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## CITY COUNCIL PASSES

### GAS INSPECTOR LAW

PRESCRIBES MANNER OF MAKING CONNECTIONS AND PROVIDES FOR AN INSPECTOR.

#### SECRETARY HAS ASSISTANT

Such Position Was Created and Charles Chenault Was Elected By the Council.

The City Council reconvened last evening at 7:30 to take up the report of the session begun yesterday morning, with all members present except Alderman Richolt.

The consideration of bills for the current month was first taken up, and after going over the file thoroughly the budget was approved and ordered paid, but no money, until there was some little discussion with reference to allowing the bill of the water company for \$1311.42 for water furnished for the sixty hydrants for fire fighting purposes. The council at first seemed disposed to hold up the matter on account of a failure of the company to provide a sufficient pressure for the requirements of the city in protecting the interests of property owners, but it was finally decided to allow the bill presented, with the provision that the Mayor be authorized to take the matter up with the company with a view of providing them with the necessary of furnishing an adequate service in order to guarantee the prompt payment of future charges. All other bills were approved with reasonable dispatch.

At the request of interested citizens, the city attorney was instructed to take up the matter of constructing a sidewalk on Brook street, between Eighth and Ninth, and to require the work to be done without unnecessary delay.

Ordinance No. 149 was then read, prescribing the manner of installing gas pipes in buildings in the city, including the size thereof and prohibiting the use of lead, cork, thread, or rubber hose in making connections, and providing for a gas inspector, who should also be inspector of sewers and electric wiring. The ordinance also prescribed a fee for the service of such inspector and provides a penalty for the violation of its provisions. The ordinance, after being read was adopted by a unanimous vote of the council.

The Mayor was authorized to pay a note of \$1250 of the auto fire engine, due Feb. 1st, in order to save to the city the interest that would accumulate during the intervening time.

City Secretary and Recorder Rye was allowed an assistant by the council at a salary of \$40 per month and Charlie Chenault was elected to the position, his service to begin today.

The separation of the office of the City Secretary and the Chief of Police, heretofore outlined in The Times, was brought up and it was agreed that the Chamber of Commerce should be requested to move up-stairs, the Chief of Police to use the room now occupied by that organization, which room should also be used as a court room and council chamber when the occasion demands. It is understood that the change in accordance with the above will be made within a short time, as the Chamber of Commerce has already signified a willingness to remove to the up-stairs office.

An order was made by the council whereby a sewer line is to be constructed by the city to the rear of the property owned by Mrs. R. Robertson, provided that the city is given an easement to a 20-foot alley at the rear of her property for such purpose.

The City Engineer was instructed to take up the sewer connection in the "Philippines" with W. Bean and the City Attorney was instructed to require that connection be made without further delay.

This completing the matters presented for consideration, the council then took a recess to continue the meeting on next Tuesday night, at which time the matter of appointing the gas, sewer and electric light inspector will be taken up.

#### Rice is Selling.

Special to The Times. El Campo, Texas, Jan. 18.—The rice holding movement of this section appears to be broken. Since January 1st 35,000 sacks have sold at prices ranging from \$2.25 to \$3.00. The resumption of selling is general all over South Texas.

### PROMINENT CITIZEN OF MISSOURI

#### LOOKING OVER CONDITIONS HERE

William H. Hall, proprietor of a large foundry at Clinton, Mo., and manufacturer of six different patterns of gasoline engines, is in the city looking over conditions here. Mr. Hall believes that the agricultural development of Texas will create a demand for gasoline traction engines, and he is here to investigate conditions to determine whether such engines can be manufactured at a profit here.

#### Will Fly From Waco.

Special to The Times. Waco, Tex., Jan. 18.—A letter was received here this morning from A. L. Stevens, of New York, confirming the report that Leroy Taylor, the aeronaut, will start from Waco soon in an effort to break the world's record for a long distance balloon flight. Taylor is well known and his effort will be watched with interest.

### JAPANESE ATTACK

#### AMERICAN OFFICER

ASSAULTED WITH BAMBOO POLES, BLOCKS OF ICE AND ODOROUS FISH.

#### WAS WATCHING A SALE

Was Looking on Auction When Ordered to Stop Watching the Proceedings.

By Associated Press. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 18.—Bamboo poles, blocks of ice and odorous fishes were used by an assault by Japanese and Chinese on United States Consul Williamson at Dalny last month, details of which arrived today. He was watching a fish market auction sale, and when asked by a Japanese to stop watching, he politely inquired why he had no right there. Then the attack began and the consul was badly cut on the head.

#### Discuss Grain Shrinkage.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18.—Leading grain men of several states met in conference here today with representatives of the railroads to discuss the grain problem. The railroads have made a practice of deducting one-eighth of 1 per cent for wheat shrinkage and one-fourth of 1 per cent on coarse grain shrinkage. The grain men contended that the roads have no right to make such deductions unless they prove that there is a natural shrinkage of grain.

#### Three Officials Suffocated.

Kiel, Jan. 18.—After it was reported that all thirty of the crew of the German submarine U-5 were saved when she was raised yesterday, it was discovered that three brave officers had suffocated. Twenty-seven of the crew escaped through a torpedo tube when the submarine was raised, but the officers said they would remain on board until their ship was once in the hands of herself. They were in the conning tower, isolated, but seemingly safe. The ventilator broke in the night, suffocation resulting.

#### Vote in New York.

By Associated Press. Albany, N. Y., Jan. 18.—For United States Senator, Sheehan today received ninety votes, Shepard thirteen, scattering fourteen. Ninety-nine votes are necessary to elect. In the assembly and house each had one vote switched from Sheehan to Shepard, giving him a gain of two.

#### Mayor Rice a Candidate.

By Associated Press. Houston, Tex., Jan. 18.—Mayor Richard Rice today announced his candidacy for a third term as mayor.

#### Galveston Cotton Receipts.

By Associated Press. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 18.—Cotton receipts here season to date in four numbers is 2,250,000 bales, an increase of 280,000 bales over last year.

### TRADES ASSEMBLY

#### ELECTION TONIGHT

Officers for the ensuing term will be elected at a meeting of the Wichita Falls Trades Assembly at Labor Hall tonight. The meeting will be opened at eight o'clock.

### MERCHANTS PROGRAM

#### FRIDAY EVENING

The following program has been arranged for the membership meeting and banquet of the Retail Merchants Association, to be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at the city hall, Friday evening:

President's address—J. M. Bland. Secretary's report—J. W. Thomas. How to get interested in the work of the Association—D. Kennedy. The purpose of the organization.—B. J. Bean. General discussion.

#### BANQUET.

9:00. Toastmaster—J. M. Bland. Relationship of manufacturers, jobbers, and retailers—Wiley Blair. How merchants can contribute toward the making of a town or city—A. H. Britain, T. B. Noble. How to secure home patronage—F. H. Day. General discussion. "Importance of the State Convention to be held in June."

### CLEBURNE CITIZEN

#### DIES VERY SUDDEN

Special to The Times. Cleburne, Tex., Jan. 18.—Joseph Metzke, one of the oldest pioneers of Johnson county, dropped dead at his home at Pleasant Point, north of this place, late yesterday, following a visit to his son, E. P. Metzke, who lives here.

#### Mr. Metzke was hitching his horse at the gate when he fell dead.

By Associated Press. Killed by Train. New Orleans, La., Jan. 18.—Robert C. Pitts, aged 28, a Fort Sam Houston, Texas, soldier, was run over by a train near this city and died at the Charity hospital. After surgeons placed him on the table and pronounced his injuries fatal, he calmly smoked a cigarette and then wrote a letter to his family.

### M. A. BRIN RETURNS

#### FROM FURNITURE MARKET

M. A. Brinn, of the Frear-Brin Furniture Company, has returned after a several weeks' trip during which he visited the great furniture factories and markets at Chicago and Grand Rapids.

Mr. Brinn purchased eleven carloads of furniture on this trip, among his purchases being some exceptionally handsome mahogany dining room suites and library furniture. Mr. Brinn is optimistic over conditions both here and in the north and east and is buying heavy stocks in anticipation of a splendid business.

#### Successful Flight.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 18.—Aviator Ely successfully flew from the shore landing on the deck of the cruiser Pennsylvania here.

### SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### LINES CHANGED

On account of the crowded condition of the Austin school the north boundary line of that district has been moved over from Seventh to Ninth street for all children below the fifth grade. The Austin district now includes all east of Grace street and south of Ninth street.

The Alamo district, Floral Heights, includes all that part of the city west of Grace street. The Travis district extends east of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad.

At a meeting of the school board yesterday evening the building committee reported the completion and acceptance of the San Jacinto and Alamo school buildings.

#### Alabama Bankers Meet.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 18.—A discussion of the "bank code" bill to be presented at the State legislature now in session was the principal feature of the annual convention of the Alabama Bankers' association at its initial session this afternoon. President W. L. Lancaster presided over the gathering and one of the notable speakers was Clark Williams, commissioner of the State of New York. The convention will conclude tomorrow with the election of officers for the year.

### RECOMMENDATIONS OF

#### GOVERNOR PATTERSON

By Associated Press. Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 18.—Governor Patterson's annual message strongly condemns prohibition as "fundamentally and profoundly wrong as a governmental policy," and recommends a high license, strict regulations and the forfeiture of license for violations. He also recommends the repeal of the election laws, charging that it was designated for fraud, and that there has not been an honest election in Tennessee since two years ago.

### PHYSICIANS BANQUET

#### QUITE SUCCESSFUL

INTERESTING DISCUSSIONS WERE HAD AS FEATURE OF THE OCCASION.

#### WAS MONTHLY MEETING

Five Physicians Enrolled As Members of The Society of This County.

The Wichita County Medical Association held its regular monthly meeting last evening in the office of Dr. C. S. Hale, the session being a most interesting and instructive one, and well attended by the physicians of the county.

A feature of the meeting was the paper of Dr. Hale on the Treatment of Squints, following which an interesting discussion was held in which Doctors Puckett, Burnside and Hale participated.

Dr. A. A. Jones, city health officer, also read a very instructive paper on the quarantine of contagious diseases, which subject was discussed by Doctors Mackechny and Jones.

During the business meeting an opportunity was given for the enrollment of new members and the following affiliated themselves with the organization: A. L. Lane, J. L. Gaston, E. Puckett, T. P. Lynch of Iowa Park and C. D. Lindsay of Archer City.

This concluding the business session of the association, those present repaired to the Saratoga Cafe where a most delightful banquet was served, which was enjoyed by several very interesting talks by those in attendance.

Those present at the meeting were: T. Tyson, president; M. M. Walker, vice-president; D. Meredith, secretary and treasurer; Everett Jones, C. S. Hale, J. M. Bell, S. H. Burnside, J. L. Gaston, A. L. Lane, J. C. Guest, E. Puckett, M. H. Moore, L. Coons, A. A. Jones, W. H. Walker, R. C. Smith, J. Mackechny, A. Cleveland and W. Schwartz. The out-of-town members who were present were T. P. Lynch, of Iowa Park, and C. D. Lindsay of Archer City.

#### To Deport Immigrants.

By Associated Press. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 18.—Immigration officials have recommended the deportation of sixty Armenians on the steamer Frankfurt, charged with a violation of contract labor.

### IOWA PARK CITIZEN

#### DIES VERY SUDDENLY

Special to The Times. Iowa Park, Texas, Jan. 18.—The sudden death of D. A. Smith, from organic heart trouble occurred last night at the Hotel Corridor.

Mr. Smith was a geologist of some repute, and had resided here about a year—promoter of the oil company. A daughter has been located in Dallas and the body will be turned over to her.

Mr. Smith was a genial, friendly gentleman, who made friends wherever he went.

### Barbers Propose

#### "5 Cents Please" For Neck Shave

"Have your neck shaved?" After the first of February your barber will ask you this in the same soothing persuasive tone that he now entices you to a "tonic," "a massage" and the various other accompaniments of tonorial operations. The old nonchalant, indifferent address will entirely disappear and instead there will be a suggestion, a bit of advice, an invitation and even an insistence all in the simple sentence, "will you have your neck shaved?"

At a meeting of the members of the barbers union last night it was decided to charge 5 cents extra for a neck shave effective February 1. Heretofore excepting on Saturday fifteen cents would entitle a man to a shave and a neck shave too and there was no financial consideration in a "rough neck."

But now a neck shave will cost 5 cents extra, hence the barbers are modulating their voices for the question "Have your neck shaved?" and it is also possible there may be an increase in the number of "rough necks."

### NEW SCHEDULE ON

#### NORTHWESTERN SUNDAY

Northbound Passenger No. 2 Will Be Run to Hammond—Other Changes in Schedule.

A new time card will go into effect on the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Sunday, in which there are a number of changes.

Northbound passenger No. 2 leaving here at 2:30 p. m. will be run to Hammond arriving there at 9:30 p. m. Leaving Hammond at 4:30 a. m. this train will return southbound as No. 1 arriving here at 11:45 a. m. Passenger No. 4 will leave here at 8:30 a. m., arriving at Altus at 6:40 a. m. It will leave Altus as No. 6, arriving at Wellington at 11:50 a. m. Leaving Wellington as No. 5 on the return trip at 2:50 p. m. It will arrive at Altus at 5:30 p. m. and will leave Altus southbound as No. 3 at 9:30 p. m., arriving here at 1:10 a. m. There will be no changes in the schedules of the passenger trains on the Wichita Falls & Southern.

### JURY DISAGREED

#### IN MAXEY CASE

Special to The Times. Sherman, Tex., Jan. 18.—The jury in the district court in the case of Wood Maxey, charged with killing Earnest Johnson, a white man, failed to agree and was discharged this morning. Eleven were for hanging, and one for a life sentence. Sheriff McAffee hurried Maxey from the city.

#### Santa Fe Buys Engines.

Special to The Times. Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 18.—The Santa Fe Railroad today ordered a new equipment of locomotives from the Baldwin Works for the new Coleman-Terico cut-off, which will connect Galveston with the Pacific coast. New passenger coaches were also ordered for the service which is to commence in a few months.

### A BACHELORS HONEY.

#### MOON JANUARY 19TH

The attraction at the Wichita Theatre for Thursday night, January 19th, will be "A Bachelor's Honeymoon," with Dwight A. Meade in the leading role of the great laugh producing production. The play is characterized by the liveliest and laughingest of comedies, and the production consists of beautiful costumes and clever specialties. The stage settings are masterpieces of scenic art and withal the production is heralded as one of the most attractive of the season; and should prove a decided hit.

#### Senator Lodge Re-Elected.

By Associated Press. Boston, Mass., Jan. 18.—Senator Lodge was re-elected on a joint ballot today, two democratic senators voting for him.

### TO MAKE CHANGES

#### AT THE CITY HALL

An agreement has been reached whereby some changes are to be made in the arrangement of the offices at the city hall, as outlined in The Times a few weeks ago, and the move will likely be made at an early date.

As planned, the Chamber of Commerce will move upstairs to the room now designated as a council chamber in order that the room now occupied by council meetings and the police court, and also for police headquarters. It has developed that the room now occupied by Judge Rye is inadequate to accommodate the council meetings, especially on such occasions as that of yesterday, when the attendance on account of the opening of bids on the paving contract, attracted so many to the meeting.

Judge Rye will retain his present office on account of the vault, but will hold court in the larger room when ever the occasion demands.

#### Lady is Attacked.

By Associated Press. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 18.—Japanese newspapers say that Miss Hayes, the American at Yokohama, was struck violently about the head by a Japanese newspaper reporter without apparent cause.

### SNYDER VISITED BY

#### DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

By Associated Press. Snyder, Texas, Jan. 18.—Fire early this morning caused a loss of \$64,000 in the business section of this place. The origin of the blaze is unknown. The heaviest losses were as follows: Snyder Mercantile Company, \$48,000. Rykes & Ely Furniture \$2,500. Payne & Perkins, attorneys \$2,700. Snyder Development Company \$1,000. State Bank \$1,000. Keith Building \$1,000.

### GOOD RAIN REPORTED

#### OVER WESTERN TEXAS

BEGAN FALLING AT MIDNIGHT OVER WEST TEXAS AND THE PANHANDLE.

Attempted Suicide. Dallas, Tex., Jan. 18.—While walking down Main street yesterday afternoon, Guy Luther, aged 19 years, swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid and fell to the pavement in agony. He was taken to a sanitarium where today he is reported in a critical condition. Luther was a moving picture machine operator and was said to be brooding over some trouble.

### WORTH MUCH TO COUNTRY

#### Over Inch Fall Reported in the Amarillo Country—Local Rain Very Beneficial.

Local rain is the forecast for north-west Texas and over Oklahoma tonight and Thursday and it is expected that this whole section will be pretty thoroughly drenched before the rains stop.

The rain which began falling here this morning has been general throughout this section of the state and has extended over the greater part of the Panhandle.

The Wichita Falls & Northwestern reported rain from Altus south to Wichita Falls and rain was falling this morning all along the Wichita Falls & Southern and the Wichita Valley.

In most places the precipitation was about like rain here, being a light steady rain.

The rain will be of great benefit to wheat and oats which now are in a most promising condition.

#### General Over Panhandle.

Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 18.—Rain which commenced falling at midnight continues this morning throughout North Texas, the Panhandle and parts of Central Texas. Over an inch is reported in the Amarillo country, which was seriously affected by the drought and the ground is now soaked. The rain will be worth hundreds of thousands of dollars to the Panhandle.

Rain is falling at Fort Worth today, the first of any consequence for five months. Vernon, Childress, Texline, Memphis, Cleburne, and other sections are being visited by a steady down-pour.

#### Grain Crops Benefitted.

Special to The Times. Vernon, Texas, Jan. 18.—A slow rain which began falling about ten o'clock this morning continues today and grain crops will be greatly benefited as a result.

#### Benefit to Crops is Reported as a Result of the rains throughout North Texas, the Panhandle and portions of Central Texas. In the Amarillo country an inch fall is reported.

#### Death of Spencer Talley.

Spencer Talley, aged about 23 years, died at his home in this city, at 1019 11th street, at 3:10 this morning, his death being attributed to an attack of grippe.

Deceased came to this city with his parents about 18 years ago, and was the only child of Capt. G. L. Talley and wife. His father died about three years ago, and on January 16th of last year he followed his mother to the grave.

He was one of the 1905 graduating class of the Wichita Falls high school, and afterwards attended for a time the State University. He followed the occupation of bookkeeper up to the time of the death of his mother, and after that engaged in other pursuits.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. R. R. Hamlin from the family residence at 5 p. m. tomorrow, at the conclusion of which interment will take place at Riverside cemetery.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Minnie May Adickes to J. R. Morgan, lot 28, block 262, \$1700. Mrs. Catherine Murray to F. T. Ross, lot 2, block 226, excepting 16 1/2 feet, \$6000. Floral Heights Realty Co. to F. M. Keil, lot 4, block 11, Floral Heights, \$275. Mrs. M. F. Bomer to N. R. Tisdal, lot 3, block 56, Electric 1100. Lamar Falls to Marvin Smith, lot 3, block 44, Floral Heights, \$150. H. C. and Mary Bobb to T. J. and J. L. Waggoner, one-third interest in 342 acres, Henry Hattie survey, \$1,000. T. P. Jones to T. W. Roberts, lot 5, block 189, Wichita Falls, \$2350. M. M. Cooke to W. P. Bolding, lot 1, block 224, Wichita Falls, \$2750. B. J. Bean to J. S. Nelson, lot 2, block 226, Wichita Falls, \$1350. J. W. Gathright to J. S. Nilson, lots 6 and 7, block 6, Spivey Addition, \$400.

### SECRETARY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

#### FAVORS TREE PLANTING CAMPAIGN

The appointment of a city forester and the inauguration of a general tree planting campaign will be urged by F. H. Day, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Day believes that tree lined streets and avenues would be one of the most attractive things the city could have and that they would be worth all they would cost as an advertisement alone not to say anything of the attractiveness and comfort they would add.

Mr. Day believes that the planting of trees and their cultivation can best be secured through the appointment of a city forester to have general charge of the work and believes that if a competent forester is appointed the response on the part of the citizens would make the movement a gratifying success. He will offer his suggestion to the directors at their next regular meeting.

F. E. Heathley, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Gulf Tex & Western, was in the city today.

SOME FEATURES OF CITY CHARTER BEING PREPARED BY CITY ATTORNEY

City Attorney Householder, is busy engaged, when the duties of his law practice will permit, in the preparation of a draft of the new city charter to be presented to the present legislature and which will be submitted to the people for their adoption or rejection.

LUTHERAN CHURCH HAS COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Plans for the New Building Being Actively Considered by the Members.

An announcement in the Times of the 10th, the Evangelical Lutheran church of this city is actively engaged in preparing plans for the construction of a new house of worship.

The capture of Constantinople and the overthrow of the Byzantine Empire by the Turks in 1453 resulted in two important events.



WANTED TO KNOW. She-it is said that for every man there is somewhere in the world a girl waiting for him.

as the year 1529, while Luther was still living, a company of his followers left Augsburg, Germany, and settled in Vauquelin.

The first book translated into the Indian language was Luther's Catechism, in 1646.

AT THE THEATERS



Ever see a little wisp of a girl, all puny, innocuous, beauty, maddy in love with a man twice her age, cynical, worldly-wise and forming an almost brutal contrast to her 'dainty self, and wonder how it happened?

VERNON NEWS NOTES

PASTOR ACCEPTS CALL. Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors Elect Officers for ensuing year.

Freear-Brin Furniture Co THE LEADING UNDERTAKERS EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS

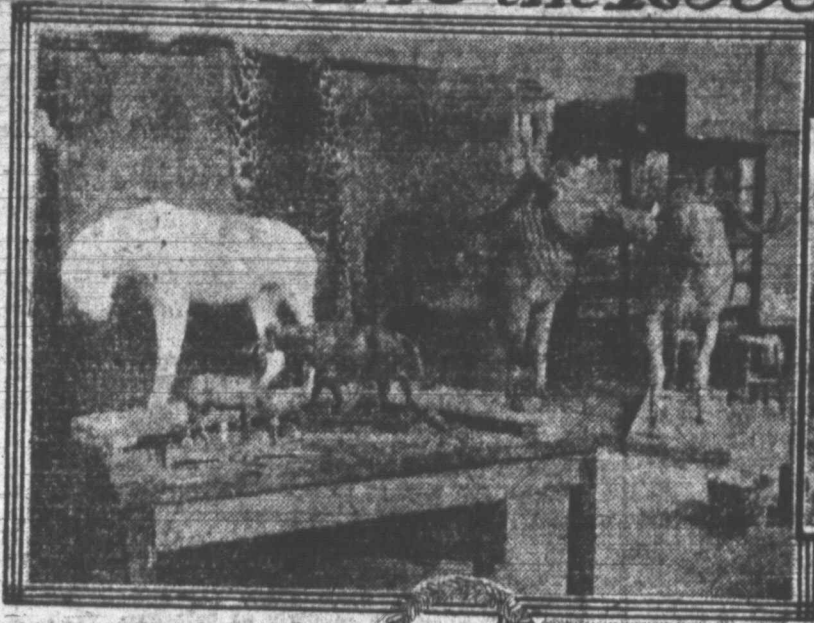
To Our Patrons and Friends: We have just passed our twenty-sixth year in the banking business and we feel that our efforts have been liberally rewarded.

CITY NATIONAL BANK WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS. Official Statement as made to the Comptroller of Currency, Nov. 10th, 1910. Condensed.

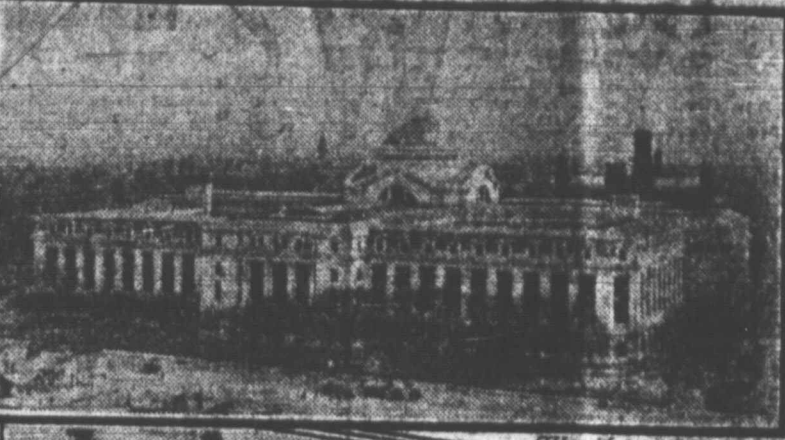
CEMENT WORK L. H. Roberts General Contractor

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# MOUNTING THE ROOSEVELT AFRICAN TROPHIES



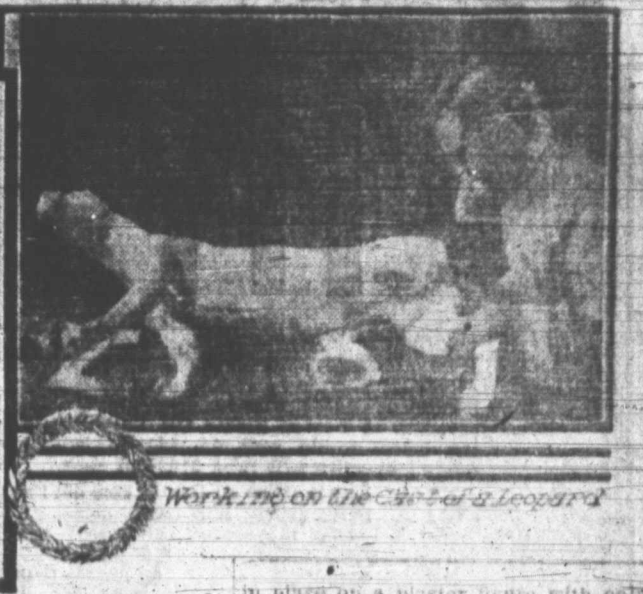
Specimens in Various Stages



The New \$300,000 U.S. National Museum where the Roosevelt Specimens will be Exhibited



Working on the Chief's Record



Working on the Chief's Record

With a few weeks now a keenly curious public may have its first view of some of the strange and wonderful animals bagged by Col. Theodore Roosevelt on the most memorable hunting trip in all history. Perhaps some of our readers have been prone to regard Colonel Roosevelt's famous African expedition as "ancient history" and suspected that all save the ex-President's most enthusiastic admirers had rather lost interest not only in the journey, but in the souvenirs it produced—although it must be admitted that the latter have remained much more of a mystery than the trip itself, now that the mighty hunter has described his experiences at length.

However, nothing could in reality be farther from the truth than a suspicion that interest has died out in the most picturesque of all the Roosevelt performances. One refutation came early this winter when 10,000 people endeavored to gain admission to a hall assigned to accommodate half that number in order to hear the returned traveler deliver his first lecture on his trip. Even more conclusive proof of the unsatisfied public curiosity regarding that "year in Africa" is furnished by the steady stream of inquiries reaching the officials in charge as to just when and where the game trophies brought home by the Roosevelt party will be placed in display. But then the famous naturalist of Oyster Bay always did have the knack of kindling an inordinate amount of interest in the festivities to his skill as a marksman. You may remember that when he was president a very large proportion of all the tourists who visited the White House asked, first of all, to see the mounted game heads—reminders, most of them, of Roosevelt's rambling and hunting days in the West—which had conspicuous places on the walls of the state dining-room at the presidential mansion. And, of course, all the specimens that the Colonel brought down with his trusty rifle in the Rockies would not hold a candle to the trainload of trophies that the distinguished hunter brought home from the Dark Continent.

It is safe to say that nobody can really appreciate until after all these specimens have been placed on exhibition what a literal Noah's Ark collection of animals the energetic Rough Rider did accumulate in the quest of a year and a half after he left the White House. Not so surprising, either, when you stop to think of it. For one thing, Colonel Roosevelt during this interval devoted himself, heart and soul, to the one task of making a collection of the most interesting four-footed inhabitants of our planet. Almost all his previous hunting trips had been either incidental to ranching occupations in the West or else within the restricted limits of a brief vacation. In Africa, on the other hand, he was not restricted either as to time or scope of activities. He concentrated his whole attention upon the quest of big game, and human dynamo that he is, his energy was not impaired by that tropical climate that saps the vitality of 99 out of 100 men.

Pinally, Colonel Roosevelt chose for his activities the last great hunting ground of the world. Africa always has been the home of the biggest, the strangest and the most interesting of all the wild beasts known to man, and as the advance of civilization has well-nigh exterminated the big game in every other quarter of the globe, the pre-eminence of the triangular continent as a great natural "zoo" has become all the more marked. As though such an array of large and ferocious animals were not enough of a lure for a hunterman of Colonel Roosevelt's amount, there was a further magnet in the known presence in the depth of the African jungle of a number of rare and almost unknown mammals, no specimens of which were to be found in any museum or menagerie in the world. This, indeed, was the especial attraction in the African game, and it is these so-called "new" or unknown animals a number of which the Roosevelt expedition was successful in securing, that render this animal collection unique and will focus public attention upon its treasures when they are disclosed to view.

It should be explained just here that the officials in charge will not wait until all the Roosevelt specimens are in readiness before giving the public a peep. That would keep the audience waiting for several years for the preparing and mounting of these specimens is a delicate and tedious task. So, as a compromise with the people, a representation of selected specimens will be put on view a few weeks hence, and others will be added from time to time as the animals' sculptors complete the task of rehabilitating Roosevelt's furred and feathered captives.

The home of the Roosevelt specimens is the National Museum, at Washington, D. C., and this great governmental treasure-house has recently taken possession of a new \$300,000 home, completed just in time, as it were, for this important acquisition. Of course, every museum and other similar institution in the country would have liked to secure a few of the Roosevelt trophies, but Colonel Roosevelt, from the time he projected his African trip arranged to make it on behalf of the Smithsonian institution, and that heavily-endowed institution helped to finance the costly journey, and sent several of its own men along with Roosevelt to help take care of the specimens, etc. The National Museum, it need scarce be explained, is under the jurisdiction of, or is, a part of, the Smithsonian, so that it comes by the relics in this wise.

ers, with commendable forethought, made detailed measurements of all animals as they fell before they were skinned, and, indeed, had they not done so the taxidermists would have been at their wits' end, for in the case of many of the rare animals rounded up by the Roosevelt expedition not only are there no specimens in captivity, but there are no photographs in existence.

With accurate inspiration for his sculpture the taxidermist proceeds to fashion a make-believe skeleton as a foundation for the life-size model he is to make. This counterfeit skeleton is formed from wood and wire and iron with the skull of the original animal put in its proper place to insure the proper contour of the head. On this framework the taxidermist, turned sculptor for the time being, builds up of clay an exact duplicate of the animal shot by Roosevelt in Africa. From this clay model plaster paris moulds are taken just as a sculptor takes moulds of his clay model preparator to having a statue cast in bronze. At the National Museum a dozen or more moulds go to make up a complete animal figure, the number of sections varying according to the size, form and pose of the animal.

After the moulds have been taken from the plaster model the latter is destroyed and now comes one of the crucial steps in the whole evolution, the casting of the permanent plaster figure upon which the prized skin from South Africa is stretched. Although the moulds have been in sections, the figure of the animal is now cast as a whole. It may be explained, however, that the cast is not a solid mass, as in the case of a bronze statue, but is instead a shell. The plaster used is reinforced by means of burip and wire cloth, with a mesh similar to that of the animal to the best advantage.

## C. W. POST TO RETIRE FROM ACTIVE BUSINESS

Breakfast Food King Comes to Texas to Rest and Visit Friends—Talks of Post City Railroad.

C. W. Post, millionaire breakfast food king, of Battle Creek, Mich., and a former citizen of Post Worth, is planning to retire from active direction of the big plant that has brought him both fame and fortune. He arrived in Post Worth Saturday to spend a few days and announced that by next summer he would no longer have any organized that it will no longer require his personal attention.

that I will be able to practically retire. "But I am not retiring under the fire of Collier's Weekly," he replied, in answer to a query, "not on your life. My business has been gradually growing better all the time, but it has shown remarkable advances since this onslaught upon me and my goods. I guess I am under no special obligations to Collier's but its publicity has certainly helped my business."

Nothing can equal the scorn with which the woman in a hobbie and the woman in a bifurcated skirt regard each other as they pass on the street.

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Mr. Colquitt is now the governor of Texas, and as such is entitled to the good wishes and support of every loyal Texan without regard as to what their feelings were toward him and the principals he advocated during his campaign for the democratic nomination. With four candidates in the field, and Mr. Colquitt the only one of the four who announced against the submission of the question of statewide prohibition, he had the advantage over his three opponents and won the victory. At the same election, however, the same men who voted in the governor's race, also voted on the submission matter, and a very decided majority was given in its favor, and even Gov. Colquitt in a position to prevent this question being submitted, it is not believed he would do it. On the contrary, he seems rather more anxious than the leaders of the submissionists to have the date set as early as possible for that election, and it now looks as if the question of whether intoxicating liquors shall continue to be sold in Texas lawfully, will be settled by a vote of the people early in July of this year. Until this election is held there will be more or less agitation of it between now and that time, and the more it is agitated the less time and attention the people will have to give to their business. The anti's are already confidently claiming that their side will win the victory by a majority of at least 75,000. The pro's have made no claims, as yet, but are

- "THIS DATE IN HISTORY"
January 18.
1781—Ratiff Boon, second governor of Indiana, born in Georgia. Died in Louisiana, Mo., Nov. 20, 1844.
1795—French captured the city of Utrecht, Holland.
1797—Weekly mail service between Canada and the United States established.
1811—Charles J. Keen, one of the greatest of actors, born in Ireland. Died Jan. 22, 1868.
1843—Marcus Morton inaugurated governor of Massachusetts.
1871—German Empire proclaimed.
1872—Lord Edward Bulwer Lytton, English novelist and playwright, died. Born May 25, 1803.
1884—Steamer City of Columbus lost off Gay Head, Mass., with loss of 97 lives.
1904—George Francis Train, noted author and traveler, died in New York City. Born in Boston, March 24, 1829.
1910—Argentina authorized the construction of two 25,000-ton battleships.

not, by any means, showing signs of defeat. They are preparing their organization and getting ready for the biggest battle of ballots ever pulled off in Texas. So long as there is no escaping it, we might as well prepare to do our duty by expressing our sentiments at the ballot box. This we cannot do unless we pay our poll tax between now and the first day of February. You may feel now as if you do not desire to take any part in the settlement of that question, but the probability is that you will be of a different opinion when the time comes to cast your ballot. There should be at least 1200 poll tax receipts issued for the four voting boxes in Wichita Falls, and 2500 for the county as a whole. The contest is to be hard fought, and neither side can win without votes.

It is high time, and the present legislature could do no nobler service in Texas and her good name and to humanity, than to remove from the statute books that reproach to the civilization of the commonwealth—the treatment of our unfortunate insane, especially the barbarous method of determining the mental condition of those believed to be insane. The Times has often before called attention to this subject, pointed out the inhumanity and the barbarity of the law which charges the unfortunate with insanity, tries him in open court as though guilty of a crime and convicts or acquits him as the case may be, and if conviction results, sends him to jail as a convicted criminal, if insanity were a crime, this method of procedure would be justified. Since, however, insanity is an affliction and a disease, the present law is a disgrace and a reproach and should be changed. In two years there have been ninety-one persons charged, tried, convicted and incarcerated in the county jail of Tarrant county at Fort Worth. It were more just to thus treat as criminals persons suffering from syphilis, smallpox or other infectious and contagious diseases, because these are preventable and their contraction is due to the violation of sanitary laws. To treat an unfortunate victim of dementia as a criminal is inexcusable and inhuman and cries aloud for remedial legislation.—El Paso Times.

Mr. Edison, the great inventor, says that the farmer of the coming generation will be a man of science, that the old time way of farming without any thought as to proper soil culture, proper seed, proper cultivation, etc., is doomed. Mr. Edison thinks that the farmer of a few years hence will probably be the best educated, and most scientific man of the entire land. He also thinks that electricity will take the place of horses on the farm and that the improved methods will make farming a matter of pushing the button while the farmer sits in his shady nook and watches the process. As to whether Mr. Edison is correct or not, the Reporter will not undertake to say, but there is no question about the farmer of the coming generation being a scientific man. Why should he not be the most scientific of all men? Certainly his calling is one of the greatest, if not the greatest of them all. It is he who creates wealth and it is he who has more to do with sure enough scientific problems than any one.—Ablene Reporter.

A bill for the regulation of rates charged by telephone companies in Texas will be introduced at the present session of the legislature. There is not the least doubt but there is need that the telephone companies should be regulated and any relief the legislature can give the patrons of telephone companies in that respect will doubtless meet with favor in every city, town and village in the state. The rates charged by these public service corporations are not at all in harmony with either the service rendered or the salaries paid its employees.

### INDIAN AFFAIRS BEING CONSIDERED

Government is Attempting to Place the Wards on a Self-Sustaining Basis. By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 18.—In attempting to put Uncle Sam's Indian wards on a self-sustaining basis, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1910, bent every effort to bring about that end, according to the annual report of Commissioner Robert G. Valentine to the Secretary of the Interior, made public today. Through the efforts of its educational, farming and employment branches the Bureau has been well rewarded in its efforts to make the Indian a competent citizen of the United States.

Wonderful progress was made during the year covered by the report in teaching the Indians to work their own lands, says the Commissioner. Speaking on the farm problem, Commissioner Valentine says: "The Indian Service realizes that instruction in farming is an essential basic part of its present educational policy and is therefore, making use of every possible resource in order to promote farming among the Indians." During the year a number of expert farmers were employed to teach the Indian the art of agriculture. Declaring that the agricultural instruction has been considerably improved as a means of stimulating interest in farming, among the Indians by its success among the Crows, Commissioner Valentine continues: "The fair promotes healthy rivalry among the Indians and furnishes a rational basis for meeting together, which ought eventually to take the place of the indiscriminate gatherings of Indians, which are usually productive of considerable harm."

Reporting that two large railway systems have offered to provide opportunities for school boys who are learning trades or who are mechanically inclined, the commissioner says that "the systematic connecting of the industrial education of the schools with the real work of the world will mean the dawning of a new day in Indian education, and from the human side, the bridging over of that critical period in a boy's life when he leaves school and starts to work, is a service of far-reaching importance. Sympathetic direction during those two or three critical years," the Commissioner goes on to say, "will mean the economic and moral salvation of many boys and young men."

In declaring that the health work of the bureau is not merely to care for and cure those who are sick but the reduction of the death rate, but rather to increase the vitality of the Indian race and to establish for it a new standard of physical well-being, the Commissioner says that one of the principal features of the attack is "An intensive attack upon the two diseases that most seriously menace the health of the Indians—trachoma and tuberculosis."

As a result of the increased appropriation for the suppression of the liquor traffic, the report says, unusually "extensive operations were conducted covering practically every state of the Union in which Indians reside." During the year, the Commissioner says, "1,637 new cases were placed on I. H. tickets, 1,857 arrests were made, 747 indictments secured, and 1,955 convictions obtained. Cases against 290 persons were dismissed and 23 persons were acquitted." The Commissioner says that the bureau has been aided in its efforts in this line by the cooperation of the state officials, and continues: "It is gratifying to find in a few instances that the Indians themselves have circulated petitions addressed to the home city or town councils asking that saloon licenses be revoked and the places closed." Progress, says the Commissioner, is being made in the work of connecting the Indian schools with the public schools, and the association of Indian children with white children will be a definite means of promoting the assimilation of the Indians into American life. "A comprehensive survey of the condition of the schools throughout the service was made during last year," reports the Commissioner. "Out of a school population of about 40,000 (this does not include the Five Civilized Tribes), there are in school 29,148, leaving out of school 10,852. Including schools within reach of Indian children, there are accommodations

for \$244 being unused, thus leaving 4,741 for whom there would appear to be no school accommodations. The chief supervisor of schools is of the opinion, however, that with the exception of the Navajos and Apaches, all other Indian children can be well cared for in schools already in existence." After saying that there are millions of acres of Indian lands in Indian reservations, the report says that there are about 160,000 acres have been irrigated; of this number 118,540 have been irrigated by Indians and \$2,980 by white lessees and purchasers. "The government no longer looks upon its duty to the Indians as merely involving an honest accounting for its trusteeship of Indian lands and funds," says the Commissioner. "It considers the trusteeship of this property as the means of bringing the Indian to a position of self-reliance and independence, where he may be able to accept the opportunities and responsibilities of American citizenship."

### THIS FORTUNE GOES BEGGING

A Temple, Texas Officer is Seeking a Heir to \$50,000. Elsewhere. Lawton, Okla., Jan. 18.—After a fruitless over-Sunday search in this city and with but a faint clue to guide him, R. H. Barnes, deputy sheriff from Chickasha, Texas, left this morning for Chickasha from there he will go to Tishomingo in search of W. L. Barnes, wanderer, who has a fortune of nearly \$50,000 awaiting him in the Texas town.

The story sounds almost like fiction. With a fortune of \$225,000 to be divided between five heirs, nothing can be done until one is found—some proof obtained that he is dead. Deputy Sheriff R. H. Barnes, an old friend of the family was the one selected for the search. If he finds the missing heir, he is to receive \$2,000 in cash and all his expenses. He has done his best but the old man Barnes is as elusive as the "Will-O-the-Wisp." The officer, having obtained nothing but rumors since he has been following the trail.

Starting from his home at Temple, Texas, Mr. Barnes first went to Mexico City, where rumor had it that the other Barnes was working. From here he traced him to Rowell, Texas, Amarillo and finally to Lawton, arriving here Saturday evening. From what Mr. Barnes can learn, the missing man left this city only four days ago intending to go to Chickasha and then to Tishomingo. While here he had been boarding with a Mr. Asher on H Avenue, but they knew very little about his business. The other heirs, who are brothers and sisters, are all well-to-do farmers, but this one has since early manhood possessed an innate desire to wander, little being known of his whereabouts. While they have the same name, Deputy Sheriff Barnes is no relation at all of the Barnes whom he is seeking.

### BANKS DESIGNATED AS RESERVE AGENTS

Austin, Texas, Jan. 18.—The state department of insurance and banking has appointed the following named reserve agents: First National bank of Shreveport for Texas; National State bank, Alamo National bank of San Antonio for the Merchants and Farmers State bank of Elgin; First National bank of Brownsville for Hidalgo County bank of Mercedes; Commonwealth National bank of Dallas for Farmers' State bank of Trent; First National bank of Wichita Falls for First State bank of Archer City; American Exchange National of Dallas for First State bank of Savoy; Wichita Falls State bank of Wichita Falls, Texas; State bank of Fort Worth; First National bank of Wichita Falls; Guaranty Trust Company of Dallas, for First Guaranty State bank of Holiday.

### ALL SORTS

There was a tribe not long ago When kings his proud hand gave A boot for old toes—on, let Knud Rasmussen supply the missing word.—Springfield Union.

Mrs. Hoyle—Your husband's business keeps him out of town all the week, I understand? Mrs. Doyle—Yes, he is at home only one day. I call him my Sunday supplement.—New York Press.

"I spent Christmas in Cuyahoga Falls," says a valued friend, and I put on my best Sunday clothes before I started. My new fuzzy hat I thought was pretty stylish, and I had some other recent wrinkles. Cuyahoga Falls not being a lively place on Sundays, I spoke thus to a native: "Do you ever go to the city?" "None," says he, "why should I?" "Why, to see the sights." "What's the use?" he asked, looking me over. "The sights come down and see us, if we wait long enough."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mayor Gaynor, said a New York official, "has a humorous way with him that we all appreciate. I remember a police story that he told one day to a police captain—a story about a sergeant. 'My boy,' the sergeant said to a patrolman, 'you used to say

I was lazy.' Then the sergeant bent his arm. 'But look at these stripes, my boy. I didn't get these by loafing on the corners, eh?' 'No, sarge,' the patrolman answered, with a sour smile. 'I knew you didn't get them in that way, or you'd be a zebra by now.'"

Uncle Rastus always contributed to the coal fund of the A. M. E. Church in a small town over in Jersey, says the Philadelphia Telegraph. Year after year he dug down in his jeans for his little contribution until finally the edifice was remodeled and a new heating plant installed. At the usual time the parson approached Rastus and again asked him to be a cheerful giver. "Not on your life!" returned Rastus, with large emphasis. "You ain't gwine ter git no moony out ob me for coal this wintah!" "What am de matter?" asked the surprised dominie. "Hain't yo' always gur up to de coal fun befo' wifout de necessity of usin' stress?" "Yas, sah," was the prompt reply of the halting one; "but yo' kain't fool me a little bit, Mistah Pabson! Doin' I know dat yo' had steam put in dat church las' week?"

Arthur Shaw, who somewhat prides himself on his literary ability, was asked by a weekly publication to contribute an article concerning the Christmas he remembered as the happiest of his career. The yarn was to be limited to three hundred words, but his imagination soared to three thousand.

Not having the heart to mutilate the precious manuscript himself, he submitted it to a friend who knows something of the editorial end of the paper. This is the rem as it finally appeared, cut and polished: "Stranded in Tonawanda, N. Y. without a 'beem,' Lay there for three days, subsisting mainly on what was offered in a free-lunch barrel house. Made a 'get-away' on Christmas Day, by hooking on to a job as a strike-breaker, to go to Providence, R. I. Furnished transportation. Shook the 'rattler' at Albany, batted the blind baggage at Yonkers, where I was lifted by a boot and hooded it to mother's house, where the fatted calf was waiting for me."—New York Telegraph.

Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the minority leader in the house of representatives, tells a story of her ancient colored cook, who took a liking to every article of apparel in her mistress's wardrobe. It was "please gimme this" and please gimme that," until Mrs. Clark took a trip to St. Louis and laid in a generous supply of hosiery and underwear and outer garments for the old mammy. The girls were excited with gratitude, but presently the cook was at her old tricks, asking for stockings, aprons and wrappers. "What did you do with all those things I brought you from St. Louis?" demanded Mrs. Clark. "Why, missie," answered the woman, "I couldn't use them things. Not for nothing—I am saving them all to be buried in."—New York Pers.

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**FOR RENT**—For land around Wichita, a 7-room frame house one block of business part of Amarillo, Texas, on main business street. Price \$6000.00, indebtedness \$1250.00, at \$30.00 per month. House rents for \$35.00 per month. D. C. Friddy Land Company, Amarillo, Texas. 213-71c

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**FOR RENT**—Nice furnished room; modern in every way; close in. 806 Austin. 208-71c

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**WANTED**—Agents to sell lots in San Antonio, developed to figs. A guaranteed position. Liberal advances made to worthy parties. Address B. H. Gordon, care of Times. 214-31c

**WANTED**—Experienced truck driver, one who understands irrigation; also farm hand wanted; farm two miles south of Wichita Falls, Texas. S. A. HAINES, City Box 121. 215-61c

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**FOR RENT**—Two nicely furnished furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 906 9th street. 215-31c

**FOR RENT**—4 large rooms at 306 Burnett. Price \$15.00. 215-31c

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room with gas, 907 Travis. 215-71c

## FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

**FOR SALE**—Two good lots on corner; best of location; must be sold at once. Address Box 391. 213-51c

**FOR EXCHANGE**—We can make an old mattress as good as new. We can make that old furniture as good as new and will renovate that carpet so that you can't tell it from a new one. Prices reasonable. Phone 544. Wichita Mattress and Upholstering Co. 213-261c

**FOR SALE**—Business lot one block of depot. 50x150, \$2100; cash. W. E. Golden, 700 Seventh street. 211-61c

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—200-acre farm in Specht colony for Wichita Falls property. W. R. Ferguson. 213-61c

**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 523. Mack Thomas, owner. 204-71c

**FOR SALE**—Nine room, new, two-story residence; on one of the best streets in city; with all modern conveniences; large spacious rooms; very conveniently arranged; six closets; pantry and bath room; large porch down stairs and up stairs, back porch screened; nice east front; concrete walks and curb. Terms all cash \$4750. Phone 506. M. J. Shivers. 213-71c

**A SNAP ON TENTH ST.**—Five room cottage, 2 closets, pantry, gas, electric lights; bath and all modern conveniences. To see this place is to like it. Be quick if you want a bargain. Phone 661. J. S. Bridwell & Company. 207-71c

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**FOR SALE**—Accident and health insurance; fully protects you. E. S. WHITEHEAD, 702 Indiana. 215-261c

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**LOST**—Bill book; left in Katy depot. Reward. See A. L. LANE, Sr. 215-71c

# GAS ORDINANCE IS GIVEN BELOW

REPRODUCED HEREWITH IN FULL FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC. PROVIDES AN INSPECTOR

Officer Will Be Appointed Tuesday Night at an Adjourned Regular Meeting.

The City Council, at the adjourned meeting held last evening, enacted an ordinance regulating the installation of gas connections in the city and providing for a gas inspector, as mentioned elsewhere in this issue in the account of the proceedings of that body.

Features of the ordinance are the provisions requiring the use of certain sizes of pipe in different sized buildings; prohibiting the use of lead pipe, calking tool or rubber hose connections of any kind and providing for a gas inspector who shall be paid a fee of 50c for inspecting houses with five or fewer openings and 10c each for additional opening.

The ordinance, which is reproduced below in full, will go into effect on the 27th, which is ten days after its enactment.

Ordinance No. 149.

**AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE INSTALLATION OF GAS FITTINGS AND REQUIRING AN INSPECTION THEREOF.**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, that hereafter all pipes placed for the conveyance of natural gas in any house, residence, building or structure in the city of Wichita Falls shall be of the following dimensions:

For House Five Rooms or Less. Main line, 1 1/2 inch. Meter to small boiler or furnace, not less than 1 1/4 inch. Meter to first opening, three fires or less, 1 inch. Meter to first opening more than three fires 1 1/4 inch.

No.	Fires.	Length pipe	Size
1	1	10	1/2
1	1	30	3/8
1	1	100	1/2
1	1	250	1 1/4
2	2	30	3/8
2	2	60	1/2
2	2	160	1 1/4
2	2	40	1
2	2	120	1 1/4
4	4	25	1 1/4
4	4	60	1 1/2
4	4	70	1 1/2
5	5	125	1 1/2
6	6	40	1 1/2
6	6	90	1 1/2
7	7	30	1 1/2
7	7	75	1 1/2
8	8	150	1 1/2
9	9	30	1 1/2
9	9	40	1 1/2

For more than ten fires or houses larger than ten rooms, the city gas inspector shall prescribe the necessary sizes and lengths. For houses of from five to ten rooms the pipe from main line to meter shall be 1 1/4 inch.

All gas fittings used in any such houses, building or structure, shall be of safe design, all pipes shall be wrought iron and all fittings malleable iron, brass or bronze, shall be free from all defects, and shall be installed without the use of lead pipe, calking tool, or rubber hose connections of any kind. Every connection of pipe and fittings shall be made by the joining by means of thread of iron pipe, or iron, brass, or bronze fittings. No shoddy or defective pipe fitting shall be used, and no paint, cement, preparation or dope of any kind shall be used on said pipe or fittings to close cracks, openings or leaks, except that pure white lead shall be used on the threads of every joint connected.

Every piece of pipe, fitting or fixture hereafter installed in the city of Wichita Falls, shall be approved and inspected by the city gas inspector before any gas shall be turned in to the same, and the said inspector shall test the line and fittings by means of a low pressure spring gauge or steam mercury gauge at a pressure of ten pounds to the square inch for 15 minutes. No gas shall be turned into the line or fitting either by the gas company or the fitter, or the consumer, until the same has been so tested and approved by the inspector. Any violation of this provision shall constitute a misdemeanor and any person guilty of such violation shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten nor more than two hundred dollars.

Whenever any alterations or repairs are made in any line of gas pipe leading from service box to any house, residence or structure or any fitting therein, except setting stove or lights and necessary fittings, the gas shall be turned off, and shall not be again turned on until inspected as provided in the preceding section and approved and any person violating the provisions of this section shall be subject to the same penalty as provided in the preceding section.

It shall be unlawful for any one not having a permit from the city gas inspector to turn gas on or off, at or to interfere any way with the street box, and any one violating the provision of this section shall be punished as above prescribed.

Inspection fees shall be charged by the city gas inspector as follows: Five openings or less, 50c; all additional openings 10c each; all inspection after failure to stand test same as above. Inspector's fee to be paid by party securing permit.

fect from and after its passage and publication as the law directs.

Passed this 17th day of January, 1911.

Approved this 17th day of January, 1911.

T. B. NOBLE, Mayor.

Attest: (SEAL) EDGAR RYE, City Sec.

## REPRESENTATIVE IS REPORTER'S FRIEND

Humorously Introduces Resolution for Protection Against Long Hours.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 18.—Representative Byrne won fame and eternal popularity with the press table of the house yesterday by introducing the following resolutions:

Whereas, The Texas legislature has enacted many wise laws for the protection of the working classes, providing among other things that eight hours shall constitute a day's work on public roads, that railroad operators shall not be worked more than eight hours per day, nor railway trainmen more than fourteen hours per day on a stretch except in case of emergency; and

Whereas, The senate of the state of Texas has been holding long, stretchy and sensational sessions, lasting far into the night; and

Whereas, The senate is insistent that its members shall be correctly, accurately and voluminously reported, and in consequence has forced the newspaper reporters to work more than eight hours a day, and more than fourteen hours per day, to become midnight sons in order that the midnight solons and solons may be accommodated, and, in fact, to run three days into one, thus causing them to get their sleep mixed, and to lose sleep, and to keep them stretched out continuously; and

Whereas, The aforesaid newspaper men are human beings and members of the working classes aforesaid, and entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities belonging to such classes, including life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; and

Whereas, The aforesaid newspaper men are neither pro nor anti, although prosy; be it

Resolved by the house of representatives, That the state senate aforesaid has violated the spirit of the labor laws aforesaid and has been guilty of cruelty to newspaper gentlemen by reason of the further fact that their passes have been withdrawn through legislative action; and be it

further Resolved, That the senate aforesaid be requested to observe union hours and calendar days, and to keep the record straight.

The resolution was received with enthusiasm by the press table, but Speaker Rayburn could not be induced to take it seriously and unfortunately it was not adopted.

## NEWSY ITEMS ABOUT ALLANDALE FOLKS

Allendale, Tex., Jan. 17.—Mrs. J. C. Stokes of Nocona, Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. T. Ghilan of this community.

Miss Hattie and Willie Twinn were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. C. E. Edwards of Holliday, the latter part of last week.

Mr. Dan Allen is visiting friends and relatives in Wichita Falls this week.

Mr. Lige Gates who lived at Olney, Texas, has moved in our community. The young people of Allendale's enjoyed a singing Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Billingsley.

## NO PAROLE FROM GOVERNOR CRUCE

He Keeps a Stir Backbone to All Entreaties to Parole Rept. Ledger.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 18.—In conformity to his announced decision previous to and since his inauguration not to grant a parole to any person convicted of selling intoxicating liquors, Governor Lee Cruce Monday refused the application of W. L. Kirkpatrick of Durant, Bryan county, for a parole.

Kirkpatrick was convicted in the

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# TEN DAYS MORE OF BARGAIN OFFERING...

Many people have already availed themselves of this rare opportunity of saving money, which has now existed since Tuesday morning, January 10th.

We now again arouse your thoughts of economy to this—your last 10 days of money saving moment. We can't go to each of you personally and explain in detail the great saving we are offering to the trading public, but when we say one-half the former price on Men's and Boys' Suits, Women Tailored Suits, and One-Piece Dresses, one-third off former price of Ladies, Misses and Children's Long Coats and Wraps of all kinds, one-fourth off on Ladies Skirts, it means something worth the while of the wise, economical buyer, which trade it has always been our pleasure to control, largely on account of our regular and constant under-priced values.

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courts of Bryan county and assessed a fine of \$50 and thirty days in jail. Friends of the convicted man immediately took the matter to come up since Lee Cruce was inaugurated governor. Previous to his inauguration and since that time, Governor Cruce has made the state and prevent the man from going to jail. Kirkpatrick will have to serve the thirty-day jail sentence. This is the first case of the kind of expiration of pardons Monday, granting citizenship to prisoners whose terms expire within a few days. Pay your poll tax before Feb. 1st.

## 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	\$185,129.91	Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts	991.90	Surplus	6,392.00
Bills of Exchange, cotton	1,524.91	Undivided profits	5,323.35
Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,597.96	Deposits:	
Furniture and Fixtures	4,918.75	Individual	\$211,338.32
Cash:		Demand Certificates	2,552.93
On hand in vault	\$26,298.00		214,394.40
Due from other banks	106,842.67	Due to other banks	431.50
		Cashier's Checks	11.65
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.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of January A. D. nineteen hundred and eleven. WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

Correct—Attest: J. F. REED, CHARLES W. BEAN, J. T. MONTGOMERY, Directors.

December 31, 1907 ..... \$ 61,412.70 Individual Deposits.

December 31, 1908 ..... 112,203.93

December 31, 1909 ..... \$188,615.51

DECEMBER 31, 1910 \$211,338.32

# Wichita Theatre

## Saturday Night Jan. 21

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Most unusual and interesting production ever made in this city

Story of triumph over a blackened soul

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## PLAN ADOPTED TO CLEAR INDEBTEDNESS

Amarillo, Jan. 18.—The meeting of the stockholders of the Panhandle Packing Company was held at the Chamber of Commerce hall last night and plans were adopted to raise the money to clear the company of its indebtedness.

The committee chosen for that purpose reported on a plan where the stockholders were to sign a instrument loaning 25 per cent of their present stock to the company. The money is to be paid back in eighteen months from this with the first dividends, and with the money to be collected from promised stock. The plan was

satisfactory with those in attendance, and was adopted unanimously. Before adjourning a number of the stockholders signed the papers.

"Have you got 'Two Bad Blue Eyes'?"  
 "By Laura Jean Libby?"  
 "By Thomas Hardy?"  
 "Sorry, but they're out."  
 "What's that thing by Isben?—oh, I know—'The Dog's House'! Have you got 'The Dog's House' by Isben, the great Swedish philosopher and playwright?"  
 "Perhaps you mean 'A Doll's House' by Isben?"  
 "I knew it was some kind of child's story. Yes, I'll take that."—New York Mail.

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CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT IS OPENED

Purpose is to Combat Evil Effects of Congestion and Resultant Conditions.

Special to The Times.—No more interesting or instructive exhibition ever was held in New York is the unanimous opinion expressed by a countless number of men and women who attended the opening of the Child Welfare Exhibit in the Seventy-first Regiment armory today.

The good and evil features of the moving-picture show and its amazing development as a form of social entertainment are demonstrated by exhibits. The candy shop and its effects on the young, the evils of street corner loafing and the frequenting of public dance halls also are shown.

BASEBALL NOTES.

Pittsburg fans are happy. Honus Wagner predicts a pennant for the Pirates this year.

The New York Americans will train at Albion, Ga. instead of Richmond, Va., as at first reported.

It is reported that Tim Lincecum will not be re-appointed to the Eastern League's umpire staff by President Barrow.

The new baseball park in Los Angeles will be opened by the Boston Red Sox in an exhibition game with the "Angels."

Ed Smith, formerly a pitcher for the St. Louis Americans, has signed as manager of the South Bend Central League Club.

"Rube" Waddell has lost his goal. "Rube" thought that he belonged to Minneapolis until he read that Colman has released him to the St. Louis Browns.

Charles Comiskey and Ben Johnson are hunting alligators in Florida. There are two heavyweights being chased by an alligator south of some county.

Frank Newhouse has been engaged to go to Excelsior Springs, Mo., and the St. Paul team, Newhouse has helped condition Yonnie Corbett, Battling Nelson, and many other stars of the ring.

Ping Bodie, with a record of twenty-six home runs in the Pacific Coast League, last season, has signed with the Chicago White Sox. Bodie and Melan should make a great pair of hitting kids for the Sox.

"Vic" Willie and Deacon Phillips are the veteran pitchers of the National League, having joined the organization in 1898. "Cy" Young is the real death of active big league players, the coming season being "Cy's" 22nd year of service.

In the ten years Abe Attell has been fighting he has boxed a total of 1122 rounds.

Digger Stanley looks upon Jimmy Walsh as the bantam-weight champion of this country.

The Tulsa A. A. of Tulsa, Okla., is anxious to stage a bout between Carl Morris and either Tommy Ross, Jim Barry, Al Kaufman, Jim Flynn or Al Kaufman.

Joe Jeannotte is not reckoned in the championship class, but there is one thing you can't take away from Joe—his gameness. He has given Jack Johnson and Sam Langford the hardest fight the dusky pair have ever had.

THE PLEASURE AND COMFORT With which an eye glasser rides the nose depends on its adjustment rather than on the kind of frame. There is a knack in bending and adjusting frames to fit a nose that is only mastered by one of practical experience in their construction. I make each pair of frames fit each individual nose and my lenses are the very best quality that can be had.

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TEXAS MESQUITE BEANS AS FOOD FOR HORSES

Clipping From Newspaper Showing Hawaii's Plans Starts Officials to Work on Idea.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Colonel Halberry Sellers' visions were never clearer than were those of Representative John Garner today when the congressman of the mohair and onion district of Texas took up with Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture the plan of converting the mesquite bean crop of west Texas into breakfast food for the cavalry horses of the world.

Mr. Garner went at the matter with such enthusiasm that it carried the conservative, shrewd old secretary quite on his feet.

"Not a thing on earth, unless it is allowed to be used for cattle," said Representative Garner. "I can touch the mesquite bean for nourishment for horses."

"Yes, that's true," said the secretary. "Heaven only knows how many millions of these beans grow wild in any district. No one man can count that high."

"I rather agree with you," replied Secretary Wilson. "It's a wonderful crop that goes to waste."

"Yes, and the best of it is," continued Representative Garner, "the poorer the season the better the crop."

The secretary Wilson set in motion the machinery of the department of agriculture that is to make millions out of the mesquite bean crop that goes to waste annually in west Texas.

What set Representative Garner on his track was a newspaper article showing how Hawaii has introduced the mesquite tree, grows it on plantations, and has had experts at work on a machine to successfully grind the mesquite bean, until a perfect machine was devised, with the result that the Hawaii mesquite plantations may be furnishing the Japanese cavalry with new horse rations.

Secretary Wilson was so impressed with the matter that he has decided to take the question up with the authorities in Hawaii, with a view to introducing the machine in this country. The newspaper article which led the real of Secretary Wilson and Representative Garner is as follows:

To an accidental afterthought of the old Spanish priests who went to Honolulu many years ago from the southwest mainland is due the springing of a novel and profitable idea.

This afterthought was the introduction into the islands of the insignificant Mexican mesquite, the first of which was planted near the convent on what is now Fort Street. The priests, however, were astonished to see this little scrub, with which they were so familiar over seas, swell this large gnarled tree.

Half a Century Ago. "Almost half a century has passed since that convent tree was planted, and it is now a sturdy, healthy, semi-tropical tree and fecundity of the soil have produced immense groves of the transplanted mesquite, sometimes covering 8,000 acres at a stretch. But the trees have lost their old appearance. The former little scrub is now averaging the size of large apple trees, sometimes twice as large but the leaves, the odor and the serafic appearance are unaltered. The bean has grown with the tree.

The "havo" or "algorona," as it is known in the islands, bears immense crops of yellow beans, weighing 100 tons to the acre being an average estimate. For years it has been known that this bean is one of the best feeders for livestock ever discovered. It possesses more nutriment to the pound than the barley and wheat hay does combined, and contains nothing but the wilder the trees are permitted to grow the thicker and faster they do so.

Palatable for Stock. "Until lately it has been impossible to grind the bean in order to make it palatable to the horse. Owing to its gummy nature, it has clogged the mechanical efforts of thirty years. In that time experts have even been imported from Germany to devise means of preparing the bean, but all have failed. Finally, a Honolulu man succeeded in inventing a machine that met every requirement, and tons of the crushed beans are now being turned out for the dairies immediately surrounding Honolulu.

About two months ago Japan sent ten large samples of prepared bean, and it is reported to have successfully experimented with it preparatory to introducing it as a food for its cavalry stock. On the great Hawaiian plantations, however, are herds of horses and cattle, and an immediate market is at hand.

The agricultural board has prepared estimates which show a great profit in the bean. From one 8,000 acre tract on Molokai, covered with the havo, it is believed that 150,000 tons can be harvested yearly. At the current rate this means a clear profit above shipping of \$3,200,000.

Rohach's Mineral Well. This is to certify that I have been drinking Rohach's Mineral water for months. I have suffered with stomach trouble for about eight years. Indigestion gas collecting in the stomach causing severe pains to shoot through the lungs, which continued to grow worse. I had been sick all summer and was a walking drug store. The last severe attack I had my husband called in Dr. W. H. Walker, and he prescribed Rohach's Mineral water as the best remedy he knew of. I had very little faith in it, but was determined to give it a fair trial. Before I had used one case I knew it was helping me. I have taken less strong medicine since I have used this water than I have taken in sixteen years. It has been of great benefit to our son. I heartily recommend this water to those who suffer with stomach or liver trouble.

Respectfully, MRS. J. W. WILSON, 705 Travis St., Wichita Falls, Texas. Tel. 211-116.

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South Bound—Train No. 11—Leave Wichita Falls 2:45 p. m. Leave Archer City 3:15 p. m. Leave Olney 3:45 p. m. Arrive Newmarket 4:15 p. m.

North Bound—Train No. 12—Leave Newmarket 7:05 a. m. Leave Archer City 7:35 a. m. Arrive Wichita Falls 10:45 a. m.

Wichita Falls & Northwestern. North Bound—Train No. 4—Leave Wichita Falls 2:30 p. m. Leave Elyria 3:15 p. m. Arrive Albia 3:45 p. m. Leave Albia 4:15 p. m. Arrive Wellington 4:50 a. m.

South Bound—Train No. 3—Leave Wellington 2:50 p. m. Arrive Albia 3:15 p. m. Leave Albia 3:45 p. m. Arrive Wichita Falls 11:45 a. m.

North Bound—Train No. 2—Leave Wichita Falls 2:30 p. m. Leave Frederick 3:15 p. m. Leave Albia 3:45 p. m. Arrive Elk City 4:30 p. m.

South Bound—Train No. 1—Leave Elk City 2:30 a. m. Leave Mangum 3:15 a. m. Leave Albia 3:45 a. m. Arrive Wichita Falls 11:45 a. m.

Fort Worth & Denver City. Northbound—Arrives Leaves No. 1 11:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m. No. 2 11:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m. No. 3 11:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m.

Southbound—Arrives Leaves No. 2 11:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m. No. 3 11:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m. No. 4 11:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m.

Wichita Valley. No. 1 To Abilene—Leaves 2:30 p. m. No. 2 To Abilene—Leaves 11:45 p. m. No. 3 From Abilene—Arrives 2:45 p. m. No. 4 To Byers—Leaves 2:45 p. m. No. 5 From Byers—Arrives 3:30 p. m. No. 6 From Byers—Arrives 3:30 p. m.

Missouri, Kansas & Texas. From Dallas, St. Louis and Beyond 7:00 a. m. 10:15 p. m. To Dallas, St. Louis and Beyond 6:30 a. m. From Denton, St. Louis and Beyond 10:30 p. m. To Denton, St. Louis and Beyond 1:30 p. m.

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Saddlery and Harness Bargain Prices I have been compelled to vacate my storeroom on Eighth Street at once and have secured temporary quarters at 822 Indiana Avenue in the old City Hall block near Marlow & Stone's office and am now located there. This room is entirely too small for my large and complete stock and I must dispose of the greater part of it at once to reduce stock to suit the size of the room I am offering Saddles, Harness, Robes, Blankets, Whips, etc. at prices so low that you cannot afford to miss. I have rented this room only temporarily and intend to locate permanently as soon as I can find a suitable location.

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### FORT WORTH TEAM

#### SIGNS 4 PLAYERS

Walter Morris' Scout Furnishes Gum Shoe Work for the Panthers.

Fort Worth, Texas, January 18.—The Fort Worth Panthers, who were returned to Fort Worth and will remain here permanently. Lagrave has secured all the men Morris cares to try out and will help Morris out in the detail of the pre-season work.

Lagrave will not say much about his "finds." The Panthers are, however, that his selections are all good, for he has an idea that unless a player exhibits certain unmistakable signs of ability that there is no use taking a chance on him. He figures that a minor league club cannot afford to take chances on signing up men unless they are almost certain to make good. Some clubs may do this, but they suffer financial losses that could be avoided.

Lagrave is the man who secured Jolly and Deardorf for the Panthers. Lagrave, of course, is in front of the showing that the scout has made. He said that in his opinion Jolly would show much better form next season than he did last. Lagrave defines Jolly's only fault as a sort of stage fright, and thinks that he needs another year to show what is really in him.

"Just watch Jolly when he returns and you will come to the same good opinion of him that I have," said Lagrave.

The little scout said that "Dad" Ritter, the catcher he signed, will make good. There is one thing to be explained about "Dad" Ritter, and that is that he is not an old man, as the name implies.

The other men signed by Lagrave for Morris are Miller, a first baseman, Curtis, a third baseman, and Hebe Robinson, a southpaw pitcher.

Curtis and Miller were among the best infielders in the Arkansas State League last year. They were both heavy hitters. Robinson is a giant twirler with speed and deceptive curves. According to the scout, Curtis is a southpaw, while Miller, the clever little third sacker who has been signed by the Houston club.

### Traffic of Votes in Cannon's District.

Danville, Ill., Jan. 17.—Charges that this country, the home of Joseph G. Cannon, speaker of the House of Representatives, long had been debauched by vote buying, were made by Judge Kimbrough here today. The court charged the practice had been carried on for many years by both old parties and urged that a searching examination be made. A large number of witnesses have been summoned.

In his instructions to the jury today Judge E. R. Kimbrough referred to the many indictments returned against vote sellers in Adams county, Ohio, and the demands made by Danville newspapers and citizens that a remedy be provided for almost similar conditions here and instructed the grand jury to make an investigation.

"It has been asserted by those who are acquainted with public life in the county," said the judge in his instructions, "that more than one-fourth of the free electorate are ready to vote or no, for this party that, when over the most is to be had—in other words, to sell their votes."

### IN FIVE MINUTES

Upset Stomach Feels Splendid. MI-ONA stomach tablets will relieve a distressed, sour or gassy stomach in five minutes.

In three days they will make the most miserable or cranky dyspeptic feel that there is plenty of sunshine in life.

In a week he will have an appetite for and will eat without any bad after effects food which now causes his stomach to strenuously rebel.

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If you have a coated tongue, heartburn, sour food upheavals, uneasiness in stomach, dizziness, biliousness, sick headache, bad dreams or any kind of stomach trouble put your faith in MI-ONA tablets.

Fifty cents is all a large box of MI-ONA costs. E. F. March has one of leading druggists everywhere, on money back guarantee. Write Booth's MI-ONA, Buffalo, N. Y., for free trial sample.

### ONLY ONE "BEST"

Wichita Falls People Give Credit Where Credit is Due.

People of Wichita Falls who suffer with sick kidneys and bad backs want a kidney remedy that can be depended upon. The best is Doan's Kidney Pills, a medicine for the kidneys only, made from pure roots and herbs, and one that is backed by good deeds in Wichita Falls. Here's Wichita Falls testimony:

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Try a can of "First Pick" strawberry pie. As delicious as the fresh fruit.

### PRODIGALITY IN EUROPE.

Expenditures by Some Rich Men That Exceed Those of Newly Rich Americans.

A great deal has been said and written of recent years about the extravagance of the American rich, yet those who have studied expenditures on both sides of the Atlantic declare that America has never yet witnessed such amazing prodigality as that seen on every side in Europe, says the Baltimore Sun.

An American of great wealth perhaps maintains a costly steam yacht, owns a palatial home in New York, fills them with valuable works of art, makes annual journeys to the other side and seemingly plays havoc with his bank account, however large. The rich European, however, goes him several better in the matter of extravagance.

When the late Duke of Osuna was sent by Isabella of Spain to represent his country at the coronation of Alexander II. of Russia, he boasted that he could make the trip from Madrid to Moscow by road in his own carriage and spend every night in one of his own chateaux or palaces along the way. And he is said to have done it. All these many places were maintained the year round ready for his coming, with a full staff of servants in each.

In England the Duke of Devonshire maintains some thirty of forty country seats, in addition to his palace in London. The cost of keeping them is enormous. In addition, he has a costly racing stable, several packs of hounds with their keepers, a private orchestra of sixty or more pieces, demanding an artist's pay; has several private chapels and supports eight private chaplains. The Duke's grandfather was wont to complain that he had about seventy country seats, and he should spend a week in each, he could not get around to all in a year.

Another owner of many splendid country seats is the Duke of Sutherland, who, in addition, has some of the finest steam yachts in European waters and one of the most stately and magnificent palaces in London. Three Queen Victoria frequently visited the Duke's mother, one of the warm personal friends of the sovereign. It has been said that, upon entering the Queen used to remark to the Duchess: "My dear Anne, I am coming from my house to visit you in your palace."

The Duke of Sutherland, however, has a princely income and is able to make a brave showing. He owns nearly the whole county from which his title is taken, containing more than 1,500,000 acres of land; owns the railroads that run through it and a number of productive coal mines as well.

A fan of the Duke of Atholl is to preserve old feudal customs on his great estates in Scotland, where he keeps about him an armed bodyguard of 600 men, each six feet or more in height. All are from the Murray clan, of which the Duke is chieftain.

Not a few of Europe's wealthy men maintain private race courses, and many of the splendid residences are equipped with private theatres. In the Esterhazy palace at Tein, in Hungary, is a private theatre large enough to seat an audience of nearly 2,000 persons. The late Count Esterhazy used to maintain there all the requirements of a splendid orchestra, but also a complete dramatic and operatic companies, the members of which were well paid and led a life of luxury on the estates at his expense.

His racing track was expensive, too. In addition to the cost of his thoroughbred, he built a church for his English trainers, jockeys, grooms and coachmen and the members of their families and employed a Church of England chaplain.

At one time it is related an Esterhazy was visiting the Earl of Leicester in England and was shown by the latter his flock of 6,000 sheep, of which the Earl was very proud. "Do you ever see anything like this in your own country?" he asked the visitor. "Oh, yes," responded Esterhazy. "It is not 6,000 sheep I have but 6,000 shepherds to attend my flocks."

### CIGAR BUYERS FINICKY.

Man Who Sells "Smokers" Tells of Vagaries of Customers.

The cranks and kickers among smokers make life a misery for us," said Louis, the cigar man. "People think that we have a snap just to stand around in a warm place and hand out cigars when they are asked for. There's a whole lot more to the business than that; I can tell you."

"What do they kick about?" Oh, about everything connected with cigars. Some, like a customer who just left, insists on being shown half the contents of the case and then, un-like him, decide upon something else. Perhaps he may ask for a good cigar and after he has shown all of the 10c, 15c and two for a quarter, or more expensive varieties, chooses a 5-center. Like the woman shopper story ain't it true, too. Then there's the fellow that asks us for a clear Havana, and, after looking at it, says it's a domestic smoke and accuses us of being ignorant or trying to fool him. Oh, they inspect the labels in the boxes, they make us open new boxes; they must have the history of the cigar since the tobacco was planted, the labor troubles in Tampa or Cuba and a lot more information before they will invest in a quarter or a half. Are there any cranks? Well!

"Of course there are smokers who know a few things themselves. They don't cause us much trouble. We just hand out the box when they approach the counter. Still, if they detect any difference in the smoke they don't hesitate to acquaint us with the fact the next day when they come in. Not they, not in a million years."—Chicago News.

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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PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. C. N. Ballinger left this afternoon for Petrolia on professional business. J. L. McConkey left this afternoon to look after business interests at Denison. Mrs. G. L. Webster, from Byers, was among the local visitors in the city today. C. F. Kochler, of Fort Worth, paid Wichita Falls his annual tax-paying visit today. Mrs. C. C. Huff left this afternoon for Taylor, at which place she will visit relatives. E. N. Birdwell was here today transacting business, from his home in Archer county. Postmaster S. B. Householder, from Byers, was in the city today, the guest of relatives. A party of the younger set will see "St. Elmo" at the Wichita Theatre Saturday evening. J. F. Johnston, a well-to-do farmer, who resides near Petrolia, was here today on business. Mrs. F. H. Cagle was in the city today, from her home at Grandfield, Okla., enroute to Dallas on business. Judge Hodges, a prominent citizen from Frederick, Okla., is in the city looking after his property interests. The friends of Mrs. L. H. McKinley will regret to learn that she is quite sick at her home 1300 Austin avenue. Mrs. W. S. Tyson returned to Doherty, Saturday, after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Yanger. C. E. House, from Spur, Texas, was in the city today, enroute to Fort Worth, at which place he will visit relatives. C. H. Thompson arrived this afternoon from Grand Saline, and will remain several days looking after business matters. Miss Lavonia Craig, who has been visiting relatives in Kansas City, passed through the city today, enroute to her home at Electra. Recent visitors from Wichita Falls were: Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bacon, Dr. and Mrs. Da Val, Miss Helen Hines, Masters Robert and J. B. Ferguson and Jonathan Bell. R. S. Dean, who is in the employ of the Burroughs Mill & Elevator Co. at Fort Worth, was in the city today, enroute to Dean station, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Deane. Mr. C. B. Nott, of the dry goods house of R. E. & C. B. Nott, has returned from St. Louis, where he had been for the past week selecting the spring and summer stocks for his firm.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

E. W. Sachse and Eric Bloom, the Elite Tailors, who lost heavily in the Eighth street fire several weeks ago, have rented the quarters now occupied by Childress Bros., real estate office on Indiana avenue and will reopen with a new stock about Feb. 1. R. A. Thompson, a railroad brakeman, is on trial before a jury in the district court this afternoon on an indictment charging robbery. Thompson is charged with robbing J. H. McNally, a farmer living near Frederick, Okla., here last December. The defendant is represented by Attorneys Weeks and Bonner. Rev. R. E. Farley last evening performed the ceremony for a public wedding at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, uniting in marriage Uriah Crain and Miss Eliza Smith; Thomas Cassett and Miss Beaula Darland. The local lodge of Elks will celebrate the anniversary of the organization of the lodge with a membership meeting on the night of February 20. A special program will be arranged. A pair of parent guinea pigs with a pair of their offspring, just two days old, is an attraction that stops many children in front of Marchman's show window. Ed Daggett, formerly one of the proprietors of the St. Charles Cafe, but now located at Mineral Wells, is in the city for a few days on business. The A. F. F. Club will give a ball at the L. O. O. F. Hall tomorrow night at which a large attendance and a pleasant time is anticipated. T. R. T. Orth, general superintendent of the Wichita Falls & Northwestern, is confined to his home with a severe attack of grip. The street light pole, shipped to the light company as a sample, has been received and will be installed for exhibition purposes. D. P. Taylor, a prominent citizen from Grandfield, was here today greeting friends and transacting business. P. C. Maricle is confined to his room with a severe attack of grippe. MRS. EDDY'S WILL PROBATED No Opposition Develops, but Court May Be Asked to Determine Documents' Validity. Concord, N. H., Jan. 18.—The will of Mrs. Mary B. Eddy was probated without opposition today. The allowance of the will does not terminate the actions brought by her sons asking that the court determine the validity of the document. Should the courts hold for her sons, they would have the power, despite the allowance of the will in the Probate Court, to set aside that portion leaving the residue of the estate to the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston. The matter will probably come up in the state courts in April and in the Federal Court in February.

HOUSE HAS SESSION BUT SENATE DECLINES

Special to The Times.—There was no session of the senate today, but the house met this afternoon briefly. It was agreed in a caucus of the anti-senators that no further filibustering to prevent the passage of liquor bills was wanted by the prohibitionists. It was learned this morning that the pros are preparing overtures to Governor Colquitt, requesting a compromise on their saloon closing bill, so as to make the closing hour 9, instead of 6 o'clock, but the governor refused to discuss the matter today.

POLL TAX PAYMENTS ARE FALLING SHORT

From Present Indications Poll Tax Receipts Will Be Less Than Last Year. Unless greater interest is exhibited the number of poll tax payments in Wichita county this year with a statewide prohibition campaign in prospect will be less than last year when a prospective local option election caused the payment of 2300 polls. So far this year the poll tax payments have fallen behind last year. In the four precincts which have reported in all the saloons and an extensive campaign is being carried through the mails. The pros probably owing to lack of funds are contenting themselves with appeals through the newspapers and by the personal efforts of the followers of that cause. From present indications there will be a good many voters in Wichita county who will not be qualified to participate in the state-wide prohibition election. These no doubt will wear a "yellow dog" expression on election day.

"THIS IS MY 71st BIRTHDAY."

William A. Nash, who has become a partner in the great banking firm of J. P. Morgan and Company, was born in Hudson, N. Y., Jan. 18, 1840. He started his business career as a messenger boy in the Corn Exchange Bank in New York City and rose in the service until he became president of the institution in 1883. He was made president of the New York Clearing House Association in 1896, and was one of the committee that bought the land and directed the construction of the New Clearing House. In the financial flurry of 1907, as well as in that of 1893, his activities in the Clearing House Association aided very much in the restoration of public confidence. Mr. Nash is probably the best known as the father of the branch bank idea, and the Corn Exchange Bank under his direction was the first to establish branches after the law to permit them was passed.

Weds Daughter of Noted Composer

New York, Jan. 18.—Grace Church, in lower Broadway, was the scene today, when Miss Ethel La Roy de Koven, daughter of Roginaid de Koven, the well known composer, and Mrs. de Koven, became the bride of Mr. Hans Kleopde Hudson. Well known young straggle widows of Chicago, Philadelphia and this city were included among the attendants. A large reception at the home of the bride's parents in East Sixty-sixth street followed the ceremony at the church.

Fort Worth Market

Special to The Times. Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 18.—Cattle receipts 200. Calves receipts 6500. Hogs receipts 2400. Steers higher, top \$5.80. Cows higher, top \$4.50. Calves higher, top 7.00. Hogs higher, top 8.80.

Figs and Fortunes

Sell resident lots in San Antonio developed to figs. A guaranteed proposition. Commission big enough to produce heart-failure. Ladies and gentlemen wanted to travel in Oklahoma. Be quick. Address "X" Care of Times. 212-319.

Campbell Leaves Austin

Special to The Times. Austin, Tex., Jan. 18.—No business was transacted by the legislature this morning, the house having adjourned until 2 p. m., and the senate adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow. Members of both branches were late arriving today, due to the inaugural ball last night.

College Democrats Confer

Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Following the conference of the elder statesmen at Baltimore yesterday, the younger element of the Democratic party, as represented by the National League of Democratic College Clubs, had its innings in this city today. Pursuant to a call issued by President Warren Jefferson Davis of this city the officers and State vice-presidents of the league got together at the New Willard Hotel this morning and spent the day discussing preliminary plans for the work of the league in the next presidential campaign.

Compliments Wichita Falls

Chas. M. Martindale, of Dallas, special agent for the Fidelity Deposit Company of Maryland, is in the city on business, the guest of Fowler Bros. & Co., their local representatives. Mr. Martindale is very much impressed with Wichita Falls and the conditions obtaining here and remarked that he had found a greater manifestation of progress in this city than at any point he had visited in his travels over the country.

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Y. M. C. A. ORGANIZES BASKET BALL LEAGUE

First Games of Series Will Be Played At The Headquarters This Evening. The members of the Young Men's Christian Association of this city have perfected the organization of a Basket Ball League in connection with other teams as has been contemplated for some time and the General Secretary of the Association this morning furnished a Times reporter with the line-up of the teams and the schedule of games to be played. The first games will be played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tonight at 8:30 o'clock. There are four teams in the league, as follows: Y. M. C. A., Wichita Business College, Postoffice and Business Men. These teams are all very evenly matched and some very interesting games are anticipated. Following is the line-up of the several teams: POSTOFFICE—B. J. McHam, J. T. Gibson, F. Billingsly, K. Ross, L. Howard, N. Sherman and H. Scott. BUSINESS COLLEGE—E. Henry, R. Scheurer, V. Clayton, A. Karrenbrock, C. Chenault, and T. Courtney. BUSINESS MEN—T. C. Tautcher, J. H. Roberts, G. A. Smoot, C. H. Smoot, L. A. Webster, Otto Stehlik, and A. H. Brittan. Y. M. C. A.—Welsh Morgan, Frank Collier, D. A. Davis, Wm. Huff, R. B. Ross, J. E. Elliott, and J. M. Blank ensmith. Beginning at 8:30 o'clock 160 games will be played each Wednesday night, to which the public is invited and no admission will be charged. The games tonight will be between the Y. M. C. A. and Business Men vs. The Business College vs. The Post office.

TRAVELING MAN IS MUCH IMPRESSED

Especially Compliments the Splendid Union Station Now Under Construction. "Even before I had heard any of your citizens talk about the aspirations of your city, I had said to myself, there will be a city of 25,000 people within less than five years," said Harry V. Forest, of Emporia, Kansas, who is in the city representing the St. Mary's Engine Company. Mr. Forest travels out of Kansas City and says that this is the most progressive city of its size that he has ever seen. He has just started one of his engines, a forty-horse power gasoline engine, for the new water plant at Grandfield. "One of the first things that impressed me was the substantial union station building now being constructed," he said. "Some of your other buildings might have been erected by optimistic citizens when conditions did not warrant investments of so much money, but a railroad isn't given to that sort of thing. Your union station would do credit to a city of 30,000 or more, and the railroads are confident that you will have that many people in the near future, or they would not have built such a large and substantial depot. Of course, since I have investigated more fully, I had

Tuskegee Negro Conference

Tuskegee, Ala., Jan. 18.—The twentieth annual session of the Tuskegee Negro Conference opened at the Tuskegee institute today with a large and representative attendance. The feature of the program was a symposium discussion on the subject of the negro as a farmer. The question of making tenant farming more profitable both to the landlord and to the tenant was discussed at length. Attention was paid also to the methods for making truck farming, cotton raising, fruit raising, and live stock and poultry breeding profitable to the negro farmer. Booker T. Washington in his opening address said the value of the discussions lay in the good the delegates got from them to carry home. Tomorrow the annual Workers' Conference will be held at the institute. Indications point to an unusually large attendance of persons directly engaged in negro education and others interested in the uplift of the colored race. The ladies of the Christian Church will hold a market Saturday, Jan. 20, at the North Texas Furniture Store, which will consist of pies, cakes and dressed chicken. 214-216

YOUTSEY PARDON REFUSED

Gov. Wilson of Kentucky Refuses to Act in Case of Man Convicted of Goebel Murder. Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 18.—Gov. Wilson yesterday refused a pardon to Henry E. Youtsey, convicted of the murder of Gov. William Goebel. The governor says he believes Youtsey is guilty of a cruel murder and therefore refuses to grant the pardon. With the refusal of Gov. Wilson to pardon Youtsey, the cases of all those charged with conspiracy to kill Gov. Goebel are now disposed of. Caleb Powers, now congressman from the Eleventh Kentucky district, and Jim Howard, who recently announced his candidacy for state senator, were only a few months ago pardoned by Gov. Wilson, and at that time attorneys for Youtsey, who is serving a life sentence, presented a formal petition for pardon. It was this petition on which the governor acted yesterday.

Lippitt Succeeds Aldrich

Providence, R. I., Jan. 18.—Harry F. Lippitt was elected United States Senator, succeeding Senator Aldrich. Lippitt is a republican.

Gem Theatre The Only Exclusive Motion Picture Theatre in Wichita

TONIGHT'S PICTURES "ROSE LEAVES"—(A Vitagraph) "THE GAMBLERS' END" "THE CLOWN AND THE MINISTER"

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IT REALLY don't make any difference to us, which was first, the hen or the egg, but we are wondering how long it is going to take some people to discover the wonderful advantages of Natural Gas For Heating, Lighting and Cooking Cheap, Clean and Simple North Texas Gas Co.

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