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END OF STRIKE IS APPARENTLY NEAR

FRACTION GO DIRECTORS HAVE AGREED TO ARBITRATE MATTER TODAY.

STRIKERS ARE WAVERING

Their Arbitration Offer Refused, But Clergymen Took Matter in Hand With Company.

Philadelphia, Feb. 25.—Encouraged by the success of their efforts to run last night, the Philadelphia Transit Company began at day break this morning to open up additional lines, some of which have not been in operation since the strike began.

The strikers, through National Organizer Pratt, have signified their willingness to arbitrate the differences, but the company says that any offer to arbitrate cannot be considered until the next meeting of the board of directors of the company on March 7.

It was announced later, however, by the transit company that it had decided to give the matter of arbitration proposed by the committee of clergymen consideration at a special meeting of the board of directors, to be held this afternoon. It is believed that this presages the end of the strike.

FIRE AT MILFORD.

Fifty Thousand Dollar Loss There Last Night.

Waxahatchie, Tex., Feb. 25.—Fire which swept the business district of Milford, south of here last night, caused a loss of fifty thousand dollars. A block of brick buildings, owned by McDaniel Bros., was destroyed. The Milford Bank, Howard & Smith, dry goods, Wray's restaurant and the postoffice were ruined. Two men who were sleeping in the telephone exchange building narrowly escaped. The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone office was damaged.

FALLS ON HAY PRONG.

Farmer Meets With Fatal Accident Near McAlester.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 25.—James Daniels, a farmer living near McAlester, was fatally injured today when he slipped in a hay mow and fell upon the sharp prongs of a pitchfork which was half buried in the hay. One of the prongs pierced his eye.

GLAVIS' TESTIMONY IS CORROBORATED BY JONES BEFORE INVESTIGATORS

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Ballinger investigation was resumed today and the committee agreed to summons as witnesses managing director Birch and Attorney Steele of the Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate who recently testified before the senate committee on territories in regard to the Alaska coal lands. Special agent Jones who worked with Glavis on the Alaska cases was the first witness.

Jones corroborated the testimony of Glavis as to the efforts to get the Alaska cases taken up by the grand jury at Seattle and as to the statement of Donald McKensie that the reason that James Garfield was not retained in Taft's cabinet was because of his hostility to the Alaska coal cases.

SPECTACULAR RACE.

Aeroplane, Automobile, Interurban Car and Train Entered.

Fort Worth, Feb. 25.—A race from Dallas to Fort Worth between Paulhan in his bi-plane, Jesse Illworth in the Star-Telegram's thirty horse power auto, a Northern Texas Traction Interurban car and perhaps a Rock Island train will take place about the seventh of March. The race between the first three contestants is already arranged, but the Rock Island is still considering the proposition. The race will prove one of the most spectacular ever witnessed and thousands will come to see it. It is said Paulhan will fly seventy miles an hour. The distance between the two cities is thirty two miles.

PROSECUTOR IS GOING AFTER REPRESENTATIVE OF PACKING TRUST

New York, Feb. 25.—Prosecutor Gavin announced today that he had subpoenaed for the officers of the Corporation Trust Company of New York, which represents the packing companies of the state and if they fail to appear he will sue to quiet the company's charter.

Will Drill for Oil.

A subscription is being passed this afternoon for drilling for oil on the Marlow and Stone tract three miles west of the city. The well is to be sunk 3000 feet and will cost about fifteen thousand dollars. J. A. Kemp subscribed two thousand dollars and four out of the next five men solicited put their names down for one hundred dollars each. It is believed that the list will be completed this afternoon, and that work will be started very shortly.

VIGOROUS GASSER COMES IN TODAY

PRODUCERS' CO. BRINGS IN BIG ONE JUST OUTSIDE LIMITS OF PETROLIA.

IS IN NAVARRO TRACT

is Not Yet Under Control and May Give Company Trouble Before it is Capped.

A new gas well, one of the strongest in the field at Petrolia, came in at 10:50 this morning and is still blowing vigorously. The new gasser was brought in by the Producers' Oil Company and is on the Navarro tract, just outside the city limits of Petrolia.

The bringing in of the well so close to the limits of Petrolia extends the proven field nearer to that city and makes the field materially larger. The new gasser is one of the most vigorous yet brought in and has not yet been capped, although no great difficulty is anticipated in getting it under control.

It is stated that there are a number of rigs at work in the field and more wells may be expected to come in on almost any day. It had been hoped to bring in a well on the day the Pittsburgers visited Petrolia and again when the bankers were there, but on both occasions there was disappointment and the big gasser came in at its own good time.

The latest information received by the Times this afternoon was that the well appeared to be every bit as strong as the famous Miller gasser and that it may give the company some trouble to get it under control. It is one of the most vigorous ever brought in at the field and may give trouble.

REPORTED FAVORABLE.

Looks Like Administration Railroad Bill Will Pass.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 25.—The Administration Railroad Bill was ordered favorably reported to the senate by the committee on interstate commerce today immediately after consideration of the measure had been completed.

The vote stood six to four for the majority report to recommend the passage of the bill in the form practically as revised recently by Attorney General Wickersham. The minority will also make a report.

NEW YORKER STABBED.

Five Men Pursued Him in Taxicab all Day Yesterday.

New York, Feb. 25.—Detectives today searched the city for five men who rode all over the west side in a taxicab yesterday to find Jacob Greenthal and then attacked him, murdering him eight times and slaying his tongue. Greenthal is dangerously hurt but refused to talk today. The circumstances indicate that the crime is a political one.

17,000 ACRES.

Big Tract of School Land to Be Sold Near San Angelo.

San Angelo, Tex., Feb. 25.—Seventeen thousand acres, constituting a school land tract five miles north of this city, owned by Llano County, will probably be put on the market in August, according to an authentic report received here today from the Llano County Commissioners.

DALAI LAMA DEPOSED.

China Claims He Tried to Organize General Revolt.

Peking, Feb. 25.—The Chinese government today deposed Dalai Lama as the head of the Tibetan government on the ground that the nominal ruler deserted the capitol following an attempt by him to organize a general revolt.

TRIED TO ASSAULT GIRL.

Negro Who Entered Bedroom May Be Lynched.

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 25.—A negro entered the bedroom of Miss Luella Chancey at Ft. Myers early today and attempted to assault her. When she resisted he slashed her on the arm and wrist with a knife and escaped. She is identified as he may be lynched.

NORTHWESTERN EXTENSION TO LAWTON NOW ASSURED

Chamber of Commerce of That City Raises \$45,000 Bonus—To Finish Line by July Fourth.

Lawton, Okla., Feb. 25.—On a plan for the sale of a part of a one hundred and twenty-acre city park to raise a cash bonus for the Lawton and Wichita Falls road, which has been agreed to by Messrs. Kemp and Kell, owners of the line, a mass meeting of five hundred business men in one hour's time last night raised a guaranteed cash fund of seventy-five thousand dollars.

Only forty-five thousand dollars bonus was required and of this amount fifteen thousand will be paid in by subscribers at once for the purchase of the right-of-way.

Messrs. Kemp and Kell have agreed to commence construction of the line from Lawton to Devol as soon as the right-of-way can be secured, which will probably be some time next week.

Cars are to be running into Lawton by July 4th, 1910, according to the contract.

The above dispatch received by the Times this morning, means that the Devol-Lawton line is now a positive certainty and that the citizens of Lawton can come to the Fourth of July celebration which will be held in this city. When it was learned yesterday that a new proposition had been made by the Lawton Chamber of Commerce it was felt that that city would make good, but it was not known that she would do her part so promptly and with so much enthusiasm.

The line will connect with the Wichita Falls and Northwestern at Devol, Okla., and will be about thirty-five miles in length. It will traverse one of the richest sections of Oklahoma and will pass through a country that has been awaiting railroad development for many years. Lawton is a city of about eighteen thousand population and is one of the most progressive communities in Oklahoma. Only recently it landed a big cotton mill and has other industries that keep it to the front. Lawton may also accept the C. G. Jones proposition for railroad connection with that city, but there is nothing certain about that.

It is reported that the name of the branch is to be the "Wichita Falls & Lawton, Railway" and that Lawton will be made an important division point.

HEAVY JEWELRY HAUL EFFECTED AT STORE OF E. S. MORRIS & CO.

A three hundred and fifty dollar jewelry haul was made last night at the expense of E. S. Morris & Company, druggists and jewelers, at 710 Indiana Avenue, the burglar securing between thirty and thirty-five watches and watch cases, and about seventy-five dollars worth of rings.

The burglary was effected during the night, entrance being effected by prying open the back door of the store. The watches were gold ones of the twenty-year-guarantee class and were valued at from fifteen dollars down.

Descriptions of the missing jewelry are being sent to other dealers in this section and every effort is being made to locate the guilty party, or parties.

The missing watch cases include four No. 12-size watches, numbers 9165973, 8920378, 9066755, 8574568; two 16-size, numbers 7192237 and 5244731; three 18-size, number 7166146, 7589804 and 794877; ten 16-size, numbers 795875, 9137957, 8847313, 9262704, 9176414, 9270238, 7796349, 8025402, 9012091, 3008772; six 0-size, numbers 9098074, 9886414, 7165755, 7142112, 8008087, 7867215, also three other cases, numbers not given.

The watches include eighteen "Excelsior" watches and one "New York Standard."

FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT.

Machine Turns Somersault in Austin, Killing Lumberman.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 25.—Running fifty miles an hour, an automobile belonging to John Selstrom of Mansor, turned a somersault on east Sixteenth street at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Selstrom was instantly killed and four other passengers, Albert Howser, Mackay Jester and Webb Lucas, all of Mansor, and Raymond Smith of Austin, were injured. Selstrom's neck was broken. He was a widower aged thirty, and a wealthy lumber dealer. The party were leaving Austin, following a theatre party.

TWO ARE ARRESTED.

Charge of Opium Smuggling Filed at Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Feb. 25.—Dick Moore of El Paso and Jake Goldstein were arrested here today by Federal authorities charged with smuggling opium in large quantities from Mexico. Opium brings six dollars a bale in Mexico but retails here at thirty dollars a bale.

PAYMASTER DIES.

Prominent Frisco Official Drops Dead At St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 25.—Paymaster Dunn, of the Frisco system, dropped dead at his home here last night from a heart ailment. He had been in the city for some time attending to the payments of the entire system.

An Appeal From Decision.

Washington, Feb. 25.—After a cabinet meeting today, Attorney General Wickersham telegraphed District Attorney Wise of New York, instructing him to file an appeal from the decision dismissing for want of jurisdiction the indictment against the Press Publishing Company on the charge of libel in connection with the Panama canal cases. This decision was handed down last month in New York City and it is believed that today's action is the result of the conference of the cabinet.

STOCK SUBSCRIBED FOR NEW RAILWAY

INDUCEMENTS WORTH AT LEAST \$150,000 WILL BE OFFERED FOR OKLAHOMA CITY LINE.

ENTHUSIASM IS MARKED

Movement Started Yesterday Afternoon and Nearly \$150,000 Already Signed Up.

Between one hundred and twenty-five thousand and one hundred and fifty thousand dollars has been subscribed up to this afternoon in the company which it is proposed to organize to build the road from here to Oklahoma City. This movement was started yesterday afternoon and met with the favor of all who were solicited.

The plan is to have as much stock as possible subscribed locally and then offer the subscriptions as an inducement to C. G. Jones or any other promoter who is willing to take the matter up. It is thought that in this way the road from here to Oklahoma City will be made a reality before the end of the year.

Up to this afternoon over one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars had been subscribed in \$5,000 and \$10,000 blocks. The ten thousand dollar subscribers include Job Barnett, J. J. Lory, Wiley Wyatt, N. C. McIntyre, while the five thousand dollar men include T. B. Noble, Charles Bean, N. Henderson, J. B. Marlow, J. L. Jackson and a number of others.

Considerable enthusiasm is manifested by those at the head of the movement. Jim Marlow is one of the most active workers and, as is usually the case when he takes hold of an affair of this kind, things are being put through with a rush. The movement was started, as was indicated in the Times yesterday, by the Real Estate Association.

Later—at 3 o'clock this afternoon it was announced that a total of \$182,500 had been actually subscribed and that about seventy-five thousand dollars more had been promised. The following additional names for \$5000 each have been reported: J. W. Rolling, J. W. Stone, Richard Flood, J. D. Avis, J. F. Reid, A. H. Carrigan, E. B. Gorline, Tom Waggoner, R. E. Huff, Butler Moore, Myles O'Reilly, A. Zundelwitz, H. B. Hines, Taylor and Thatcher.

A meeting of farmers at Charlie and at other points which the road will probably reach will be held next week. There is understood to be considerable enthusiasm among the farmers over the proposition and they will probably give the right of way where it is needed.

Jim Marlow believes that a total of five hundred thousand dollars can be raised between on this side of the Red River for the proposition.

DENTON TO FORT WORTH.

Bonus is Being Raised for New Proposition This Week.

Denton, Tex., Feb. 25.—Up to noon Tuesday twenty-one men had subscribed \$100 each towards raising the \$5,000 for preliminary surveys and work on an interurban between Denton and Fort Worth. President Oswald of the Chamber of Commerce secured fourteen signatures Monday and Secretary Scruggs the remainder Tuesday.

The subscriptions are, it is stated to be returned in the way of stock in the company building the road if it is raised and that if Denton will raise \$5,000 for the preliminary work the remainder of the capital can be secured by Fort Worth capitalists.

DR. S. E. THROCKMORTON.

Son of Former Governor Dies in Dallas Hospital.

McKinney, Tex., Feb. 25.—Advice was received here today that Dr. S. E. Throckmorton of this city, aged 44, died in a sanitarium in Dallas last night. He was a son of Governor J. W. Throckmorton. The body will be brought to this city today for burial.

MAKE RATES FOR FIGHT.

Passenger Association Will Run Excursion to San Francisco.

Fort Worth, Feb. 25.—It is announced here today that the Texas Passenger Rate clerks will meet with the passenger officials in St. Louis on March first for the purpose of arranging rates for the Jettie-Johnson fight in San Francisco on July fourth.

S. S. Striely who has been doing plumbing work for the Wichita Hardware Co. of this place for the past eight months left this morning on the early train for his home in Stanwood, Iowa, to take charge of the plumbing department in the hardware store at that place.

CIVIC CAMPAIGN IS TO BE WAGED

LOCAL ORGANIZATION MAKING PLANS FOR CONCERTED ACTION FOR PRETTIER CITY.

FORMING OF CITY PLAN

Plans Being Made to Bring National Leaders in This Work to Speak in This City.

A civic campaign for the outlining of a "city plan" is to be inaugurated within the next few weeks by the local organizations, headed by the Floral Club, co-operating with the Chamber of Commerce and the Real Estate Association. It is proposed to bring the National leaders in this sort of work to this city to arouse interest in the plans and to work at home along practical lines.

In explanation of what is meant by a "city plan," it is known that many large cities find themselves without room for parks boulevards and similar attractions, because they failed to look far enough ahead when they were small cities, to plan for those things. Dallas is an example of this sort and she is now waking up to the necessity of concerted action along this line and is just now coming to realize her needs in this direction.

It is felt that Wichita Falls is none too young or too small to look to her future needs of this kind and to that end, this campaign will be waged. As features of it, tree planting and flower raising will be encouraged and the aid of the school children will be enlisted in this movement. An effort was made to have J. Horace McFarland of Washington, a civic expert, come to this city while in Texas, but it was unsuccessful and some other worker along this line will probably be secured.

For the present, lower raising and tree planting will be the principal objects of the Floral Club at present and the other features of the "city plan" will be more closely looked after by the Chamber of Commerce and probably by the Real Estate Association. The Floral Club plans to offer prizes for the best front yards and in other ways to encourage and foster the spirit of civic beautification.

The Wichita Hardware Company are adding new goods to their stock every day and invite prospective buyers to call and get acquainted with the new line of goods on display at their show rooms, at 804-806 Ohio Avenue. 346-10c

MRS. JOLINE TO BUILD 3-STORY STRUCTURE NINTH AND INDIANA

The contract was awarded yesterday afternoon to Contractor Wright of Dallas by Mrs. Carrie Joline for the erection of a three-story building at the corner of 9th street and Indiana avenue. The building is to be used for stores on the first floor, and the two upper stories will be used as a rooming house. The contract price is about thirty-five thousand dollars. The dimensions of the building will be fifty by one hundred feet.

This building will be a material improvement on Indiana avenue and shows that the trend of the business improvements is southward at present, as is further evidenced by the buildings to be erected by Mr. Knight at the opposite corner of 9th and Indiana. Mrs. Joline's plans call for a handsome up-to-date structure.

PETITION IS REFUSED.

Governor Again Declines to Pardon Convict Joe Lovell.

Austin, Feb. 25.—Governor Campbell today refused the second petition asking that ex-convict Joe Lovell be pardoned, on the grounds that the petition is insufficient to act upon. The refusal following the Governor's return from Huntsville and the statement is authorized by the members of the pardon board. Lovell was wanted to testify in the case of Major Druhan charged with murdering a convict. The second petition came from Ellis county citizens.

A cup and saucer with each three-penny can of W. S. Coffee. Phone 261. KING'S 222-10c

FATAL FIGHT BETWEEN NEGRO AND OFFICERS NEAR MEMPHIS TODAY

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 25.—In a desperate battle early today between some negroes and deputy sheriffs near here, Deputy Sheriff Lucy was killed by a negro, who then attacked Deputies Ray and Neil and was killed by them. The affair was the result of an effort to arrest the negro on a charge of larceny.

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WHY DENMARK ACCEPTED COOK.

Maurice F. Egan Explains Why His Statements Were Accepted.

Why Denmark in general and Copenhagen in particular, accepted the statements of Dr. Frederick A. Cook that he had discovered the north pole, was explained by Maurice F. Egan, United States minister to that country, who is making a brief visit in St. Paul.

"The north pole is looked upon as standing in the front yard of Denmark," Mr. Egan said. "Little Danish children are brought up on tales of exploration. To them the study of the Arctic is like the study of fairy tales to the children of America, or the study of the life of George Washington.

"Americans are the most popular of foreign people in Denmark, and when a reputable explorer, as Dr. Cook was believed to be, arrived on the Danish shore and announced that he had found the pole, the people met him with acclaim and gloried in his conquest. His announcement touched the subject nearest their hearts. He was banqueted and feasted. Proofs of his discovery were not asked for because it was not customary to ask for them.

His statements were accepted without question.

"Because of these conditions Dr. Cook's statements were accepted until the scientists made their report on his records. And, mind you, the scientists had not attempted to discredit his statements. They merely have said, 'We do not find proof that he has reached the pole.'

"If more data were brought, if Dr. Cook should go to Etah and return with his Eskimos, they would re-open the case and give him further hearing. The Danish people are gentlemanly and, unless the fact that Dr. Cook had not reached the pole was glaringly apparent, the scientists would not accuse him of lying."

Mr. Egan said that the report that the King of Denmark was angered with him for inducing him to decorate Dr. Cook was untrue.

A New York paper printed a dispatch," he said, "which stated that King Christian was incensed because I had fostered Dr. Cook upon them. The truth of the matter is that King Christian has been dead for three and a half years and that King Frederick, who now rules the nation, did not decorate Dr. Cook at all."—St. Paul Dispatch.

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WOMAN WAS ATTACKED.

Officers Think They Have the Right Negro at McAlester.

McAlester, Ok., Feb. 25.—While the officers have not found the negro who robbed, beat up, choked and attempted an assault on Mrs. Benton Tuesday afternoon, at her home at 1503 East who will be given the third degree with the hope that he may reveal the identity of the guilty man, it is thought that he accompanied the negro, although he was not in the house. He denies it, but has not given an account of his whereabouts at the time.

Mrs. Benton, while showing the effect of her terrible experience, is able to talk coherently about it and even came down town today to see whether the negro under arrest was the proper person.

Her story of the experience is that she was scrubbing the dining room floor about one o'clock Tuesday afternoon when she heard a rap at the opened door. She glanced up and saw a negro standing on the porch. He said that he wished a drink of water. She was alone. Her husband, the Singer sewing machine agent, was absent at High Hill, looking after an account, and both of her children were in school.

She got the man a drink. He then said that he was hungry and she turned to get him something to eat.

It seems that he drew a pistol then and laid it on the floor. Then he made a leap for the woman, whose back was turned. He clutched her by the throat, choking her and leaving marks on her neck, and then threw her to the floor. With one hand he then picked up the pistol and shoved it against her head with such force as to leave a wound.

"It's money I want; where is it?" he asked the woman.

She was so excited that she forgot where the money was. She searched several places and finally found \$40 in the sewing machine drawer. She gave it to the negro.

He again grabbed hold of her, saying: "I am not through with you yet." She tore herself loose and ran screaming from the house.

As she got outside the door a small dog began to bark. Mrs. Benton was screaming. The negro ran.

The section is isolated. There are few houses near. One of the nearest neighbors had just driven up to his house in a buggy and when he saw her screaming he came to the rescue. He it was who started the officers on the trail.

Mrs. Benton said the negro was rather large, was well dressed and that he wore good clothes. She said that she would have no difficulty in recognizing him if she got sight of him again.

The Bentons are excellent people. Mrs. Benton is a lady of much refinement. She is a niece of Anna Wainwright Walker Pennfield, one of the richest women in the world. Her aunt was left \$60,000,000 by her late husband, Mr. Walker.

WANTS TO BE DEPOSITORY.

Amarillo After Postoffice Headquarters for Northwest Texas.

Special to The Times. Amarillo, Feb. 25.—A movement is now on foot to make the Amarillo postoffice a depository for all revenues from the many postoffices of the Panhandle.

Inasmuch as the enormity of Texas makes the distance from extreme points like Amarillo to the capital so great, it is believed advisable that the postoffice of this city should be a depository for the revenues from all of the offices of the smaller towns in the Amarillo country.

The postal regulations were amended recently making the Amarillo office the depository for all money order receipts for the Panhandle offices, and a subsequent change made it possible for the local office to become the depository for all revenues.

The following resolution looking to this end was adopted by the directors of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce in session yesterday afternoon: To the Board of Directors of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce:

Resolved: That we submit the following resolutions concerning the making of the Amarillo postoffice a depository for postal receipts for the Panhandle country of Texas:

Whereas: Texas has an area of about 67,934,720 acres, the distance to Austin and return from many postoffices in the Panhandle portion of Texas is from 800 to 1200 miles.

Whereas: Amarillo is the center of the Panhandle country; it has mail trains in and out each day and all postal remittances from the Panhandle pass through Amarillo.

Whereas: The postal regulations were so amended that beginning June 1, 1909 the Amarillo postoffice became a depository for all money order receipts for the different Panhandle postoffices.

Whereas: The farther changes of the postal regulations so as to permit the postoffice of Amarillo to become a depository for all revenues from the many postoffices of the Panhandle section would greatly convenience and facilitate the work for postmasters throughout this portion of Texas.

Be it Resolved: That we ask our Senators and Representatives at Washington to take the matter up with the Postmaster General to the effect that the Amarillo postoffice may become the depository for all revenues from the many postoffices of the Panhandle of Texas.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be furnished our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

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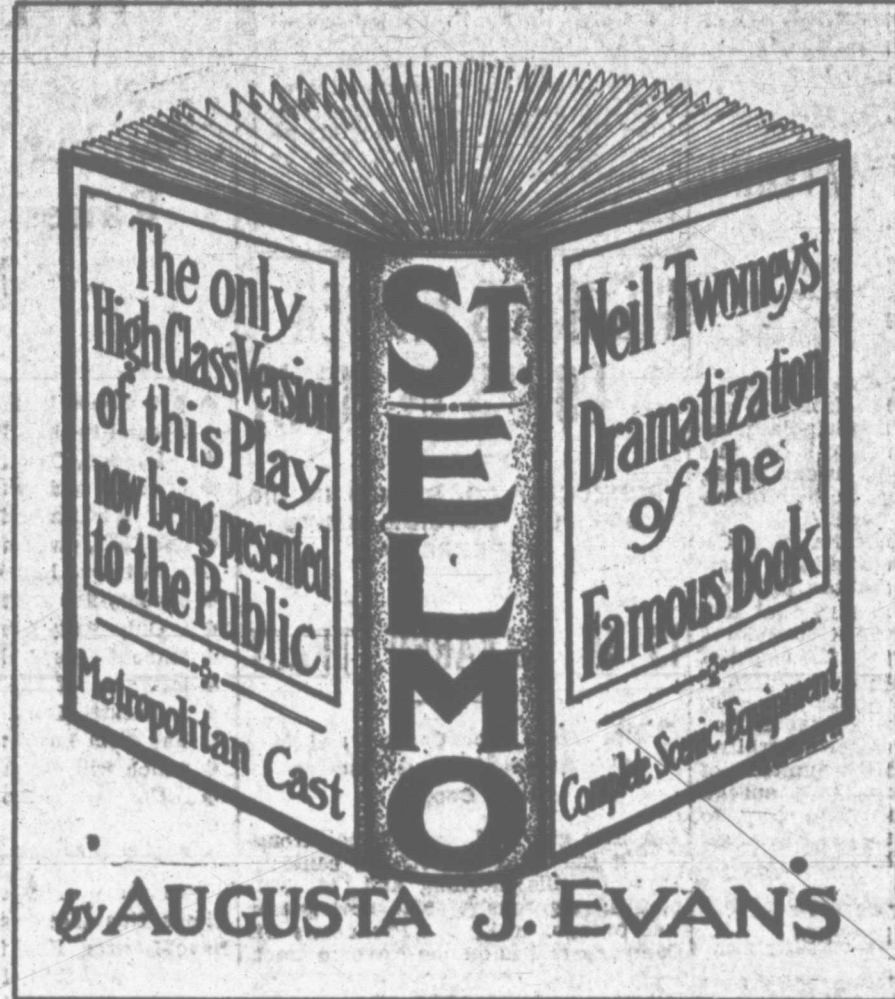
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WOMAN MAKES TROUBLE.

Enters Oklahoma City Hotel and Pries Up Hades.

Special to The Times.
Oklahoma City, Feb. 25.—Two avianches, a tornado and a young cyclone, hit the Theardgill hotel Tuesday afternoon in the form of a St. Louis woman. The woman, a petite brunette, smartly gowned and pretty as a picture, for about five minutes gave the hotel authorities a vivid demonstration of the trouble making propensities penned up in her diminutive person. The argument started over a check, when the feminine visitor presented it at the cashier's desk in payment on her account. Just as a matter of precaution, observed at all large hotels, Clerk E. L. Felix, after examining the paper, held it up to the light, and finally took up the telephone to verify its validity. The guest, who had watched the clerk's proceedings with the greatest of interest, considered that any doubt as to her solvency should be regarded in the light of a personal insult, and a cause for war. No sooner did Felix take down the receiver and ask for the number of her bank than she grabbed instrument from him and hurled it at his head. With a woman's aim she missed, but a volley of missiles, her gloves, pocket book and a Lane's Leaf Libby novel that she carried, followed in rapid succession, all of them striking the mark and forcing the unfortunate clerk to dodge beneath the counter. Not only against Felix was the woman's wrath directed, a well-aimed ink pot forced the telephone operator to break off a long distance call and seek shelter behind a nearby hat rack, and a whirling paper weight drove six or eight negro porters scuttling to the recesses of the check room. The guests of the house who were sitting in the hotel lobby were either too paralyzed with astonishment to move, or beat a hasty retreat to the haven of the barbers' shop. But the end was not yet.

With a mighty effort the big glass covered counter receptacle for letters, match holders and tin bottles was sent crashing to the floor, grazing the hotel clerk's head by a hair's breadth and forcing him to break cover. Felix finally found a harbor behind the office safe. Lacking anything else to throw at, the belligerent female then seized the hotel register, halloved by the autographs of a hundred west citizens, threw it to the floor and performed an impromptu waltz on its venerable pages. After a request that the authorities should summon the police she left the lobby, slamming the door behind her. Five minutes later she telephoned from the Rock Island depot and asked for a porter. The dusky servant came back with a report that she threatened to raise a further "rough house" unless her purse was immediately returned. It was.

The husband, a meek looking man of about 6 feet 3 inches, visited the hotel late in the evening and stated that he would settle in full for the fifty odd dollars worth of damage done by his wife.

NEW GOLD FIELD.

Pierce City District in Idaho Scene of Boom.
Spokane, Wash., Feb. 25.—Miners with a full equipment of dredges, hydraulic giants and other apparatus are making preparations to work over the placer ground in the Pierce City district in northern Idaho, where, according to L. D. Cleek, an operator, who has come to Spokane from that camp, more than \$100,000 in gold was cleaned up by one boat, two hydraulic plants, and several smaller operations during the season of 1909. Cleek said it is estimated that the output of yellow metal will be doubled if not trebled the coming season, beginning early in May adding:

"Many of the operations last season were in ground that had twice responded to the efforts of the early miners. Pierce and his associates found wash in the dirt in 1859 and the succeeding year miners, most of whom returned as rich men to China.

"One of the companies to begin operation in the Pierce camp this year has 180 acres of creek bottom land, and engineers say that there is not less than eight feet of wash between the grass roots and bed rock. The concern has equipment to handle 500 cubic yards of earth every 24 hours. The cost of recovery should not exceed eight cents a yard this year, while the yield of gold ranges from 10 to 50 cents, so there will be a handsome profit.

"The area of the Pierce district is about twenty miles square, so there is room for hundreds of operators. The district is one of the richest in the state of Idaho, which is noted for its mineral wealth, and we believe that the best finds are yet to be made. The Pierce camp is orderly and the men are well behaved."

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TRAVELER TELLS STORY.

Austrian at Dalhart Was Victim of Mislabeled Confidence.

Special to The Times.
Dalhart, Tex., Feb. 25.—Thwarted in his purpose, broken in spirit and pure, Arbyus Gondia, formerly a wealthy mine owner of Bolivia, passed through this city yesterday on his way from San Francisco to New York. Gondia was walking. He had walked from San Francisco, and expected to foot the remainder of the distance, except on stretches where he can secure a ride on the rods.

The South American had a tale of experiences to tell which would make the romance of some magazines look like love stories. He had once been well off, being the owner of extensive mining property in his native country. He had married the girl of his choice and had lived happily until his home was broken up by an American from Chicago.

At first he trusted the stranger and gave him a high position in the mine. He invited him to his home and had perfect confidence in him. It was then that the dagger of deceit was thrust into his heart and his home and fortune wrecked forever.

He had trusted his foreign friend too well and the other took advantage of his confidence and won the affections of his pretty wife. The element took place on an occasion when the mine owner was away from home on a business mission. The stranger not only took the other's wife, but also all the money and notes they could get in their possession. Gondia returned to find his home and happiness blasted and his financial interests practically ruined. He went in pursuit. The chase lasted for three years. He followed them to Havana, thence to New York and then across the continent from city to city as far as San Francisco. There he lost track of them and gave up all hope of revenge. They had flown.

He told his story to a railroad man in this city this morning. He is going back to his South American home to amass another fortune if he can and to live out his closing days among the scenes of his boyhood.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and Vicinity.
—Tonight, increasing cloudiness,
and warmer. Saturday, unsettled
weather.

Our esteemed friend, D. C. McCaleb, formerly of the Fort Worth Star and San Angelo News lately discontinued for the reason that the field was not large enough for two metropolitan papers. In his parting address to the public he said:
"And now a word in parting. Stand by the paper that stands by you. I tell you I know that if this field here is divided the gross income will not be large enough to permit San Angelo to have the proper representation in the newspaper field. I have not spent merely hundreds, but literally thousands of dollars to find it out. A good newspaper is the best criterion a growing place can indicate to those who are making investigation with the view of investment. A poorly conducted

newspaper creates an impression for ill that cannot be computed."

Mr. McCaleb goes to the Houston Record and we bespeak for him a brilliant success in his new field. He is a brilliant writer, giving clear cut expression to honest thoughts, with never a tinge of malice nor a semblance of hate.—Byers Herald.

Candidates for mayor are as yet nowhere to be seen. This important office will be vacant after the April election and our citizens should get together and induce some worthy man to accept it. It is an unfortunate fact that the office carries with it practically no emoluments, but this makes it none the less important, and we trust some patriotic citizen will come forward for the office.—Childress Post.

To be the mayor of a growing, flourishing, live-wire town like that of Childress needs no emoluments, other than the honor that goes with the office. Nobody wants to be mayor of a "dead town." Childress is not in that class by any means. The Times suspects that before the time required by law for candidates to file their petitions in order to have their name appear on the official ballot, their will be at least one, and perhaps two, ambitious and aspiring fellows who will conclude that they are willing to make a great sacrifice in order to preside at the head of the city government of Childress. It used to be that way in Wichita, but it is different now, and while the salary of the mayor is no more than equal to that of the janitor at the city hall, yet there are two enterprising, ambitious, aspiring fellows who, apparently, are working just as hard and devoting just about as much energy to be elected to the office as if it carried with it honors and salary equal to that of a congressman. It will be that way in Childress before a great while. It is just as natural for a man to want to be mayor of a live-wire town as it is for water to run down hill.

We have a pamphlet to show that the magazines are not responsible for the postoffice deficit. We have another to show that the railroads, instead of being overpaid by the postoffice department, are underpaid. And probably both are correct. The greatest source of the deficit in the postoffice department is, the management is spending "other people's money," and it seems to be human nature in officialdom, past, present and future, to spend the other fellow's money a lot more liberally than they spend their own. The express companies are paying the railroads from 50 to 55 per cent of their gross receipts for transportation and are making oodles of money on vastly watered capitalizations. The government is paying the railroads about 38 per cent of its gross postal receipts and is returning a growing deficit each year. Express rates, too, are cheaper by far on the short hauls than the postal.—Denton Record-Chronicle.

It is rather hard to imagine a Republican party in Texas without Cecil Lyon as its boss. The G. O. P. in this state is pretty much a negligible quantity anyhow and without Cecil it would be more of a joke than ever.

There are probably a good many people in New York who say that the news of the Philadelphia strike was their first intimation that the sleepy old town had any street cars at all.

Nobody seems to know what the railroads are going to do for Wichita Falls, but we strongly suspect they haven't been buying all that real estate merely for the fun of the thing.

AMENITIES BETWEEN RIVALS.

Wichita Falls Times: While noting the many new enterprises which Wichita Falls is securing, it is perhaps a little selfish in the Times not keeping track of the new enterprises which our neighboring towns are securing. It therefore makes the announcement that Henrietta has secured a planting mill, due to efforts put forth by her enterprising board of trade.

Fine irony, exceedingly fine; but you can't fool the man up a tree or any other dispassionate observer. You are envious of Henrietta's oil and gas wells, upon which your town draws so liberally and which you have been known to refer to covertly as "the Wichita gas district." Of course the Clay county fuel field is not exactly Henrietta's, there being other claimants, such as Petrolia and Byers, who read their titles clear; but being the county seat, Henrietta has generally taken credit for all Clay county's products.—State Press in Dallas News.

The outside world is gradually waking up to the fact that Henrietta's claims to the oil and gas fields are not genuine, but rather "far-fetched." If the press of the country would stop using the misleading phrase, "Henrietta Oil and Gas Fields" they would do a great favor to Petrolia, Byers and even Wichita Falls which is as near to the wells as Henrietta. The wells are four miles from Byers two miles from Petrolia, 11 miles from Henrietta to the nearest well and thirteen miles to the head of the gas supply, fourteen miles from Wichita Falls to the nearest well. We are satisfied to call it the "Clay County Oil and Gas Fields."

—and be correct in the matter and not unjust to anyone. When people visit the oil and gas field—that the great 6-inch pipe line is only three miles from Petrolia and 13 miles from Henrietta, and that the nearest oil or gas well is 11 miles from Henrietta; and in order to visit the so-called "Henrietta oil and gas field" it is necessary to make a trip of 16 to 20 miles by auto or other conveyance or else go by rail around by Wichita Falls to Petrolia, from which point they can view a large number of derricks, some of them within easy walking distance. When all this is taken into consideration the visitor naturally reasons that if Henrietta's other statements are as truthful as their claims to being the "Greatest Oil and Gas Field in the World!" that they had better not stop but drive on to a more conservative field where truth predominates among a Christian people.

Our modesty would suggest the advisability of the policy of claiming that this is "the greatest oil and gas field in the world" and that the government recognizes it as the "Henrietta Oil and Gas Field" when both assertions are open to question.

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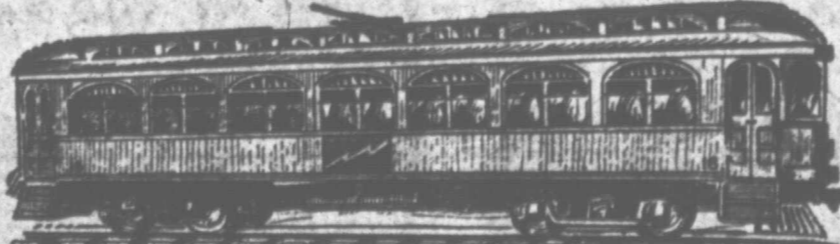
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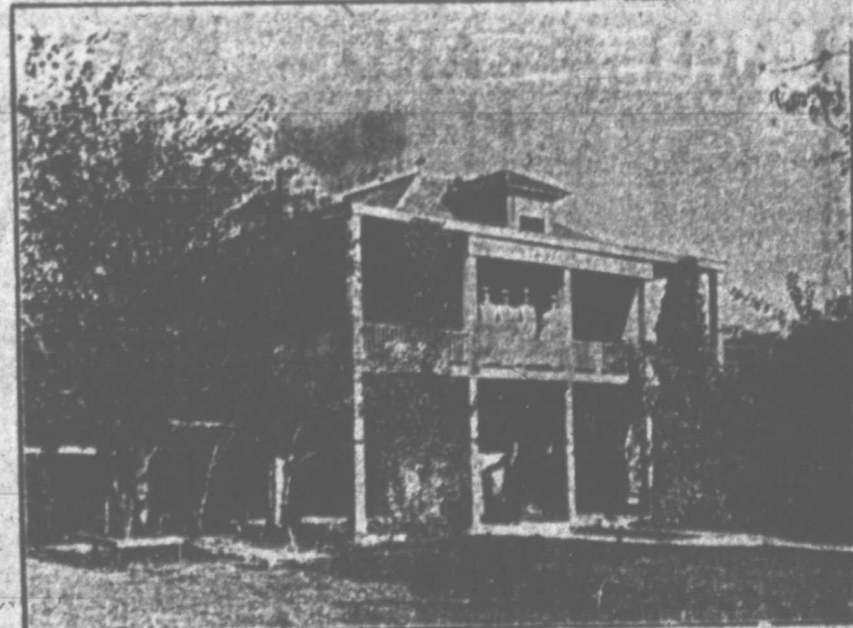
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It is said that San Antonio is the first city in Texas to pass the 100,000 mark, but she will not be the last.—Coleman News.

While the reformation of Texas penitentiaries is going on it would not be a bad idea to abolish the uniform of stripes. It is a barbaric practice and should be discarded.—Granger News.

With the hen laying the egg, the cold storage relaying it, the commission man laying on it, and the huckster relying on it, no wonder the high price of barnyard fruit.—Liberty Hill Index.

Reports from the cities say that the turkey crop is woefully short. Look out for a few. They come in powerfully handy in the fall, when one fowl will net you a dollar or two.—Lockhart Courier.

In a trip through West Sweden we notice that the farmers are well up with their plowing and the ground is in fine shape for a good crop year. Much new land is being broken in and everything looks promising for 1919.—Brady Sentinel.

Those Parker County farmers who acted on the Herald's suggestion last fall and planted large crops of wheat are now congratulating themselves on the wisdom of their action. Those who failed to do so are wondering why it was they were so blind to the existing opportunity.—Weatherford Herald.

One Durham, the "king of the leather" of the Texas penitentiary system, is likely to go unwhipped of justice on account of the law enforcement of the anti-nepotism law and the failure of the governor of Texas to come to the scratch and perform a plain duty in extending an ex-convict a pardon so that he may testify in behalf of the state in a prosecution for murder of the aforesaid Durham.—Bellville Times.

The farmers of Cooke County are preparing to enter upon a year of the most intelligent work they have ever done. They will put into practice the best methods and the best seed procurable. They have learned that it is just as easy to raise the best of stuff as it is an inferior grade, and they realize that the good grade brings in far more money when the stuff is offered for sale.—Galveston Register.

Yesterday while one of the visiting bankers was holding a bouquet of fresh violets in his hand and talking to a number of friends about the excellent climate of this country, a telegram was handed him from St. Louis, his home town, stating that the snow was a foot deep. It was a happy combination of circumstances in Beaumont's favor. It was a good advertisement for our excellent climate.—Beaumont Journal.

The New Braunfels jail is empty and the district court having nothing to do, adjourned last Monday. Local officers have gone into the poultry business that they may have employment. Can any state beat that record? To the deluded easterner who still thinks Texas "wild and woolly," we recommend the reading of Emerson Hough's article, "Texas Transformed," in the January issue of the Texas Magazine copied from Putnam's.—Gonzales Inquirer.

Up in the north the mercury is down below the zero mark, while Texas is enjoying summer weather. Gosh, don't it make you shiver to think of those poor folks?—San Angelo Standard.

The Standard paragrapher is evidently a new-comer. Surely Pat Murphy, old-timer that he is, would know better than to write such concerning Texas weather and right at this time of the year, too, or perhaps the weather clerk is merely playing the Standard editor a mean trick.—Ballinger Ledger.

The report of the auditors employed to examine into the system of book-keeping at the state penitentiaries shows a careless and haphazard way of keeping accounts under which it is impossible to arrive at the true state of affairs. They say it has been much better under the Campbell administration than under previous ones, but there is room for improvement, even there. The employment of convict bookkeepers is given as the cause for this bad state of affairs.—Williamson County Sun.

John L. Wortham and associates have leased the iron works at the Rusk penitentiary. If these gentlemen can pay the state \$10,000 a year rental, 90 cents a ton for ore and operate the plant with free labor, it would appear at first glance, as if the state should have succeeded in operating the plant without heavy loss, inasmuch as it paid nothing for ore, beyond the cost of maintaining the convicts. But Mr. Wortham will operate the plant along business lines; the state operated it purely along political lines.—Texas Republic.

Dry farming is spreading over the whole world. Exhibits will be shown at the Spokane congress next fall from many of the leading agricultural nations. El Paso ought to be there with a display, for El Paso is in the center of one of the biggest dry farming regions in the country and the prospects are no brighter anywhere. There will be men from all over the world who are interested in dry farming at this gathering and an El Paso display would be a good advertisement.—El Paso Herald.

The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis declares that there are two ways of checking the ravages of tuberculosis among school children. The first way is to instruct every school child about the dangers of the disease, and to show them how they themselves may prevent tuberculosis in their homes. The second method is to accomplish open-air schools for all children who have tuberculosis or who are suspected cases, segregating them from the

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Since the peace officers of San Antonio have been aroused from their slumbers and had their duties pointed out to them, the burglars, hold-up men and other criminals have drifted from that city to the smaller towns, and it might be well for the people of

Pearsall to be on their guard. One burglary has already been made in our little city and it is best that proper precautions be taken lest others may happen. Many other small towns have been the scenes of hold-ups and burglaries the past week or two and these criminals are just as apt to strike Pearsall as any other place. The only way to keep the town clean of such classes is to follow San Antonio's plan—enforce the vagrancy law and rid the town of all suspicious characters.—Pearsall Leader.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Michigan is to be the scene of a fierce senatorial struggle this summer between Senator Julius C. Burrows, who is a candidate for re-election, and Representative Charles E. Townsend. The rival candidates have agreed to let the contest be settled by a state-wide primary. Mr. Burrows is known as a conservative republican, while Mr. Townsend is known as progressive.

Governor Harmon of Ohio, Governor Marshall of Indiana, Governor Shallenberger of Nebraska, Governor Burke of North Dakota, Governor Shafforth of Colorado, Hoke Smith of Georgia and Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, have been invited to speak at the annual Jefferson Day

banquet of the National League of Clubs, which is to be held in Indianapolis on the night of April 13th.

Charles Henderson, president of the Alabama railroad commission, who recently declared himself a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor of his state, has decided to withdraw from the contest.

Phillip A. Stanton, who has served for a number of years as speaker of the lower branch of the California legislature, will be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of his state this year.

Former Governor S. H. Elrod of South Dakota, has decided to try again for the governorship. Other candidates are already in the field and an interesting contest is expected in the state-wide campaign next June.

AMUSEMENTS

It is a matter of record that dramatization of popular novels are one of the most profitable forms of theatrical enterprises, if the dramatization succeeds in approximating the narrative of the play; but only when it succeeds in reproducing the atmosphere of the book is the dramatized novel a success and one of the best examples of complete sympathy between the printed story and the acted play is to be found in Nell Twomey's realization of Augusta J. Evans' "St. Elmo."

No novel of southern life, or, indeed, no novel of any classification, has given the reader a more virile or interesting character than that of St. Elmo Murray, who wars against himself and the world, and against his own nobler better nature until the softening influence of a truly noble girl provides him with the incentive to conquer his evil genius.

Mr. Twomey is a dramatic author of experience and every expedient of a master of stagecraft has been employed to reproduce with absolute fidelity to the original and charming southern atmosphere of this famous novel.

The book numbers it admirers by the hundred thousands, and the play is rapidly gaining the same meed of favor. It will be seen, interpreted by an exceptionally able cast, at the Wichita Theatre for a return engagement, on Tuesday, March 1st. Seats will be on sale tomorrow.

Listen.

Every lady visiting Harrison Everton's music store Wednesday afternoon will be given absolutely free one copy of music, choice of over 1600 copies; come early and avoid the rush.

342-tfc

Notice.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a market on Saturday, the 28th, of this month. It will be cakes, pies, bread, dressed chickens and everything nice for a Sunday dinner. The market will be held at the Palace Drug Store.

346-ltc

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. W. R. Stone is visiting in Iowa Park.

H. C. Hinkley is transacting business in Burkburnett.

Mrs. E. W. Morgan of Petrolia, was shopping in the city today.

Mrs. J. H. McCann is visiting relatives in North Fort Worth.

Dr. C. B. Pickle of Burkburnett, was here today transacting business.

Mrs. J. P. Arnold left this evening to visit relatives at Iowa Park.

L. C. Snyers, one of Ebers' entertaining business men, was in the city today.

Mrs. H. A. Orlopp left this morning for a few days' visit with relatives at Fort Worth.

Mrs. A. C. Bennett and little daughter have returned from a visit with relatives at Bowie.

County Commissioner W. S. Burnett, from Burkburnett, was here today on business.

Editor McReynolds of the Burkburnett "Star," was here today transacting business.

J. D. Meredith, who is connected with the Texas Oil Company at Electric, was here today meeting friends.

Mrs. McGee of Grandfield, Okla., is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Fields and sister, Mrs. M. G. Seoville.

Miss Fay Robertson, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned to her home at Iowa Park this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Evans of San Angelo, were visitors in the city today while en route to Seymour to visit relatives.

Mr. E. J. Ward, formerly of this city, now located at W. Fort Worth, was here today en route to Dundee, where he has business interests.

Mr. J. A. Evert, a highly respected citizen of Fort Worth, was in the city today on his return home from a visit with relatives at Frederick, Okla.

J. H. Wolf, a prominent stockman and farmer from Charlie, Texas, is in the city on his return home from Fort Worth, where he marketed a car of hogs.

Henry Brockreider, one of Wichita County's substantial farmers, who has been attending to business matters here for several days, left for his home this afternoon.

The Times is authorized to announce Fred. W. Householder as a candidate for city attorney. As this office has been made appointive instead of elective, Mr. Householder is not sure that he will be allowed to have his name placed on the ballot and voted on by the people, but is anxious to have the people to vote on his claims for this office, and therefore announces subject to whatever action the city council may take in the premises. He is a graduate of the law department of the State University, and during his residence in this city has demonstrated considerable ability as a lawyer, and built up a splendid practice. The Times takes pleasure in saying that should the people elect him, or the council appoint him to this office, he is fully competent to look after the legal end of the city's business.

Work was started this morning on the new Baptist parsonage on the lot just across the alley from the church on 10th street. It is to be a handsome two-story frame structure.

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SHORT ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Times was shown a sketch this morning of an electric sign 29 feet wide by 56 feet long, which was designed to be placed on top of the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company's main building. The sign is an advertisement for the famous "Belle of Wichita" flour, the leading product manufactured by that concern. It is impossible to give a correct description of the sign, other than to say that it shows up in various colors a beautifully costumed lady seated in a buggy, with the name of the flour spelled out in large letters. Superintendent F. P. Sinclair, of the Wichita Falls Traction Co., who is interested in selling these electric signs, says that while the mill company has not as yet accepted the design he feels confident they will, and when it is erected can be read a great distance from the city, and will not only be a good advertisement for the Wichita Mills & Elevator company, but will also be an attractive ad for Wichita Falls.

O. H. P. Rudersill, or the firm of Rudersill & Son, associated architects of Oklahoma City, is in the city today for the first time in twenty years, and says he hardly knows the town. Mr. Rudersill is the architect who drew the plans for the first high school building. He is here on business of a private nature.

The Coleman-Lysaght-Blairstown company continues to extend its interests and its latest move is to establish a branch house at Seymour in Baylor county. The company has already completed the arrangements for this branch and will install itself there very shortly.

J. C. Ziegler, manufacturer of sheet iron metal goods, has purchased through Stehlik & Jochend six lots on the east side of the Fort Worth & Denver railway tracks near the coal chute, and will erect thereon a large warehouse suitable to accommodate his business.

J. C. Green of Belton, South Carolina is in Wichita Falls today with his little son, Max, stopping with V. S. Kay. Mr. Green expects to move to this city and contemplates some investments here.

It is reported that Messrs Marlow & Stone are planning to sink a test well for oil or gas on their property west of the city and they expect to sign a contract for the drilling shortly.

Claude Thornton, a boy employed in the pressroom of the Times, sustained a badly mangled hand yesterday, one of his fingers being nearly crushed off in one of the presses.

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THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Cotton—Liverpool Spots.
Liverpool, Feb. 25.—Spot cotton 799 sales, 5,000 bales. Receipts, 1,000 bales.

Cotton—Liverpool Futures.
The market for future cotton opened firm and closed easy.

	Open	High	Close
Feb-Mch	7.63	7.71½	7.64½
Mch-Apr	7.64	7.65	7.60
May-June	7.59	7.58	7.52

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, Feb. 25.—The market for spot cotton opened quiet and 5 points higher. No scales. Middling, 14.45.

Cotton—New York Futures.
The market for future cotton opened quiet and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
Mch	14.19	14.28	14.28-a 30
May	14.24	14.34	14.34-a 35
July	14.11	14.20	14.09-a 10

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.
New Orleans, Feb. 25.—The market for spot cotton opened firm with price unchanged. Middling 14%. Sales, 1,460 bales, with 300 bales to arrive.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
The market for future cotton opened quiet and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
Mch	14.30	14.35	14.24-a 26
May	14.45	14.54	14.41-a 42
July	14.57	14.63	14.50-a 51

Chicago Grain Market.

	Open	High	Close
Wheat	113½	114½	114½
May	105½	107½	107½
July	101	103½	103½
Sept	101	103½	103½
Corn	65½	66	66
May	67½	67½	67½
July	47½	47½	47½
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May	47½	47½	47½
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Texas News Service Special.
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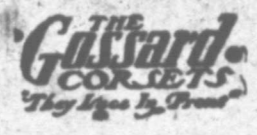
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