

NATIONAL CAPITOL NOTES

(By F. J. Dyer)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—In the opinion of many patriotic Americans the time has come when an effort should be put forth to restore the American flag to the high seas. Senator Gallinger, who has given this question exhaustive study, and whose bill for the encouragement of the merchant marine has recently received very favorable approval, has recently introduced an amended bill for the granting of pay to mail steamships flying the American flag and plying to South American ports, and to the isthmus of Panama from those ports on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. "It is pretty generally conceded," said Senator Gallinger to our correspondent, "that the most desirable way to encourage the establishment of new steamship lines is to pay a reasonable sum for carrying the mails in fast wooden ships, which shall be available for the use of the Government in time of war. With a very moderate expenditure of money, not more than \$1,000,000 a year, some 30 or 40 large steamships, costing from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000 each, would probably be built and put on routes to countries such as Argentina, Brazil and Chile, which are now having considerable exchange of business and with which our trade could be very largely increased if reasonably good facilities in the way of mails and transportation were provided. This is there has been but little opposition to this plan except in some of the inland farming communities, where it has seemed to the people that they could not derive any interest from breaking down the foreign shipping trust, which naturally enough is working to extend the interests of foreign commerce at the expense of this country."

The Farmer Would Benefit.

"Farmers will benefit both directly and indirectly by the extension of foreign commerce carried in American bottoms," continued Senator Gallinger. "In a general way, anything that benefits one benefits all. The East may possibly benefit more than some other sections, but on the other hand Eastern Senators did not refuse to give their support to irrigation and conservation enterprises because they seemed to be of benefit mainly to the West. We realize that we have to be broader than that. This country, with its diversified interests, could not get satisfaction at all if we took the ground that only such legislation should be enacted as would benefit all classes. But our foreign trade really does benefit all. If we can increase that trade we open more markets for the products of our mills, our shops and our farms. If some sections seem to benefit directly less than others, they will benefit indirectly. Duster factories mean a larger consumption of farm produce, and better as well as more saleable prices. Moreover, as we adopt better methods of agriculture our surplus products are likely to increase. If we have good transportation facilities it will become easier to find a profitable market to absorb such sur-

plus. That the farming interests realize this is indicated, I think, by the decreasing opposition shown to the extension of our foreign trade by giving reasonable pay for carrying ocean mails."

"This question was a live issue as far back as 1845 when members of Congress from Southern States urged government appropriations, to pay for carrying mails, to encourage foreign trade. As a result three American steamship lines were established to Europe, several to the West Indies and the isthmus, and from the isthmus to California and Oregon. The competition of these steamships reduced the freight rate to Europe from about \$75 to \$20 and the United States had 62,300 tons of ocean steamers as compared with Great Britain's 65,921 tons, the American steamers being newer, swifter, more powerful and especially designed for war purposes. This prosperous condition of the American Merchant Marine continued until the Civil War when the mail subsidies were discontinued."

Courtesy Pays Big Dividends.

Because immigration officials at the port of Boston injured the dignity and pride of a Chinese official, a boycott was started in China against American goods, with the result that American exports to that country have fallen off from \$60,000,000 in 1905 to less than \$15,000,000 a year at the present time.

The Chinese exclusion law provides for the admission to this country of certain privileged classes, namely: merchants, travelers and students. People of these classes have experienced very great annoyance in being detained at ports of entry because of defects which are frequently found in their papers. It is reported that another boycott is now being put into effect in China because of complaints of Chinese who feel that they have been humiliated when seeking to enter this country. Of course, there is no reason why a Chinese gentleman should not be treated with as much courtesy and respect as any other gentleman, and the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, after a consultation with the President, Secretary of State, and Congressman McKinley, of California, has decided that in cases where members of the privileged classes who apply for admission to this country have defective papers, they may be admitted without delay upon filing a satisfactory bond with the United States District Attorney or District Judge. It is believed that the putting into effect of such an order, and the recognition of the rights of the better classes of Chinese will do very much to allay the resentment existing in China against this country, and prove an aid in the rehabilitation of our commerce with that country.

Agriculture Among the Indians.

In his annual report, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs in speaking of the work done on experimental farms for the Indians, cites the farm at Sacaton, Arizona, where as a result

of two years experiment sixteen bales of a fine grade of Egyptian cotton were raised and shipped to the New York market. A small quantity of this cotton was raised at the Phoenix School. The Commissioner says: "Reliable tests show that this cotton was very much stronger than ordinary Southern cotton and averaged from one-eighth to one-fourth of an inch longer, which made it especially valuable for thread and fine qualities of cotton weaves. This cotton was sold for 31 cents a pound."

Agricultural fairs were held last year at the following reservations: Crow, Captain, Grande, Cheyenne, Arapahoe, La Jolla, Pine Ridge, San Juan, and Southern etc. On the Fort Peck reservation about 50 per cent of the male adult Indians are cultivating approximately 3,000 acres, an increase of about 50 per cent over last year. Oats, potatoes, flax, wheat, and corn are the principal crops grown. About 75 per cent of the male adult Indians on this reservation raise stock, ranging from five to 100 head each. Increased interest in agriculture is reported from the Sisseton reservation, on the Nez Perce reservation, of the Yakima reservation, at the Winnebago agency, and elsewhere.

Onion Seed Industry in the Canaries.

According to the Daily Consular Reports, the exportation of a trial shipment of thirty pounds of onion seed from islands in the United States are known in the market as "Large Bermudas." The average price of onion seed varies from seventy-five cents to \$1.00 per pound, f. o. b. Tenerife.

Trade With Brazil.

Consul Southard P. Warner, of Bahia, Brazil, writes to the State Department that he has no doubt regarding the ability of Americans to export goods to Brazil in much greater quantity if they would look after the trade instead of trying to do it by correspondence. Catalogues and price lists, he says, are not of use to secure trade when others have well equipped salesmen with full lines of samples and make personal representations. In this connection he quotes the annual report of the British consul to Bahia as follows:

"I desire to point out that obtaining names of local firms through consular or other sources is not a help to business unless travelers are employed. Any of the large British firms who employ their own local agents get good returns for the extra outlay. A general agent will not waste time and energy in pushing the sale of a particular article unless he is well represented. Sending catalogues in English to this country is useless."

The State Department has devoted a great deal of attention to the extension of American trade in Brazil and in other South American countries. The friendly attitude of Brazil in particular toward this country, due in part doubtless to the immense

quantity of Brazilian coffee marketed annually in the United States, would seem to be very encouraging to American exporters who are looking for an increased market for their goods. The Brazilians import annually from all countries goods to the amount of about \$1,000,000 per capita.

A New Food Product From Mexico.

Tuna cheese is a celebrated food product of Mexico, San Luis Potosi being the great market. The first shipment of five tons was made to San Antonio, Texas, December 4 last. It is expected that this will lead to the introduction of the article into this country on a commercial scale. The United States Bureau of Plant Industry in Bulletin No. 116 of the year 1907 describes the food qualities of the Tuna mostly used in making cheese. Tuna cheese is the pulp of the Tuna, boiled and strained. It is described as being chocolate in color, pleasant to the taste and wholesome. It sells locally in season at two to five cents a pound in the public markets, and it keeps indefinitely in good condition. The plant grows spontaneously on land too dry to permit of much other vegetation. The cheese, so-called, is really a confection, and it will probably be sold as such in the United States.

The Congressman's "Chiffonier."

Ladies talk about the servant question in Washington as much, perhaps more than they do elsewhere.

Mrs. Newmember being from the North, had never had colored maids, so she found them amusing at times if aggravating at others. One day, she tells her friends, Arabella, on her Thursday afternoon off, confabulated with Evangeline, who was employed in a Congressman's family. The Congressman and Commissioner being friends, Arabella found an excuse to convey to her "Madame" as she calls her, information which she felt would be of interest.

"Please, Missus Newmember, do you like your stew fluiditious, or kind of solid-like? Yes'm; solid-like. Evangeline, she says Mrs. Commissioner likes her sort o' fluiditious. An' she says, 'm, that Mr. Commissioner has a new ottomobile. Yes'm, 'deed he has."

Arabella, who was quite proud of her diction, paused a moment and so gave Mrs. Newmember an opportunity to ask, as was probably expected of her:

"Does he operate it himself?"

"No'm," rejoined Arabella. "Evangeline says that he has a chiffonier."

On another occasion Mrs. Newmember overheard Arabella in a dispute with a delivery boy with regard to the charges on a package which was prepaid but on which he wanted to collect. Arabella was finally triumphant and on uttering some words of reproof the boy exclaimed: "Well, its only natch' for to make a mistake in yer own favor."

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Respectfully,
MRS. J. W. WILSON,
705 Travis St., Wichita Falls, Texas.
Tel. 211-476

\$10,000 to Push City's Interests.

Resolving building Wichita Falls citizens as an annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce place over \$10,000 to push the interests of that city during 1911. We call that business enterprise, and expect to see that building city much larger during the year 1911 than at the expiration of 1910. This reminds us that Wellington has a commercial club, which seems to be quietly absorbing the city, which, if awakened, could do great things during the year for the betterment of the town. Wichita Falls' Chamber of Commerce has a paid secretary who draws a salary of \$500 per month. In the person of F. H. Day, lately advertising manager for the Fort Worth Record—Wellington Leader.

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Other Stocks and Bonds	Current in Circulation
Furniture and Fixtures	Dividends Unpaid
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Bills of Exchange	Individual Deposits
Due from U. S. Treasurer	Bank Deposits
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Total	Total

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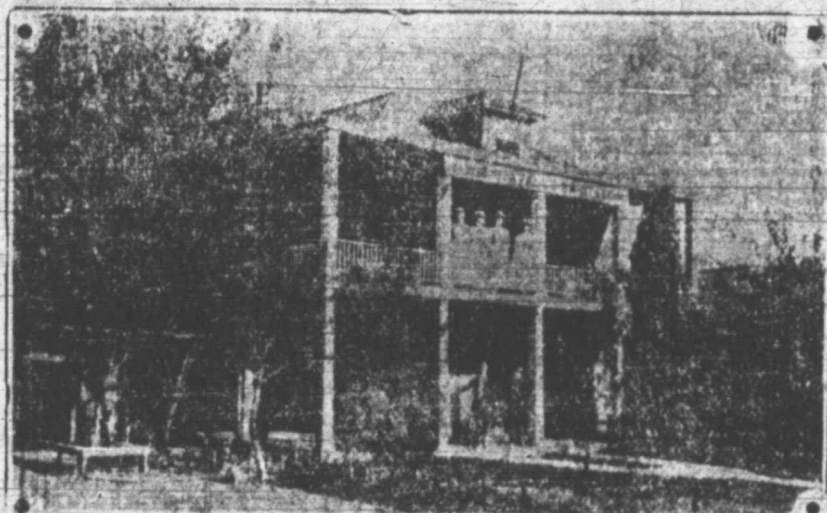
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"I will never forget the night we played Stratton-Philadelphia—it was the anniversary of Young Corbett's knockout of McGovern at Hartford in 1901, and just six years after Young Corbett again tickled Terry on the chin and won the title. Corbett asked me if it would not be a good thing to give an anniversary dinner to show there was no bad feeling between Terry and myself. I considered it a very sportsmanlike idea. Jim Corbett happened to be playing the opposition that night and he and his father were invited to the dinner, together with about a dozen others. It was a very nice affair, and Terry and Young Corbett swore lifelong allegiance to each other.

"When we broke to go to the theatre, Jim Corbett promised to come over after his turn to referee the anniversary bout. As I usually went through the formality of presenting the boys, and in doing so, told the audience about the dinner, I considered that they had formally buried the hatchet for all time. Of course this then brought forth a big round of applause and this on top of the wine they had had at dinner, made both boys feel good and lively.

"Everything went all right in the first round, although the boys were hitting harder than usual. In the second while Corbett said to Terry: 'Do you remember what day this is?' 'Yes, this is Thursday,' said Terry. 'Don't you remember anything else about this date?' said Young Corbett, laughing, and when Terry again said no, he asked, 'Don't you remember six years ago today?' Don't you remember when I gave you that little tickle on the chin and took the title away from you?' said Corbett.

"Yes, I remember it," said Terry, and as he spoke he landed a terrific right to Corbett's chin, knocking him to the floor and almost out. This replied McGovern: 'I still owe you another for that one in Frisco.' 'Turning to Terry, Corbett said: 'Well, we're even now, Mac. We are not,' replied McGovern: 'I still owe you another for that one in Frisco.' 'But Jim Corbett interrupted the argument. Here boys you had better shake hands and call it off. I didn't come over to referee any struggle fight.

"So the bout went on, and before its finish the boys were good friends again.

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CAUCUS SHOULD BIND

Huppacht Declares Legislature is Obligated to Support the Candidate of the Majority.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Winfield A. Huppacht, chairman of the democratic state committee, declared tonight in a statement that every democratic senator and assemblyman should abide by the result of the caucus which last Monday night cast a majority vote for William F. Sheehan as the party candidate for United States senator. Huppacht is the business associate of Governor Dix.

Mr. Huppacht added that he issued the statement after conferring with a majority of the members of the committee, and the heads had expressed their views on the subject.

Just when the members of the legislature were beginning to return to Albany to renew the struggle as to who is to be Senator Peepew's successor, the statement worked a sudden change in the situation which was expected to lie dormant until the joint assembly took its final ballot tomorrow.

Adherents of Mr. Sheehan said they had expected it. As to the opposition, Thomas M. Osborne, one of the leaders of the committee behind the candidacy of Edward M. Sheppard, said when shown a copy of the opinion, "one good thing about this contest is that it is bringing everybody into the open."

Friends of Mr. Osborne and Mr. Sheppard explained this declaration by saying to those familiar with the situation by Huppacht's statement his stand came as a surprise. They said they believed the struggle as to who is to be Sheehan and they were doubly assured now. Mr. Osborne said that Mr. Huppacht's advice disagreed with that given by Governor Dix last week when he said the legislators should vote in accordance with the wishes of their constituents and the dictates of their consciences.

The statement follows: The caucus being the recognized usage of all parties from time immemorial, there should be no question of its being the duty of all assemblymen and state senators, elected upon the democratic ticket, to abide by its result and vote for the senatorial candidate of the overwhelming majority sort. Most assuredly, should either of the candidates voted for at the caucus have secured a majority of its voter their followers would have undoubtedly insisted upon such candidates' undivided support.

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M'GRAW WILL TRY TWIRLERS IN TEXAS

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New York, Jan. 24.—The New York Nationals will have fourteen pitchers on hand when they line up for spring training at Marlin, Texas, in less than five weeks. Seven of the twirlers are veterans and seven new comers. Mathewson, Druce, and Crandall will be McGraw's mainstays for next season, but he is anxious to develop if possible at least one or two new pitchers who will keep the team's strength in this respect to the required notch. It is not certain whether Wilts, Ames, or Ray, might be counted on and a new star or two will be welcomed enthusiastically.

McGraw also has Marquard, the 31-year left-hander, on his staff and has not given up the task of trying to steady his young Hoosier.

The seven new pitchers are Rudolph of Toronto, Hendricks of Cleveland, Mich., Shonts of Dallas, Jenkins of Pekin, Ill., Tesreau of Shreveport, La., of Elmire and Rustenshagen, who pitched for the Cheyenne-Indians last year.

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National Skating Titles

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Many skaters of international reputation gathered here today to compete in the national outdoor skating championship, which are to be contested for three days on Saranac Lake, under the auspices of the International Skating Union. Canadians are prominent among the entrants. They include Fred Robson of Toronto, the Canadian champion, and R. L. Wheeler, A. Mason and Lot Roe, also of Toronto, and several fast men from Montreal. The American entrants include the present title holders of the west and the north-west and also of Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York and Wisconsin.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Jan. 24, 1911



Representative Terrell of Cherokee county is author of a bill introduced in the lower house of the Legislature having for its object the exemption from taxation for a period of fifteen years all new factories, on a vote of the people of the counties in which such factories are located. Were it not for the fact that such a law would work a hardship on factories already established in the state, it no doubt would be the cause of bringing to Texas many new enterprises. In its present shape it means that if a factory already established in Wichita Falls, for instance, which has already built up a trade that enables it to meet competition and earn a reasonable per cent on the capital invested, will be placed at a decided disadvantage by the starting of another factory for the manufacture of the same kind and character of goods in that the new concern could afford to sell its product at a lower price from the fact that it would be exempt from either municipal, county or state taxes. To offset this objection to the proposed law of Representative Terrell it may be said that unless the people of the county in which such factories are located prior to the passage of such a law, that it would make no difference.

as the people of that county would see very readily that by voting to exempt the new concern from taxation, they would be doing a manifest injustice to the concern that was already established, and which under the proposed new law, could not be exempt from taxation. Doubtless they could be depended upon to view the matter in that light and would not vote to exempt from taxation the new factory. It would then be up to the new factory to seek another location, which might be in an adjoining county which had no factories of any character, and the average person can see just how such a proposition would appeal to the people of a county which had no factories, but who are enterprising, and ever ready to offer every inducement possible to secure them. In such cases, the new factory which would not be required to pay taxes on its property for a period of fifteen years, might not be able to put its older competitor out of business during that time, but it stands to reason it would have considerable the advantage in the disposition of its product in the same territory covered by the older concern. If factories are to be exempt from taxation for any period of years, the proposed law should by all means read so as to apply to the factories that are already established as well as to those that are to come.

According to a report issued recently by Prof. W. B. Phillips of the Department of Economic Geology the state is badly hampered from the fact that its mineral resources remain undeveloped because the appropriations made for that purpose are entirely inadequate. This is a matter that the present session of the Legislature might deal with to the great advantage of the people, and it can do this without creating any row or political strife. Texas has more iron, more coal, more copper and more natural gas and oil than most any state in the Union.

Luke Lea, editor of the Nashville Tennessean, successor to the late Senator E. W. Carmack, who was shot down and killed on the streets of Nashville, has been elected to the United States Senate from that state. Mr. Lea is only about thirty-three years of age, and his election is regarded as a victory for the prohibitionists of that state and a death blow to Pattersonism.



MISS ROMA SNYDER, "Salome" Dan cer, at the Ruby Theatre This Week and Mr. GEO. W. MILLER, of SNYDER & MILLER, in Musical Sketch.

SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES FOR THE MEN

Trousers Are to Fit Closely and Shoes Will Have to Be Taken Off First.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 24.—The corset coat is the fashionable spring and summer garment for men this year. These trousers will fit their legs so snugly it will be necessary for them to remove their shoes in order to change their trousers. Already the shadow of death is passing over what the international custom cutters call the "foolish overexaggerated man." In his stead will come the "under-exaggerated man."

Men of football physique may not at first be recognized by their sweethearts and wives when they don the new "slim styles."

If one has ever seen a caricature of a dandy French Count, one possesses a rollicking good idea of just how the tailors expect to make men look this spring.

The edict for spring and summer fashions comes from parlor B of the Flaniers Hotel this year. All the United States and Canada must heed this verdict from St. Louis, for here are gathered the custom cutters of two Nations, with 174 garments that have been tailored "up to snuff."

The "Scotch flannel" and "pencil stripes in grays, browns and blues" will be the predominating figures and colors. Gray mixtures will lead in popularity, with rich browns a close second. Blues will be in fashion, but all other colors can be classed as belonging to those dressers who seek individuality in their garments.

The coats will be an inch shorter. Shoulders will be narrow, the chest full and the waist narrow, thus giving the effect of a corset. Sleeves also will be narrow. Coats will be single-breasted, boldly rounded at the bottom. The "cutaway" in many respects will resemble the frock coat now in style. Two buttons are de rigueur (but the custom cutters assert the majority of the American public will continue to insist upon three).

Masons Open New Temple, Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 24.—Leaders of the Masonic fraternity in Pennsylvania, including Right Worshipful Grand Master George W. Guthrie of Pittsburgh, took part today in the ceremonies and entertainment attending the formal opening of the magnificent new Masonic Temple in this city.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 24.—Final arrangements have been completed for the consecration here tomorrow of Rev. Theodore Payne Thurston as Episcopal bishop of Oklahoma. Bishop Tuttle of Missouri will act as consecrator and Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts will preach the sermon.

Oregon Hardware Dealers, Portland, Ore., Jan. 24.—The establishment of a rural parcels post service and other subjects of live importance are slated for discussion at the annual convention of the Oregon Retail Hardware and Implement Dealers' association, which began a three days' session in this city today. The convention is largely attended.

I love my "hot biscuit!" but oh, you "chicken pie!" 217-11c

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

Nearly all of the newly elected United States Senators are lawyers.

Chase S. Osborne the new governor of Michigan, was at one time a newspaper reporter in Milwaukee.

Governor Bass, thirty-seven, is the youngest man to whom New Hampshire ever confided the chief magistracy.

The total vote of the Socialists at the last election which was an off year showed a gain of 125,371 over the presidential year of 1908.

Former Mayor Tom Johnson at Cleveland has so greatly improved in health that he is likely to be a candidate for mayor of his city again next fall.

Carter H. Harrison who has had four terms as mayor of Chicago is working hard to secure the democratic nomination for the office again this spring.

Among the bills now before the Washington legislature and which is attracting much attention is one providing for the the commission form of government for the state.

Former Senator James B. McCreary and Congressman Ben Johnston are engaged in a spirited contest for the Democratic nomination for governor of Kentucky this year.

Representative William A. Jones, senior member of the Virginia delegation in Congress, has announced his candidacy for the senate to succeed Senator Martin, whose term will expire March 3, 1913.

The present Congress delegation from New York State consists of twenty-six republicans and eleven democrats. After March 4 the delegation will consist of twenty-three democrats and fourteen republicans.

George P. McLean, who has been chosen to succeed Morgan S. Bulkeley in the United States Senate, has been prominent in Republican politics in Connecticut for many years and served as governor of the state from 1901 to 1903.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

- 1746—Gustavus III. of Sweden born in Stockholm. Assassinated in Stockholm, 29th of March 1792.
- 1749—Charles James Fox, a noted English statesman, died in London, England, July 13, 1805.
- 1811—Henry Barnard, first U. S. Commissioner of Education, born in Hartford, Conn. Died there, July 5, 1890.
- 1828—Indiana College established.
- 1833—Joseph W. Drexel, philanthropist, born in Philadelphia. Died in New York City, March 26, 1888.
- 1861—Robert Letcher, fifteenth governor of Kentucky, died in Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 19, 1888.
- 1872—The first liberal Republican mass meeting was held in Jefferson City, Mo.
- 1901—Edward VII. proclaimed King of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India.
- 1903—Alaska boundary treaty signed by the United States and Great Britain.

MANY VOTERS HAVE NOT YET QUALIFIED

Between now and midnight next Tuesday between eight and nine hundred citizens of Wichita Falls must pay their poll tax receipts if they expect to vote in the elections during 1911.

Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon CITY Tax Collector Harvey Robertson reports he had issued 515 poll tax receipts which is about the same number issued on the same date last year. It is estimated that there are 1400 men in Wichita Falls who ought to pay poll tax so that if the full number qualifies there are busy times ahead in the tax collector's office.

Mr. Robertson announces that he will keep his office in the city hall open tonight and Thursday night for the convenience of those who cannot pay their taxes during the day. The collections Saturday, yesterday and today have been heavy.

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Loans and Discounts	\$185,436.91	Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts	294.50	Surplus	6,000.00
Bills of Exchange, etc.	1,824.94	Undivided profits	6,223.28
Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,397.90	Deposits:	
Furniture and Fixtures	4,013.75	Individual	\$211,338.32
Cash:		Demand Certificates	2,272.93
On hand in vault	\$26,256.00		214,394.40
Due from other banks	50,511.61	Due to other banks	431.50
	106,842.61	Cashier's Checks	71.65
Total	\$300,717.78	Total	\$300,717.78

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

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 2nd day of January A. D. nineteen hundred and eleven.
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J. R. IVATT, Notary Public, Wichita County, Texas.

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Directors.

December 31, 1907 \$ 61,415.76
December 31, 1908 112,203.83
December 31, 1909 158,615.51
DECEMBER 31, 1910 \$211 338 32

Lee Cruise, the new governor of Oklahoma, is forty-eight years old and a native of Kentucky. In 1891 he removed to Oklahoma and began the practice of law at Ardmore. Ten years later he abandoned the profession to engage in business as a banker.

Only two Democrats have represented the State of Pennsylvania in the United States senate since the civil war. They were Charles R. Buckalaw, who served from 1883 to 1889, and

William A. Wallace whose term expired in 1881.

Judge John D. Works, who has been chosen United States senator from California, is a native of Indiana and a veteran of the civil war. In 1883 he removed from Indiana to California and began the practice of law in San Diego. He served on the superior bench in San Diego county and later was elevated to the supreme court of California.

United States Senator Isaac Stephenson of Wisconsin, who has been charged with having obtained 112 seats in the senate corruptly, was sent to the senate in 1907 to fill out the unexpired term of John C. Spooner. Senator Stephenson was born in Canada in 1829 and has resided in Wisconsin since 1841. He long has been prominent in Wisconsin politics, having been a member of congress from 1883 to 1889.

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NEW ENDURANCE RECORD IS MADE

Philip O. Parmelee Remains in the Air for 3 Hours, 39 Minutes, 49 7/8 Seconds.
San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 23.—San Francisco's aviation meet produced a new American endurance record today when Philip O. Parmelee, pilot of a Wright biplane, remained aloft for 3 hours, 39 minutes and 49 7/8 seconds.

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INSIDE HISTORY.

Some Self-Explanatory Letters.
Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 7, 1911.
Dr. E. H. Pratt,
Suite 1302, 100 State St.,
Chicago, Ill.
My Dear Doctor:
Owing to some disagreements with magazine several years ago they have become quite vituperative and of late have publicly charged me with falsehoods in my statements that we have genuine nutritional letters.

Chicago, Aug. 31, 1906.
Mr. C. W. Post,
Battle Creek, Mich.
My dear Sir:
I write to express my personal appreciation of one of your business methods, that of accompanying each package of your Grape-Nuts production with that little booklet "The Road to Wellville."

Ontario Legislature Meets.
Toronto, Ont., Jan. 24.—The third session of the twelfth Legislature of Ontario met today and was opened with the customary ceremonies. Although the session is not likely to be prolonged for more than six or eight weeks, the indications are that many important measures will be brought up for consideration and action.

"THIS IS MY 49th BIRTHDAY,"
Edith Wharton.
Edith Wharton, the well known novelist, was born in New York City, Jan. 24, 1862, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Jones.

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A Hint to the Wise

"Hoquiam, Washington, January 8, 1911."
THE TIMES,
Wichita Falls, Texas.
"Please send me a sample copy of the Times. I am thinking of moving to Wichita Falls and would like to see the paper."
E. W. FOUNTAIN,
Hoquiam,
Washington.
Every mail brings The Times letters like the foregoing. We grant such requests very cheerfully as we realize that every request may bring a new citizen to Wichita Falls.

We venture the assertion that there are hundreds of citizens now living in Wichita Falls, who were brought to the city by reading The Times.
Requests for copies of the paper have come from nearly every State in the Union. The paper has even been mailed to Mexico, Panama, Canada, England, South Africa, France and numerous other countries.
We can't claim that every paper will bring a new citizen to Wichita Falls, but every man who requests a sample copy is already interested.
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Some Clever Short Stories

New to Him.
(From the Washington Post.)
The hobbie skirt was being discussed at the Colony Club in New York, and Miss Elizabeth Marbury, the famous dramatic agent, said, with a smile: "You'd think the hobbie skirt had penetrated everywhere, but listen."
"In Camden the other afternoon a young girl in a brown hobbie skirt hurried with short, quick steps, to a football game. Her skirt was tight enough in all conscience, but a narrow black band encircling it just below the knees drew it still tighter.
"As the young girl tripped out, Mickle street a coal heaver, aying down his shovel, ran after her.
"Say, miss," he said in a low confi-

dential tone, "yer belt's slipped down."
Classical.
(From the Philadelphia Record.)
While one thing essential to a cultured lawyer is a thorough knowledge of Latin, it is not necessary that he should parade his classical knowledge, for he might be "taken down a peg."
"As was the young lawyer who displayed his learning before an Arkansas jury, his opponent replied: "Gentlemen of the jury, the young lawyer who just addressed you has roamed with Romulus, canted with Cantharides, ripped with Euripides, socked with Socrates, but what does he know about the laws of Arkansas?"

His Opinion.
(From Harper's Weekly.)
"Do you believe there really is any such thing as platonic affection, Humpk?" queried Dobson.
"Well," said Humpk, scratching his head reflectively, "I believe that after five or six strenuous years of married life one can acquire it."
A Dubious Treat.
(From Success Magazine.)
In honor of the eventful day of graduation from a cooking school she got up a little spread.
"Yes, I've got the loveliest diploma," cried the fair graduate. "It's on sheepskin parchment, with a big gold seal. I cooked that dish you are eating. Now, just guess what it is."
"Is it—?" the young cynic passed impressively—"is it the diploma, Peggie?"

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Wichita.
C. C. YOUNG, Plaintiff, vs ANDREAS SCHMIDT,
in the District Court of Wichita County, Texas:

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court, on the 6th day of December A. D. 1910, in favor of the said C. C. Young and against the said Andreas Schmidt, number 4007 on the docket of said court, I, R. L. Randolph, Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 16th day of January A. D. 1911, at 11 a. m., lay upon the following described tracts and parcels of land, situated in the County of Wichita and State of Texas, and belonging to the said Andreas Schmidt, to-wit: Situated in the Counties of Archer and Wichita, and State of Texas, to-wit:

1st Tract. Two and one-half acres of land, a part of block 10, league 4 of the Denton County School Land and being all that part of said block 10, which lies south of the Wichita Falls and Seymour public road.
2nd Tract. 122.6 acres of land, being a part of block 19, league 4, of the Denton County School Land and being all that part of said block 19, which lies south of the Wichita Falls and Seymour public road.
3rd Tract. 160.3 acres of land, being all of block 21, league 4, of the Denton County School Land, and on the 7th day of February A. D. 1911, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., on said day at the Court House door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right title and interest of said Andreas Schmidt in and to said property. Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 16th day of January A. D. 1911.
R. L. RANDOLPH, Sheriff,
Wichita county, Texas.
212-31024-30-P6

HUNDRETH ANNIVERSARY OF NOTED EDUCATOR

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—In these days of amazing development in all branches of educational work it is not without interest to note the fact that today marks the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Henry Barnard, who was first United States Commissioner of Education and one of the pioneers in the development of the common school system in this country.
Barnard was born in Hartford and graduated from Yale in the class of 1830. Subsequently he studied law and was admitted to the bar, but soon abandoned the legal profession to devote his attention to educational work. He was elected to the Connecticut legislature in 1837 and as a member of that body originated and secured the passage of an act to provide for the better supervision of common schools and the establishment of normal academies and high schools. He was secretary of the board of school commissioners of Connecticut for several years and subsequently filled a similar position in Rhode Island.
After serving for two years as president of the State University of Wisconsin and a similar period as head of St. John's College, Mr. Barnard was appointed in 1870 to be the first United States Commissioner of Education. He remained in that office three years and laid the foundation for the valuable work which has been successfully carried on by his successors. Mr. Barnard continued to take an active interest in educational affairs until his death, which occurred at Hartford in his ninetieth year. The latter years of his life he devoted largely to his work as editor of the "American Journal of Education," the publication of which began as far back as 1855.

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10-lb. pall Lard Compound	1.00
10-lb. pall Cottole	1.35
Medium-palls Cottole	.50
10 lbs. P. & F. Cane Syrup	.50
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PERSONAL MENTION

Ralph Hines was here today from Iowa Park. O. J. Noncas of Dandee was in the city last night. W. T. Huff of Devo, Okla., is in the city visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hill are visiting relatives at Tulsa, Okla. P. H. Pennington left this morning for Lufkin on a business mission. Mrs. John Loyd of Estelino, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. Lyons. Hon. A. H. Carrigan has returned from Anson, where he has been attending court. S. P. Hawkins, of Burkburnett, was in the city today to pay his tax and transact other business. Eugene Thompson, a prominent traveling man of Dallas, was in the city yesterday afternoon. Mrs. D. E. Murphy arrived in the city this afternoon on a visit to her mother, Mrs. A. A. Bentley. A. B. Womack, one of Iowa Park's enterprising citizens, was here today looking after business matters. Mrs. C. McCormick and little daughter, of Plainview, are the guests of Mrs. R. L. Miller of this city. G. J. Moore, commercial agent for the Wichita Falls Route, is in Oklahoma on business for his company. S. J. King, traveling freight agent for the Washburn Route, is in the city last night on route to Oklahoma points. T. H. Howard, one of Wichita county's shrewd farmers, who resides near Burkburnett, was here today paying taxes. Miss Mina Rose, from Holliday, arrived in the city today and is the guest of Miss Emma Coker, 1109 Fifth street. Mrs. Lee Johnson of Waurika, Okla., who has been visiting relatives in this city, left for her home this morning, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. Measles. R. J. Harris, proprietor of the light and water plant at Frederic, Okla., was in the city today on his return from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas. Dr. J. D. Lewis and wife, from Dolos City, Idaho, passed through the city today en route to Archer county, at which place they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Ground. E. E. Huff, president of the Chamber of Commerce, is in Fort Worth today attending a meeting of the directors of the Texas Commercial Secretaries Association. Mr. Huff will go to Austin before returning home. Chas. Ewell, an employe of the M. & T. Railway, who recently sustained a fracture of one of his feet, left this morning for Sedalia, Mo., to enter the company's hospital at that place. Mrs. Ewell accompanied her husband, and will visit with relatives at Hannibal while he is in the hospital.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEVITIES

Ed Wilson desires to correct the statement appearing in yesterday's Times, in which he is given credit for having sold an extra fine Angora cat to a party in Washington, Pa., for the sum of \$30. Mr. Wilson says the item was all right, except that the cat business on his part is conducted by Mrs. Wilson and he does not desire to take from her credit due. In connection with this cat story, Mr. Wilson says that a Wichita Valley train which passes through his farm, on last Sunday ran over and killed one of their fine cats and that his wife has put in a claim for damage to the amount of \$50. The superintendent of the road thought that an unusual high price for a cat, but when told that Mrs. Wilson had sold during the last 60 days kittens that netted her the neat sum of \$81, he weakened somewhat, and immediately ordered a section crew to go out to the Wilson place and give the distinguished Thomas cat which came to grief a decent interment. Mr. H. T. Canfield was thrown from a street car last night at the corner of 16th and Broad streets, sustaining bruises on his head and a general shaking up. Mr. Canfield says the conductor opened the door on the left side of the car in order to allow him to get off on the side of the street on which his home is located, but that as the car made the turn at the corner, the lurch threw him from the steps to the ground, on his head and left shoulder. The conductor stopped the car and assisted Mr. Canfield to his home. Mr. Canfield is of the opinion that had the lighting light been burning over the crossing at that point, the accident might have been averted, and to avoid such accidents in the future is of the opinion that those whose duty it is to attend to the matter of turning off and on the lights at the street car crossings should be required by the company or the city authorities to give more attention to that duty in the future than has been in the past. J. D. Woods of Quannah, was a business visitor to the city yesterday and while here leased the room adjoining the telegraph office in the Kemp and Keel building, in which he will soon open a clocking store and tailoring business. Mr. Woods stated to a Times reporter that he considered Wichita Falls the best town in the west and was glad to be able to secure so desirable a location. D. W. Calloway, traveling freight agent for the Trinity and Brazos Valley line, is in the city. This is Mr. Calloway's last trip for the Trinity and Brazos Valley, as on February 1 he will become traveling agent for the Morgan steamship line. The Ladies' Guild extends a general invitation to a social to be held at the rectory, 301 1/2th street, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Committees are to be appointed and plans discussed tonight by the Elks for their anniversary meeting on Feb. 20th. It is planned to make the anniversary meeting one of the best in the history of the lodge. The Ladies' Guild extends a general invitation to a social to be held at the rectory, 301 1/2th street, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Moore, Ferguson & Bullock sold 10 Mrs. C. B. Sevion today the north half of lot 5 in block 176, which is located on Ohio avenue in the city hall block, for a cash consideration of \$3800. Hon. Alvin Ousley of Denton, is expected here tonight to assist in the prosecution of Evans and Harry Rembert, accused of the murder of Ed Hardwick. The Ladies' Guild extends a general invitation to a social to be held at the rectory, 301 1/2th street, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Fresh vegetables at the CORNER GROCERY. Gus Redwine, formerly foreman in an automobile factory at Auburn, Ind., has come to Wichita Falls to make his home. Fresh staples at the CORNER GROCERY. Mr. William Hutton who is very sick at his home, is resting quietly today. Fresh bread at the CORNER GROCERY.

COMMITTEE AGREES TO TARIFF BOARD

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 24.—A permanent tariff board of five members to investigate all questions for the benefit of Congress is provided in a bill unanimously agreed to by the Ways and Means Committee. The bill contains substantially the provisions of the Longworth-Dalzell bills.

A JURY SECURED IN KNIGHT CASE

Special to The Times. Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 24.—All twelve men were selected for a jury in District Judge Simmons court this morning for the trial of Ike S. Knight, charged with the murder of Ed C. Larson, April 11, 1908. This is the third trial. In the first trial Knight was convicted and given a death sentence, but the Court of Appeals ordered a new trial, in which he received a sentence of seventy-five years imprisonment. His attorney then obtained another trial from the Court of Appeals. The taking of evidence has already commenced.

SCHOOL BOYS WERE OVERCOME BY GAS

Special to The Times. San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 24.—Lester Carmichael, aged 23, of Beville and William Miller, aged 20, of Skidmore, attending school here, narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation this morning. They were found in bed over-come by gas and unconscious. In moving the bed last night they unknowingly broke a gas pipe.

Ketchell Murderers Sentenced. By Associated Press. Marshallfield, Mo., Jan. 24.—The slayers of Stanley Ketchell, the pugilist, Walter A. Duple and Goldie Smith, were found guilty of first degree murder and each was sentenced to life.

Motions For New Trial. Judge Felder in the county court this morning overruled a motion for a new trial in the case of M. P. Evans, convicted of assault. This afternoon Judge Edgar Seery presented a motion for a new trial in the case of Jesse Keys, convicted of bootlegging whiskey.

Drye Prepare for 1912. Chicago, Jan. 24.—Pursuant to call issued by Chairman Charles R. Jones the members of the National Committee of the Prohibition Party met in conference in Chicago today to discuss preliminary plans for the presidential campaign of 1912.

Derby Converses Wedding. Washington, Jan. 24.—A wedding of interest to society today was that of Miss Olga Convers, daughter of the late Rear Admiral George A. Convers and Mr. August Derby of Boston. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother.

Increase Rural Carriers' Pay. By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 24.—The House passed the postoffice appropriation bill increasing the pay of rural free delivery carriers \$100 a year.

SENATOR FLINT ON THE TARIFF ISSUE

Argues Against the Proposed Revision and Favors Protection. By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 24.—A vigorous revision of the tariff was attacked vigorously in the Senate today by Senator Flint of California, a member of the finance committee which helped frame the Payne-Aldrich law. He declared that fact that the results of the last election seemed to be a declaration in favor of local revision and he charged that the probable effect of such action was not understood by the people. "The local protectionists have been

discussing this matter in the several sections of the country," he said, "one contending for revision in one particular in one place and another for revision in another particular in some other place, each one laboring under the impression that he was fooling the rest of the country and only very certainly fooling himself."

Senator Flint based his speech upon the Cummins resolution which is designed to limit the power of amendment to schedules actually under consideration and to prevent the weighing of the interests of one section against another in what is commonly termed "log-rolling." The California senator contended that the very essence of the protective system is to frame a bill which would protect the industries of the entire country against the competition of the balance of the world. Through an alleged misunderstanding of the real situation, Senator Flint said the people of one community had been given to understand that they were to receive the benefits of a revision of the tariff on articles they consume or use in their manufacture and suffer none of the disadvantages, and that this sort of argument had gone on all over the country.

"Already they are beginning to awaken in the west to the fact that they are outnumbered in the east," said Mr. Flint. He quoted from a speech by Chairman Emery of the tariff board to show the intention of that body to have considered first the print paper schedule, then wool and third, farm products. In all fairness, said the senator, the schedules should be taken up in their natural order: First, chemicals, then earthenware, metals, wood, sugar, tobacco, farm products, etc.

But whatever the order of consideration, he argued that if there are material reductions in the schedules first taken up the duties must be maintained on others in order to produce sufficient revenue for the government. He said that he should do everything in his power to defeat any proposition that looks to a revision until a full report shall have been made by the tariff board on all the schedules. Unless the facts are known in regard to every schedule, he said, "the tariff would be a purely local matter, conceived in the interest of one locality and against another."

Using the effect of putting hides on the free list as an argument against the "cry for free raw materials," Senator Flint said that it had been argued in the special tariff session that free hides would mean cheaper shoes, but that as a matter of fact there had been no reduction in the cost of shoes. He said that the government had lost \$2,000,000 in revenues, the people had not benefited and that the whole advantage had been to the manufacturers. Senator Flint concluded with the statement that such a law as is now proposed would be "entirely in the interest of New England and the manufacturing states, and against the interests of the agricultural west."

Believes Lewis Has Lost. By Associated Press. Columbus, Jan. 24.—President Lewis of the United Mine Workers is believed to be crushing defeated in the fight against the delegates from Pennsylvania district No. 2.

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ARGYLE STATE BANK ENTERED LAST NIGHT

Special to The Times. Denton, Tex., Jan. 24.—The doors of the State Bank at Argyle, near here, were broken open last night by robbers, but they made no attempt to blow open the vault and it is presumed that they were frightened off before they could commence the work. They broke down the doors with tools stolen from the section house. The tracks of the men were found this morning when the bank was opened and a search was instituted.

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