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NEW YORK'S CAPITOL RUINED BY FLAMES

SMOKE AND WATER COMPLETE RUIN OF TWENTY-SEVEN MILLION DOLLAR STRUCTURE.

PRICELESS MANUSCRIPTS

And State Library Containing 600,000 Volumes Go Up in Smoke—Famous Staircase Falls.

By Associated Press. Albany, N. Y., March 29.—Fire swept, smoke stained and water drenched New York's magnificent twenty-seven million dollar capital, one of the handsomest and most costly buildings on the American continent at noon today stands almost a complete wreck and one of the greatest libraries in the world containing priceless manuscripts is completely destroyed.

The flames which started in the assembly library burned away the entire west wing and caused a damage estimated at no less than twelve million dollars. The fire which was finally brought under control after four hours' desperate fighting, broke out again at 10 o'clock this morning but at noon had again been brought under control.

Night Watchman Samuel Abbott is missing and is believed to have been burned to death.

It is believed the fire started from a fused electric push button. When the blaze was discovered it was merely a tiny blaze and might have been easily extinguished by a bucket of water or a single hand-fire extinguisher but none was at hand and by the time the fire engines arrived the entire assembly library was seething throughout, the inflammable papers burning with great fury.

The grand western stair case which cost more than a million dollars and was one of the most beautiful in the world, was destroyed. The State Library containing 600,000 volumes, among which were valuable geological records, revolutionary documents and early Dutch records, the most valuable in America were destroyed, the original of the Emancipation Proclamation, Washington's Farewell address and several other priceless manuscripts were carried from the building and saved. It is estimated that the damage in the library alone will exceed three million dollars.

Several firemen were knocked unconscious in the second outbreak of the fire but none were seriously hurt. The trouble with the electric push button, which caused the fire, was reported, possibly twelve hours before it caused the fire, but was not repaired. Governor Dix is having the entire capitol examined, fearing it is so badly damaged that all the parts are unsecure.

The legislature met in the city hall this morning and the militia was called out to help in the salvage. Governor Dix has taken personal charge of the salvage work.

The Story of the Fire. Albany, N. Y., March 29.—The fire is believed to have been caused by defective wiring in the reference library of the assembly in the northwest corner of the building. One of the orderlies says a defect was discovered yesterday, which was reported.

The flames, fed by inflammable records and documents of priceless value, spread rapidly and the library was a seething furnace when the firemen arrived.

The fire quickly destroyed all bills, documents and papers, some of them dating as far back as 1774. They are irreplaceable. The library also contained all the documents of the codes and judiciary committees of the present session.

The fire soon entered the document room which was quickly doomed. The flames ate up to the roof and swept over, illuminating the heavens and all parts of the city.

Five minutes later the fire leaped into the state library with a roar and

Package Containing \$50,000 and Express Messenger Are Missing

By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, March 29.—Fifty thousand dollars is missing from a Wells Fargo shipment. It was lost on the El Paso and Southwestern Railroad between Nogales and Maxatlan, Mexico. W. A. Hawkins, the messenger in charge of the money is missing.

SIGNING BALL PLAYERS.

Texas League Discards Finding Bertha in "Brush" Circuit. Galveston, Texas, March 29.—Manager John Stone of the Galveston baseball team returned last night from a visit to some of the state league towns and reports the signing of several good players who were released from the Texas state league. Mr. Stone stated that many of the best players who were now being wooed out were finding bertha in the Texas-Oklahoma class D league, and that the fans of these eight towns would see some splendid ball games this season. A list of the Galveston line-up will be made public soon.

Ballinger, Texas, March 29.—Local option will go into effect in Runnels county on April 7 according to the decision of the county commissioners court today.

EIGHT ALDERMANIC CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED

Petition for Candidacy of Tom Scott, President of Carpenters' Union Is Filed. The eighth candidate for the three places on the city council has filed his application for a place on the ticket for the election on April 4th. The petition filed is for the candidacy of Tom Scott, president of the local carpenters' union. Mr. Scott's petition was filed last night.

Times Want Ads bring results.

LIVED IN BARE ROOM HAD FORTUNE OF \$72,000

By Associated Press. New York, March 29.—A little old woman who lived in two bare and dingy East Side rooms, was found dead last night with bank notes of more than \$75,000 hemmed in her petticoat between two trunks. Two trunks, locked and strapped, which the bluecoats brought to light from the dusty depths of a spacious closet, are believed to contain other valuables. Her fortune is estimated at \$72,000 by the janitress of the building, who claims that the reclusive dweller died in her bed. The dead woman was Mrs. Augusta A. Freitag. For two years neighbors say no visitor has crossed her threshold. She has kept the two rooms for five years and until two years ago her husband lived with her. They separated and he went to no one knows where. A chair, a bed, a table and an old lamp all of the cheapest make, were the only articles of the room.

PEACE CONFERENCE AT SAN ANTONIO

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PAPER FAMINE IS THREATENED

By Associated Press. Franklin, N. H., March 29.—Paper-makers throughout the East are expecting considerable difficulty in grinding woodpulp because of the low water in the various rivers and lakes and unless the spring downpour comes within a short time they fear they will be unable to supply sufficient paper to the big consumers. Considerable paper machinery in Maine and New York is idle on account of low water.

Real Estate Transfers.

H. W. Williams, trustee to Dan Andrews, lot 7, block 103, Electra, \$50. W. K. Perry to B. P. Boyer, lot 1, block 22, J. Jalonick addition, \$525. W. L. Keys to C. L. Wolf, lots 9 and 10, block 22, Floral Heights, \$1200.

LOCAL PHYSICIANS ARE SUED FOR DAMAGES

G. E. Boyd, joined by his wife, has entered suit in the district court against Dr. J. R. Reed and Dr. A. A. Jones for damage in the sum of \$15,000.

BOOK COMPANY REFUSED A PERMIT

CANNOT DO BUSINESS IN TEXAS UNTIL IT COMPLIES WITH TAX AND TRUST LAWS.

RENDER LICENSE DECISION

Higher Courts Hold That Electricians May Be Required to Take Out License.

EXAMINING TRIAL OF YATES TODAY

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, March 29.—The examining trial of J. K. Yates, the Fort Worth patrolman, slayer of Claude Styers is on today. Yates testified he entered Styers' office and said "How do you do," and began shooting. The state will introduce postal cards to Styers bearing the initials of Yates' daughter. One of the cards represents a couple embraced.

EIGHTY THOUSAND PAID FOR ASSASSINATION

By Associated Press. Viterbo, Italy, March 29.—In the Comorra trial the state witness Albert Comorra testified that the Comorra was paid eighty thousand dollars for the murder of Giuseppe Cuocolo and the latter's wife who is known as the beautiful Sorrentina. The actual assassin got very little of this most of it going to the heads of the Comorra.

I. C. OPERATORS TAKE STRIKE VOTE

By Associated Press. Chicago, Ill., March 29.—A conference regarding the wage dispute between the telegraphers and the Illinois Central Railroad will be held in Chicago tomorrow. H. B. Parham of St. Louis and other officials of the O. R. T. will take part in the conference, which will be held with W. L. Park, general manager of the railroad.

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MODEL REFUSES TO POSE BEFORE NEGRO

Chicago, Ill., March 29.—No color line will be drawn in the classes at the Art Institute.

Newton H. Carpenter, secretary of the institute, yesterday said the refusal of a young woman model to pose while a negro student remained in the classroom was but a "frame up" planned and carried out by a disgruntled student.

"The question of color never has been discussed by the trustees of the institute," said Mr. Carpenter. "Negro students have always paid the same tuition as the whites and have received equal consideration with them."

"The young woman has posed frequently before classes in which there was a negro and never objected to his presence. We have not and do not intend to draw any color line."

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PERSONAL MENTION

S. R. Cappel and wife were in the city today from Burk Burnett.

Frank Kell has returned from a business trip over the Wichita Falls Route.

W. M. Woodrum, a prominent real-estate man from Seymour, is in the city on business.

Mrs. A. C. Bennett left this afternoon for a few days' visit with relatives at Bowie.

Mrs. R. L. Miller and children left today for Amarillo on a visit to Dr. Miller's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton from Petrolia were among the local visitors in the city today.

J. E. Parker, a prominent farmer from Dundee, was here today transacting business.

Miss Minnie Young left this afternoon for Bowie to visit her friend, Miss Jettie Donald.

J. R. Parkey, accompanied by his niece, Miss Rachael Parkey, from Mankins, are in the city.

Mr. Flint Murphy returned this afternoon from Seymour at which place she had been visiting relatives.

Misses Opal, Lloyd and Jessie Wright from Haskell were among the local visitors in the city today.

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

G. H. Winfrey and S. B. Houseberg, prominent citizens from Byers, were here today transacting business.

G. C. Patterson, who has been mixing his home in Houston, returned today and will again make this city his home.

Mrs. Steve Magee, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holder, left this afternoon for her home at Electra.

Mrs. J. H. Carden has returned to her home at Fort Smith, Ark., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Carden, 1313 Eighth street.

F. M. Tucker and Henry Binger, prosperous farmers who reside near Thornberry, were here today looking after business interests.

W. R. Hammond, the gentlemanly insurance manager for the Denvers, will leave tonight for a few days' vacation with friends at Haskell.

F. M. Myers, one of Wichita County's progressive citizens who resides near Iowa Park, was here today attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Russell left this afternoon for Weatherford in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mr. Russell's grandmother, Marion Potter, one of the old-time "cow punchers" who came to this city in 1851, was here today from his home near Iowa Park transacting business and renewing old acquaintances.

Geo. E. Englehart and family from Archer are in the city. They will leave tomorrow for Oklahoma City at which place they will visit relatives. From Oklahoma City they will continue their journey to Portland, Oregon, where they will reside.

Dr. Brown, Dentist, Room 306, Kemp & Kell Building. Phone 879.

LOCAL NEWS BREVETIES

E. C. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225-270-450

A complete line of Spauldings baseball goods at Miller's Drug store. 275-136

V. R. Stampfli sold yesterday to W. N. Bonner lots 7 and 8, block 53, in Floral Heights for a consideration of \$750.

Kell, Perkins & Co. sold to S. M. Kennedy today the new two-story residence on Austin Avenue, between 9th and 10th Streets, for a consideration of \$4,500.

A patented cotton chopper is being exhibited on the streets and is attracting quite a little attention especially among the farmers who are in the city.

Frank Kell, vice president and general manager of the Wichita Falls Route and R. J. Sullivan, superintendent have returned after an inspection trip over the Northwest.

Rev. R. R. Hamlin has been invited to deliver the Baccalaureate sermon by the class of 1911 of the Wichita Falls High Schools. Commencement will be held in the last week in April.

Miss Mattie Creed, a talented reader and musician will give an entertainment at the First M. E. Church, corner Seventh and Lamar tomorrow (Thursday) night at 8 o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 275-117

J. E. Dibrell has returned from Galveston, where he had gone with Mrs. Dibrell for her health. He reports that his wife was somewhat improved when he left and doing as well as could be expected.

We can make some nice farm loans at once at eight per cent interest. Call on us at once if you want to borrow some of this money. Fowler Brothers, room 212 Kemp and Kell building. 273-120

Alex Kahn has received some attractive new fixtures for his store in the way of clothing cases, hangers, etc., which, when installed, will add considerably to the appearance of the place and to their facilities for business.

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S. J. Higgs yesterday sold to Walter A. Reid the property located at 906 and 907 Scott streets opposite the old Frank Kell place, for a consideration of \$5,500. Mr. Higgs was here from Fort Worth yesterday for the purpose of closing up the deal, and to attend to other business interests.

James Weisich Robertson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Robertson, 709 Holliday street, died this morning aged 6 weeks. The funeral will be held this afternoon at three o'clock conducted by Rev. Father Dolge. Interment in Catholic cemetery.

In the suit of Charles P. Yeary vs. Sheriff R. L. Randolph, in which the plaintiff asked for \$4, the jury in the justice court yesterday afternoon returned a verdict for the plaintiff assessing his damages at \$10 and assessing the costs of the suit against the defendant.

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WICHITA DAILY TIMES

The extra session of Congress will convene on Tuesday, April 4th.

Wichita Falls failed to secure the firemen's convention but we will nevertheless entertain the State Retail Merchants' Association, the Christian Endeavor convention, the Methodist Assembly and the Northwest Texas Press Association, and that is not so bad for one year. We will look after the firemen at a later date and they will be sorry they did not come sooner.

The newspaper paragraphers are having a great deal to say about how the old tub of a battleship Texas was shot to pieces by the battleship New Hampshire, but "just to keep the record straight" it might be well to remember that before this was done Congress deemed it advisable not only to change the name of the grand old ship from "The Texas" to the "San Marcos," but before she was taken out to sea to be assassinated she was relieved of all her guns, and weapons of defense.

Good roads enhance property values. Wichita County, one of the most progressive in many respects of any county in Texas, is short on good roads. In fact, she has none to speak of and while other counties are voting good roads bonds in blocks of \$100,000 and upwards, this county, seemingly, is just beginning to feel the need of them, and by the time she realizes that no permanent good can come of the small amount of improvements now going on under the Commission's Court, the people may finally decide to cut the county up into road districts and vote bonds sufficient to put all the roads in first-class condition. It would be the most sensible.

The man of business who wants to succeed always hunts for a live town to invest his capital. This explains why so many are coming to Wichita Falls to embark in business or to make investments. The very latest and most enterprising prospect is another plant. This city is already provided with two splendid plants of that nature, and before the second one was installed there were those who predicted that there was not business sufficient for two, but since that time both the plants have been forced to increase their capacity to accommodate their fast growing trade, and there is every reason to believe that a third plant will find all the business that it can well take care of.

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PERSONAL MENTION

S. R. Cappel and wife were in the city today from Burk Burnett.

Frank Kell has returned from a business trip over the Wichita Falls Route.

W. M. Woodrum, a prominent real-estate man from Seymour, is in the city on business.

Mrs. A. C. Bennett left this afternoon for a few days' visit with relatives at Bowie.

Mrs. R. L. Miller and children left today for Amarillo on a visit to Dr. Miller's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton from Petrolia were among the local visitors in the city today.

J. E. Parker, a prominent farmer from Dundee, was here today transacting business.

Miss Minnie Young left this afternoon for Bowie to visit her friend, Miss Jettie Donald.

J. R. Parkey, accompanied by his niece, Miss Rachael Parkey, from Mankins, are in the city.

Mr. Flint Murphy returned this afternoon from Seymour at which place she had been visiting relatives.

Misses Opal, Lloyd and Jessie Wright from Haskell were among the local visitors in the city today.

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

G. H. Winfrey and S. B. Houseberg, prominent citizens from Byers, were here today transacting business.

G. C. Patterson, who has been mixing his home in Houston, returned today and will again make this city his home.

Mrs. Steve Magee, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holder, left this afternoon for her home at Electra.

Mrs. J. H. Carden has returned to her home at Fort Smith, Ark., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Carden, 1313 Eighth street.

F. M. Tucker and Henry Binger, prosperous farmers who reside near Thornberry, were here today looking after business interests.

W. R. Hammond, the gentlemanly insurance manager for the Denvers, will leave tonight for a few days' vacation with friends at Haskell.

F. M. Myers, one of Wichita County's progressive citizens who resides near Iowa Park, was here today attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Russell left this afternoon for Weatherford in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mr. Russell's grandmother, Marion Potter, one of the old-time "cow punchers" who came to this city in 1851, was here today from his home near Iowa Park transacting business and renewing old acquaintances.

Geo. E. Englehart and family from Archer are in the city. They will leave tomorrow for Oklahoma City at which place they will visit relatives. From Oklahoma City they will continue their journey to Portland, Oregon, where they will reside.

Dr. Brown, Dentist, Room 306, Kemp & Kell Building. Phone 879.

LOCAL NEWS BREVETIES

E. C. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225-270-450

A complete line of Spauldings baseball goods at Miller's Drug store. 275-136

V. R. Stampfli sold yesterday to W. N. Bonner lots 7 and 8, block 53, in Floral Heights for a consideration of \$750.

Kell, Perkins & Co. sold to S. M. Kennedy today the new two-story residence on Austin Avenue, between 9th and 10th Streets, for a consideration of \$4,500.

A patented cotton chopper is being exhibited on the streets and is attracting quite a little attention especially among the farmers who are in the city.

Frank Kell, vice president and general manager of the Wichita Falls Route and R. J. Sullivan, superintendent have returned after an inspection trip over the Northwest.

Rev. R. R. Hamlin has been invited to deliver the Baccalaureate sermon by the class of 1911 of the Wichita Falls High Schools. Commencement will be held in the last week in April.

Miss Mattie Creed, a talented reader and musician will give an entertainment at the First M. E. Church, corner Seventh and Lamar tomorrow (Thursday) night at 8 o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 275-117

J. E. Dibrell has returned from Galveston, where he had gone with Mrs. Dibrell for her health. He reports that his wife was somewhat improved when he left and doing as well as could be expected.

We can make some nice farm loans at once at eight per cent interest. Call on us at once if you want to borrow some of this money. Fowler Brothers, room 212 Kemp and Kell building. 273-120

Alex Kahn has received some attractive new fixtures for his store in the way of clothing cases, hangers, etc., which, when installed, will add considerably to the appearance of the place and to their facilities for business.

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S. J. Higgs yesterday sold to Walter A. Reid the property located at 906 and 907 Scott streets opposite the old Frank Kell place, for a consideration of \$5,500. Mr. Higgs was here from Fort Worth yesterday for the purpose of closing up the deal, and to attend to other business interests.

James Weisich Robertson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Robertson, 709 Holliday street, died this morning aged 6 weeks. The funeral will be held this afternoon at three o'clock conducted by Rev. Father Dolge. Interment in Catholic cemetery.

In the suit of Charles P. Yeary vs. Sheriff R. L. Randolph, in which the plaintiff asked for \$4, the jury in the justice court yesterday afternoon returned a verdict for the plaintiff assessing his damages at \$10 and assessing the costs of the suit against the defendant.

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The Times Contest--Nomination Blank

I HEREBY NOMINATE

MR. MRS. OR MISS

STREET NO.

TOWN OR CITY

AS A CANDIDATE IN THE TIMES CONTEST.

SIGNED

ADDRESS

TOWN

DATE

THIS NOMINATION COUNTS 1,000 VOTES—Only one nomination to be credited to each contestant. Under no circumstances will the nominator's name be divulged. For further information fill out the above Nomination Blank and forward to the Contest Manager of The Times, Wichita Falls, Texas.

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Capital \$100,000.00

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Marchman's Drug Store

Free Delivery to Any Part of City.

702 Indiana Ave. Phone 124

Start a Home of Your Own

If you are middle-aged in life you have paid rent enough to pay for a good home. Nothing is as worthless as a bunch of old rent receipts. If you are young avoid paying rent and become your own land-lord.

Start Now, To-Day!

Get in ahead of the boom that is coming. Simply count the number of new houses that have gone up in Wichita Falls in the last two years and ask yourself how quickly your savings will double in a Floral Heights lot. Wichita Falls is growing faster than any city in the great Southwest, and it can only grow in one direction and that direction will lead you to Floral Heights, which has a high location and is on the street car line leading to Lake Wichita, one fact alone that will in a short time build up Floral Heights.

Crop prospects were never better here than they are today. The new automobile factory will be built just beyond these lots. The boom is bound to come this fall. Get in on the ground floor and get a choice lot before it comes. The prices on these lots will run from \$85.00 to \$280.00, and the terms will be \$5.00 down and \$5.00 per month. No interest or taxes until paid for. Title guaranteed.

Remember That These Terms are the Easiest Ever Heard of

- That no interest whatever is charged.
- That the taxes are paid free.
- That when you are sick, no payments whatever are required.
- That no lot will be sold to negroes.
- That Floral Heights is the only way the city can grow.
- That the whole city will pass your door on the street car this summer.
- That Wichita Falls is the fastest growing town in the Southwest.
- That these lots will double in value while you are paying for them.
- That every lot is large and roomy and a fine homestead.
- That after the first payment the First National Bank receives all payments.
- That the title is perfect.
- That \$5.00 down and \$5.00 a month pays for a lot, and

Do Not Forget

That while you are only required to pay \$5.00 down and five dollars per month you can pay as many months in advance as you want. Every cent you pay goes on the lot.

See These Lots at Once

Marlow & Stone

Sole Agents

Corner Seventh and Indiana Avenue

Our Great Hobby is Millinery

and nothing pleases us as much as making our customers happy by selling them the GAGE HATS. The ZENITH of PERFECTION in HEADGEAR, and equaled by no other.

KIRSCH'S

803 INDIANA AVENUE

WANT ADS.

Placed under this head will bring satisfactory results. One Cent the Word for an insertion; Half Cent the Word each following insertion.

WANTED
WANTED—Stock to pasture. Phone 94, or see Eli Morgan. 268-10tp

WANTED—Position as dining room girl or cook, call 799 Scott avenue. 274-3tp

WANTED—Stock for pasture; \$1.00 per month; good water. Phone 55f. 272-4tc

WANTED—To rent part of office room; ground floor; fine location. 623 Eighth street. H. J. Bachman Co. 260-4tc

WANTED—Your fire and tornado insurance business; if too busy to call on us 223 Eighth street, phone 177 we will do the rest. H. J. Bachman Co., Real Estate, Fire Insurance. 260-4tc

WANTED—Your bargains on our list. J. S. Bridwell & Co. Phone 661. 272-4tc

WANTED—Sewing; special prices on first work. Mrs. S. E. Martin, 275-10tp 275-10tp

WANTED—Curtains to laundry at 50 and 50 cents per pair. Felix Lindsey, P. O. Box 72. 275-12tc

FOR RENT—ROOMS
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished light housekeeping room for gentleman and wife. Apply 1010 11th. 274-3tp

WANTED—At once to buy a 4 or 5 room house close in, must be worth the money. See J. E. Childers, 807 Indiana. Phone 777. 274-3tc

FOR RENT—Furnished front room for gentleman; good board across street. 1097 7th. 267-4tc

FOR RENT—Office space and desk room; ground floor; one of the best locations in city. 623 Eighth street. H. J. Bachman Co. 260-4tc

FOR RENT—Furnished room to young man; block and half from car line; \$5 per month. Address—L. M. Jones, Gen. Del. 269-9tc

FOR RENT—Furnished front room; all conveniences. 716 Scott. 254-4tc

FURNISHED—Rooms with board. 308 Lee street. Phone 301. 275-4tp

—FOR RENT—
FOR RENT—Five room house on 12th street. Apply 1300 Burnett. Phone 752. 273-4tc

FOR RENT—Three roomed frame house. Phone 566. 275-3tc

FOR RENT—4 room house north of river. R. H. Suter. 275-8tp

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE
FOR SALE—National Cash Register in first class condition. Call at Miller's Drug Store to see it and for price. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—National bicycle; good as new; will take \$15 cash if sold at once. Inquire at Times office. 273-9b

FOR SALE—A brand new Singer Sewing machine for \$45. It has never been operated or used in any way, and is of standard make, carrying with it all attachments. If you want this bargain, phone 167, or call at the Times office within the next two or three days. 246-4tc

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs; \$1.00 per setting of 15. Mrs. S. A. Evans, Wichita Falls, Texas. Route 1—Box 26. 277-6tp

FOR SALE—One No. 5 Oliver typewriter, Fields Furniture Co. 271-4tc

PIANO FOR SALE—A splendid sweet-toned instrument at a very low price. To responsible party will sell for small cash payment and balance on easy terms. H. W. Wood, 1110 Ninth St. Phone 235. 273-6tc

FOR SALE—Old crop Mebane and Rowden cotton seed for planting. New crop cane seed. Pure German millet seed, milo maize, Kaffir corn, hay, alfalfa, corn, oats, etc. J. G. Jones Grain Company. 361-4tc

FOR SALE—One fire-proof safe. Fields Furniture Co. 271-4tc

FOR SALE—Two house power washing House electric motor. Cheap. See A. S. Fonville, the jeweler. 275-4tc

FOR SALE—Pekin duck eggs; \$1.00 per dozen. J. L. Moore, the plumber, box 264. 273-3tp

FOR SALE—Practically new 2 burner Detroit gasoline stove with oven. Apply at 1304 12th street. 260-4tdh

FOR SALE—On account of leaving Wichita Falls temporarily I offer the following articles at a great sacrifice: One \$60.00 folding bed, \$25.00; two \$30.00 book cases, \$12.50 each; two gas heaters, \$6.00 each; one \$50.00 roll top desk, \$35.00; one Bush and Lane piano only been used 6 months worth \$450.00, will sell for \$250.00 cash; one runabout with \$25.00 set harness for \$30.00; one office table \$7.50; one nice mantel, \$4.00; one China closet \$25.00; one buffet, \$20.00; one late city directory, cost \$4.00 for \$2.00. If you are in the market for anything named above it will pay you to call and see what I have to offer. W. W. Jackson, residence phone 38; office phone 338. Office next to postoffice. 270-4tc

FOR SALE—Household goods; one chiffonier; one china closet; one water filter; one music cabinet; one book case; two small gas heating stoves; one washing machine; two big nickel plated lamps; some nice pictures; large assortment of dishes and cooking utensils. H. W. Wood, 1110 Ninth street. Phone 23. 274-5tc

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.
WANTED—If you have a bargain I will buy it. See J. E. Childers, 807 Indiana. Phone 777. 274-3tc

FOR SALE—Five room house; east front; close in. Leaving town. Will take team and wagon first payment; balance as rental. F. B. McCullough, 502 Burnett. 273-3tp

FOR SALE—4 room house just completed, lot 52 1-2x165; price \$1450, one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 692. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—4 room cottage, good terms. Mrs. Elizabeth Brown. Phone 608. 269-6tp

FOR SALE—Vacant lot on Burnett; close to car line; size 70x150; price \$1250.00; one-half cash. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 192. 268-4tc

FOR SALE—Several lots on 16th St. at \$475 each, one-third cash, balance to suit. Let us show you these lots. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 692. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—Good lot on 15th St., \$450. Terms: J. S. Bridwell & Co. Phone 661. 272-4tc

FOR SALE—Ten room house close in all modern; price \$4500, one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 692. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—Good new five room cottage, three blocks of High School; south front. A. B. Bargin. J. S. Bridwell & Co. Phone 661. 273-4tc

FOR SALE—140x150 foot corner with 8 room house close in on Scott. Price \$6000; one-third cash, balance terms. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 692. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—Two good lots, one a corner on 13th St. The best buy in Wichita Falls today. Let us show you. J. S. Bridwell & Co. Phone 661. 272-4tc

FOR SALE—My second hand store; small stock of new and second hand goods; stove and furniture repairs. Doing good business; good place for right party. Call on or address Fields Furniture Company, Wichita Falls, Texas. 272-4tc

FOR SALE—Two lots on 18th street, south front at \$375 each; one-half cash; these are bargains. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 692. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—Five room modern home lot 60x100 facing city park; price \$3425; \$500 cash, balance like rent, \$25 per month. Stehlik & Joehrendt. Phone 692. 274-4tc

FOR SALE—Or Exchange I have several nice four and five room houses well located. Also some nice vacant lots that I will exchange for any kind of city property if your price is right. Remember I will trade for anything. The Price is the thing. Phone 523. Mack Thomas, owner. 274-4tc

LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Wichita.
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, on the 27th day of January, 1911, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of said Court against the heirs of A. J. Willis, deceased, named below and costs of suit in cause No. 3888 in said court, styled Rebecca Willis, et al. versus Guy Willis, and placed in my hands for service, I, R. L. Randolph, an sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 27th day of January 1911, levy on certain real estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit:

All of lot number Thirteen (13) in Block seventy-five (75) in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas. And levied upon as property of said Rebecca Willis, Hy Willis, Jane Scott, J. W. Scott, Grace Dutton, Earl Dutton, Odell Dutton, Robert Dutton, Susan Johnson, R. I. Johnson, Grace Kelley, Pony Kelley, Fred Cross, Seth Maxfield, Andrew Willis, Jessaie Willis, Ethel Wofford, Ben Wofford plaintiffs; and of defendants Guy Willis, Texas Willis, Sherman Maxfield, Berlin Willis, Walter Maxfield, Lula Maxfield, Mattie Maxfield, defendants, and of all other parties—either plaintiffs or defendants who are parties to said suit being the heirs of A. J. Willis, deceased. And on Tuesday the 4th day of April, 1911 at the Court House door of Wichita County, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., I will sell said lot at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said heirs A. J. Willis, deceased, named above by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, one week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Times a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this 24th day of March 1911.

R. L. RANDOLPH, Sheriff,
Wichita County, Texas,
d3c-262-267-275.

Notice.
Henry Brooker has succeeded Starnes and Patterson as representative for the Startevant Vacuum Cleaner in Wichita Falls and Henrietta. His office is at 115 1-3 Seventh street, Wichita Falls. His phone number is 883. 272-6tp

The diamond side, ladies of the Maccabees will hold a market at the Palace Drug Store Saturday, April 1. 274-4tc

SNYDER SUB-DIVISION NOW ON THE MARKET

For a long while there has been and is yet a great demand for resident lots on Tenth street, the most popular resident street in the city and the extension of Tenth street on the west through a plot of about six acres of ground owned by Mr. T. B. Snyder will offer an opportunity for many to secure a resident lot on the most popular street in the city and in the most beautiful resident portion. This addition to the city is known as Snyder's sub-division of Block 12 in Bellevue addition, and lies between Denver avenue on the north and Van Buron street on the south.

There are 15 lots in the addition; the nine fronting east on Tenth being 50x146, and the nine fronting west being 50x150.

Mr. Snyder has placed these lots on the market at a price that will be sure to sell them within the next few days, and if you are interested and want one or two of them, he will be glad to show you the property and make known to you his prices and terms. 272-3tp

FINANCIAL.
MONEY TO LOAN on city and farm property, easy terms. F. W. Tibbets.

Stockholder's Meeting.
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls Building and Loan Association will be held at the office of the company in Wichita Falls on TUESDAY April 4th, 1911, at 10 a. m.; for the purpose of the transaction of such business as may properly come before them. Otto Stehlik, Sec. 273-6t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.
THE LARGE BARGAIN SALE is now going on. If you need anything, see or phone John F. Kiel. 256-26-2c

LOST.
LOST—Party who picked up ladies fur cape with brown satin lining on Iowa Park road west of town Friday evening at 6 o'clock please leave same at Times office. 274-3tp

LOST—On Lamar or Travis one ice saw. Finder please notify City Ice Delivery. Phone 259. 274-3tc

Falls to Thow Sweds.
By Associated Press.
New York, March 25.—George Hackenschmidt failed to throw three men in Jersey City last night within an hour, allowing twenty minutes to each. Stephen Disher, a German, and Felix Mohs, a Swiss heavyweight, were disposed of easily but Hjalmar Lundin, a Swede, held him off for twenty minutes and at one time had Hackenschmidt down on his hands and knees for a full minute.

H. C. McGLASSON Notary Public
Houses to rent in any part of city. Farms for sale. For anything in the real estate line, see me. Room 217, Kemp & Kell Building.

Ruby Theatre

G. T. SMITH, Manager.

ALL THIS WEEK

Present the biggest, best, most complete and expensive vaudeville show ever given in Wichita Falls. Something new every night.

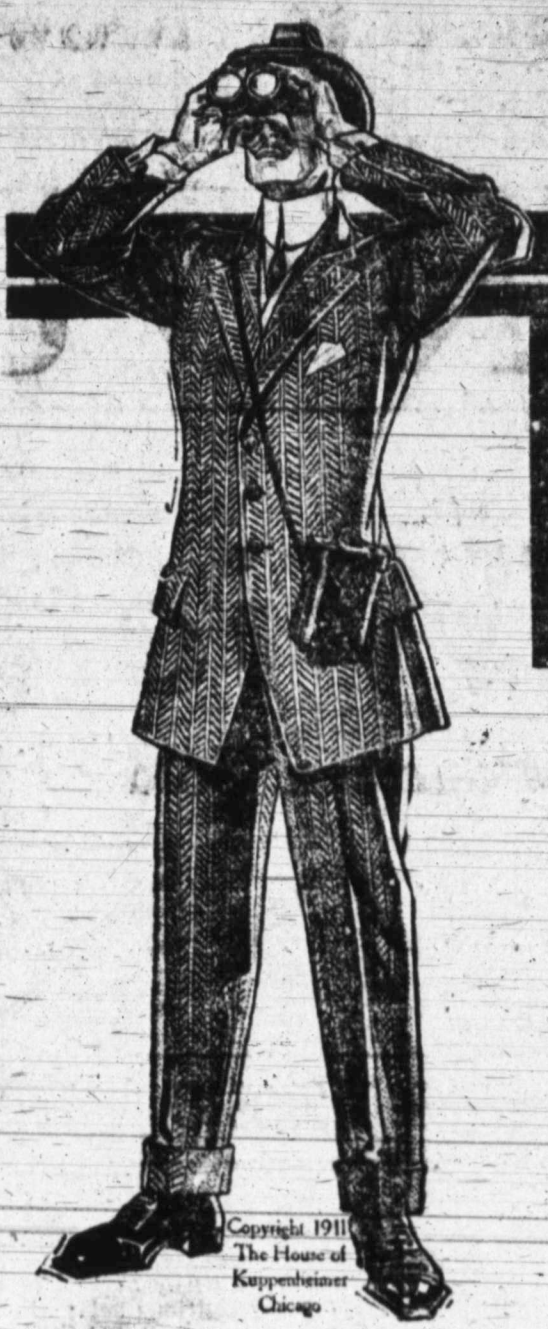
6 PEOPLE—GEORGE W. LEMLEY & CO.—6 PEOPLE
Six of the Highest Salaried Vaudeville Artists on the Stage.

GIBSON & NASH,
Comedy Character Artists.
George W. Lemley and Company featuring
"THE DEVIL AND THE GIRL"
A Comic Opera.
High class singing and dancing. Special electrical and mechanical effects.

MISS ROSE BENARD in "THE CHILD IDOL"
3,000 feet of the best motion pictures money can procure. No waits, not a dull moment or act in the show. Your patronage solicited. Money back if not satisfied.

ADMISSION 10c AND 20c

The Highest Salaried Tailors in the world make Kuppenheimer Clothes



THEY are the highest salaried because they produce the best results.

From the head designer of this famous house, down, the highest degree of proficiency is exacted—and the result is unquestionably the world's finest and best clothes.

It's because of the absolute perfection of these clothes for men and young men, that we carry such a very large stock of clothes made by

The House of Kuppenheimer

And for the same reason, you should wear them.

We are anxious to have you see them now in all their freshness—all the crisp, brand-new styles and fabrics in all the correct styles—both suits and overcoats.

Kuppenheimer Clothes are priced from \$18.00 to \$35.00.

Other makes \$15.00 and up.

Take the time to at least see this interesting display today.

PENNINGTON'S "The Big Busy Store"

The Pith of Style Is Individuality

If there is any particular feature, or features, which you want in your clothes, you can have them incorporated in *Kahn-Tailored-Clothes*. We won't argue you out of this, that and the other thing. The position we maintain is that you are getting your clothes made so that you may have them precisely the way you want them.

We guarantee you a perfect fit, dependable quality and delivery on time. When you place your order with us you get what you like, not what a salesman "wants you to take." Think this over.

Kahn-Tailored-Clothes.....
\$20 to \$45

Walsh & Clasbey

Clothiers

Indiana Woman Suffrage. Indiana Woman Suffrage Association, 215 1/2 Main Street, Indianapolis, Ind., March 25.—Women suffrage advocates were gathered here in force from all over the state today at the opening of the annual convention of the Indiana Woman Suffrage Association, at the Kell building. See Fowler Brothers for bonds for notary public, contract, fidelity, agencies and any kind of bonds that can be written. Room 212 Kemp and Kell building. 273-12c

\$1,020.00 IN GOLD PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE \$1,020.00

ANNOUNCEMENT

To The Readers of

The Wichita Daily Times

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3. Fourth District Prize \$5.00 in Gold Coin

OTHER PRIZES WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER

Contest Closes 11 p. m. Saturday April 29th 1911

Condition of the Contest

Any person, man or woman, married or single, girl or boy, is eligible, providing the conditions set forth are complied with: THE TIMES reserves the right to reject any nominations. Every candidate must be regularly nominated in writing on the blank printed in this paper or a similar blank furnished by THE TIMES.

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HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED.

The City of Wichita Falls and surrounding territory have been divided into three districts as follows:

One district in the City of Wichita Falls and two districts outside.

The Grand Capital Prize—\$500 in Gold—will be awarded to the contestant who secures the largest number of votes in the entire contest, irrespective of district.

The Second Grand Prize—\$250 in Gold—will be awarded to the contestant receiving the second largest number of votes in the entire contest, irrespective of district.

The three \$50 Gold Prizes will be awarded to the three contestants having the greatest number of votes, following the two Grand Prize winners. One in each district.

The contestants receiving the next largest number of votes in their respective districts, will each receive \$25.00 in Gold, one in each district.

The contestants receiving the next largest number of votes will receive \$10.00 in Gold; one in each district.

The contestants receiving the next largest number of votes will each receive \$5.00 in Gold; one in each district.

Any contestant winning one of the Two Grand Prizes cannot win any of the district prizes.

The fact that there are four prizes for each district besides the two other prizes, makes it a certainty that there will be at least four winners in each district, and should one of the Capital Prizes be won by you or any other candidate in your district, there will be five or more prizes awarded in your district.

OTHER PRIZES WILL BE ANNOUNCED FROM TIME TO TIME.

HOW TO SECURE SPECIAL VOTES.

Votes are secured in this contest by paying subscriptions to THE DAILY TIMES in advance for three months or longer; the WEEKLY TIMES for one year or longer, and buying classified advertising books. Contestants are not restricted to getting subscriptions or votes in their own district BUT MAY SECURE SUBSCRIPTIONS IN ANY PART OF THE UNITED STATES, and if cash accompanies the order special votes will be issued.

Contestants in one district are not competing with contestants in other districts except for the Capital Prizes. The division of districts so equalizes competition that every contestant has an equal chance to win the prize of his or her choice.

Besides the votes allowed on prepaid subscriptions, a coupon will be published in THE DAILY TIMES every day during the first two periods of the contest, good for the number of votes printed thereon. These coupons must be neatly trimmed around the border, properly filled out, and brought or mailed to the Contest Department of THE DAILY TIMES before the expiration date printed thereon.

BALLOTS CANNOT BE BOUGHT. THEY CAN ONLY BE OBTAINED BY SUBSCRIBING AND PREPAYING A SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TIMES, BY PURCHASING A CLASSIFIED BOOK OR BY CUTTING THEM FROM THE PAPER.

All paid-in-advance subscriptions, must be sent direct to the Contest Department of THE TIMES, and on receipt of remittance special ballots will be issued.

Special ballots are provided to carry with them additional voting value, according to the amount paid by a subscriber, and the length of the subscription.

No contestant will be permitted to vote—or have voted—more than ten thousand of the special votes at any one counting during the first two periods of the contest.

THE TIMES ALWAYS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MAKE CORRECTIONS IN SCORES WHEN A MISTAKE HAS BEEN MADE. If too many votes have been credited they can be deducted either from the printed score or special vote slips.

Each published score is accepted as final by all contestants unless objection is made within one week from date of publication.

No protest as to the eligibility of any candidate will be considered if votes have been cast for said candidate for a period of ten days.

THE TIMES reserves the right to alter any conditions pertaining to this contest if so desired other than reducing the prizes that are to be given away, and the order in which they will be won.

The contest will be open Thursday morning at 9 a. m., March 16th, and will close at 11 o'clock p. m. Saturday, April 29th, 1911.

In case of a tie for any of the prizes offered by THE TIMES, the prize will be equally divided.

Contestants that live in one district are not prevented from securing subscriptions or votes in any other districts as votes will be allowed on any prepaid subscription secured anywhere in the United States. If an order for a subscription or classified book is sent with the money, votes will be issued in favor of any contestant that the writer may designate and returned to the subscriber or mailed to the contestant if so desired.

To secure the special vote ballots, all money must be sent direct to THE TIMES Contest Department by the contestants or their friends, as votes will only be issued at THE TIMES office.

Any person wishing to withdraw from the contest must write us personally, as no telephone message will be considered.

In accepting nominations all candidates must accept and agree to abide by the above conditions.

The Times Contest Nomination Blank

I HEREBY NOMINATE MR. MRS. OR MISS STREET NO. TOWN OR CITY AS A CANDIDATE IN THE TIMES CONTEST. SIGNED ADDRESS TOWN DATE

THIS NOMINATION COUNTS 1,000 VOTES—Only one nomination to be credited to each contestant. Under no circumstances will the nominator's name be divulged.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

DISTRICT NO. 1 Includes all the territory within the city limits of Wichita Falls.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

DISTRICT NO. 2 Includes all territory available in Oklahoma and Collingsworth County in Texas.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

DISTRICT NO. 3 Includes all territory in Texas and elsewhere not embraced in either of the foregoing districts.

DECLINING VOTE SCALE.

Votes will be allowed on all business as follows, during the three voting periods:

FIRST PERIOD.—From March 16th to April 8th.

Table with columns: BY CARRIER OR MAIL, Price, No Votes. Rows include 3 Months' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (\$1.25, 1,000), 6 Months' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (2.50, 1,750), 1 Year's Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (5.00, 3,000), 2 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (10.00, 15,000), 3 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (15.00, 30,000), 5 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (25.00, 60,000), 1 Year's Subscription—Wichita Weekly Times (1.00, 400), 5 Years' Subscription—Wichita Weekly Times (5.00, 2,000).

SECOND PERIOD.—From April 16th to April 19th.

Table with columns: BY CARRIER OR MAIL, Price, No Votes. Rows include 3 Months' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (\$1.25, 700), 6 Months' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (2.50, 1,250), 1 Year's Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (5.00, 2,000), 2 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (10.00, 10,000), 3 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (15.00, 30,000), 5 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (25.00, 60,000), 1 Year's Subscription—Wichita Weekly Times (1.00, 400), 5 Years' Subscription—Wichita Weekly Times (5.00, 2,000).

THIRD PERIOD.—From April 20th to April 29th.

Table with columns: BY CARRIER OR MAIL, Price, No Votes. Rows include 3 Months' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (\$1.25, 400), 6 Months' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (2.50, 1,000), 1 Year's Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (5.00, 2,000), 2 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (10.00, 5,000), 3 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (15.00, 10,000), 5 Years' Subscription—Wichita Daily Times (25.00, 30,000), 1 Year's Subscription—Wichita Weekly Times (1.00, 200), 5 Years' Subscription—Wichita Weekly Times (5.00, 1,000).

VOTES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON ANY SUBSCRIPTIONS TAKEN FOR A LESS TIME THAN THREE MONTHS TO THE DAILY TIMES OR ONE YEAR TO THE WEEKLY TIMES.

For Particulars Call

The Contest Department of THE WICHITA DAILY TIMES

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