



### REPORT WILL FAVOR ELECTION OF SENATORS BY DIRECT VOTE

Special to The Times.  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—On Monday, January 9th the Judiciary Committee of the Senate will present to that body, Province permitting, a report unequivocally in favor of the election of Senators by direct vote of the people.

This will be regarded as a tremendous step in advance by all who have been shouting the slogan, "Let the People Rule." The Hon. Jonathan Bourne, of Oregon, in particular, will be expected to weep tears of joy when this report is brought in. The Oregon Senator believes most enthusiastically in the principle of the direct vote, for he happens to be in Washington through the favor of his fellow citizens. There are several others in the Senate who believe as does the Oregon Senator, but there are a few who do not give up the old for the new, with facility, and they will give the reformers a merry battle.

Even the Judiciary Committee itself is not a unit on the report. The sub-committee which acted on it consisted of Senators Rayner, Borah and Dillingham. Dillingham dissented from the report. It is understood that others on the main committee will also dissent, so that there will be a minority report and perhaps more than one. What will become of this report when it is given to the Senate is not hard to guess. There will be filibustering over it, and it seems likely that there will not be any action at this session. But to get a favorable report on this subject out of a committee and to get the issues squarely before the Senate is an achievement and the advocates of popular government will so regard it.

**Political Notes.**  
Congressmen who did not get their hands into the pork barrel at the last session have resignedly abandoned hope of ever doing so. With a Republican President and a Democratic House, they anticipate a contest for the Economy Sweepstakes which will put a crimp in all the appropriation bills.

That Champ Clark is a receptive candidate for the Democratic nomination for President is welcome news to his many staunch friends in Washington and elsewhere. The news, however, is something of a surprise in the camps of other candidates, where booms of more or less strength are being carefully nurtured. Clark belongs

to the "plain people" type, and neither he nor his family put on any "frills." In that respect, at least, he is an exponent of "Jeffersonian Simplicity."

It is reported that Senator Crane, of Massachusetts, will get out into the field to line up Taft delegations in various states.

A representative from Texas, who didn't "come back," dropped into town the other day, drew his mileage and headed precipitately for the Union Station, remarking that he didn't purpose slaving away at his desk here when his constituents didn't appreciate his efforts.

**Appointment of Judges.**  
Among Senators the disappointment over President Taft's selection of judges is still ranking. The President has his own method of appointing men to vacancies on the bench. When the new Court of Commerce was to be named, and justices were to be appointed on the Supreme Bench, the President gave the subject careful and prolonged consideration. He called in various Senators and asked their advice. In some cases he announced privately that Senatorial recommendations would be needed, and on the strength of these assurances certain aspirants were told that it was "all right." Then the President seemed to forget what he had promised, and proceeded to make similar promises to other Senators with the result that the first ones got wind of the shift of Presidential favor and hot-footed it to the White House to find that they had in reality been turned down. They generally managed to show the President that their candidate were the proper candidate and went away reassured, only to have the experience repeated. In the end there were a number of sorely disappointed Senators who have had an embarrassing time to make explanations to constituents.

In a town of this size, when a street car is full of passengers that some of them have to stand in the aisle, and hold on to straps, the people in the car always smile at each other, and say: "Quite like a city."

What do you think the people of Jerusalem and Palestine are now saying? That they need outside capital to come in and develop the natural advantages!

### KATY HAS CLEAR SLATE

**Another Year Goes by Without Passenger Being Killed.**  
In bidding the year of 1910 farewell and welcoming the new year of 1911, the management of the Katy saw another year pass without their record so long looked up to being broken. That record is no passenger has ever been killed by the Katy. The road has been in operation more than forty years.

Some months ago a young lady was killed while on a Katy passenger train in Kansas, but another road was to blame as its train crashed into the rear of a Katy train. The record is something the Katy officials refuse to brag about, yet feel pleased as the years roll around with the record still standing. More than 700 passenger cars are operated daily over 3,073 miles of track.

During the past year there has been in the neighborhood of 230 passengers killed in railroad accidents, which does not quite reach the number killed the previous year. In the neighborhood of 207 employees were killed during the year.

The railroads the country over are placing safety appliances along their lines and doing everything possible in that way for the safety of their passengers.

### ROOSEVELT COMING TO TEXAS IN MARCH

**He Will Visit the Southern States Next Spring—To Talk On General Issues.**  
Washington, Jan. 3.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt is shaping his program for this spring to conform with his Southern and Western trip which he intends to make, beginning with the first week in March. On this trip the Colonel will make a swing through Texas and Oklahoma. All told, he will visit fourteen States. On his arrival in this country the Colonel found that certain States were going to hold him to his bargain and that if he spoke in one he would have to speak in all. He finally decided to do this. He made a tour of most of the Southern States as the first lap of the big task of covering every State in the Union. Then he made his Western trip covering twenty-two States. Now, according to present arrangements, he will visit the remaining fourteen States, including Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Nevada, California, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Florida, Maine, Michigan and Rhode Island.

It is stated definitely that Mr. Roosevelt on his final tour will explain in each of the fourteen States to be visited just how the fight "is to go on" in connection with the recent correspondence between the Colonel and President Taft. It is now learned that Mr. Roosevelt has informally expressed his belief that Taft will be the nominee of the Republican National convention and that no combination of insurgents can beat him for the nomination. It is asserted, moreover, that the Colonel will not make any announcement in Mr. Taft's favor, as has been generally expected, persisting in his attitude that it would be bad taste for a former President to express either approval or disapproval of his successor.

In his coming tour Col. Roosevelt will discuss most of the big issues before the country today. He has not yet outlined his speeches even to his closest friends, but has indicated that he will do some pretty plain talking on the subject of a tariff commission, which he favors. What he says in some of his speeches will be guided by the Supreme Court decisions in the Standard Oil and Tobacco Trust Companies, and the action of the Senate in the Lorimer case. These two issues he is reported to believe will have a great effect in the future of the country.

**"THIS IS MY 62nd BIRTHDAY."**  
James W. Longley.  
Hon. James Wilberforce Longley, a Judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, was born in Paradise, N. S., Jan. 4, 1847. He was graduated from Acadia University in 1871 and admitted to the Nova Scotia bar four years later. His public career dates from 1882, in which year he was first elected to parliament. He entered the Government in 1884 and from 1888 until 1906 he filled the office of Attorney General. This office he resigned to accept a position on the supreme bench. Judge Longley is a Liberal in politics and has a wide reputation as an advanced thinker and writer on social and religious questions.

A certain Aitchison man is generally disliked because he is always trying to life the town out of a rut. A man can do too much talking of that kind.

Children are always being scolded because they don't read good books more. It is only just to the children to say that good books are very scarce. The writer of this is fond of reading, but finds good reading matter as scarce as good lectures.

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CITY NATIONAL BANK		WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS	
<b>RESOURCES</b>		<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Loans and Discounts	\$750,382.61	Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	151,442.08	Surplus and Profits	100,000.59
Other Stocks and Bonds	1,830.15	Currency in Circulation	100,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,175.00	Individual deposits \$650,323.80	100,000.00
Real Estate	1,600.00	Bank deposits	77,625.07
Bills of Exchange	173,224.71	<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>1,748,671.67</b>
Due from U. S. Treasurer	7,500.00	Bills Payable	100,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	253,788.71	Rediscounts	15,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,842,949.26</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,842,949.26</b>

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**POINTED PARAGRAPHS**

If you must bet, let the cook hold the steaks.  
 Any schoolboy knows that history doesn't repeat itself.  
 A word to the wives is seldom sufficient.  
 A friend who isn't in need is a surprise, indeed.  
 Hanging is too good for a painting that is badly executed.  
 It's a joke when some people take themselves seriously.  
 The trouble with the dead beat is that he refuses to give up.  
 A burglar usually makes his home run after he reaches the plate.  
 It is better to forgive than it is to spend a week in the hospital.  
 With some men the desire to be president is a ruling passion.  
 December is the slowest month in the year for the little folks.  
 People write a lot of things in a letter they wouldn't say to your face.  
 Nothing amuses the average man more than to have some woman believe she is bossing him.  
 Life is full of ups and downs—but unfortunately most of us are down more of the time than up.  
 And it sometimes happens that a man likes to have his wife get so mad she won't speak to him—then she will not ask him for money.—Chicago News.

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**Industrial Concerns Will Engage Only Young Men.**  
 In these days of strenuous competition when dividends count for more than men, the man who retains his youth is the man who holds his job the longest.  
 That is why one of the most successful dermatologists in Paris has warned young men to take good care of the hair. If you grow bald at 30 or 35 or even when you are older, that bald spot will so far as appearance goes add 10 years to your life.  
 Men who have hair should by all means keep it. In later years it may mean a livelihood to yourself and family.  
 Dandruff means falling hair; falling hair means dandruff. Stop falling hair and dandruff now. Go to Marchman's Drug store and get a large 50 cent bottle of Parisian-Sage. He will guarantee it to stop falling hair; to drive out all dandruff and kill the dandruff germs, or money back.  
 Remember that the man with a bald head who seeks a position is handicapped at the start. Parisian-Sage will make hair grow, will give it a lustrous appearance that denotes health and youthfulness. Of sale by O. F. Marchman and druggists everywhere. Girl with Auburn hair on every bottle.

**INDIGESTION**

**Relief in Five Minutes and Permanent Cure or Money Back.**  
 When O. F. Marchman states that he has a remedy that only costs 50 cents and is guaranteed to cure any man or woman who suffers from food fermentation, or money back, what are the poor stomach sufferers in Wichita Falls and vicinity going to do about it?  
 Food fermentation causes belching, sour stomach, gas eructation, heartburn and that lump of lead feeling as you probably know.  
 The name of this most remarkable stomach prescription is M-I-O-N-A. Most people call them M-I-O-N-A stomach tablets because they know that there is no remedy so good for indigestion or stomach disorders. Here is one opinion:  
 "I have been troubled with indigestion for more than a year. I bought one box of M-I-O-N-A and it cured me. Now I would not be without a box in the house for \$5.00. It saves a lot of doctor bills when you can be cured for 50 cents."—Arthur Sederquest, 2 Nichols St., Wakefield, Mass.  
 M-I-O-N-A stomach tablets cost 50 cents a box at Marchman Drug store and druggists everywhere and money back if they don't cure.  
 Reflections of a Bachelor.  
 Heaps and heaps of affection is habit.  
 The best conscience is when it's chloroformed.  
 The devil invented loafing to do most of his work for him.  
 If a man won't love a woman enough to make her happy, she can love him enough to.  
 A mother's dream of the time when her son will be president; a wife of the time when her husband will be a millionaire.—New York Press.

**GROOM LOSTS VOICE**

**HANGING A PICTURE**

**And Now Worries About What Will Happen When He Tackles the Stovepipe.**

Yonkers, N. Y., Jan. 3.—George Lewer of Tarrytown, is at St. John's Riverside Hospital here suffering from his efforts to hang a picture in the home he was furnishing for his bride. He appears to have lost the use of his voice. He does not know just how it happened, but recalls that his voice began to play out before the picture was more than half hung, and he passed, thinking at first that he was merely out of breath. When, half an hour later, he tackled the picture again, he found he could not use his throat at all and gave up the job in disgust.  
 He is improving at the hospital, but fears to resume work on the picture. He has been suggested to him that he get a phonograph, with a record composed of the ideas of three piano movers just after some one has offered them a drink of milk, or else not hang the picture until eighteen residents are putting in eighteen tons of coal in the same block. What worries him most is that he has yet to put up a stovepipe in the same house, and if he loses his voice temporarily just hanging a picture he fears fatal results from wrestling with the stovepipe. Worse than all is the haunting fear that the pipes may freeze. He is not a plumber and knows the language only imperfectly.  
 Physicians at the hospital say that Lewer is afflicted with a peculiar form of paralysis. He expects to be out of the hospital this week.

**Deer Gets the Jag Habit.**

Upon the shoulders of Dr. W. Reid Blair, veterinarian and pathologist at the New York zoological park, the park commission attaches of Essex county are laying the burden of having made a toper out of one of the deer in the South Mountain reservation. The animal was found a few days ago in bad shape in the woods, having apparently been gored, for it had two bad wounds in the shoulder.  
 The first treatment included a tonic of herbs and carrots, but the stimulant did not seem sufficient, and Dr. Blair then suggested whiskey, and water. The doe took to drink kindly, and its appetite for red liquor developed by leaps and bounds. It thrived under the treatment and was soon able to trink about the paddock, but a reduction in the allowance of the intoxicant was followed by a most alarming relapse. So far from being able to cut down the allowance gradually, the attendants were obliged to increase it.—South Orange, N. J. dispatch to the New-York Tribune.

**Strong Reasoning Faculties.**

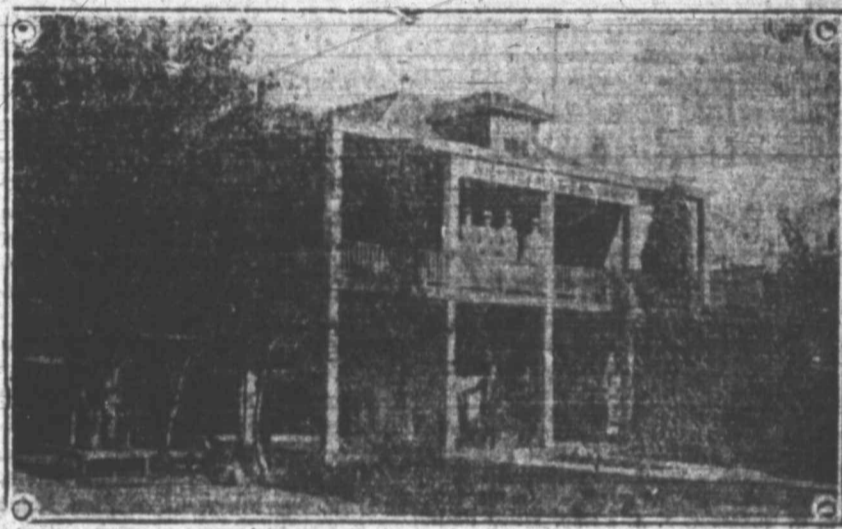
Behold a conductor making his way through the car, curiously scrutinizing every one's feet. He looks puzzled, and finally holding up a lace half shoe with a laced conductor in place around it, calls out, with a broad brogue, grinning widely. "Sure will the person with a wooden-leg please claim this!" All the women in the car nervously pull their skirts still further down and the men put away their newspapers.—New York Press.

**Condensed Statement of First National Bank**

Wichita Falls, Texas  
 NOVEMBER 10, 1910  
 United States Depository

RESOURCES	
Bills Receivable	\$384,351.51
Stocks and Bonds	17,825.08
Banking House	18,600.00
U. S. Bonds	75,000.00
Cotton Bills Exchange	12,614.48
Cash on Hand and in Banks	173,446.26
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$680,817.33</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus and Profits	81,876.56
Circulation	75,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	883,699.79
Bills Payable and Redcounts	65,344.98
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$680,817.33</b>

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$185,429.91	Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts	994.60	Surplus	8,000.00
Bills of Exchange, cotton	1,824.61	Undivided profits	5,323.38
Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,597.00	Deposits:	
Furniture and Fixtures	4,018.75	Individual	\$211,338.32
Cash:		Demand Certificates	2,562.93
On hand in vault	\$26,298.00		
Due from other banks	80,534.61	Due to other banks	131.50
	106,842.61	Cashier's Checks	71.85
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$300,717.78</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$300,717.78</b>

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF WICHITA We, T. J. Taylor, as President, and T. C. Thatcher, as Cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
 T. J. TAYLOR, President.  
 T. C. THATCHER, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 2nd day of January A. D., nineteen hundred and eleven. WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.  
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Correct—Attest:  
 J. F. REED,  
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 Directors.

Individual Deposits.	
December 31, 1907	\$ 61,415.70
December 31, 1908	112,203.83
December 31, 1909	156,615.51
DECEMBER 31, 1910	\$211,338.32

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 One of the methods which you can use in this direction is to call the dealer's attention to announcements which have appeared in his advertising.  
 For instance, if you are buying certain articles which you have seen advertised, and if for any reason those articles do not exactly meet with your approval, or if they do not quite come up to your idea of what they were represented to be, it is a good plan to state this fact to the dealer frankly.  
 Almost all dealers are honest.  
 They have learned by experience and observation that it is only wise to advertise the truth about their goods. But sometimes errors will creep in which the dealers are always glad to rectify. Your duty to your dealer goes beyond the point of buying goods from his store—and paying for them.  
 You should appreciate the fact that he is your servant, and as a servant he is entitled to know how nearly he is fulfilling his trust—pleasing his customers.

**Alphison Globe Sights.**

Be a good fellow but don't overdo it. Half the friendships have been broken, and patched up.  
 People are always amused when they hear of school teachers and bank clerks being overlooked.  
 No one has much faith in the theory that a barking dog won't bite when he comes face to face with the barking dog.  
 How often do you catch a man and wife holding hands behind the door? And how often do you catch them "fusing" in suppressed voices.  
 The suffragettes of New Jersey will ask for a law compelling every married man to wear a ring on his thumb, to show that he is married. Since most married men already have rings in their noses now, this additional mark would seem unnecessary.  
 Is there a newspaper in this country that can mention Christmas without saying something about the old Scrooge? Almost as many people seem to know about old Scrooge as are familiar with the expression, "All quiet on the Potomac."

**Wool Growers in Session.**

Portland, Ore., Jan. 4.—The forty-seventh annual convention of the National Wool Growers' Association has attracted thousands of visitors to Portland. Prominent sheep breeders from Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, Idaho, Wyoming, Utah, Montana, Oregon, Washington and California, and from several of the eastern States, Canada, and Mexico filled the National Guard Armory today when the convention was called to order by President Fred W. Gooding, of Shoshone, Idaho. Governor-elect West welcomed the visitors. The sessions of the convention will continue three days, during which time many questions of importance to the wool growing industry will be discussed.

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G. D. Anderson, General Manager  
B. D. Donnell, City Editor

Wichita Falls, Texas January 4, 1910.

The Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association has invited Elbert Hubbard, the eminent writer, lecturer and business man, to visit Texas and investigate the magnificent opportunities and resources of the state and Mr. Hubbard advises that he will accept the invitation and expects to devote an entire issue of the *Frax* Magazine to singing the praises of Texas. His writings excel in light and power that of any modern author and in choosing Texas for his theme he has selected the biggest subject before the American people today and one that is capable of enlarging the pocketbook of every citizen in the United States. The man, the subject and the magazine are of outstanding importance and combined will give us the biggest event in 1911 journalism.

The Commercial Secretaries' Association of Texas has done and are still doing a great work for Texas, but it seems rather strange that that splendid organization should thus far have overlooked or ignored completely the fact that Texas now has a 4-cent ad valorem tax rate on the \$100 valuation of all real and personal property, perhaps the lowest tax rate of any state in the Union. That organization has been accused of dabbling somewhat in state politics, and from all indications it would seem it is not entirely innocent of that charge.

If all the people in the United States were to move to Texas, our population would be less per area than that of Massachusetts. Texas opportunities are knocking at the door of every citizen in the United States who desires a happy, prosperous home, profitable investment and remunerative employment.

Much of the land in Texas has not felt the modifying influence of human skill in shaping its agricultural destinies and a special invitation is extended to farmers to move into the state and help cultivate our 141,000,000 acres of undeveloped land.

A great deal of criticism has been passed upon our higher courts here and elsewhere for turning so many criminals loose. The fact remains, however, that where one man is set free by the higher courts, at least

### CURRENT FICTION AND THE CHURCH.

Current fiction is accused of "ignoring" or "vilifying" the church in an able article in the *Standard* by Robert Chapman Hull. Two works are selected as typical instances of the negative and positive attack. "A Certain Rich Man," by William Allen White, and "The Calling of Dan Matthews," by Harold Bell Wright. "The alleged 'blasting' of some contemporary college professors," Mr. Hull declares, "is as nothing to the subtle purpose of undermining the walls of Zion which we find in the pages of some fiction." Now, there are doubtless smart Alecks among the writers of current fiction, as among the college professors, and infields of all varieties—some honest unbelievers, others scoffers to be thought intellectual—have existed and do exist in all circles of society and occupations of life. But Mr. Hull has only succeeded in pillorying one of them, for his first prosecution must result in an acquittal: William Allen White is not guilty.

It is true that in "A Certain Rich Man" there is a dearth of reference to the church. John Barclay is represented as singing in the choir, and then, in conversation with Lige Bemis John Barclay says that rich men can be divided into two classes; those who surround themselves with painted women and those who surround themselves with bishops and college presidents; in both cases the purpose which leads them to form such associations is the same—they want some one to fawn on them, to flatter them and to make them believe that, after all, they are the greatest men they think they are. Now, this is not an attack on all bishops. Note that Thackeray's delineation of the Rev. Mr. Charles Honeyman in "The Newcomes" and Deiken's introduction of the Rev. Mr. Stiggins in "Pickwick" are extended portrayals of rascally clergymen, and that ministers of religion have never considered them libels, and then consider that this is but a casual reference on the part of Mr. White to an indisputable fact, and it is impossible not to come to the conclusion that the evidence is not sufficient to ask any intelligent jury for a conviction.

But when we come to Mr. Wright the case is different. In "The Calling of Dan Matthews," the author has directly attacked a church, and if he does not mean all churches it is fair to assume that he means that many are like that "whited sepulcher." Mr. Hull prosecutes this author as follows: "It can not be denied that the church such as is described in this book may possibly have existed in some remote community, but the book loses its force entirely unless we accept the author's thesis that the experience of Dan Matthews was typical. He would have us believe that in the typical church the leading deacon and strongest financial pillar is not only a close-fisted and hard-hearted miser, but that he actually steals from widows and orphans in most despicable fashion. He would have us believe that the noble women of our churches are practically all of them scandal-mongers, with no hearts of compassion. He would have us believe that the larger church organizations are controlled by sanctimonious sycophants. He would have us believe that the estimable people of the community, those who lead really useful lives and render worthy service, like the physicians and nurses, are outside the fold of the church. Therefore, his message to the modern minister who is not content to walk in the old paths, but who desires to live the twentieth century life in the twentieth century way, is to emulate

### AS OTHERS VIEW IT. The Upper Berth.

The announcement that the Pullman company has decided to abide by the order of the interstate commerce commission and charge a smaller price for upper than for lower berths will generally be hailed with satisfaction. Should the company in its generosity go so far as to fix the charge for the upper berth at three-fourths that for the lower there would be still further reason for gratification. To charge the same for the second-story berth with which those who came late were obliged to content themselves as for a first-floor reservation has always been unreasonable. The new arrangement will afford more economical accommodation to those compelled to consider the question of expense, and will likewise give larger opportunity to those whose architecture is such that without a derick the upper berth closely approaches the unattainable. There is a possibility, of course, that those who are compelled to take an upper berth either for economic reasons or because they are too late to secure a lower, will be compelled to submit to a large measure of contemptuous scorn from colored divinites who preside over the affairs of travelers by night; but even that may be, in a measure at least, averted by continuous and loudly uttered protestations at the cruelty of the fare which condemns one to travel up aloft. For those whose accommodations are circumscribed by lack of opportunity rather than by lack of funds the saving in financial outlay which will result from occupancy of the upper berth will at least permit of the purchase of one small measure of liquid consolation at the prevailing prices on Pullman buffet cars, so that considered from every point of view it seems a safe prediction that the traveling public will be happier henceforth. The Pullman company has kindly consented to heed the pre-emptory order of the interstate commerce commission.—New York Tribune.

The answer to Harold Ben Wright is that, while it is right to expose the despicable church or clergyman, it should not be done in such a way as to reflect in churches and clergymen who are zealously doing the Master's work in this world with immense self-sacrifice.—Houston Chronicle.

### ASK THE RECORD.

Fort Worth is going to vote on a \$2,000,000 bond issue in the near future, and if it carries the money realized from the sale of the bonds is to be used for the purchase and improvement of her water works system.—Wichita Times.

Geel, why does Fort Worth want to spend that much for water as long as her brewery is in operation?—Bonham News.

Attorney General Ligtfoot has replied to Governor-Elect Colquitt's letter in which the latter threatened to cut off the state's payroll two of the former's assistants, and now the governor-elect says he regards the attorney general's reply as an insult. Thus, it will be observed, that the official family down at Austin are getting ready for that much heralded peace administration. Let 'em fight and the best man win.

### NEW GOVERNORS INAUGURATED AND LEGISLATURES CONVENE IN MANY STATES

**Progressives to Urge Reforms.** Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 4.—A convention of the progressive Republicans of Minnesota, characterized by its promoters as "the first political convention ever held in the Northwest solely for the consideration of political principles," met in this city today with an attendance of party leaders from all over Minnesota and from some of the neighboring states as well. The immediate purpose of the gathering is to form an organization which will work for the enactment of progressive measures at the present session of the Minnesota legislature. Among the reform measures upon which the leaders of the movement lay particular stress are the extension of the direct primary law to State officers and United States senators, a constitutional amendment adopting the initiative and referendum and the recall, a stronger corrupt practices act, and the extension of the civil service.

**Townsend to be Elected Senator.** Lansing, Mich., Jan. 4.—The Michigan legislature convened today for its regular biennial session. It is generally expected that the session will be marked by considerable legislation of a progressive character. The income tax and the corporation tax are among the important matters that will receive attention. The election of a United States senator to succeed J. C. Burrows will be little more than a formality, as the primary law makes it incumbent upon the legislature to elect Congressman Charles Townsend, who defeated Senator Burrows in the primaries last fall.

**Bay State Legislature in Session.** Boston, Mass., Jan. 4.—The Massachusetts legislature met at noon today for its annual session and was opened with the customary formalities. On January 17 the legislature will proceed to the election of a United States senator to succeed Henry Cabot Lodge, whose term will expire in March. Senator Lodge is a candidate for re-election and as the Republicans are in a slight majority in the legislature it is generally believed that he will be chosen to succeed himself, despite the strenuous fight that Governor-elect Foss is making against him.

### DEADLOCK IN PROSPECT IN RHODE ISLAND

Lippitt and Colt Will Divide Republican Strength in Senatorial Contest.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 4.—With two Republicans and a Democratic candidate the field for United States senator to succeed Nelson W. Aldrich, present indications point to another deadlock in the Rhode Island legislature now in session, unless there is a marked change in the attitude of the Republican majority. The Republican candidates are Henry F. Lippitt, one of the leading woolen manufacturers of the country, and Judge Le Baron B. Colt of the United States Circuit Court, a brother of Col. Samuel P. Colt, president of the United States District Court, who has received the endorsement of the Democratic State convention as well as the Democratic members of the legislature.

To all appearances the strength of Lippitt and Colt, the Republican aspirants, is about equally divided. Lippitt is regarded as the machine candidate, while Colt has the endorsement of the progressive or insurgent wing of the Republican party. Lippitt is the choice of Senator Aldrich and also has the backing of a majority of the members of the State committee. Whether this will help or hinder his candidacy is a disputed question. Judge Colt appears to have increased his strength within the past few weeks and apparently has sufficient strength to indicate a deadlock should all the Democrats stand for Judge Brown on every ballot.

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1864—First issue of the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.  
1874—Marshal Serrano appointed chief executive of Spain.  
1896—Utah admitted to Statehood by proclamation of the President.  
1909—United States Supreme Court refused the Government a rehearing in the \$29,240,000 Standard Oil case.

# The New Home Library Wall Chart

The TIMES has made arrangements with the publisher for several hundred copies of the New Home Library Wall Chart, which it proposes to give to its subscribers, (both to the Daily and Weekly) free, without cost to them except the postage that is required to have it sent through the mails to their addresses upon the payment of Subscription as follows:

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More than fifty species of beans have been found recently in prehistoric Peruvian sepulchres, showing that the vegetable is a native of America instead of Asia, as heretofore believed.

The surface of badly tarnished old pewter may be restored by soaking in a weak solution of potash for several days and then cleaning with rotten stone and olive oil.

### SOME DAY YOU WILL BE MY WIFE, BURGLAR SAID

Crook Remarked This to Widow While Robbing Her Home—Now They Are Wed.

Ashland, Neb., Jan. 4.—Mrs. Jessie Reynolds took compassion on Harry Elson and by marrying him saved him from what probably would have been a term in the penitentiary.

Mrs. Reynolds for three years prior to a few days ago was a widow. Occupying her home alone, she awoke one night about three months ago to find a man in her room leaning over her bed and pointing a revolver at her head. She did not scream, for she was told that if she did she would be killed. The man went through the house, gathering up jewelry and valuables. As he was leaving he passed the door of Mrs. Reynolds' room and looking in remarked:

"Good night, my dear; perhaps some day you will be my wife."

Mrs. Reynolds was disgusted at the

suggestion of becoming the wife of a burglar. As soon as the man was gone she reported the burglary to the police, and the next day the man was caught. He was the son of a well-to-do farmer a short distance from town, who, having been let off without an allowance, had concluded to go to the bad, and started by committing burglary.

Mrs. Reynolds appeared against the burglar, who was about her own age, and he was held for trial. That was last June, and since then and until about ten days prior to the December term of court she was a daily caller at the county jail where Elson was confined. The jailer permitted the courting to go on through the bars.

Court convened last week but

when the case of the state against Harry Elson, charged with burglary was called, it was dismissed for want of prosecution. Three days before Mrs. Reynolds had called at the jail, given bond for Elson, and in an automobile had taken him to Dodge, an adjoining county, where they were married. The county attorney could do nothing with the burglary charge, as the Nebraska law prohibits husband or wife from testifying against each other.

Some Postscripts.

One of the newest French aeroplane engines has fourteen cylinders, each with its own magneto and lubrication system, mounted on a crank case that surrounds a shaft.

met is a small fan, revolved by motor or clockwork to draw the air expelled from its wearer's lungs away from his face.

An English naval officer has built what is said to be the largest aeroplane in the world, a biplane the surfaces of which measure more than 1000 square feet.

So that a person's foot will not be caught if it be stepped upon, the interior of a new espadrille is provided with concentric rings, rising as high as the sides.

It has taken an English inventor to improve the sandwich board, one having been invented which changes the posters automatically each time the carrier takes twenty steps.

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### RAILROAD BUILDING IN THE SOUTH IN 1910

2,048 MILES CONSTRUCTED IN 16 STATES FOR YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1.

### TEXAS BUILT 791 MILES

Oklahoma Shows Remarkable Situation—Comparatively Little Doing There Since 1903.

Following is from the Manufacturers Record of December 19, 1910:

The annual review of railroad construction regularly prepared at this season for the Manufacturers Record shows that 2048.1 miles of new line were completed this year in the South and Southwest, which is only 17 miles in excess of the amount that was built in 1909. The amount built in the South proper, that is, excluding Missouri and Oklahoma was 1872.2 miles, or 11 miles less than last year. It is estimated that next year in the South and Southwest there will be built 3225 miles of line or about 450 miles less than was estimated for 1910. In the South the outlook for the new year is 3093 miles, or 27 miles less than for the present year. It will be noted that the actual construction for 1910 runs but little more than half of the amount estimated at the beginning of the year, and if a corresponding result is reached during 1911 the actual construction in the entire section under consideration will consequently be less than for 1910.

The small amount of line built is due principally to the fact that the railroads, on account of agitation concerning rates and because of increased expenses, had little to encourage them to build new line, although much is needed, and the absence of some big roads from the record of construction is conspicuous. Consequently, until conditions are changed it is not to be expected that the financing of railroad extensions can be accomplished with ease, or that the companies will be disposed to undertake new work excepting such as is absolutely necessary for the movement of traffic. The most conspicuous pieces of new railroad built in the past year were of the later character, and those promised for 1911 are the same. It may be noted that in the estimates for the new year only construction which is apparently assured

of accomplishment is considered in the table herewith; such as is merely contemplated is not embodied in the tabular statement, although it is mentioned in the detailed account below.

As usual, Texas leads the list of States with the largest amount of new track, namely, 791 miles, with which amount she is far in the lead, North Carolina coming next, with 161 miles, from which point the figures dwindle to almost nothing, Maryland having the smallest amount of any State. Texas also leads the list for 1911 with 971 miles, and Florida second, proposing 481 miles, most of which is likely to be constructed. Georgia promises 379 miles, but from that the figures fall off abruptly and show the least promise of new mileage to be in Louisiana, namely, 35 miles. The new mileage in Texas consisted principally of the work done by the Santa Fe system, which will complete its extensive new construction, or at least most of it, during 1911.

In connection with this glance over the work of the year, it is particularly interesting to look farther and see what has been done since 1902, when a big record for railroad construction was made in the section under consideration. In that year 4,100 miles of new line were reported built, of which 1274 miles was in the State now known as Oklahoma, but part of which was then called Indian Territory. Texas in 1902 had only 566 miles of line to report, although for the last several years she has built more than any other State. The grand total in 1903 fell off about 400 miles as compared with 1902, and in 1904 a low mark of 3421 miles was made, from which there was a gradual rise until 1907 in which year 3331 miles were reported. From this there was an abrupt drop to 1761 miles in 1908. In 1909 there were 300 more miles reported and as noted above, the amount this year is practically the same as last. The record for Oklahoma is remarkable. After 1903 there was an abrupt drop in her amount of construction from 1111 miles to 255 miles, and since then there has been comparatively little built each year in that State. It must be remembered, however, that the large railroad companies soon after the opening of Oklahoma and Indian Territory to railroad construction vied with each other in building, thus supplying the needs in the way of trunk lines for some time ahead, although they now need to build more largely to keep up with the development of that country.

One of the notable pieces of work accomplished in the past twelve months was the building of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway from Winston-Salem, to Wadesboro, N. C., this forming a link between the Norfolk & Western and the Atlantic coast line for interchange of business, but which will carry a tremendous coal tonnage from Virginia and West Virginia down into the South Atlantic States. Another was the Southern Pacific's cut-off in Louisiana. The Santa Fe's line above referred to, which will be completed next year, is also of great importance, as it will constitute a new route across Texas for traffic between the Gulf and the Pacific. Other notable work in prospect includes the Western Maryland's trunk line connection between Cumberland, Md., and Connellsville, Pa., to make a new route between the Atlantic coast, the Great Lakes in the Northwest, the Louisville & Nashville's extension of about 100 miles into the coal fields of Eastern Kentucky, together with the building of a branch by the Consolidation Coal Co. into the same region; the completion of the Key West extension of the Florida East Coast Railway and that company's building of a new line into the center of Southern Florida; the extension of the Chattanooga Southern to Atlanta and Birmingham; completion of the Galveston-Houston Interurban; besides sundry other places of important line.

The amount of new electric railway built, outside of purely local street railways was 122 miles, and the amount promised for 1911 is about 370 miles. This latter does not, however, include any of the work proposed by the Piedmont Traction Co., the new organization of the Messers, Duke in the Carolinas, or the plans of the St. Louis & Kansas City Electric Railway, both of which are extensive projects, which may soon begin construction.

Most of the data here presented was obtained from official sources by a thorough canvass of all the railroad companies in the States covered, although to complete the statistics additional data collected during the year (much of it also having been furnished through the courtesy of officials) was used. The table of construction represents only new main line track, second tracks and sidings having no part therein. It shows in miles and hundreds of miles, according to the figures of the engineers, the amount of new line built in 1910 and also the amount of construction which will probably be accomplished in 1911, as follows:

	1910	1911
Alabama	120.4	155.5
Arkansas	75.14	117.
Florida	126.85	481.5
Georgia	34.8	379.5
Kentucky	86.1	188.2
Louisiana	131.2	35.
Maryland	3.	61.
Mississippi	42.87	58.
Missouri	32.2	141.
North Carolina	161.25	191.
Oklahoma	143.7	141.
South Carolina	35.64	90.
Tennessee	60.65	86.5
Texas	791.27	971.
Virginia	33.18	65.9
W. Virginia	109.82	119.5
Total miles	2048.10	3285.71

The grand total of all railway construction in the United States for 1910 is 4,870 miles.

### BASEBALL NOTES

The Toronto Eastern League team will do its spring training in Macon, Ga.

Joe McGlinchey is building a new baseball plant in Newark for his Eastern League team.

Manager Duffey of the White Sox is keen for a series of games with the Giants during the training season in Texas.

Hugh Jennings thinks that Connie Mack's pitching staff will slump next season and that the Tigers will beat out the champions.

Joe Tinker of the Cubs has been offered \$10,000 a year, for four years, to go to Australia and organize a baseball league.

Bud Sharpe, the Doves' first baseman, may quit the game for good. He is at present managing a farm in Georgia for George Shullings and likes the job.

Wallace (Toots) Schultz, captain and star pitcher of the University of Pennsylvania baseball team, may sign with the New York Americans after the completion of his college course.

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Kentucky Corn Show.  
Lexington, Ky., Jan. 4.—The first annual Kentucky Corn Show, which is being held at the State Agricultural College, has attracted many farmers and other visitors from all over the State. The exhibition is held under the auspices of the Kentucky Corn Growers' Association.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawler are visiting relatives in Young County.  
J. H. Huggins is here today visiting relatives from his home at Loveland, Okla.  
G. H. Winfrey from Byers, is here today, meeting friends and transacting business.  
Miss Kathryn Clark from Dean Station, was in the city today, the guest of Miss Beattie Gullahorn.  
Sid King, traveling passenger and freight agent for the Wabash system, is a Wichita Falls visitor today.  
Jno. C. Thomas, a prominent business man from Holliday, was here today, looking after business matters.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Page left this afternoon for a few days' visit with relatives at Frederick and Snyder, Okla.  
Geo. D. Keith, manager for the Wichita Produce Company, was looking after business matters at Byers today.  
Dr. J. H. Leigh, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lou Gehbart, left today for his home at Hiawatha, Kansas.  
Messrs. J. M. Ashford and A. M. Meade of Fort Worth, are in the city visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lewis.  
James Calvert, formerly engaged in newspaper work in this city, left today for Omaha, Neb., and Des Moines, Iowa, on business.  
W. A. Shedd, traveling freight agent for the Trinity and Brazer Valley Railway, is in the city today from his Fort Worth headquarters.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Malone and little baby were in the city today en route to their home at Plainview, from a visit with relatives at Abilene.  
Mrs. Frank Taylor, who has been visiting relatives at Denison, was in the city today the guest of Mrs. C. C. Knight, while en route to her home at Electric.  
Miss Helen Beavers and Rhea Howard of this city, and Norl Trotman of Iowa Park, who spent the holidays at their homes, returned to school today at Trinity University.  
Miss Grace Bobo, who has been spending the holidays with relatives at Byers, was in the city today, en route to Sherman, where she will register at the Kid-Key College.  
Judge J. T. Montgomery left this afternoon for Dallas, at which place he has legal interests. He was accompanied by his little daughter, Louise, who went to see the sights in Dallas.  
Mrs. Emma F. Moore, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Beavers, left this afternoon for Alva, Okla., at which place she will visit other relatives before returning to her home at Chicago.

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Men's Suits, 3 pieces, cleaned... \$1.00  
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Misses Lella Bennett and Katy Clark made a flying trip to Petrolia last Tuesday.  
Rev. Bowles filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.  
Mr. Hamp Martin was visiting friends at Dean last Monday.  
We are giving away two gold fish with aquarium with every 25 cent bottle of Nyo's Cherry Cough Syrup. Only one gross. Hurry. Millers Drug Store. 201-2tc

## LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

A representative of the United Brewers Association is in the city today for the purpose of promoting the payment of poll taxes in the county so that the voters will be qualified to vote in the state-wide prohibition contest. Place-cards will be posted over the city urging the payment of the poll taxes.  
District Judge Martin has ordered the members of the grand jury notified that he will reconvene that body on Feb. 1 at 10 o'clock. There are a few felony cases added to the docket, since the grand jury adjourned and these will be the subjects of investigation on the reconvening.  
A bridge was burned out on the Wichita Falls & Northwestern, near Duke, Okla., Sunday and traffic on that road was delayed to some extent Monday and Tuesday, but the trains are about to get regular again.  
In his court room this afternoon at 3 o'clock Justice Brothers performed the marriage ceremony to Alson A. Slatten and Miss Clara Corncilison. The newly weds were from Walters, Okla., to which place they will return and reside.  
Earnest and Miller have been awarded the contract for a two-story annex 40x50 feet to the Friberg building on Ohio avenue. The contract price is \$3000. Work is to start at once.  
Miss Della Mansell, of this city was united in marriage to W. J. Berryhill, of Byers, Texas by Rev. R. R. Hamlin at his home this afternoon. The couple will make their home at Byers.

## WASHINGTON LEGISLATOR WOULD ABOLISH STRIKES AND LOCKOUTS

Special to The Times  
Spokane, Wash., Jan. 4.—Declaring strikes and lockouts to be illegal and providing compulsory arbitration for all disputes are the means set forth to solve the labor question in a bill prepared by State Senator George W. Shaefer of Spokane, for introduction at the coming session of the Legislature. The penalty for inciting a strike or a lockout is fixed at \$1,000.

The bill provides that any employe may be fined \$50 for every day he is on a strike, while an employer causing a lockout becomes liable to a fine of \$10 a day for each employe thus deprived of work, this in no instance to be less than \$100 a day in the aggregate. The arbitration board is to be composed of five members, two each to be selected by employer, the four chosen to appoint the fifth. Any member accepting a gratuity from either side is liable to a fine of \$1,000.

Seven classes of industrial disputes are named as coming within the jurisdiction of the arbitration board, as follows: Wages, hours, and terms of employment, employment of children, favoritism, faulty material or damaged work, established customs and uses of various trades and interpretation of agreements.

Differences arising out of any of the foregoing causes is ground for applying to the commissioner of labor to appoint a board of arbitration; following which neither employer nor employe is permitted to make any change in the terms or conditions of employment until a final decision has been given by the board. In the event no decision is reached a new board may be summoned at once.  
While the board is empowered to summons witnesses and take testimony, attorneys at law are barred from appearing except by agreement of both parties and all members of the arbitration body.

**Friberg-Thornberry.**  
The New Year was given a cold reception on his advent by the weather man. The mercury went down to 5 on Monday night.

Christmas week was a very busy one for both Friberg and Thornberry young people. Each held socials every night.  
Miss Anna Stephenson returned to her studies at Fort Worth this week. Thirty-five young people visited the parsonage on Friday night of last week. A new game, pillow dex, was introduced by Rev. Cunningham and all seemed to enjoy it.  
The children of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Friberg, with relatives and friends from Wichita Falls, celebrated the silver anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Friberg's married life. They had a good time.  
Through the kindness of Mr. Elmer Byman the pastor has come into possession of a buggy.

Fred Stephenson is taking good care of a fine new buggy.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Johnson and little Lillie, who have been visiting A. J. Andree and family the past week, returned to their home in Fort Worth Monday.

Caasper Gayer recently suffered a serious loss in the death of his horse, "Rock."

Houston Phariss and Miss Beulah Wadater, two prominent young people of Thornberry were quietly married at the Friberg parsonage New Years Day at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Phariss recently returned from the State University, where she had been pursuing her studies. They surely have the good wishes of the community for the best of success through life.

Lee Bryan is the superintendent of the Thornberry Sunday school for the coming year. Lee is the right one for the place.

The oyster supper at Thornberry Saturday night was not well attended and the watch night meeting did not prove popular, probably because of previous hours which were kept late.

Preaching at Friberg next Sunday, Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Do not let the chilly winter winds keep you from these services.

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## It Is An Old Question:

Which came into this world first, the hen or the egg?

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Wichita Falls, Texas

## E. B. MORSE ENDED HIS OWN LIFE

Bookkeeper at Broom Factory Took Carbolic Acid—His Health the Cause of Act.

Suffering from ill health and despondent, E. B. Morse, bookkeeper at the Wichita Broom Factory drank a quantity of carbolic acid last night about 7 o'clock and a few minutes later was found dead at his home, 1405 Fourteenth street from its effects.  
The tragedy was enacted in the back yard of the Morse home and when his lifeless body was discovered there were unmistakable evidences of the deadly drug, but aside from his temporary bad state of health no cause for the rash act can be assigned. His business affairs in crediting his books in the office of the broom factory being in an entirely satisfactory condition.

While still ailing, but in a convalescent state Mr. Morse was able yesterday to be at his desk a part of the day, but his despondency was noticeable to his associates, not to the extent, however, of causing anyone to believe that he contemplated self-destruction for he was known to be one of the most patient, faithful and considerate of the large number of employes at the factory.

Mr. Morse, who was 42 years of age, was born at Medina, Ohio. He had resided in Texas 18 years, nearly 9 of which he had spent in Wichita Falls and all that time holding the position at the broom factory from which his sad and untimely death removed him.

The deceased is survived by his wife and four daughters, the oldest being in her 17th year and his aged father and mother of whom he was the only child and who also reside in this city.

## Miss Percival

An experienced demonstrator in beauty culture and care of the skin, will be at the Palace Drug Store every afternoon this week to give free demonstrations wanted every lady in the city who values her personal appearance to call and see Miss Percival if you cannot call phone us your street address and we will have Miss Percival call at your home. She is an artist in her line and represents the finest line of toilet goods in the world. IT'S FREE.

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Mr. Morse was a member in good standing in the Modern Woodmen of America, the Ancient Order of United Workmen, the Order of Praetorians and the Royal Neighbors and in some of which he carried insurance to an amount not now known.

The funeral services were held at the residence at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. C. M. Bishop of the M. E. Church, South, officiating, after which interment was made in Riverside Cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

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