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FIREMEN WERE BURIED BY WALLS

FIRE IN SIX-STORY NEW YORK BUILDING IS FATAL TO SEVERAL.

TRAFFIC WAS BLOCKED

Street Cars Were Unable to Run For Some Time During the Rush Hours.

By Associated Press
New York, Jan. 6.—Several firemen were reported buried under fallen walls at a fire which occurred in a six-story factory building here today on Wooster street and caused damage to the amount of \$50,000. Traffic on the Sixth Avenue Elevated and surface lines was blocked for a time during the rush hours.

Singer Is Hurt.

H. W. Gilman, the singer at the Gem Theatre, received painful injuries last night as he was climbing the steps to the machine balcony. One of the steps near the top pulled loose and in the fall his head struck the back of one of the chairs, cutting quite a gash. While somewhat dazed he soon rallied and took his position at the piano to sing, but before the song was completed he became sick and fell over on the piano and had to be carried away by friends. He soon rallied again however, and today was feeling little inconvenience from the accident further than a very sore head.

Notice to Gas Consumers.

The offices of the North Texas Gas Company, in the First National Bank annex, will be open until eight o'clock on the night of Jan. 10th for the accommodation of those wishing to take advantage of the discount. 205-21c.

POLL TAX PAYMENTS PERMITTED SEPARATE

A feature in connection with the payment of taxes as explained to a reporter by City Collector Robertson which may be of interest to some of our people is the fact that the poll tax may be paid now and the property tax at anytime prior to February 1st, although the property tax cannot be paid without paying the poll tax at the same time. This arrangement will likely benefit some few who expect to be away from home the last days of February, as they can now make the poll tax payments personally and later arrange with some one of the family or an agent to pay the property tax, this being permitted without a power of attorney. All understand the exacting provisions in connection with the payment of a poll tax, and for this reason and that indicated above, and one which it is a matter of importance means so much to the man who appreciates the value of being a qualified voter.

City Poll Tax Payments.

City Assessor and Collector Robertson today reported a total of 106 poll tax payments at his office, of which ten were made yesterday. He is anxious that business pick up in this line in order to as much as possible relieve the rush that is anticipated during the last days of the month.

Inquiry Postponed.

The court of inquiry to have been held this morning in the Sunday-working cases was necessarily postponed on account of other matters occupying the attention of the court. The matter will likely be taken up tomorrow before Justice Brothers.

NORTH TEXAS GAS CO. MOVES ITS HEADQUARTERS TO WICHITA FALLS

Headquarters of the North Texas Gas Company, the corporation which supplies twelve towns and cities in northwest Texas with gas, has been moved from Bowie to Wichita Falls.

Wade Hampton, Jr., manager of the company, has become a resident of this city and the affairs of the company are being directed from this place.

H. P. Hodge, formerly of Bowie, has been made agent for the company here succeeding Mr. Gibson.

The North Texas Company now supplies gas to Rhame, Denton, Sunset, Bowie, Baller, Hensetta, Wichita

Mail Pouches Stolen.

By Associated Press
San Francisco, Jan. 6.—Three bags of registered mail with contents valued at fifty thousand dollars, were stolen during the last few days in San Francisco, or on the journey across the harbor to Oakland, according to the Call. The loss falls heavily on the local banks.

Store and Postoffice Burn.

Ennis, Texas, Jan. 6.—Fire this morning at Ennis, four miles east of here, destroyed the building and mercantile stock owned by J. P. Sims and the postoffice which is located in the building was also burned. The explosion of a lamp caused the blaze and Sims was badly burned in fighting the fire. The loss is fifteen thousand dollars.

REAPPOINTMENT IS PROVIDED IN BILL

By Associated Press
Washington, Jan. 6.—Representative Crumpacker today introduced a re-appointment bill which gives the House a membership of four hundred and thirty-five, a gain of forty-four. Texas gains two congressmen. The bill is endorsed by the Democrats and will be reported from the committee in a few days.

Prospects for Flight.

Special to The Times
Dallas, Tex., Jan. 6.—Indications at noon today were favorable for a flight by the aviators at the State Fair Grounds. A light wind was blowing and the temperature was higher than yesterday, when a severe wind prevented attempts.

The monoplane race between Garros and Simon will be the chief attraction this afternoon. There will also be other speed contests and trick flying.

Adjudged Insane.

Special to The Times
Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 6.—Jas. C. Blount, aged 28, son of J. P. Blount, president of the Denton County National Bank, was adjudged insane here today and sentenced to an indefinite term in the Terrell asylum. His father weepingly admitted on the stand that his son had been charged with forgery and swindling throughout the state and that he had spent \$35,000 last year to prevent his prosecution.

CLOSING SERVICE OF WEEK OF PRAYER

"Consecration" Topic for Meeting at First M. E. Church, South, Tonight.

The "Week of Prayer" will close with a consecration service at the First M. E. Church, South, tonight. The service will be led by Rev. J. P. Boone, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Rev. J. L. McKee will give a talk on "Consecration of Our Possessions." Rev. C. M. Bishop will speak on "Consecration of Our Business," and Rev. R. E. Farley on "Consecration of Our Influence."

"Consecration of Our Modes" will be the topic of a short address by Rev. R. R. Hamlin. Besides these talks, there will be expressions on the general subject by others.

Kansas City Fire.

By Associated Press
Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 6.—Fire in the packing room of the Kansas City Bolt and Nut Works early today did damage estimated at more than \$200,000 before it was brought under control.

CULBERSON NOT ILL.

Report That Senator Is Seriously Sick Absolutely Untrue.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—The report that Senator Culberson is seriously ill is absolutely without foundation. Senator Culberson was in his seat in the senate chamber yesterday and is enjoying splendid health.

DARING ROBBERS MAKE GET AWAY

ROB A HOTEL, BIND AND GAG TWO MEN, SHOOT CLERK AND ESCAPE.

ALSO ROB STREET CAR

Policeman is Killed and the Bold Bandits Finally Make Their Escape.

By Associated Press
Duluth, Minn., Jan. 6.—Wm. Muszury, aged 20, and Algor Johnson, bell-boy and night porter respectively of the McKay Hotel, early today held up and robbed and shot at the night clerk bound and gagged two other men in the hotel basement and escaped with fifty dollars.

Both were arrested and placed in a street car and brought back to the city. One of the bandits pulled a pistol and shot and killed Policeman Chesmore. The robbers then held up the passengers on the car and escaped a second time.

Fort Worth Markets.

Special to The Times
Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 6.—Cattle receipts 2200. Calves receipts 1000. Hogs 3200.
Steers steady, top \$5.00
Cows steady, top 3.55
Calves strong, top 6.25
Hogs lower, top 8.30

Joins Baptist Schools.

Special to The Times
Waco, Texas, Jan. 6.—The San Marcos Academy, of San Marcos, Texas, today applied before the Texas Baptist Educational Commission for admission into correlation with all Baptist schools and the application was granted. The Academy buildings are valued at nearly \$200,000 and the school has an enrollment of 300.

MAY STEWART WILL APPEAR IN INGMAR

What is certain to prove one of the principal theatrical events of the season will be the engagement of the popular young actress of May Stewart, who comes to the Wichita Theatre for one performance Wednesday night, Jan. 11, presenting the beautiful play—"Ingomar the Barbarian."

The coming of Miss Stewart has aroused pleasurable anticipations among many citizens outside of the theatrical circles as well as the regular play-goers who appreciate the better drama and are looking forward to the engagement as something out of the ordinary.

The story of the play is one of absorbing interest abounding in many thrilling and intense dramatic situations that should appeal to all classes. The scene of the play is laid in ancient Gaul during a period that gives scope for magnificent and rather spectacular costuming.

BEGIN INQUEST IN ANARCHIST CASE

By Associated Press
London, Jan. 6.—The inquest into the cause of the death of the two outlaws who were killed while resisting the police in Sidney street Tuesday, began today. The testimony shows that the soldiers were summoned because the anarchists' revolvers were superior to the weapons of the police and that less than fifty police officers participated in the siege, the remainder being required to deal with the crowds.

Work is progressing on the foundation for the Frieberg building, which is being constructed to accommodate the growth of business of the Freear-Brin Furniture Company.

LEGISLATURE IS WITHOUT QUORUM

By Associated Press
Nashville, Jan. 6.—The lower house of the Tennessee General Assembly met today and was called to order by Speaker Leach with insurgents still absent. No quorum was present and after a brief session the body adjourned until tomorrow. The tie-up in the house is costing the state several hundred dollars a day.

CALL FOR MEETING.

Member of the Chamber of Commerce and all those interested in the matter of paving are requested to meet with the directors at the city hall tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting is an important one and a large attendance is urged. Don't forget the hour, and be on time.

CHIEF JUSTICE GAINES RESIGNS

ACTION CAUSES QUITE A FLURRY IN POLITICAL CIRCLES AT AUSTIN.

JUDGE BROWN SUCCEEDS

Justice Gaines Is Said to Be Displeased With Recent Actions of Colquitt.

Special to The Times
Austin, Texas, Jan. 6.—The resignation of Chief Justice R. R. Gaines, of the Texas Supreme Court, is causing a big stir among political circles here and is the principal topic of conversation around the Capitol. It is authoritatively said that Judge Gaines agreed to administer the oath of office to Mr. Colquitt when he was inaugurated governor, then resign so that Colquitt could appoint his successor, Governor Campbell, however, has appointed Associate Justice Brown to succeed Justice Gaines, stealing another march on the Governor-elect. Gaines is an anti-prohibitionist and W. F. Ramsey, who succeeds Brown is a prohibitionist. It is reported that Gaines is displeased over the Lightfoot-Colquitt controversy, and because Colquitt accepted valuable Christmas presents from friends, a fine team of horses and an automobile being among them. That the affair will have much influence on the legislature is expected.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 6.—Hon. R. R. Gaines today resigned as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas.

Hon. T. J. Brown was appointed by Gov. Campbell to the position of Chief Justice.

Hon. W. F. Ramsey of the Court of Criminal Appeals was appointed As- (Continued on Page Four)

SAMPLE OF LIGHTING POST ON WAY HERE

Mr. St. Clair Receives Notice That Light Post Has Been Shipped to Wichita Falls.

Manager St. Clair of the Wichita Falls Street Railway Company received notice today from the Columbian Electrical Company, of St. Joseph, Mo., that they had shipped him a sample Caller Straight Arm light post. This post bears five lights and is of a very attractive design. Although it has practically been decided to install the Corinthian Standard light on 5th street, Mr. St. Clair will place the sample post in position as soon as it arrives and will give a demonstration.

Nothing definite has been done concerning the lighting of Eighth street further than that Mr. St. Clair has given prices for the installation of the Corinthian posts and lights. The matter is now up to the property owners and business men along that street.

No action has yet been taken for lighting the residence sections of the city.

EXPLOSION WRECKS A POWER PLANT

By Associated Press
Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6.—An explosion early today wrecked the East Side Power Plant of the Minneapolis General Electric Company and two men were seriously injured. The city is temporarily left without electric current.

Three Are Asphyxiated.

By Associated Press
Chicago, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Virginia Horvath, her son Stanley, aged 13 years, and daughter Emily, aged 8 years, were found asphyxiated today in their home here. A rubber tube connecting the gas main with a stove was found disconnected to the last.

PLOT TO WRECK OFFICIALS HOME

DYNAMITE FOUND NEAR RESIDENCE OF CITY ATTORNEY OF CHECOTAH, OKLA.

TWO STICKS WERE PLACED

It is Believed That Attempt Was Made By Those Whom He Has Prosecuted.

Special to The Times
Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 6.—A plot to wreck the home of City Attorney John Vaughan of Checotah by dynamiting it, was discovered today. Two sticks of dynamite with a fuse attached, was found near his residence.

Vaughan, his wife and three children were in the house when the sticks were found. It is believed that men whom Vaughan had been prosecuting made the attempt to take the life of the attorney and his family.

San Antonio Club Raided.

Special to The Times
San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 6.—Sheriff Tobin and Deputies late last night raided the "Philadelphia Club" and arrested six Mexicans and one American for gambling. The officers broke down a door to effect an entrance. The club continued to operate despite recent orders to close by Attorney General Lightfoot.

Chinese Tenement Burns.

New York, Jan. 6.—Three large tenements in the heart of Chinatown were today wrecked by fire which spread with great rapidity. One Chinaman is supposed to be dead in the ruins and two others were injured by jumping from windows. There were 250 Chinamen and twenty-five white women in the houses when the fire started.

OVERDRAFT DUE TO CITY HALL WORK

In connection with the condensed financial statement of the city treasurer, as published in The Times of yesterday, some explanation with reference to the matter of overdraft has been suggested by Judge Rye, the City Recorder, who compiled the abstract of the report, omitting the matter of details with reference thereto.

As explained by the Judge, the overdraft was due to the fact that the fund with which to construct the addition to the city hall was necessarily used out of the city hall fund, on account of a failure to sell the bonds that had been voted for this purpose, thereby creating an overdraft on this fund. Had it not been for this contingency the overdraft exhibition would have been different, and it does not in the least effect the condition of the city's finances when considered in the aggregate and in connection with the bond issue of \$4000.

BUSINESS LIGHT IN CITY COURT

The city court is just now enjoying, it such it may be termed, a season of unusual quietude in regard to the number of cases that burden the docket.

In discussing the matter, with a Times reporter today, Judge Rye stated that for the past six days but seven cases had been docketed, of which four were for drunkenness.

Two cases were disposed of this morning, both being infractions of the law on the part of a dusky dame.

Miss Fred Hyer has accepted a position with the Western Union Telegraph Company as bookkeeper and clerk.

TWO MURDERERS ARE ELECTROCUTED

By Associated Press
Dannemora, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Dominick Ferris and Vincent Leonardo, the young Italians from Albany, who murdered a rent collector on behalf of the blackhand, were electrocuted at Clinton prison today. Just before the execution Leonardo confessed to the crime but Ferris maintained his innocence to the last.

Set on Location.

By Associated Press
New Orleans, La., Jan. 6.—The first big exposition yet so far recorded was made here last night, when a California man and a New Orleans man wagered a thousand dollars each, that their respective cities would secure the World's Panama Exposition for 1915, to be located by congress.

Agreement Reached.

Washington, Jan. 6.—A satisfactory agreement has been reached between the Vacuum Oil Co. an American Corporation and the Austro-Hungarian minister of finance in the controversy between that company and the Oil concerns controlled by Austro-Hungarian capital.

CONDUCTOR KILLED BY DEPUTY MARSHAL

Special to The Times
San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 6.—James Head, a freight conductor on the San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railroad is in a hospital here probably fatally wounded following a quarrel at Yonkum yesterday with C. C. Bethea. Head and others were sitting around a stove in the freight station when Bethea, who is deputy marshal at Rockdale, walked in. Head told Bethea to close the door when words were exchanged and the shooting followed. Bethea surrendered and admits the shooting.

Justice Court in Session.

The Justice Court is engaged today in the trial of the case of Bostright vs. Parker, a civil action for breach of contract and damages. A jury was secured and the preliminaries disposed of before noon and the time this afternoon is being consumed in taking testimony in the case.

J. G. Bostright, the plaintiff has been leasing land from the defendant, W. D. Parker and the suit is the result of a disagreement in connection with a settlement.

Must Serve Sentence.

Washington, Jan. 6.—President Taft denied the application for a commutation of sentence in the case of W. S. Harlan, manager of a lumber and turpentine company doing business in Florida and Alabama, who was indicted and convicted of conspiracy to violate the peonage statute of Florida.

WESTERN UNION IN NEW QUARTERS

The office of the Western Union Telegraph Company is now in the company's new quarters in the Kemp and Keil building and Manager Pickle is one of the best pleased men to be found in the city. The location is the rear room on the first floor, and is admirably suited for the business, both in location and arrangement.

The room has been specially arranged to meet the requirements and convenience of the force. The wiring is all invisible, the lighting arrangement is excellent and to the rear is a store room for supplies. The furniture, which is all new, is very attractive affording one of the most convenient and up-to-date offices in Northwest Texas. Provision is made for twelve operators besides the department for the manager and bookkeeper and the counter for use in waiting on the public.

Manager Pickle has reason to be proud of his new quarters, which are a credit to the city and the splendid building in which they are located.

Marriage Licenses.

Wichita Falls continues to maintain its reputation as the mecca for visiting marriage couples, and as a result, County Clerk Reid today issued three permits to visitors to the city. The following is the record:
A. J. Hensley and Miss Flora Sutton of Waurika, Okla.
W. B. Coker and Mrs. Annie Lawson of Nocona.
Joe E. Elliott and Miss Nannie Shaddock of Randlett, Okla.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING IS TO URGE FAVORABLE VOTE ON BONDS

A meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce, as well as of all those who are interested in the matter of paving, has been called for tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the city hall and a large attendance is desired.

The principle object of the meeting is to arouse enthusiasm in the election to be held on next Tuesday, the 10th, to vote on an additional bond issue for paving, and in this connection the matter will be discussed from the different standpoints in which it will affect the city's welfare.

RETURN 22 BILLS IN EXPLOSION CASE

INDICTMENTS FOR MURDER FOLLOW INVESTIGATION OF LOS ANGELES EXPLOSION.

NO NAMES MADE PUBLIC

Identity of Suspected Parties Not Disclosed—Many Witnesses Summoned Before Inquiry.

Los Angeles, Cal. Jan. 6.—The grand jury in the Times explosion case returned twenty-two indictments last night. All of the indictments were for murder in connection with that crime. It is not likely that the names of any of the indicted will be made public until after arrests have been made. It is believed a large number of San Franciscans have been indicted.

Wholesale murder, the outcome of a dynamite plot, is understood to be the charge set forth in all the indictments, but it is believed more than three or four men are named in the true bills. The return of the indictments today was the culmination of a disaster that excited the people of Los Angeles to a degree that for a few days bordered almost upon panic and resulted in the offering of rewards aggregating nearly \$100,000.

Union labor, which the Times and its proprietors had opposed, was injected into the situation and when the special grand jury was impaneled Oct. 25 it was immediately confronted with two conflicting theories.

One of these supported by the findings of an investigating committee, appointed by Mayor Alexander, was that the Times plant had been blown up by dynamite conspirators. The other, presented by a committee named by the State Building Trades Convention, (Continued on page four)

PLANS TO SECURE MERCHANTS MEETING

Strong Effort Being Made to Land State Association Meeting in 1912.

Members of the Retail Merchants' Association of this city are preparing to make a hard fight for the next state meeting of that organization, as indicated in the Times some time ago. While no definite program has been outlined, it is the intention of the officers to at once begin an active campaign in an effort to get other locals throughout the state to line up for Wichita Falls for the 1912 meeting.

An active correspondence will be carried on during the next few months with a view to having the friends and forces of this city well organized at the convening of the state association in June of this year.

Those who attended the last state meeting and who have taken an interest in the matter are very much encouraged over the prospects for success. The annual meeting of the merchants' representatives quite a large gathering and Wichita Falls would be extremely fortunate in securing the association.

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The matter is one in which every citizen should be interested, and those who can possibly spare the time should lend their encouragement to the movement without fail. It is generally conceded that the proposition will carry, but it is not the Wichita Falls way to take such matters for granted, hence this proposed action.

It is understood that other matters of importance will be considered at the meeting, the nature of which has not, as yet been made known to the public.

Notes From The Labor World

In the last three months the railway carmen have formed twenty-five new unions.

About 92 per cent of the building trades mechanics at Hot Springs, Ark., are organized.

The Oregon State Federation of labor will meet in annual convention in Salem this month.

At present Porto Rico has 130 local labor unions with a membership of more than six thousand.

San Francisco, Calif. Typographical Union No. 21 now has a membership of more than one thousand.

The North East Coal Heavers' Society, at Liverpool, England, has amalgamated with the dockers' union.

In St. Louis, Mo. there are more than two thousand men employed in the brick, tile and terra cotta industry.

New York City members of the International Wood Carbers union are trying to obtain a forty-hour week.

A scheme to regulate the output in time of strike has been adopted by the miners' international congress in Europe.

The first union of fur cap makers was formed in New York City recently and intends to demand higher wages and a shorter workday.

The newly organized East Side Bank

Astor's Story of a Seat.

Colonel John Jacob Astor has invented a steamer chair with vacuum cups at the ends of the legs. Thus, without being screwed down, the new chair will keep its position in the wildest sea.

"There is a need for my invention," said Colonel Astor at Newport, "for a screwed down chair is an unhandy contrivance, while a free chair, in rough weather, is so dangerous that it puts you rather in the position of the Norristown lunatic.

"A man was smoking and reading in the shade of the Norristown asylum when a lunatic looked over the wall and said:

"Do you happen to have a piece of toast?"

"No," the man answered.

"What a pity!" the lunatic sighed, and shook his head. "What a great pity! And I'm so tired!"

"Look here," said the man, impatiently, "what the deuce do you want a piece of toast for?"

"Why," replied the lunatic, "I'm a peached egg you know, and I do so want to sit down."—New York Tribune.

Clerks' Union in New York City intends to make a demand for higher wages and shorter hours soon.

A meeting of Pullman car porters was held in Chicago the other day, with a view of organizing a union with a death benefit feature.

Organized labor throughout Oklahoma is working strenuously for the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution, extending suffrage to women.

Strong efforts are being made in Colorado to bring about a shortening of the working hours of factory women and to establish a minimum wage for them.

The state federation of labor organized in Wyoming in 1909, now has affiliated with it sixty-one local unions, comprising in all nineteen trades and crafts.

During the past year the Bakers and Confectioners' International Union spent \$67,781 in strike benefits. It had sixteen strikes during the year of which ten were won and six are spending.

Under the new laws in Portugal the right to strike is conceded to all classes of labor, with the exception of government employes. Strikers must give from eight to twelve days notice of their intention to strike.

To Settle State Boundary Dispute.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 6.—The members of the joint State commission of Oregon and Washington appointed to determine the boundary dispute between the two states met today, preliminary to taking a trip down the Columbia River to visit the disputed territory, which consists chiefly of islands in the lower Columbia. Important fishing rights are involved in the dispute.

Want Freight Rates Readjusted.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 6.—Representatives of the vast coal, coke and iron interests of Ohio, West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania and several of the neighboring states are gathering in Pittsburg in readiness for the meeting tomorrow to inaugurate a campaign for the adjustment of freight rates in the Pittsburg district.

Bowling Tourney to Be Big Affair.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 6.—Midnight tonight is the time fixed for the closing of entries for the eleventh International American Bowling Congress tournament, which is to be held in this city Jan. 21 to Feb. 6, inclusive. Though the exact figures probably will not be ready to give out for several days it is believed that the number of entries in all classes will surpass those of the previous tournaments. It is estimated that the contestants will include over 400 five-men teams and 1000 two-men teams, while the number of individual bowlers will probably exceed two thousand.

The Star Meat Market wish to call the attention of their patrons and the public generally to the fact that they have moved their market to 807, 10th street, where they are anxious to serve their patrons in their line.

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The first application will give prompt relief and show an improvement and in every instance where used persistently, will destroy the germ life, leaving the skin in a clean, healthy condition.

Sold and guaranteed by druggists everywhere and in Wichita Falls by Miller's Drug Store.

Let us show you proof of some remarkable cures made by ZEMO and give you a 32 page booklet how to preserve the skin.

SOX WILL JUNKET TEXAS IN TRAINING

Chicago Americans' First Team is Scheduled for Games at Houston.

Chapter No. 1 in the book of playing dates scheduled by President Comiskey for his gay young Sox came hot from the printers yesterday and others will follow when the "Old Roman" returns from his piscatorial pilgrimage to the Florida Keys. That the first squad will be a mighty busy troupe is evident from the galaxy of early attractions around the chain of cities near by Mineral Wells, which will serve as the main hiding place for Duffy's demons.

Business is slated to pick up in the Sox camp immediately following the arrival of the athletes in the watering retreat, but the games won't be set in motion until March 4, when the first of a two-combat series with Fort Worth will be staged. The second battle with the cowboys will be flashed on the screen March 5, after which the overweighted pasttimers will rest on their bats, spikes and other regalia until March 9 and 10, when Galveston will be given a peek at the immaculate hose.

After filling the engagements at the Gulf City Duffy will split his massed detail into two sections incidental to a general campaign throughout the Lone Star state. One band, with "Doc" White the probable pilot, will journey over to Waco to exhibit March 11 and 12, while the first team, composed of the regulars will keep busy on the same dates entertaining the natives of Houston.

Another breathing spell will follow the series at Houston and Waco, with hostilities billed to resume March 14 and 15, when the regulars will again invade Waco, the "Zeepos" going to Fort Worth for two games, March 18 and 17. Although the remainder of the schedule is almost complete, "Commy" is not ready to kick in with the final announcement.

The Sox family at present writing numbers 41 highly touted gents, including Manager Duffy, but the official harpoon will probably be set to work before the choo-choo cars rumble away for the Southwest, February 28. Changes galore may follow at the meeting of the American Leaguers in Chicago next month, for Comiskey is bent on rounding up at least four hard-hitting outfielders.

If plans in the making are carried through the Sox pitchers may precede the main guard to Mineral Wells for a bit of early practice in order that their salary arms may stand the brunt of real pitching against the Texans in the contests billed to start March 4. These plans will be completed, however, when Comiskey and Duffy get together about the middle of next month.

Stork Kept Busy.

as in the month of November. There was 4336 births and 1908 deaths. A significant fact is disclosed. The registrar's report shows that the white race maintains in Texas a birth rate of about three to one, as compared with the number of deaths, while the birth rate of the negro scarcely exceeds his death rate, and for many months the number of deaths among the blacks exceed the number of negro births. Officials of the health department express the belief that these figures may not be employed in drawing the conclusion, without qualification, that the negro is dying out. It is said that all statistics relative to the colored race are more imperfect than those of the white race. It is conceded, however, that tuberculosis and the diseases of infancy are operating to hold in check the increase in the negro population.—Dallas Times-Herald.

Father Knew.

In a public school the children were asked to come prepared with the meaning of the word "bachelor" for the next lesson.

This was one little girl's confident definition: "A bachelor is a very happy man."

The teacher wanted to know more: "How do you know that?"

"Father told me so," was the reply.

Hot rolls at CORNER BAKERY, 203-2tc

ARE YOU DEAD?

Catarrah is Probably the Cause. Get Rid of the Cause.

If you have catarrah and have constant ringing noises in your ears, look into the matter at once.

It's a pretty sure sign that catarrah is spreading and is making its way through the Eustachian tubes that lead from the nose to the ears.

When catarrah gets to the ears partial deafness follows. If you have ringing noises in your ears go to Marchant's Drug Store today and get a HYOMEI outfit and drive out catarrah.

To cure catarrah HYOMEI should be breathed through a pocket inhaler for a few minutes, four or five times a day. Just pour a few drops into the hard rubber inhaler and breathe it.

It kills the germs; soothes the irritation; heals the inflammation; stops hawking, spitting and snuffing.

HYOMEI keeps the throat free from mucus and prevents crusts in nose.

The complete HYOMEI outfit, which includes the little indestructible hard rubber inhaler, a bottle of HYOMEI and simple instructions for use, costs \$1.00. Separate bottles of HYOMEI cost 50 cents at Marchant's Drug Store and druggists everywhere, on money-back plan.

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$750,382.61	Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	151,442.08	Surplus and Profits	150,000.59
Other Stocks and Bonds	1,839.15	Currency in Circulation	150,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,175.00	Individual deposits	\$650,323.00
Real Estate	1,000.00	Bank deposits	77,625.07
Bills of Exchange	173,221.71	Total Deposits	727,948.67
Due from U. S. Treasurer	7,500.00	Bills Payable	100,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	253,788.71	Rediscouints	15,000.00
Total	\$1,342,949.26	Total	\$1,342,949.26

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Men's Wool Overshirts, Men's Underwear, Men's Hose and Comforts.

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Misses' \$2.50 values at	\$2.20
Misses' \$2.50 values at	\$1.65

LADIES' SKIRTS

\$7.50 and \$8.50 values, novelty sweaters	\$4.95
\$12.50 values, novelty sweaters	\$8.95
\$12.50 values, Califon, Panama	\$8.95
\$6.50 values, Panama	\$3.95
\$10.00 values, Voile	\$7.95
\$15.00 values, Voile, fancy braided	\$12.95

LADIES' OUTING KIMONAS.

\$3.00 values at	\$1.95
\$2.50 values at	\$1.65
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1 lot Ladies' Tailored Waists, \$2.50 values at	\$1.79
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1 lot Ladies' Tailored Waists, \$1.25 values at	85c

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Silk Foulard, \$1.00 values	50c
Silk Foulard, 75c values	37c
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Duncan U. Fletcher, United States senator from Florida, was born in Sumter county, Georgia, January 5, 1859. His parents moved the following year to Monroe county, Georgia, where he resided until 1881. He graduated in law at Vanderbilt University in 1880 and the next year began the practice of his profession in Jacksonville, Fla., which city has been his home ever since. He was a member of the Florida legislature in 1893, mayor of Jacksonville 1893-95 and 1901-03, chairman of the Democratic State executive committee, 1904-07, and was nominated for United States senator at the primary election in 1905 to succeed Senator Milton. Senator Fletcher's term in the senate will expire March 3, 1915.
Stockholders Meeting.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of First State Bank and Trust Company will be held at the office of said bank in Wichita Falls, Texas, on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, an affirmative vote of such other business as may be properly presented. 190-21c

THE CONJUROR.
(By Leslie Thomas.)
All around him hummed cheerful conversation, but Mr. Frederick Boyson sat alone and dejected in his corner. Occasionally someone would pounce his gloom and address him; but he answered almost sulkily, and soon became the subject of whispered comment.
Only conscious, however, of the fact that Miss Hilda Wenlock had glanced and smiles for everybody except himself. Mr. Boyson followed her with a furtive eye. You never know what to expect with a girl, he reflected helplessly. "She'd lead you on, and encourage you until you were on the point of proposing and then suddenly, for no reason at all, apparently quite forget your existence. It was enough to make a fellow wish he had never accepted the invitation to her home."
"It'll be a mixed affair, Mr. Boyson—mostly young people, and some children."
A mixed affair—yes. Otherwise he told himself bitterly, a person like Herbert Piment, who was leaning maddeningly close to Miss Wenlock as he talked, would never have been seen inside of the house. With set teeth, Mr. Boyson glared in the direction of the couple. His hostess had to address him twice before he heard.
"All about? Oh, that's not fair. You ought to be helping me entertain people. Let me see, now, what is it you're so clever at? Ah, of course—the very thing."
"Mr. Boyson, guessing what was coming, reddened, and began to stammer."
"Oh, no, I can't accept excuses, really." Mrs. Wenlock raised her voice, "Listen, please, everybody. I have say you've all heard about Mr. Boyson's conjuring. Well he has promised to show us some."
"He must've a frantic suggestion."
"Oh, well, then, directly after supper, so that the room can be cleared a bit. Promised to show us some tricks, she concluded triumphantly.
"Mr. Boyson found all eyes focused upon him, some in pitying superiority, others in contemptuous amusement or polite surprise. He groaned inwardly.
"I won't do it," he vowed. "I'll say I'm ill or something."
But Mrs. Wenlock had disappeared, and when at length he found her she laughed at his protestations.
From that till supper time he moved restlessly, the picture of misery, and although he sat down to the table he could hardly eat a morsel. He thought

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"We've arranged the chairs, sir, and your box has come. And please, the mistress says will you kindly see if there's anything more you want."
"N—no," declared Mr. Boyson sulkily. "Nothing."
She waited, however, so he arose and followed her.
"A screen, then, if you don't mind; and—er—" He mumbled a confused request.
He could escape directly afterwards he decided frantically—once the pitiful exhibition was over. Then the boxes—and Hilda Wenlock—should know him no more. Dully he busied himself in the few preparations necessary, his hostess looked in.
"All ready? Now do come back and finish your supper. You've had positively nothing."
Feebly protesting, he was hustled off again. When they arose from the table he gulped down a drink. The other men gathered round, and made chaffing comments. He scarcely heard what they said. As if in a dream, presently, he found himself facing an expectant throng.
"Of course—you all know that I'm only an amateur at—or the game; and really I didn't want to—that is to say, my tricks aren't up to much—er—at the best of times; and I doubt very much if they'll come off—so if so you mustn't expect too much, because I—er—don't really pretend to—er—I mean."
Timely clapping of hands led by Mr. Wenlock from the background, served to cover his halting attempt at explanation. He cleared his throat and blew his nose violently. His fingers were curiously unsteady.
"For my first trick—er—I have here an ordinary pack of cards. Will some lady or gentlemen kindly select one and remember it. Thank you. Now here are three piles, which you'll be in, sir. Again, three piles. The left hand one?—er—just once more, in the center? I will now deal out, and the card chosen, followed Mr. Boyson bravely, should be, if I'm not mistaken—let me tag it with my magic wand—should be the—the sign of clubs."
His heart was in his mouth. A confirming nod made his smile a new, triumphant.
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The Day's Best Story

The Professor at the Breakfast Table.
The wife of the great botanist beamed at him across the supper table.
"But these," she exclaimed, pointing to the dish of mushrooms that had been set before her, "are not all for me, Aristotle, are they?"
"Yes, Allice," he nodded; "I gathered them especially for you with my own hands."
She beamed on him gratefully. What a dear, unselfish old husband he was. In five minutes she had demolished the dish.
At breakfast next morning he greeted her anxiously. "Sleep all right?" he inquired.
"Splendidly," she smiled.
"Not sick at all—no pains?" he pressed.
"Why of course not, Aristotle," she responded.
"Hurray, then!" he exclaimed. "I have discovered another species of mushrooms that isn't poisonous."

"That little trick, I may say, was taught me by—well I forget his name for the moment, but—er—my next feat will be to smash up somebody's watch in full view of the audience, and then restore it undamaged. The watch I should like to borrow."
Sarcasmic laughter was general. He explained with difficulty. Mr. Wenlock at last was persuaded to offer his time piece.
"Now a top hat, if somebody will kindly—thanks. You observe me place the watch inside. Now I will pound it with this mallet. Note—er—note the pieces. We next cover the hat with a handkerchief—so. Hey, presto! the hat is empty. Will you pass that ornament off the mantel-piece, sir? Inside we have the watch—the watch."
Mr. Boyson hesitated, staring amazedly.
"The watch; also—also—" he continued jerkily.
"My chain," declared Mr. Wenlock excitedly. "But I wasn't wearing it. I'd left it in my bed room. This is marvelous."
Mr. Boyson murmured deprecatingly.
"And I know you haven't been upstairs. Bravo! bravo!"
It was a full half minute before the entertainment could continue.
"I will—er—now endeavor to change this handkerchief—my own, but quite ordinary; examine it, if you like—to change it into something else. I move this screen in front of the empty table—so. Wave my magic wand—so. Any member of the audience like to take the screen away?"
A small boy pressed forward eagerly. At sight of the arrangement of flags there came a gratifying murmur of surprise.
You can pick them up my lad. Why—what on earth—
"My guinea-pig!" The applause was almost deafening. Mr. Boyson stared at the animal with bulging eyes, mopped the perspiration from his brow.
"Splendid! Now how to goodness did you know we had a guinea-pig, much less make it appear like that?"
Mr. Boyson would have liked to answer his hostess' inquiry, but he himself had been only too surprised.
"Much better than he used to be," came a whisper faintly from the audience; and he recovered himself with an effort. But when, after balancing an apple on his hand and banishing it to the chimney, he found there the fruit inside half a dozen boxes carefully packed, he literally staggered. Some queer outside influence was at work.
Such, however, was his success that even a final weakly, humorous episode was well received.
"I will step behind the screen. When it is removed you will no longer be able to see me! There! What did I tell you?"
Switching on the electric light he bowed modestly.
"And that will conclude my entertainment for this evening, ladies and gentlemen. Thank you one and all for your kind attentions."
"Now do, tell us how you did them all."
"My dear Mrs. Wenlock, that mist reminds me, I am afraid, in fact, I—I—er—couldn't explain, really."
"Outsiders—wouldn't understand, they!"
He swung round at the mischievous voice behind him, and Mrs. Hilda Wenlock's innocent gaze.
"It was you!"
"Hah!" she droned in a whisper. "Wait till they've started games."
Mr. Boyson's heart beat tumultuously. When she'd slipped out, giving him a backward glance, he followed ecstatically into the deserted hall.
"I've carried it off very well, considering. Thought I'd give you a bit of extra help. It was a great shame for mother to make you—"
"But how—"
"While you were out of the room? I had a few minutes—er—show all your old tricks, or come? Outside where you hid the things, and added a few more."
"You wanted to be a success at it. You didn't want me laughing at."

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"You—do you really care about me—sometimes, then?"
Her answer was inaudible. Mr. Boyson, however, began to fumble in his waist coat pocket.
"Hullo!" she laughed a trifle nervously. "Hey, presto! and what appears?"
"This!" retorted the conjuror, boldly. "Wonder if it'll fit your finger."
"I knew you'd brought it," observed Miss Wenlock, shyly. "Saw you examine it in the passage. I was looking over the banisters. Some people take things too much for granted. Fancy getting this before you'd as much as asked me."

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BISHOP WILLIAM A. QUAYLE.

The Methodist Episcopal Church in this city will be formally dedicated on Sunday, January 15. Bishop William A. Quayle, one of the ablest and most eloquent men of that church will deliver the dedicatory sermon. The dedication service will be held in the morning.

A SPLENDID SHOWING.

The Wichita Falls Fire Department is to be congratulated and the citizenship of the city is due its members a large measure of gratitude for the splendid results attained during the year 1910.

By reference to the annual report published in the Times of January 2, it will be seen that out of a total of \$265,310 worth of property involved in the different fires, the total loss only aggregated \$26,545, or ten per cent, at the same time representing a saving of \$238,765 to the property owners of Wichita Falls.

This is a record of which the department may be proud and for which our people should be indeed thankful. It is doubtful if there is another fire department in the state in a position to make so creditable a showing as stands to the credit of the boys of Wichita Falls. Their efforts have been faithful, their reward meagre, other than a consciousness of duty well performed.

Day and night, in rain and cold, they have faced the hardships and dangers known only to those who battle with the raging flames. The department should be encouraged in every way possible and it is very commendable of those who have from time to time made contributions thereto.

Let us hope that they may be proportionately successful during 1911 and it is reasonable to anticipate splendid results with the combined faithfulness and energy heretofore displayed, coupled with the improved equipment from time to time.

FOR A PERSISTENT CAMPAIGN.

Too many movements of real worth and merit are given a great boom for a few days or months and are then forgotten. Such a movement was the educational campaign conducted a year or so against the great white plague.

One of the popular magazines ran a series of articles educating the public in the matter. The newspapers and various societies and organizations throughout the length and the breadth of the land took up the cry and the campaign became one of the most wide-spread movements of its day. Educational exhibits showing the causes, measures for prevention the results, etc., of the disease toured the state, and it is undeniable that much good was done.

But, within a few months the exhibit was taken in and housed, the newspapers gradually devoted less space to the subject until now it is rarely mentioned and seldom discussed.

The point that The Times is trying to make is that such agitation should not be allowed to die down. There should be some vigorous organization to keep such movements before the public. The anti-tuberculosis campaign was just beginning to have effect. If it had been continued on the scale before the results would have been cumulative and the white plague eventually stamped out. Such results cannot be accomplished by spasmodic effort. They will come only by steady persistent work 365 days in the year, year in and year out.

Let us have a revival of the anti-tuberculosis campaign on a basis that will insure its permanency.

TIMELY TEXAS TOPICS.

West Texas needs railways. East Texas needs more farmers to help feed the mechanics and artisans of our cities. And there is good money in this feeding business.—Rockwall Success.

The man who resolves to hold his temper, and not to cuss during 1911, ought to be given another chance. It was not to be expected that his water pipes would freeze the very first night after the resolution was framed and hung up.—Temple Telegram.

Governor-elect Colquitt has bought himself a fine auto, and a few days ago some friends gave him a pair of \$600 horses. He is the only Governor of Texas who ever owned an auto. A man's credit begins to get better just as soon as he becomes Governor.—Tyler Courier.

It is railroad construction that places lands in touch with commerce and it is good roads that places farmers in touch with railroads. Good roads are the greatest aid in the development of a community and money spent for their construction will bring returns to the farmer.—Big Springs Enterprise.

The great moving will soon take place at Austin. Not in many years has there been such a separation from fat and juicy jobs as will occur within the next two weeks. It's a bad time of the year to turn them out to graze, but the department heads want a clean sweep and they are going to have it.—Lockhart News.

We do wish incurable cases of optimism would become epidemic in this town. Optimists are the people who get things done because they believe they can get them done. Join the ranks of the optimists and see what progress our town will make in beauty, health, population and prosperity during this year.—Gonzales Inquirer.

New Orleans has started a campaign that other cities will do well to follow. It is a campaign against the housefly. Every sort of refuse that attracts flies is to be screened and disposed of at frequent intervals. Also the fly will be swatted. Perhaps Beaumont's health department may take some step to do away with the fly.—Beaumont Journal.

Those persons further North who were kept busy on New Year's Day thawing ice out of their eyelashes, will probably read with interest that down in lovely Laredo we ate watermelons and roasted ears in gardens surrounded by blooming roses. If we owned an interest in a frigid climate we'd trade it for a Laredo onion patch, even if we had to use a shotgun on the owner of the onion patch to persuade him to make the exchange.—Laredo Times.

Uncle Sam's detective who discovered the steel spring scales in a weighing department at New York, and thus uncovered frauds that amount to nearly \$1,000,000, has been given \$200,000 as a reward. Thus we have another example of a man becoming suddenly famed and wealthy while in the employ of the people, for the people, and doing a handsome little annual salary from the people. Pay your poll tax.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

Uncle Sam is giving Texas so many premiums on agriculture that our State is becoming decorated like the walls of a pen of Poland-China hogs at the Dallas Fair. The latest distinction is in our rice crop and makes up quite a factor in this popular food product. We produced in 1910, 8,738,000 bushels, which is over two bushels per capita. We have an acreage of 264,000, with an average yield of 33 bushels per acre and sold at an average price of 68 cents per bushel. We rank second in rice production of all States in the Union and in climbing to that position we have utilized lowlands that were not thought to be available for agricultural purposes. When Texas brains and Texas soil coordinate our State blossoms like a rose.—Victoria Advocate.

Colquitt vs. Lightfoot. Even before he goes into office Mr. Colquitt stirs up an ugly quarrel between himself and Attorney General Lightfoot and seems to be making an advance play to the grandstand in reference to retrenchment, in the expenses of other departments besides his own.

When the first called session of the last legislature appropriated \$25,000 for the purpose of defraying expenses of special assistants in the Attorney General's department some real need for same must have been apparent. But here comes O. B. Colquitt, after a superficial investigation, before he has any right or authority and issues his edict that this expense will be cut off after Jan. 17. Even Roosevelt never dared assume such arrogant authority before he had taken the oath of office. Colquitt's campaign slogan of "peace and rest" seems already to be forgotten and the prospect is that his will be the stormiest term of any governor for 40 years.

The Post cannot speak as to the need of extra help in the Attorney General's office but it was authorized only

CHIEF JUSTICE GAINES RESIGNES

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sociate Justice in the place of Judge Brown.

Hon. W. S. Gill of Houston, former Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at Galveston, was appointed Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Rumors Have Been Afloat. For several months there have been rumors that Chief Justice Gaines would resign on account of ill health. His resignation, however, it was predicted, would come after O. B. Colquitt took the oath of Governor. The resignation at this time has caused much political gossip.

Justice Gaines has not been in court since Dec. 22, leaving that day ill, and in his letter of resignation, he points out the necessity for a full bench in the Supreme Court and says that his health will not permit him at this time to fulfill his duties. The resignation gives the State of Texas the first change upon its Supreme Court bench since May 1899, when Associate Justice F. A. Williams came to the bench.

Twenty-four Years On Bench.

Chief Justice Gaines served upon the Supreme Court of Texas twenty-four years, the longest anyone has served there. He is 74 years of age; is a native of Alabama; came to Texas as a young man; Gov. Ross, Aug. 19, 1886, announced his appointment as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court and he qualified in that position Sept. 1, 1886. Later, during Gov. Hogg's administration, after the death of the late Chief Justice Slayton, he was made Chief Justice and he has held that position since, serving exactly twenty-four years, four months and five days.

Sketch of New Chief Justice.

Hon. T. J. Brown, the new Chief Justice, is 75 years of age. He is a native of Georgia and came to Texas when a very young man, his home was Sherman, Grayson county; was appointed to the Supreme Court in 1893 under Gov. Hogg and has held the position of Associate Justice 18 years. Before his appointment, he was a member of the Legislature and also District Judge. Gov. Hogg first appointed him to the Court of Civil Appeals, but before he qualified, there was a vacancy in the Supreme Court and Gov. Hogg appointed him to fill that position.

New Associate Justice.

The new Associate Justice, Hon. W. F. Ramsey, has served since Dec. 31, 1907, as Associate Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals. Perhaps he is the first native Texan to ever fill a place upon the Supreme Bench. He is a native of Bell county and later moved to Johnson county, and made Cleburne his home. He is 55 years of age.

Sketch of Hon. W. H. Gill.

Hon. W. H. Gill of Houston, who has been appointed to succeed Judge Ramsey, came to Texas when a youth and first practiced law at Palestine. He served two terms as County Attorney, two terms as District Attorney, and while serving his second term as District Judge was appointed Associate Justice of the First Court of Civil Appeals at Galveston by Gov. Sayers to succeed F. A. Williams, appointed Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Later he was elected Chief Justice of the same Court, and in 1907 he resigned to go into the active practice of law, with the firm of Hogg, Gill & Jones. Now he returns to the bench. For the past three years he has served as chairman of the Penitentiary Board under Gov. Campbell, and it will be necessary to fill this position though but a few days remain.

Upon the retirement of Chief Justice Gaines his brother Judge T. J. Brown and F. A. Williams, addressed to him the following letter of appreciation: "Your resignation from the office of Chief Justice of this court causes us sincere regret. The necessity for it is deplored by us, and you have our sincere sympathy in your affliction, with the hope that you may soon be restored to health.

"In twenty-four years' service you have made a record without a blot of which the bar of Texas is proud. As your associates for years, we deeply regret the termination of our official association, which has been pleasant, but we will retain in our hearts the affection which has grown stronger year by year. May you soon be relieved of your affliction and enjoy many years of a life that will be always marked by some useful service."

A short time since by the legislature and governor and it seems certain that Mr. Colquitt, to say the least, exceeded the proprietor by issuing his dictatorial announcement that it must be discontinued after Jan. 17.

Mr. Lightfoot has generally been regarded as an able and conscientious official and it is scarcely believable that he is squandering the public money in a useless manner. His righteous resentment of Mr. Colquitt's unwarranted and presumptuous interference is entirely justifiable.—Children Post.

The Gem Theatre. The Only Exclusive Motion Picture Theatre in Wichita Falls. Showing the most distinct and best films in the world. Our machine is the very latest model and our curtain is without a wrinkle which makes the picture so plain you can see every bar of the eye, every expression and no flicker to tire the eye. Always a pleasant hour for 10c. W. W. Gilman, Illustrated Song Singer, is in a class by himself. Change of program every day. H. S. TRITCH, Mgr.

RETURNS 22 BILLS IN EXPLOSION CASE

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today in session here, was that gas More Than 200 Witnesses. More than forty witnesses the ma was responsible.

Jorjy identified with the labor union movement, were summoned from San Francisco and other cities. In addition labor-union officials were summoned. In all the grand jury examined more than 200 persons.

Among the labor leaders summoned from San Francisco were Olf E. Trivnoe and Anton Johansen, who were supposed to have known J. B. Bryce, M. A. Schmidt and David Kaplan, three suspects in the case, who were in the city for a few hours after the explosion, but subsequently disappeared.

According to the detectives, Bryce, Schmidt and Kaplan were the three who purchased from a San Francisco powder firm the dynamite used to destroy the Times and part of which was later found in the infernal machine planted under the residence of F. J. Zeehandelaar, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association. This organization had opposed the extension of labor unions in this city.

The March of Progress in Texas.

(Texas Bankers' Journal) If California or any other state in the union ever had more agencies employed for its development than Texas, we have failed to learn of it.

The Commercial Secretaries are doing a potential work in the compilation and dissemination of facts and figures. Close by its trend is the Industrial Congress that has had such a splendid meeting at Houston Nov. 15-17. Both of these organizations are to be commended by the highest. Behind both are some of the best brains of Texas, such men as Faddock, Kleberg, Kirby and hundreds of others, to say nothing of the mass.

The success of the Dallas Fair, the international fete at San Antonio, the carnival at Houston, fairs at Beaumont, Brenham and a number of small cities have all demonstrated the prosperity of the state, the full purse and the absence of poverty.

An intelligent estimate of railroad building in the state and of manufacturing enterprises can be gleaned from such journals as the Manufacturers' Record. There are no less than fifteen new steam railroads being built and as many electric, while a careful estimate fixes the investment in factories at \$100,000,000 and twice that amount in buildings.

The population is increasing commensurate with progress, and is estimated at 5,000,000 while the taxable values are increasing at the rate of \$60,000,000 a year.

Nearly every city and town has a public business organization to promote its local welfare, while other agencies, too numerous to mention, are industriously at work. The railroads are doing a highly creditable work and, in consequence, immigration is putting into Texas every day in carload lots.

The recent reports of our national and state banks indicate a healthy condition and a large increase of capital, surplus and profits.

Texas now has over 10,000 manufacturing plants, over 13,800 miles of railways, 1,310 banks and banking resources of over \$240,000,000.

In North Texas thousands of acres are being turned into wheat fields, while the corn yield will reach 300,000,000 bushels. And yet our northern brothers say "Texas is not a corn producing state." It is the second corn state in the world.

The Texas cotton crop will exceed

3,300,000 bales and the total farm products run close to \$600,000,000, with another hundred million from minerals, coal and iron. Verily, potential factors are at work and the finger of destiny points to figures on the wall that in 1915 will read—population, 6,000,000; taxable values \$2,000,000,000; agricultural, manufactured and mineral products, \$900,000,000. There is no room for the drone in Texas and pauper emigration is neither desired nor encouraged.

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- January 6. 1724—Masquerades forbidden in London. 1811—Charles Sumner, statesman, born in Boston. Died in Washington, D. C. March 11, 1874. 1836—Edward Everett—inaugurated governor of Massachusetts. 1842—British army destroyed in Khyber Pass. 1857—William E. Russell, governor of Massachusetts 1891-94 born in Cambridge, Mass. Died near Quebec, July 16, 1896. 1858—Gen. Miguel Miramon nominated president of Mexico by the Junta. 1893—Completion of the Great Northern Railway extension to the Pacific coast. 1895—Fire in Toronto destroyed property to value of \$1,000,000. 1902—Lyman J. Gage resigned his position as Secretary of the Treasury.

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FOR SALE RIGHT NOW—Lots 6 and 7 in block B of G. & H. Addition. Trackage property; a bargain. See us now. Fowler Bros. & Co., Room 5 Postoffice Bldg. 199-2tc
FOR EXCHANGE—Small farm, near Elk City, for vacant property here; this farm is not junk but strictly a bonafide offer at cash value. W. E. Golden, 700 Seventh street. 204-3tc

FOR SALE, TRADE OR EXCHANGE—One good style one horse surry, cut under body, canopy top, used but little; cash or bankable note on easy terms. J. W. Murph at Wichita Mill. 204-3tc

FOR SALE—Two new houses, just completed, highly finished and ready to move into; near High School. One has 5 rooms, bath room, 2 closets, 2 porches, back porch screened in. One has 4 rooms, bath room, 2 porches, 2 closets. City water and gas in both houses. Phone 522. Mack Thomas, owner. 204-4tc

FOR SALE—Old papers at this office. 177-4tc

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Span of black mare mules, about 16 hands high, 5 and 6 years old, no brands; also one gray horse about 14 1/2 hands high, 9 years old, no brands. Will pay reward of \$10 for information leading to recovery of stock. D. R. Johnson, Route 1, Wichita Falls, Texas. 203-2tp

LOST—Ladies' gold watch and fob Dec. 26 on street car, between 10th and Tyler streets and the postoffice. Initials "E. M. S." on outside and Mrs. E. M. Southall on inside. Finder return to Times office and receive liberal reward. 205-2tp

is a heat conductor and heat and cold could not be kept out of the car. "What is badly needed is a car that will transport wheat and merchandise alike. I do not believe it will be long before the railroads will have solved this problem, not only a problem for the railroads, but a problem of the farmer."

REPORT INSURRECTOS HAVE MADE CAPTURES

and El Rio mines in Chihuahua, as there is no railroad communication between the mines and Chihuahua, to which shipments are usually made.

Tom Farrelly, who had charge of the bullion, says the insurgents are in complete charge of the Dolores region, but are not interfering with the mining.

Special to The Times
El Paso, Tex., Jan. 6.—The rebels have captured Yocora and Trinidad in Sonora, according to advices from the El Paso Herald correspondent; also have taken small towns in the Mayo River region. However, commerce is not interfered with.

FIREMAN KILLED AT WAXAHACHE

Special to The Times
Waxahatche, Tex., Jan. 6.—L. C. Hand, aged 22, fireman on the Houston and Texas Central Railroad, was instantly killed early this morning when an engine and three cars ran over his body. He was shoveling coal on the first engine drawing the train when the drawheads parted and he fell to the track. His family resides at Graham.

Hot rolls for dinner at CORNER BAKERY. 202-2tc

CALL TO SERVICE IN SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

General Campaign is Proposed by the Association for an Early Date.

The Sunday School Association of Texas has inaugurated a movement, which has for its object a general rally day to be promoted by a general campaign on the 22nd day of February, 1911, as a result of which it is hoped to reach every home in the great State of Texas.

In this connection the following call has been issued by the officers of the association, the contents of which explain the plans and purposes of the movement: To the Sunday School Army of Texas: With gratitude to the Heavenly Father for His marvelous blessings during the past two years, and the marked increase in the enlistment of the soldiers of the Cross, through the Sunday Schools of the various denominations, we are impelled through the leading of the Holy Spirit to call to arms our vast army in a campaign for doubling our membership.

At the last International Convention, in Louisville, June 1908, we reported 6800 Sunday Schools, and 203,400 members in the Protestant Sunday Schools of Texas. At the present time we can not tell how many there are enrolled but we believe it possible to report one million at the next meeting in San Francisco, June 1911.

Some counties and towns of Texas have demonstrated what an aggressive, united campaign through the efforts of all denominations can accomplish. We therefore call upon the Sunday School army of Texas to join in the campaign to reach every home in Texas on Wednesday, February 22, 1911, through some worker, with a cordial invitation to attend the Sunday School and church of their choice and at the same time securing accurate census of the people in each home, as to their church affiliation or preference.

This campaign is to be followed up with a universal Statewide Rally Day, on Sunday, February 26, 1911, with the slogan, "One Million People Present in the Sunday Schools on One Day."

Following this co-operative visitation, the pastors are urged to have their forces organized in a follow-up campaign, to go out persistently after each one until they are enlisted in the Sunday Schools, either actively or through the Cradle Roll or Home Department.

Let us remember that while this is the greatest movement ever undertaken by any State in the world, we believe we can do it, and we will.

Even then, after we reach the one million there will be three million people not in any Sunday school in Texas.

The County Associations, the local pastors' unions, and all organizations, denominational and interdenominational, are urged to at once organize not only their town but every part of their county.

With an abiding faith and confidence that the brethren of all denominations will join hands and co-operate in these plans, of great magnitude, in order that each and every Sunday School and church and denomination may reap its share of the harvest, we earnestly plead for such co-operation upon the part of all.

Robt. H. Coleman, State Pres. J. T. McClure, Central Chmn. W. N. Wiggins, Gen. Sec.

The above call is prepared and joined in by representative leaders of the following twelve denominations in conference: Baptist, Christian, Congregational, Episcopal, Evangelical, Cumberland, Presbyterian, German, Presbyterian, U. S., Presbyterian, U. S. A., Methodist, Lutheran, Methodist Episcopal, Methodist Episcopal, South.

IN LIGHTER VEIN.

Careless Husband.

(Washington Star.)
"What have you done?" exclaimed Mrs. Cumrox as she flourished a letter at him.
"Has that anything to do with the correspondence I tried to help you with?"

"It is. It's an indignant protest. I told you to address that distinguished pianist as 'Herr Professor.'"

"Yes; but you wrote it 'Hair Professor!'"

The Right Place.

(Exchange.)

"Does your husband beat you any more?"

"No, sah."

"I'm glad to hear that. After all, his heart must be in the right place."

"Oh, yes, sah, and the rest of his body, too! He's in jail."

"Accommodating."

(Browning's Magazine.)

Applicant—Did I understand you to say that you accommodate 200 persons at this hotel?

Hotel Proprietor—No. I said this hotel had capacity for 200.

A Boy's New Year Diary.

(St. Louis Times.)

Got up in the morning.

Pa swore off. Also swore about breakfast.

Ma says we have to have New Year's and must make the best of 'em.

Our dog is a year older.

No goose—no turkey—no duck. Pa says that a free lunch is good 'nuff for any free-born American citizen.

Sister Mary, who is 34 years old, says that New Year's is simply an imaginary thing, but I notice she's got another wrinkle.

Had a fight with Billy Shaw. Licked him. I am beginning the new year right.

Ma says I ought to resolve, and here goes: No more Sunday school for me.

Pa swore off again at noon. Also swore at dinner.

Went out to lick Jimmie Barlow, but got licked myself. This New Year's business is deceiving.

Thought I would send my school teacher a card, and then thought I wouldn't do any such darned thing.

Sold our dog for a quartet, and he came back in half an hour. Pretty good speculation for the first day of the year.

Ma says she may not live to see another year, but Pa is a hustler, and will have a steppmother here for me if she don't.

Pa swore off again at supper time. Also swore at the supper.

Ma sawed wood.

I looked humble.

Not much of a day. I've seen April fools to beat it.

The end.

A Change for the Better.

(Lippincott's.)

The 3-year-old boy of a Baltimore family, who is compelled by his parents to practice daily upon the piano, may not be a clever performer, but he has a pretty shrewd notion of the worth of an instrument, as well as a rather mature wit, as is evidenced by an incident in the household not long since.

His father, upon returning home from a week's absence, heard the lad plugging away at the piano.

"When did you learn that new piece, son?" asked the parent.

"It isn't a new piece, dad," answered the boy. "The piano has been tuned."

Offer Extraordinary—Want Ads Free

Any reader of The Times may insert a Want Ad FREE in the DAILY TIMES of SATURDAY, JANUARY 7th; in any classification, such as for Rent, For Sale, for Sale or Exchange, Wanted, Lost or Found, Etc., under the following conditions: THE AD MUST NOT EXCEED TWENTY WORDS and MUST be written on the attached COUPON and be delivered at The TIMES office BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK Saturday morning.

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Thursday January 6th—Good Only on Saturday Jan. 7

Statement of the Financial Condition of

First National Bank

of Wichita Falls, Texas,
at close of business, December 31st, 1910

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts..... \$256,040.00	Capital..... \$100,000.00
Stocks and Bonds..... 16,231.17	Surplus..... \$93,750.00
Banking House..... 16,000.00	193,285.78
U. S. Bonds and Premiums..... 101,187.50	Undivided Profits..... 6,538.78
Cotton Bills of Exchange..... 26,653.64	Circulation..... 100,000.00
Cash in Vault..... \$79,875.87	Set aside for Taxes..... \$1,675.00
Cash with other Banks..... 77,506.74	DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK..... \$43,541.74
Cash with U. S. Treas..... 5,000.00	Bills Payable and Rediscounts..... 30,650.00
TOTAL..... \$679,155.52	TOTAL..... \$679,155.52

Calling your attention to the above Statement, we solicit your business for the coming year, and are prepared to grant all accommodations consistent with sound banking rules.
R. E. HUFF, President,
W. M. MCGREGOR, Cashier.

DEBS WILL LECTURE HERE JANUARY 20TH

Socialists of Northwest Texas are planning a big rally in Wichita Falls on January 20th, when Eugene V. Debs, former socialist candidate for president and one of the foremost exponents of socialism in America will lecture at the opera house here. Debs will lecture on the "Courts" and it is expected that his address will be a striking attack on the judiciary of the country.

Debs will make a tour of the principal cities of Oklahoma and Texas. His speaking dates are announced as follows:
Jan. 18—Muskogee, Okla.
Jan. 19—McAlester, Okla.
Jan. 20—Wichita Falls, Texas.
Jan. 21—Fort Worth, Texas.
Jan. 22—San Antonio, Texas.
Jan. 24—Houston, Texas.
Jan. 25—Beaumont, Texas.
Jan. 27—Corpus Christi, Texas.
Jan. 29—Waco, Texas.
Jan. 30—Austin, Texas.

Thomas-Triplett Nuptials.

Vernon, Tex., Jan. 6.—T. W. Thomas, head miller of the Kell Milling Company, left Tuesday for Fort Worth, where he was married Wednesday evening to Miss Alberta Triplett, the wedding taking place at the home of the bride's brother, Sam D. Triplett, cashier of the Waggoner Bank and Trust Company of that city.
Mr. Thomas is well known to a host of friends and acquaintances in this city, although his residence here is of less than a year's duration, he having come to Vernon last summer from Sherman to take charge of the plant of the Kell Milling Company, which was at that time being installed.
Mr. Thomas and his bride will return here today and take up their residence, having engaged rooms with Mrs. Ivy on the East Side.

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LARGE ELECTRIC SIGN FOR WESTLAND HOTEL

The largest electric sign ever shipped into Northwest Texas has been received by Wylie Wyatt promoter of the new Westland Hotel, which will open about February 1.
"The Westland" is spelled with hundreds of electric lights in letters four feet tall. It is thirty-six feet in length and will be placed in position ten feet above the roof of the hotel. The decorators are busy in the lobby and the dining room of the hotel and as soon as the furnishings for the lobby arrive the hotel will be opened.
Mr. Wyatt intends to take the management of the hotel himself.

Preparing New Rating.
The Retail Merchants' Association, through its secretary, J. W. Thomas, will soon have ready for distribution to its members one of the most complete rating books to be found anywhere in the country. It has been carefully compiled and is intended to afford an accurate indication of the credit standing of the purchasing public of Wichita Falls.
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PRISCO WILL DELAY TEXAS EXTENSIONS

I. & G. N. Bill Responsible for Halt in Construction—Several Lines Affected.

Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 5.—The Frisco will build no more extensions in Southwest Texas while the I. & G. N. bill is in force, it is announced from an authoritative railroad source. This will bring to a sudden halt the line beyond Menard, leaving it only a link between Brady and Menard. The contemplated lines from Menard to Sonora and from Brady to San Antonio are temporarily abandoned by the Yoakum syndicate.

This announcement will come as a disappointment to the vast cattle region beyond Sonora, which the Frisco was preparing to penetrate. At present, the ranchmen are obliged to drive their herds for fifty miles or more overland to the Santa Fe or to the Frisco points. The Menard-Sonora extension would have lessened this drive by many miles.

But the law passed by the last special session called a halt on all plans. The Frisco, however, has continued the construction of the line from Brady to Menard.

375,000 Home-seekers in Year. A special train of home-seekers from Chicago, Kansas City and other Northern points, arrived in Fort Worth Wednesday over the Frisco. The Gulf coast country is the destination of the tourists. Another special from Kansas City will arrive Thursday.

A land special from Southern Mexico returning to Kansas City, passed through here Wednesday morning, coming over the International & Great Northern from the south and transferring to the Rock Island.

With the holidays over, the biggest part of the immigration to Texas is expected by railroad officials. During January, February and March. These have in former years been the three months for the Northern farmer to come South, and a record-breaking immigration is looked for during 1911.

During the last four years the Rock Island, it is estimated, has carried 92,683 families to new homes in the West, South and Southwest. This represents a falling on the usual basis. 575,000 people, according to the statement of immigration officials.

A Surly Citizen. "So you were glad to get so many calendars for Christmas." "Yes," replied Mr. Growcher. "It will be a relief to be tearing leaves out of something besides my check book."

Many aches and ills not supposed to be caused by coffee, disappear when a change is made to well-made

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

A. H. Woods has bought the American rights of a Berlin operetta called "Hotel Eva."

"The Royal-Box," Charles Coghlan's play, is to be performed in New York in Yiddish.

Theodore Roberts has been added to the cast of Edwin Milton Royle's play, "The Silent Call."

W. L. Abington is to join the company playing "Madame X," to play the role of Louis Floriot.

It is said that Owen Davis has written a psychological play, which Chas. Frohman will produce soon.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is to be performed in London in the coming spring with the entire American company.

Bickel and Watson, principal comedians in "The Follies of 1910," are to be starred next season under the direction of F. Ziegfeld, Jr.

Miss Lillian Nordica has induced Director Russell of the Boston Opera Company to undertake an early production of "Tristan and Isolde" in English.

"The Return of Peter Grimm," is the title of the new play by David Belasco, in which David Warfield appeared in Boston the other night with great success.

"Over Night," a new farce comedy by Philip H. Bartholme, will be given its first performance in Chicago next Monday, under the direction of William A. Brady.

Henry E. Dixey is soon to appear at the Hackett Theatre, New York, in a new play by George Broadhurst, called "Doubt and Paid For," with Ida Conquest in the leading female role.

Charles Waldron has been engaged as leading man in "Judith Zaraine," a play in which, it has been announced, Lena Ashwell and Wilton Lackaye will be co-stars during the coming season.

Within the present month Klaw and Erlanger are to produce a new musical comedy by C. M. S. McLellan and Ivan Caryll, entitled "Gay Claudine." The original title of the piece was "The Satyr."

"The Girl of My Dreams," the latest musical comedy production by Joseph Galtes, is said to be a worthy successor to that manager's other productions, "The Three Twins," "Kati Did," and "Bright Eyes."

"The Barrier" is soon to be revived by Rex Beach and Eugene Presbey have leased the rights of the play to Ernest Shipman, who is now in Seattle, Washington. Shipman will send the play on a tour of the West.

"Pomander Walk," by Louis N. Parker, one of the recent productions in New York, proved a simple and quaint play, with much charm about it. The author's daughter, Dorothy Parker, made a personal hit in one of the roles. Shakespeare's plays are to be translated into Italian by Signor Diego Angel and presented in Rome. The task, which is a gigantic one, has been under way for some time. The translation of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" has already been accomplished.

On the Stamp. Timothy L. Woodruff, at a dinner in New York, told a number of election stories.

"Then there was Cosgrove," he said. "Cosgrove, made a good stump speaker—an imposing, stately kind of man. While Cosgrove was speaking in a hall in Syracuse one night somebody brayed. Cosgrove stopped short, glared and said, 'Who brayed there?'"

"A little chap in the front row piped merrily: 'It was only an echo, sir, go on with your speech Mr. Cosgrove.'"

NO DEVELOPMENTS IN CONTROVERSY

Special to The Times. Austin, Texas, Jan. 5.—The Colquitt-Lightfoot controversy will remain for a time in statu quo.

Mr. Colquitt will not pursue further the discussion. Mr. Lightfoot has given the press copies of the vouchers for expenditures in connection with the prosecution of the so-called social clubs, and this seems to be the final gun for the present. It is certain that the governor-elect has not weakened in his determination to lop off the expenditure for the salaries of special assistants to prosecute state land cases. He believes that the regular force is entirely sufficient for the prosecution of all litigation in which the state is interested.

It has been noted with interest that Attorney General Lightfoot has already contracted with the new members of his department and that the contracts were signed by Governor Campbell. The general opinion seems to be that such a course will be found entirely without warrant, in that its ratification would mean that each governor could by such conduct effectually tie the hands of his successor. The belief is expressed that nowhere in the history of Texas is there an example where the policy of one chief executive has been made binding upon his successor in office.

Governor-elect Colquitt did not speak hastily in the recent, or present controversy. He posted himself as thoroughly as the available records will permit as to just what the attorney general's department has accomplished in the way of reclaiming the state lands alleged to have been fraudulently held. It is known that he still believes the expenditures to which reference has been made are very thoroughly unwarranted, and that he is resolute in his expressed purpose to save the state further futile expenditures of the kind.

For State's Interest. Mr. Colquitt recently made this statement: "I respect the function of the attorney general's office and I have no desire to interfere with the orderly discharge of its duties, but where the policies of an incumbent of the office seem to me to run counter to the best interests of the state, and I have a say-so in the matter, I am going to act and act promptly."

The friends of Attorney General Lightfoot believe that, had he seen fit to answer directly Governor-elect Colquitt's charge that the money expended for the prosecution of state land suits is unwarranted, he would have fared better than he did in writing in a somewhat peevish vein, yet omitting to announce just what lands were recovered, when they were recovered, and what the lands are worth. Mr. Colquitt made a flat declaration that the funds paid out for these suits would not equal the value of the lands actually recovered as a result of this expenditure. Mr. Lightfoot could have made a telling stroke by giving an itemized statement of lands recovered the value of which is such that the paying out of the money for this purpose would seem to be wise.

A side issue of the case is that of J. J. Terrell, agent of the attorney general's department in the recovery of lands. As previously indicated, vouchers made to this agent show expenditures for Kodaks and ammunition. Mr. Terrell explains that the cameras were bought for the purpose of making photographs to be used as exhibits to prove non-occupancy and that the ammunition was needed to

"Flower of the Ranch."

"The Flower of the Ranch," which comes to the Wichita Theatre for an engagement, matinee and night, Saturday, Jan. 7, is a musical play in three acts, all of the scenes of which have been laid in the rugged West, with colorful and complete scenic settings of great beauty. The book, lyrics and music of the play have been written by Joseph E. Howard, composer of "The Time, the Place and the Girl," "The Girl Question," "Honey-moon Trail," "A Stubborn Cinderella," and other successful works, and is declared to be the best he has contributed to the stage. The story of the play in brief is as follows:

Winding down a steep mountain trail in California a stage coach containing several passengers is overturned and crashes down into the valley. A ranchman drives on the scene and finds that but one living survivor of the wreck, a baby girl held fast in her dead mother's arms. He takes the child, and as no papers or evidence of the child's identity can be found, adopts her as his own. Seventeen years later, the child, grown to handsome young womanhood and beloved by everyone with whom she comes in contact, is the life of the town of Tomahawk, a struggling settlement in which she has charge of her father's general store. Jack Farnum, a popular young ranchman, whose possessions are coveted by a scheming sheriff, falls in love with Flower, as the young woman is known, and complications in which a thieving Mexican adds to the interest, develop. An Indian chief whom Farnum had befriended assists Flower in thwarting the designs of the sheriff and the young ranchman regains the deed to his property, that had been stolen by the Mexican, who in turn has been slain by the sheriff whom he tried to betray.

Of course everything ends happily, but in the development of the story many strong situations and stirring scenes are enacted. Character types true to the local participants in the action of the play. The musical numbers, of which there are some twenty, are logically and naturally introduced, and a romping, spirited chorus of handsome young women, who not only sing, but dance with grace and vigor, add to the interest of an entertainment that last season was declared by New York, Boston and Chicago papers to be the most novel and pleasurable of the entire season.

perfect life of the agent from the attacks of persons who did not fancy his mode of procedure.

May Soon Reach Climax. It is highly probable that the controversy over the filing of the special assistants will come to a climax when Governor-elect Colquitt indicates finally and officially that he will not approve their warrants. This would mean that the adjudication of the present difference of opinion would be left to the courts.

Mr. Colquitt seems at a loss to understand why the department of the secretary of state should issue charters to the so-called social clubs, if these organizations operate in such a way that the efforts of the attorney general's department are needed to check their alleged illegal doings. He seems to think that a better way would be to investigate thoroughly the purposes of such organizations which apply for a permit to exist and operate in Texas, withholding such authority from those manifestly unworthy. To him it seems the utmost folly to permit the state to come within the fold and then to bewail the damage that has been done. He believes that a good law, well enforced, would inhibit the corporate existence of these al-

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS.

at close of business on the 31st day of December, 1910.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$185,429.91	Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts	994.69	Surplus	6,000.00
Bills of Exchange, cotton	1,324.91	Undivided profits	9,929.38
Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,597.00	Deposits:	
Furniture and Fixtures	4,018.75	Individual	\$211,338.32
Cash:		Demand Certificates	2,352.83
On hand in vault	\$26,298.00		214,394.40
	3	Due to other banks	431.50
Due from other banks	80,544.61	Cashier's Checks	71.65
	106,842.61		
Total	\$300,717.78	Total	\$300,717.78

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.

J. R. HYATT, Notary Public, Wichita County, Texas.

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leged malefactors and that the state would thereby receive financial gain.

The Climax. Managers Marlow & Stone say they have received a communication from the New York headquarters of "The Climax" management asking for a date under certain conditions. This communication requires a guarantee, and if certain stipulated conditions can be met an engagement may be effected.

Northern Minnesota Editors. Staples, Minn., Jan. 5.—The Northern Minnesota Editorial Association is holding its annual meeting here, with members from forty counties in attendance. At the opening session this afternoon President A. N. Wells, of Sauk Center, delivered his annual address.

Phelps & Gamble, proprietors of the Star Meat Market, have moved their market from 906 1/2 Indiana avenue to 507 1/2 10th street, where they will be glad to have their patrons and friends call on them.

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For Workwomen's Compensation Act. Helena, Mont., Jan. 6.—The State commission appointed to draw up a comprehensive employers' liability and workmen's compensation act met at the capital today to complete the draft of the measure to be submitted to the legislature. The commission is composed of Justice W. L. Holloman, chairman; Nall Collins of Anaconda, C. W. Goodale and J. C. Lowry of Butte, H. G. Miller of Kalspell, W. F. Myers of Red Lodge, J. A. McNally of Butte, and J. H. Hall of Helena, secretary.

Posters. Notice is hereby given to all hunters that my premises, situated eleven miles north of Wichita Falls on Gilbert creek, are posted, and trespassers will be prosecuted as the law directs. (59-3m) E. HENFORD.

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BASEBALL NOTES

HOUSTON TO BE OPENING SCENE.

Tentative Schedules for the Texas League Beginning in Southern Cities.
In all likelihood the 1911 season of the Texas League will begin April 13.

Such is the gist of the tentative schedules which will be presented when the schedule committee of the league meets at Galveston Friday to decide on a set of figures to be presented before the meeting of the Texas League magnates at Strang Saturday and Sunday, next.

Doak Roberts, secretary of the Houston Baseball Club, arrived in Houston Wednesday morning with Walter Salm, first baseman, the two coming from Corsicana, Roberts to attend the schedule committee meeting and the Strang blowout.

The meeting of the schedule committee originally was called for Dallas a few days ago, but because of the turmoil the Shreveport franchise had dipped into and the uncertainty of whether the Louisiana city will remain in the league, the committee adjourned to meet at Galveston January 5.

During the meeting of the schedule committee there is the certainty of one thing developing and that will be from Galveston. Messrs. Devers and Dougherty are determined the league season shall close in Galveston and will put forth every effort to secure the playing of the Sand Crabs and the Buffaloes on the island September 4, which will be Labor Day.

"We'll have the greatest baseball team ever gathered together in the Texas League," exclaimed Doak Roberts when someone suggested the national game. "We've got the material and if we don't land the pennant, well there won't be any 'ifs' looks to the like we have it clinched now."

Another celebrity is touted to appear in big pitcher Lombats of Chickasha. In an independent organization in Oklahoma last season Lombats tossed 23 games, won 19, tied one and lost three.

From the Southern League the Houston owners expect to secure a catcher, but as yet he is a dark horse and covered. If the dark horse is secured and Burch can be secured from Portland, the catching staff will be beyond worry.

For first base Walter Salm and Jack Powell are slated. Powell was selected by Umpire Derrick a year ago, but at the psychological moment Powell broke a finger and returned to Pueblo, Colo. Powell will be ordered to report this year.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Brice Chandler, from Bowie, was in the city today.

S. B. Huff, popular insurance man from Fort Worth, is in the city.

Cecil Tyson, of Stamford, is in the city today, and will perhaps locate here.

E. Rexford is here today transacting business, from his ranch near Red river.

J. A. Wray, a well known local newspaper man, has taken a position with the Times.

Rev. W. C. Dunn, from Olney, was a visitor in the city today, while en route to Bellevue.

Col. F. B. Maillie, representing the Barnhart Type Foundry, was a visitor to the city today.

Mrs. W. J. Nolen left today for Holiday at which place she will visit relatives and friends.

Ralph Mathis left last night for Asheville, N. C., to resume his studies in the Bligham School.

J. A. Maddox, representing the Dallas News, was in the city today on business for that publication.

B. F. Suter, a prominent citizen from Handlett, Okla., is in the city looking after business matters.

Mrs. Gus Wilfong returned last night from Abilene, at which place she had been visiting relatives.

J. A. Bradley left this afternoon for a few days visit with his daughter, Mrs. A. S. Cockrell, at Fort Worth.

J. R. Parker, one of Archer county's trustworthy citizens, was here today attending to business matters.

Mrs. F. B. Baker, from Fort Worth, arrived in the city this afternoon on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Clashey.

Mrs. T. H. Wilson has returned from Clinton, Okla., where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Barlette.

J. B. Evans, a well-to-do farmer and stockman from Burkburnett, was here today greeting friends and transacting business.

A Card of Thanks.

Upon retiring from the grocery business I desire to express my feeling of appreciation to all who have contributed in any way to the success of Treva-than & Bland. I would like to tell each one of you personally how I appreciate their interest in me, and how I feel sure they will pursue

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"PALS OF THE RANGE"
"A FLIRTY AFFLICTION"
"A FATHER'S PRIDE"

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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

There is considerable activity in real estate just now, and so far as is known all deals that have been consummated were at an advance over what the same property sold for six months ago. As an evidence of this fact the 50x150 lot on the northeast corner of 10th and Scott avenue, which property changed hands last year for a consideration of \$5,700 was sold today to Walter Friddy and Mrs. Adickes for \$6,600. The deal was made through D. M. Perkins, the real estate man.

On last Sunday noon at the Hotel Corridor, in the presence of a few, Rev. J. W. Morgan pronounced W. J. Morrison and Miss Lillian Alexander man and wife. Their home is in Wichita Falls. Mr. Morrison is a fireman on the Denver and both appeared to be fine young people. The Herald wishes the newly weds much happiness and success through their wedded life.—Iowa Park Herald.

Acting Secretary Thomas of the Chamber of Commerce, received a letter from W. C. Barrickman today in which the latter said he had been appointed secretary of the Texas Industrial Congress, with headquarters at Dallas, and that he would not go to Alpine as had been announced.

YOAKUM ANNOUNCES

FRISCO WILL EXTEND

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 5.—The St. Louis and San Francisco road is to be expanded into a trans-continental system, with its Pacific coast terminus at Los Angeles.

Not content with the strong condition of the Missouri and Mississippi valleys and Texas, the Frisco system, personified in B. F. Yoakum, organizer and builder of railroads, purposes to extend westward and give to this city and the coast a short line to Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City, and the vast intermediate territory served by the Frisco.

The purpose to build here was voiced by Mr. Yoakum, chairman of the board of directors and head of the finance committee of the great corporation at the Alexandria hotel today.

He had been asked concerning any knowledge he might have on the purpose of the Rock Island to build to the coast. "You know that I am no longer connected with the Rock Island," replied Mr. Yoakum. "But the Frisco intends extending its line from Quanah, Okla., to the Pacific coast. One or two surveys made a number of years ago will be followed and the distance from Quanah to Los Angeles will be less than 1,000 miles."

Beyond a statement that preliminary plans are completed Mr. Yoakum would not commit himself, says that he repeated that the line will be built.

For reasons easily understood he does not go into details concerning the exact route the extension will take. One of the surveyed routes is by way of Albuquerque and the other by way of Phoenix. By way of Albuquerque would mean construction almost due west, practically paralleling the Santa Fe. By way of Phoenix would be more direct and would traverse for some distance country comparatively undeveloped by railroads.

Moore, Jackson & Ferguson have sold their insurance business to D. M. Perkins, and it is likely that Mr. Perkins will sell a half interest in the business to F. M. Kell. This part of the deal, however, has as yet not been fully consummated.

City Marshal G. W. Thving of Quanah, is in the city, being here for the two runaway boys who were apprehended by the city officers Thursday morning. He will return with them tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ashmore were made happy over the birth of a new nine and a half pound baby, which made its appearance at the Ashmore home this morning.

The case of Davis vs. Matthews was called in the district court this morning. Judge P. A. Martin presiding, but had not been concluded at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Cream puffs on Saturday at CORNER GROCERY and BAKERY. —205-2tc

Engineer R. A. Thompson has prepared a large map for the Wichita Falls Water and Light Company, showing the location of all water mains and fire hydrants in the city.

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Only four poll tax receipts were issued today at the office of County Tax Collector Daugherty.

Judge A. A. Hughes is confined to his room with an attack of jaundice.

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Notice

Men's Wool Shirts at a Great Reduction

\$1.00 Shirts at 85c	\$2.50 Shirts at \$1 90
\$1.50 Shirts at \$1 15	\$3.00 Shirts at \$2 35
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Resolutions of Respect.
Whereas, In the untimely death of our esteemed neighbor, E. B. Morse, the camp suffered the loss of an efficient officer and member, and

Whereas, The departure of our beloved neighbor has cast a gloom over our camp, and

Whereas, The family of the deceased is bereft of a loving husband and father; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the members of Wichita Falls Camp No. 12006 Modern Woodmen of America do hereby extend our heartfelt sympathies and condolence of sorrow, and be it further, Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the camp and a copy sent to the bereaved family and to the daily newspapers.

H. W. WOOD,
F. McINNIS,
W. H. BACHMAN.

Program at the Gem.
The pictures presented at the Gem Theatre last evening were among the best of any yet shown at this popular play house, and attracted a large crowd. The list included a baseball scene, the Flirty Affliction and the Confidence Man. Two new reels will be shown tonight and one of those presented last evening will be repeated.

The singing of Mr. Gillman is proving a popular feature at the Gem, and although this feature of the program was interrupted by the unfortunate accident last night, it is thought he will be able to sing again today.

The Ruby Program.

One of the best pictures and vaudeville bills ever presented in Wichita Falls was the offering at the Ruby Theatre last evening. The pictures were splendid, the comedy impersonations of O. M. Paul were above the average, and the act of Check and Checkers was high-class and one of the very best that has been seen on a local vaudeville stage. Mr. Smith is providing some splendid bills and the appreciation of the public is shown in the attendance, which is increasing at each succeeding performance.

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