WAGONS, Delivery Wagons, Harness

Boyd, Robertson & Company

A TIMES "WANT AD." FOR QUICK RESULTS

What Our Neighbors Think of Us.

The date of the visit of the Fourth Regiment Band to Wichita Falls has been definitely made for Thursday, April 22, and Director Harris has already begun the arrangement of his program for the occasion. This program, so Director Harris states, will be "the best in the shop" and will include some of the latest and most attractive music published.

The concert will be given under the auspices of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, and it was expected that a goodly sum will be raised for the benefit of the Chamber of Commerce band, which is being organized there and for the stimulation of which cause the services of the Fourth Regiment band has been engaged.

"Wichita Falls has the liveliest bunch of boosters I ever fell in with," said Director Harris to a Herald representative Tuesday afternoon. "When anything for the good of the town is suggested the board of directors are right on the spot to take hold of it and push it, and every member of the organization, as well as every citizen in the town seems to be ready to back up the board in anything they decide is worth doing."

"An example of the way they do things, you can take our engagement, for instance. I had some correspondence with the secretary—himself one of the liveliest fellows you ever saw—who asked me to come up there. I arrived in the afternoon, had a talk with him, and he told me to come back and meet the board of directors at 9 the next morning. In the meantime, they must have held a meeting or visited the members, for when I arrived at the Chamber of Commerce at the appointed hour, I found every member of the board present, ready to talk business. It did not take thirty minutes to close a contract and arrange all details, except the date, which was partially left to me, as I had to see which day of the three they suggested would best suit my boys to get away."

"Do you know, that secretary is drawing a salary of \$200 per month, he has two stenographers and typewriters busy all the time, and has at his disposal about \$200 per month to be used in advertising. And he is sending out advertising matter, too. Does it pay? Well, I suppose it does, or such men as Joe Kemp, Wiley Blair and the hundreds of other successful business men would not be putting up for it."

"Oh, they are a live bunch of triple circuit wires in that town, and it does a fellow good to be among them for a few hours. It just makes him feel like doing things himself."

Strawberries for Saturday's trade. Phone 64. 291-1t TREVATHAN & BLAND.

C. L. Fontaine, general freight and passenger agent of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, was in Dallas yesterday from his headquarters in Wichita Falls. Mr. Fontaine asserts that the prospects for good crops in the northwestern part of the State are favorable. "We have no knockers up our way," he said, "and if everybody tells you the same thing about the country there must be some truth in it. The residents of Wichita Falls are the most contented people in the United States. A knocker would starve to death trying to live among those cheerful-minded people."—Dallas News.

Fresh vegetables for Saturday's trade. Phone 64. 291-1t TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Will Build into Olney. Jacksboro, Tex., April 14.—The Gulf, Texas and Western railway has let a contract for the grading of another twenty miles of its line. This contract commences at the end of the first twenty miles west of Jacksboro and this will take the contract to the town of Olney in Young county. Grigsby of Dallas, Tex., secured the contract. All of the contractors on the first twenty miles are progressing rapidly. The first mile and one-half out of Jacksboro has been finished, and the steel is down. The connection track with the Rock Island is completed.

Strawberries for Saturday's trade. Phone 64. 291-1t TREVATHAN & BLAND.

The A. B. Patterson Poultry and Produce Co. yesterday shipped another carload of 350 cases of eggs to New York City. This shipment is the sixth carload that has been shipped out of Wichita Falls recently for Eastern markets.

Wanted. Fifty salesladies to help us in our mighty sale. Apply at once. See ad today. 290-2tc A. R. DUKE & CO.

Try 'Em. Our cold drinks and pure ice cream. Filtered cistern water used. 287-6t E. S. MORRIS & CO.

If you want nice barrel kraut, phone 261. D. B. King, successor to King & White. 287-1f

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STILL WE GROW--WHY?

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This is a strong, careful safe and successful institution. It is a growing, active up-to-date bank in every particular.

Your account will be appreciated by the Bank and your interests will always be carefully considered.

Our funds are guarded by a modern burglar proof safe in a protected vault.

Our officers are experienced Bankers. Our directors are all well known, well-to-do business men; they are directors who DIRECT.

If you are not a customer of this Bank let this be your invitation to become one.

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

TO THE PUBLIC

You can get the choicest of beef, pork, mutton and veal, Swift's Premium cured or cooked hams and breakfast bacon, bologna, frankfurts, Brookfield, midget, link, and all pork pan sausage, minced loaf, chill, pickled pigs' feet, dressed chicken and turkey, fish and oysters, guaranteed pure hog lard, at

THE FILGO MARKET

726 Indiana ave. WOODALL & MOTTLAY, Proprietors. Phone 168.
Highest prices paid for fat Cattle and Hogs. We want your trade.

JOSEPH A. KEMP, President P. P. LANGFORD, Cashier.
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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. ::
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THE A. L. TOMPKINS PLUMBING CO.

IS STILL IN BUSINESS
Oldest Firm in City. All Work Guaranteed. None but experienced men employed.

REPAIR WORK A SPECIALTY

and attended to promptly. Office and shop corner Tenth and Lamar. Phone 61.

Plumbing

I have had 17 years practical experience in the plumbing business and am the only practical man in the plumbing and heating business in this city. Will be glad to figure with you on anything in my line. Will give a strict guarantee, if necessary, on all work. We can furnish you with goods made by any of the leading manufacturers of the United States.
Am now making a special price of \$22.50 on Porcelain Bath Tubs, which can't be bought for the money by any of my competitors.
Will open up for the present at Abbott Paint Co., corner of Eighth street and Ohio avenue.
W. W. Coleman.

IMPERIAL BARBER SHOP



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Ed Howard General Manager
B. D. Donnell City Editor
Wichita Falls, Texas, April 16th, 1909.

WEATHER FORECAST.
For Wichita Falls and Vicinity
Tonight and Saturday, partly cloudy. Warmer tonight.

TAFT'S BEGINNING.

Houston Post.
The good impression that the administration of President Taft has already made on the country is no less gratifying to democrats than to republicans. True, he was elected by republican votes and is committed to the carrying out of the policies of that party, but it is in the fact that they believe he is broad enough to use his utmost energies to enforce these policies in the spirit of intelligent patriotism which seeks the largest welfare of the whole people, that democrats feel that they have just grounds for sharing in the general confidence that during the next four years we are to have an administration of national affairs creditable to the increasing greatness of our common country.

The new administration has now been in harness something over a month and within that time something has actually been accomplished.

"Among the things that have come to pass," says the Wall Street Journal, "is a remarkable change in the estimate in which the business community holds the Federal administration as represented in the chief executive. Meanwhile developments in

VICTIMS OF NEGLECT.

If You Ignore the Warnings Sent up by Ailing Kidneys You are on the Straight Road to Bright's Disease.

When anything is wrong in the kidneys the symptoms are manifest from the top of your head to the sole of your feet.

The following are some of them: Headache, dizzy spells, sluggish brain, drowsiness, dark rings and floating specks before the eyes, sallow skin, bad breath, heartburn, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, disorder in the urine, backache, weak pulse, constipated or irregular bowels, aching at the knees, vertigo in the feet.

Prickly Ash Bitters is the right medicine for such symptoms; pre-eminently a kidney tonic, system cleanser and regulator. It contains all the necessary properties of a successful kidney medicine in addition to its admirable influence in strengthening and regulating the stomach, liver and bowels.

Prickly Ash Bitters begins right by cleansing the bladder and bowels—thereby driving out the impurities which started all the trouble. After this has been accomplished the healing and restorative element in the medicine will continue the good work, building up anew the weakened kidneys, stimulating the liver to greater activity, purifying the blood, and extending its restorative influence to every part of the body. As a result the appetite and digestion improve, the eyes are brighter, the strength returns, the hollow cheeks fill out, the complexion loses that sallow/muddy cast, giving place to a clear skin and the ruddy glow of health.

Much depends on the promptness with which the treatment is commenced. Prickly Ash Bitters has cured many advanced cases that would not yield to other remedies, but it must be remembered that there is a stage in kidney disease beyond which no power on earth can save the patient. Take Warning! If you suspect anything wrong with your kidneys, begin treatment at once. It is your best hope of a cure.

L. G. Zachery, Lodi, Tex., says: "I never tried anything like Prickly Ash Bitters before in my life. It does its work almost in a night. I am now telling all my friends about your great remedy and all who try it speak of the splendid results. It has done me so much good that I will never again be without it in my house."

Get the genuine with the figure "8" in red on front label.
Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00.

MATER-MAGNER DRUG Co
Quality Druggists 702 Indiana Ave.

trade and industry have been of a mixed character. In some fields of enterprise there has been a decided improvement; in others still further curtailment. But on the whole the outlook is really brighter because there is less anxiety and more confidence in the capacity of the country to give a good account of itself as soon as the fundamental questions of the tariff and methods of raising revenue are out of the way. On its own account the new administration has been doing things. It has dismissed one of the most spectacular cases against corporations and pushed with vigor another to the final stage of argument. The battle royal between the government's attorneys and those of the Standard Oil at St. Louis, in the Federal court may prove to be an epoch-making event. Of course, the preparation of this case all belongs to the preceding administration, but there is a feeling that the spirit of procedure has somehow changed for the better. . . . Meanwhile, in the strictly administrative branches of the public service it is understood that President Taft has gone gradually to work to inform himself on existing conditions, on the desirableness of retaining or dispensing with the services of the bureau or divisional heads. In diplomatic circles gradual changes are being made apparently with due regard, so far as personality is concerned, to the fitness of appointees for the service. Taken as a whole the country has good reason to be gratified at the result of the first month's new management of Federal interests. It is too soon, of course, to expect large results, but enough has been done to prove that the president has a sensitive regard for obligations and a well balanced conception of the type of man that should be appointed to service.

In short, from the start the new president has made, the country has every reason to feel assured that his administration of public affairs will be clean, forceful and constitutional.

The article which appeared in yesterday's paper in the editorial column under the caption of "Reads a Van Zandt Editor a Severe Lecture," should have been credited to the Chilled Post. The article was properly credited when it left the editor's desk, but was left off by the linotype man, and the proof reader failed to catch the error.

Comments on the Times Special Edition

The Best in the Panhandle.
The illustrated edition of the Wichita Daily Times has reached us and we must say that it is decidedly the best effort of the kind ever put forth in the Panhandle country. It contained forty pages of illustrations and good descriptive matter, which could hardly be gotten up anywhere else than Wichita Falls. Some fifteen thousand copies were printed and these are being sent out to advertise the town and country. The Record wishes to congratulate Editor Howard on his splendid success in this undertaking. The fact that it is fully appreciated by the home people is clearly shown in that it was most liberally patronized by the business men. It will be worth thousands to Wichita Falls. In this connection we wish to say that each and every issue of the Times comes well up to the highest standard set by the small dailies of the State. It gives a good class of news and reaches Vernon a day earlier than the big dailies. The Record has always been an admirer of the Times.—Vernon Record.

The above is very nice, but the editor of the Times does not wish to claim all credit for the great success of the Times' Special Illustrated Edition. When it was determined to put out the special, the Times knew that in order to make it succeed it would be necessary to secure the services of the best man in the State and therefore it made arrangements with Mr. Fred Chase, who makes special edition work his business, and while he has gotten out many such editions, in only one instance has he succeeded better than his effort on the Times. This one exception was that of the Beaumont Journal, issued during the great oil boom in that city, when a square foot of land on Spindle Top was selling for as high as \$100,000.

The Banner is in receipt of the booster edition of the Wichita Daily Times. This mammoth edition of forty pages probably leads this section of the State in the matter of illustrated editions and will be a great help in the pushing of Wichita into the list of large cities. Archer City, Byers and Newcastle are represented. Nearly everything important or interesting about the city is mentioned and illustrated with 100 cuts. Our sister is to be congratulated on her enterprise. In fact, something of this kind had to be done, and many other things will have to be done to keep Wichita property up to its present value. This value is already as high as property in the large cities and it is up to the town to grow to it. As some one here has said, Wichita is about to make a spoon or spoil a horn.—Seymour Banner.

The remaining copies of the Times illustrated edition are going rapidly and we advise those who haven't se-

cured all they want to call at once for less than 800 copies of the entire issue remain unsold. At one mailing yesterday 1600 copies were sent out to addresses in every section of the country. Each of these papers bore a two-cent stamp and will go to some person who has expressed a desire to learn something about the marvelous Wichita country. Again we advise our friends to secure copies while they can.

The special edition of the Wichita Times was by all odds the finest piece of advertising ever given this part of the State. The pictures were instructive and nicely printed. The reading matter was ably gotten up and after reading it over carefully we found not a single truth stretched. We thank the management for the liberal space given to Archer county.—Archer County News.

The special edition of the Wichita Falls Daily Times is one of the best specimens of newspapers that ever came under our observation, and if properly distributed will be worth millions to that growing little city.—Chillicothe Hornet.

Thanks, Bro. Hendricks. The distribution has been properly attended to.

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ALL KINDS BUILDING MATERIAL AND GENERAL CONTRACTORS

NO TROUBLE TO FURNISH ESTIMATES.

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Clean-up Day

IS NOT COMPLETED until you have looked after the watches and clocks which belong to the household and have them put in perfect condition.

We make a specialty of this kind of work, at very reasonable prices. Every job being personally attended to by the proprietor of the business, whose seventeen years experience in this work insures you the very best service.

Our line of jewelry, cut glass, china and silverware is all new and up-to-date. Call and see for yourself.

B. T. BURGESS
JEWELER.
Repairing a Specialty.

Plumbing

Steam and Hot Water Heating estimates made free. All kinds of Plumbing repairing done by practical plumbers. We also carry in stock the Eclipse and the Roberts natural stone germ proof Filters. Located at city hall building Phone 304.

WICHITA PLUMBING CO.

BATHS!

FIVE NEW BATHROOMS AT **LAWLER'S BARBER SHOP**
YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT
Baths—Salt Glow, plain, hot or cold, good rubbers in attendance. Call and see me.

L.H. LAWLER, PROP.

DOOMED

As the bell tolls the hour of nine a. m. Saturday April 17 profits on everything women or children can wear are doomed, this immense stock must be sold, nothing reserved, entire stock will sell.

Like a thunderbolt from the clear sky comes this monster sale crushing prices to the lowest point. Never before such wholesale sacriligious slaughter of seasonable merchandise, never before such amazing, almost unbelievable reduction in price. \$30,000 stock of merchandise converted into a grand sensational bargain panorama, a veritable wonderland causing joyland with astounding bargains that will open your eyes in amazement by daring feats and raging torrents of underselling that will dazzle and delight every mortal man, woman and child within a radius of one hundred miles. Pandemonium will reign in the grand rush to the big bargain bins. The shelves will be cleaned to the naked walls to pile high the immense bargain counters with brand new goods at prices that will cause a fast furious selling unknown as yet in the history of Wichita Falls. Remember it is A. R. Duke & Co's entire stock, nothing reserved.

BEWARE

Hark you not to the tales of bargains of old shop worn goods but come to this matchless battle of bargains in bran new dependable merchandise. Prices will prevail below your wildest dreams of exalted agitation. Be on hand the opening hour, April 17. Remember it is the entire stock of A. R. Duke & Company.

Sale Starts Saturday 9 A. M.
And Continues Ten Long Days

\$5 in gold given away absolutely FREE	10 beautiful dress patterns given away FREE
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See the Big Circulars

Be on hand at the opening hour and see the fun, you may get a prize. Come one, come all; come big, come small; short or tall.

A. R. DUKE & CO.

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS.

Do You Use

"BELLE OF WICHITA"

Wichita Mill & Elevator Co.

IT'S THE BEST FLOUR ON THE MARKET

Peaches and Cream

That appeals to your appetite doesn't it?
California Lemon Cling Peaches are the best variety for this purpose, because of their exceptional size and flavor, so in preparing

White Horse Lemon Cling Peaches

packers search the California orchards carefully, taking only the very best crops grown, and then only the most perfect individual peaches,

These peaches are, most of them, about three inches in diameter; are solid, but ripe and, are not mushed up in cooking.

The flavor is delightful.

2 1-2 lb. Cans 35c

Enough for six or seven people in one can.

NUTT, STEVENS & HARDEMAN

WICHITA FALLS. PHONES 432 and 232.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED—A Want Ad placed in the "Want" column of the Daily Times will cost you just One Cent a Word for one insertion; half a cent a word for each following insertion.
If you have anything to sell, advertise it; if you want to buy anything, advertise for it; if you want boarders or board say so in a Want Ad.
All ads in classified columns, except those carrying regular accounts with this office, must be accompanied by the cash to insure insertion.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.
WANTED—Plain and fancy sewing at reasonable prices. All work guaranteed. Call on Mrs. A. Mayo, 1303 Burnett avenue. 291-61p

WANTED—Ten thousand men and women, boys and girls, to bring their shoes to Wichita Shoe Shop, 712 Ohio avenue. We are prepared to do it right and guarantee it. Fair treatment to all. Prices reasonable. 288-tfc

REAL ESTATE.
FOR SALE—1 1/4 acres of land one-half mile south of high school. Phone 597. 265-tfc

FOR SALE—My residence property. Call on or address Geo. A. Soule, 907 Travis avenue. 289-tfc

FOR SALE—Two choice lots, close in. One 60x140, fronting north on Tenth street. One 60x150, fronting west on Burnett st. See J. C. Ziegler, owner. 271-tf

FOR SALE—Sub-irrigated land, especially adapted to the growth of corn, alfalfa and all kinds of small grain, entirely on time. Phone 461, or see Derden Land Co., room 3 over City National bank. 289-tfc

FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Room, furnished or unfurnished. 1008 Bluff ave. 291-31p

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 201 Travis. E. L. Noey. 289-31p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. 1907 Seventh st. 291-31p

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room, south and east exposures. Apply at 1200 Scott avenue. Phone 427. 291-tf

FOR RENT—Very desirable ground floor office room. See Farmers' Bank and Trust Co. 284-tfc

WANTED.
WANTED—Roomers and boarders at 1307 Burnett street. Modern house. 288-61c

WANTED—Experienced woman to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. A. A. H. Carigan. 289-31c

WANTED—To rent a three or four room house. Phone Robertson-Russell Hardware Co. 289-31p

WANTED—Girl to live with us as one of family. Wages by week or month. Address Box 855, city. 290-2tc

WANTED—Manager for branch office we wish to locate here in Wichita Falls. Address The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio. 269-30t

WANTED—Board and pleasant room with modern conveniences in private refined family by two young men; near business center. Address "S. and C." care Times. 290-2tc

WANTED—Clerical position by man with fifteen years railroad experience, a bookkeeper, all-touch typist, student stenographer. Maximum 100 words. X. Y. Z. care of Modern Rooming House. 287-61p

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Iron safe at a bargain. See J. R. Patty. 287-tfc

FOR SALE—A good fresh milk cow. Apply at 808 Travis ave. 291-31c

FOR SALE—Good milk cow. See Jas. Elliott, at Collier & Hendricks. 289-tfc

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one new piano. Inquire at Glenn's shoe shop, 712 Seventh st. 290-31c

FOR SALE—Peanut and popcorn machine cheap. Inquire at Owl Confectionery. 290-61c

FOR SALE—Full blooded Plymouth rock eggs, \$2.00 per setting. Apply at 1310 12th st. 290-31p

FOR SALE—Five full-blooded Plymouth Rock roosters. See Mrs. L. B. Jenne, farm phone 434-31. 264-tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

PASTURE for all 'idle stock in Wichita Falls. See J. W. Henderson, 281-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—To secure work as gardener by day or job. See me at Pan-handle Implement Co. T. H. Striman. 277-12tp

WANTED—Position as 'clerk. Have had three years experience with liquor and grocery. Speak two languages. W. V. Marek, R. F. D. No. 3, Seymour, Texas. 289-31p

HE OBEYED ORDERS.

A Young Recruit's Rapid Rise to Title and Power.
One day a young recruit was standing guard before the door of the entrance to Peter the Great's private chambers in the palace of St. Petersburg. He had received orders to admit no one.

As he was passing slowly up and down before the door Prince Menschikoff, the favorite minister of the czar, approached and attempted to enter. He was stopped by the recruit.

The prince, who had the fullest liberty of calling upon his master at any time, sought to push the guard and pass him. Yet the young man would not move, but ordered his highness to stand back.

"You idiot!" shouted the prince. "Don't you know me? You'll be punished for this!"

The recruit smiled and said: "Very well, your highness, but my orders are peremptory to let nobody pass."

The prince, exasperated at the fellow's impudence, struck him a blow in the face with his riding whip.

"Strike away, your highness," said the soldier, "but I cannot let you go in."

Peter, in the room, hearing the noise outside, opened the door and inquired what it meant, and the prince told him.

The czar appeared amused, but said nothing at the time.

In the evening, however, he sent for the prince and the soldier. As they both appeared Peter gave his own case to the soldier, saying:

"That man struck you in the morning. Now you must return the blow to that fellow with my stick."

The prince was amazed. "Your majesty," he said, "this common soldier is to strike me?"

"I make him a captain," said Peter. "But I'm an officer of your majesty's household," objected the prince.

"I make him a colonel of my life guards and an officer of the household," said Peter again.

"My rank, your majesty knows, is that of general," again protested Menschikoff.

"Then I make him a general, so that the beating you get may come from a man of your rank."

The prince got a sound thrashing in the presence of the czar, and the recruit, who was next day commissioned a general with a title, was the founder of a powerful family whose descendants are still high in the imperial service of Russia.

The Cowcatcher.

While the visitor told how he had ridden thirty thrilling miles on the cowcatcher of a locomotive five-year-old Lorella listened attentively. As he concluded she asked, "Did you catch the cow, Mr. Blank?"—Chicago News.

Where there is much pretension much has been borrowed. Nature never pretends.—Lavater.

Dorothy Dodd

\$3.50
\$3.00
\$2.50

"Dorothy Dodd" low shoes of Tan Russia Calf skin have much to commend them. They're soft, pliable and cool, and easily kept clean. Tan Kid skin is another general favorite for Summer wear. We carry "Dorothy Dodd" low shoes in both leathers and invite your inspection.

Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman

You Can't Help Making Comparisons :

When you open a can of Hawaiian pineapple. It is so much better than other kinds. It differs from other varieties in its rich golden color, its delicious flavor and in the absence of any woody fiber. The Hawaiian product is fast becoming the most popular pineapple on the market. There is no pineapple, fresh or canned, that in any way compares with it. Hawaiian pineapple can be served plain or made into any number of dainty desserts. Try it.

J. L. LEA, JR.

CANNED FRUITS

RICHELIEU.	Each	PRESIDENT.	Each
No. 2 1/2 Apricots	35c	No. 2 1/2 Halved Peaches	30c
No. 2 1/2 Sliced Peaches	35c	No. 2 1/2 Sliced Peaches	30c
No. 2 1/2 Halved Peaches	35c	No. 2 1/2 Peeled Apricots	30c
No. 2 1/2 White Cherries	35c	CHARTER OAK.	
No. 2 1/2 Black Cherries	35c	No. 2 1/2 White Cherries	30c
No. 2 1/2 Red Pitted Cherries	35c	No. 2 1/2 Black Cherries	30c
No. 2 1/2 Bartlett Pears	35c	AMBASSADOR.	
No. 2 1/2 Hawaiian Pineapple	35c	No. 2 1/2 Peaches	25c
No. 2 1/2 Egg Plums	35c	No. 2 1/2 Apricots	25c
No. 2 1/2 Gage Plums	35c	DIPLOMAT.	
No. 2 Bartlett Pears	25c	No. 2 1/2 Peaches	20c
No. 2 Blueberries	30c	No. 2 1/2 Apricots	20c
No. 2 Red Raspberries	30c	BISHOP'S.	
No. 2 Sliced Pineapple	30c	No. 2 Preserved Peaches	25c
No. 2 Grated Pineapple	30c	No. 2 Preserved Apricots	25c

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These two towns are anxiously awaiting the arrival of the cars for their rebuilding up is dependent on the hauling of building material for the construction of the many business institutions which are tumbling over each other to get in at these places.

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PLAGUE THRIVES IN DUSTY TRADES.

Death Rate From Consumption Here Dust is General Cause Alarm.

The mortality from consumption in dusty trades is the subject of an article by Frederick L. Hoffman in Bulletin No. 79 of the Bureau of Labor, Department of Commerce and Labor. The writer discusses the processes and working conditions in occupations where, because of dust, the employment is injurious to health and leads to the development of consumption in particular. Much valuable material from official sources and from insurance mortality experience is also presented showing the excessive mortality in dusty occupations. Forty-two occupations are considered, divided into four groups according as they are subject to exposure to metallic dust, mineral dust, vegetable fiber dust or animal and mixed fiber dust.

Per Cent of White Plague.

Of the deaths from all causes among males 15 years of age and over in the registration area of the United States 14.8 per cent were from consumption. According to industrial insurance experience the corresponding proportions were 36.9 per cent for occupations exposed to metallic dust, 28.6 per cent of those exposed to mineral dust, 24.8 per cent for those exposed to vegetable fiber dust, and 32.1 per cent for those exposed to animal and mixed fiber dust. The occupation showing the highest consumption mortality was grinders, among whom 49.3 per cent of all deaths were from that disease.

Aggregate Mortality.

In each occupation group the highest consumption mortality was among persons from 25 to 34 years of age, the proportions of deaths from consumption for that age group being 57.2 per cent in occupations exposed to metallic dust, 47.6 per cent in those exposed to mineral dust, 53.9 per cent in those exposed to vegetable fiber dust, and 53.3 per cent in those exposed to animal and mixed fiber dust, as compared with 31.3 per cent for males in the registration area.

In connection with the industrial-insurance mortality experience, occupational mortality statistics are presented from the reports of the United States Census, British official reports and the occupation mortality statistics of Rhode Island, which furnish additional evidence of the health injurious effects of exposure in the occupations considered. These injurious effects are reflected in the comparatively small proportion of persons of advanced years, a higher general death rate and very high specific death rates from consumption and other respiratory diseases.

Methods of Prevention.

It is the opinion of the author that by intelligent methods of ventilation and dust removal the consumption death rate among wage earners can be reduced 2.2 per 100, the rate based on the number of deaths among gainfully employed persons 10 years of age and over in the registration States in 1900, to 1.5 per 1,000, the average rate for 200 small cities, as shown in the mortality statistics of the United States Census for 1901 to 1905. Such a reduction, the author estimates, would result in an annual saving of 22,238 human lives and would add 15.4 years of life for every death from consumption avoided by rational conditions of industrial life. Such a gain would represent a total of 342,465 years of additional lifetime, and by just so much the industrial efficiency of the American nation would be increased.

Placing the economic value of a year's lifetime at only \$200, the total average economical gain to the nation would be \$3,080 for every avoidable death of a wage earner from consumption, representing the enormous total of \$68,493,000 as the aggregate annual financial value in the probable saving in years of adult human life. With such results clearly within the range of practical attainment, nothing within reason should be left undone as National, State and individual or social duty to prevent that needless, but now enormous loss of human life from consumption, due to the unfavorable conditions in American industry.

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We are not ascetics and would not deprive, if we could, a single citizen of our city of any legitimate pleasure or sport, but when the Lord's Holy Day has to be taken for such things we think it is time that we should cry out as watchmen upon the walls. We warn our people of the consequences of such sins. And as certain as there is a God in the heavens, no people can continue to live in utter disregard of God's laws and calamity not overtake them.

"Shall I not visit for these things?" saith the Lord: "And shall not my soul be avenged on such a nation as this?" Be not deceived; God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

We make an earnest appeal that no professed follower of Jesus will in any way lend his influence or himself participate in any sort of Lord's Day desecration whatsoever. And we further urge that parents will see to it that

their children shall know the evil consequences of disobedience to God's will and that they will let the Lord's Day find them with their children at the Lord's house engaged in His holy worship. Respectfully,

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W. H. Taylor of Holliday was in the city today.
 George Myers of Jolly was transacting business here today.
 Mrs. T. W. Roberts returned this afternoon from Mineral Wells.
 Dr. L. P. Amason, formerly of Charle, has located with his family in this city.
 A. J. Weeth, one of Iowa Park's enterprising citizens, was here today on business.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richardson, who have been in Haskell and other points returned home today.
 Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Apple of Iowa Park are in the city visiting their son, S. H. Apple, and family.
 H. D. Hockersmith, Vernon's water and light man, was looking after business interests here today.
 Mrs. J. G. Fitzhugh of Duncan, Oklahoma, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooks, on Scott avenue.
 Rev. A. J. Bush, pastor of the Christian church, wishes to announce that he will begin a protracted meeting on April 25th.
 Billy Sutherland of Petrolia was in the city today on his return from Bowle, at which place he is drilling wells for the water company.
 Rev. A. J. Bush left this afternoon for Hamila, Texas, where he goes to assist in the dedication of the new Christian church at that place.
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A given force applied for a given time upon a given point is bound to win.—Napoleon.

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 At a game of "definitions" a discourteous wag gave just offense once by defining woman as "a creature that was made after man and has been after him ever since."

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But Fannie Made an Awful Mess of It With the Old Lady.

"When Fannie is bent upon pleasing," sighed Fannie's younger sister, "she can certainly make a horrible mess of things. Last Sunday Charlie Evans, having arrived at the point where he felt he wanted his family's opinion of me, invited us both up to take tea with his mother. The minute I laid eyes on his mother I knew Fannie would get in trouble—she simply can't help getting nervously foolish when there's a religious person around. "Charlie's mother kissed us and, addressing herself to Fannie as the elder, said something about our being very sweet to come and see a daughterless old woman. Whereat Fannie looked at Charlie and his two brothers and replied feelingly that it must be a terrible disappointment to have only them. Mrs. Evans, to rectify my sister's misapprehension, told us proudly that she had three more sons, not present.

"By this time Fannie realized that she had made a bad beginning and leaped further in with the supposition that the other three were off having a good time instead of moping at home. The older lady drew herself up and said severely:

"My three sons are in heaven, Miss Barnes."

"Oh, how awful!" came Fannie's ready gasp.

"No, not awful at all!" and Mrs. Evans was positively glaring at us. "I feel that they were specially blessed in being allowed to pass thus early to their Lord. They died as little children."

"Dear me, how glad you must have been," blurted out flustered Fannie. "By this time I had kicked a hole in her ankle, and that quieted her for awhile. She might have kept still for the rest of the evening had not her pet subject, the higher education of woman, come up for the old lady's disapproval. Then Fannie made a hand-spring into the conversation by remarking that when we had more educated mothers there would be less infant mortality.

"And, mind you, Fannie was really trying to be nice for my sake."—New York Times.

Nietzsche and the Invalid.

An invalid lady who often met Nietzsche found him the gentlest, kindest and most sympathetic of men. He "implored her with tears in his eyes not to read his books." Such was his knowledge of women that he was thunderstruck to find shortly afterward that the lady at once proceeded to read them all. He was further stupefied by the discovery that, having read them, she was utterly unmoved by the philosopher's unanswerable demonstrations that feeble persons like herself had no right to live and that women were distinguished by this, that and the other objectionable attribute. It must have been a blow to him.—London News.

Her Awful Sin.

A little girl of six once went in great distress to her mother, saying that she had committed a sin which could never be forgiven and which was too bad to be repeated. By dint of a little coaxing she was induced to make a full confession, which was in this wise:

"I felt so sorry for poor Satan and wanted to give him a little comfort. So I got a glass of cold water and poured it down a little hole in the kitchen floor."

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