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PRESIDENT DEFENDS ANTI-TRUST LAWS

INVITES CRITICS OF SUPREME COURT DECISION IN STANDARD OIL CASE TO PARTICIPATE.

HE NAMES MR. BRYAN

Asks What Nebraskan Would Condemn That is Not Condemned By "Reasonable Restraint."

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 18.—In his address before the Detroit Chamber of Commerce here this afternoon President Taft took to task the critics of the Supreme Court in its decision in the Standard Oil and Tobacco cases.

He also declared himself as strongly opposed to any amendment of the anti-trust laws.

His address in full follows: My Fellow Citizens: I propose to take up the question which has occupied the attention of the American people for now 29 years, that of industrial combinations known as "Trusts." During the last year we have had two great decisions by the Supreme Court of the United States. They are epoch making, and the public has not yet come to realize the effect that those decisions are certain to have. It is not that the construction of the law is different from that which the members of the profession, and most subordinate courts, and indeed the Supreme Court itself, had before indicated as the proper construction of the statute; but it is that it is now finally settled, by two fully considered decisions in respect to two of the largest and most powerful of these combinations, what their illegality consists in, and how they are to be treated, in view of the finding that they are illegal and do violate the provisions of the so-called anti-trust or Sherman Act.

Persons who do not understand the effect of these decisions and really do not understand the law have a great deal to say which is intended to lead the public to the belief that in some way or other the Supreme Court has emasculated the statute and prevented its operation against objectionable and injurious trade combinations and conspiracies. Nothing is further from the truth.

When the statute was passed in 1890 the expressions used in it to define its object and what it was proposed therein to denounce as unlawful were not new, but they were sufficiently broad and indefinite to require judicial construction to settle their meaning. Congress was dealing with a subject matter in respect to which it may be assumed that the legislators themselves were not clear as to the exact limitations of the meaning of the words in the statute they were passing. They knew there was an evil which they hoped to restrain by the enactment of this law, and they relied upon the courts in their construction of the law to hedge about its operation such restriction as would prevent the statute from being so wide in its application as to involve absurdity and the impracticable. The early decisions under the law can not be said to have been fortunate. The decision in what was known as the Sugar Trust case—The Knight case—was really a retrograde step and one which seemed to limit much the operation of the statute. It encouraged the organization of combinations which the same court has since found violate the statute. The case could not be effectively presented to the court because the record had not been properly made up, and the questions arising were treated in the opinion in such a way as to give the impression that the operation of the law would be most restricted, because of the limits of Federal jurisdiction. Indeed, some law officers of the Government did not hesitate to say that under this decision there was little hope of reaching the evil aimed at through Federal action. It has required 20 years of litigation to make the statute clear. But now it is clear.

"I shall not attempt to give it a close, lawyer-like interpretation, but I think it is not departing from the declaration of the court to say that they find any contract in restraint of trade, made for the purpose of excluding competition, controlling prices or of maintaining a monopoly, in part or in whole, is contrary to the statute and is subject to injunction and indictment under this statute in the Federal courts where it affects interstate trade.

"Now, I would like to ask Mr. Bryan or any of the other publicists and jurists who have been denouncing this opinion as the surrender of the rights of the people and a usurpation of judicial power to tell the public what particular contract or restraint of interstate trade he would condemn which would not be condemned with this definition of the court. The difficulty with the literal construction of the statute is that it would denounce a great many minor or incidental restraints of trade, which made the statute ridiculous and weakened its effect and lent support to the criticisms and contemptuous treatment of the statute by those who were opposed to its passage and enforcement.

For instance, take the instance cited by a Federal circuit judge in which he said that under the literal construction of the statute which must be enforced, if there were two persons doing a wagon express business across a State line and they united in a partnership, the union in the partnership would be a restraint of interstate trade in violation of the statute. Such a result is really a reductio ad absurdum and no one who was in favor of making the statute effective for the purposes for which it was passed, and had any intelligent appreciation of what the statute was intended to accomplish and what it meant, would intend for such a construction. It is true that in one of the decisions of the Supreme Court there was a statement made that the term "reasonable" could not be introduced into the statute because Congress had not put it there, but the very same court, and by the very same judge, when a case arose presenting a restraint of trade that must be condemned as unlawful if a literal meaning were to be given to the statute, said in so many words that it must be reasonably construed, and that it must not be held to include contracts that were merely incidental restraints of trade and were not made for that purpose. In one of these cases a man owned some steamboats that did an interstate business on the Ohio River. He wished to sell out. He did sell out, and in the sale of the steamboats he wished to sell the good will of the line which he had been running. Accordingly he stipulated that he would not himself engage in that business between those same points for a certain number of years. This was interstate business and his contract was in restraint of trade, but the Supreme Court held that it was a mere incidental restraint, i. e., incidental to the sale of the good will, and so was not within the statute. This would have been the same as common law, where from time immemorial such a restraint as this has been held to be reasonable because limited to the necessity of preserving the good will which the vendor was selling, and which but for such an agreement would be worth nothing. In other words, the Supreme Court in this case gave a reasonable construction to the statute and eliminated from its operation those harmless useful incidental restraints growing out of lawful contracts which are made for an entirely different purpose from that of controlling prices or maintaining a monopoly by suppressing competition and which have always been recognized as properly enforceable by courts of both law and equity. I repeat again that in spite of all the denunciations that we have heard of the decisions of the Supreme Court in the Standard Oil and the Tobacco cases, there is not one who has criticized them that can formulate a contract in restraint of trade that ought to come within the statute that does not come within it under the decision of the Supreme Court.

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REFINERY MAN NOW IN CITY

KANOTEX COMPANY OF CANEY, KANSAS, MAY ESTABLISH PLANT HERE.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Will Enter into Negotiations With Independent Concern for Removal of Refinery.

T. T. Blakley, representing the Kanotex Refining Company, with headquarters at Chanute, Kansas, is in the city to negotiate with the Chamber of Commerce for the establishment of a refinery at this point.

The basis of the negotiations have not been made public, but it is understood the company will ask for a suitable site and probably other considerations.

Mr. Blakley will probably appear before the directors of the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow morning.

It is understood the company plans to move a refinery from another place to this city in event a satisfactory deal is made. The plant which now has a capacity of about 600 barrels daily will be doubled in size.

The Kanotex Company is an independent concern which operates refineries at several places and is distributing stations throughout the Southwest. They manufacture all products from petroleum. They operate principally in Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

RACER EXCEEDED THE SPEED LIMIT

Tom Madden, driver of the National racer, which has been attracting attention on the streets for the last several days, was fined five dollars in the city court this morning on a charge of violating the speed laws. Madden pleaded guilty to the charge and explained to the court that it was difficult to hold his car within the twenty mile limit. He was warned that the court could not recognize as an excuse anything in the construction of the car that would prevent it from being run as all other cars are run.

The racer is on its way from Oklahoma City to Amarillo and from that place will go to Phoenix, Arizona.

This car is one of the fastest racers in the country and in the races at Savannah last year its driver was killed.

International Good Roads Congress Chicago, Ill., Sept. 18.—What bids fair to be the most notable gathering ever assembled to advance the cause of improved highways was ushered in here today with the arrival of delegations from many parts of the United States and Canada for the fourth International Good Roads Congress. The sessions of the congress will continue through the remainder of the month. The program will include addresses by many of the most notable good roads experts of America.

Waco Has Tallest Skyscraper. Waco, Texas, Sept. 18.—The office building recently completed in this city by the Amicable Life Insurance Company was formally dedicated and opened today. The structure is twenty-two stories high and is said to be the tallest office building in the Southwest.

NORTHWESTERN BUYS 300,000 CROSS TIES

The Wichita Falls and Northwestern today closed an order with the Western Tie and Timber Co. of St. Louis for 300,000 ties to be used in the construction of extensions of that road now building.

Driver Injured. Waco, Texas, Sept. 18.—A. L. Mooney, of Vaughan, was injured when his horse ran off a precipice yesterday into a stream killing one of the animals. Mooney will recover.

COLQUITT IN PULPIT GOLDEN RULE IS TEXT

Governor Preaches to Jewish Congregation When New Rabbi is Inducted.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 18.—When Governor Colquitt, in the course of the statewide prohibition campaign, got up at Woodruff park one night last summer and declared that he could preach a better sermon than the majority of the pulpits who were detracting him, a lot of folks out on the edges of the big crowd smiled. Well, the governor tried his hand last night, and if there was any auditor who heard him and who was willing to gainsay the statement that he made good his declaration, the fact was not apparent in a hasty survey of the congregation. It was the governor's first sermon, by his own word, and no matter how many he may preach or how often, it is doubtful if he will ever deliver a better. The golden rule was the text chosen by the state's chief executive and a correlative work of the head, heart and hand, the tenor of his remarks. Incidentally, the governor mentioned the fact that he had been preaching much the same sermon, although veiled in the form of a political speech, for many months all over the state. Altogether, he said he had delivered it 341 times in Texas alone.

The occasion of the governor's sermon was the induction of Rabbi David Rosenbaum, late of Amsterdam New York, into the leadership of the local congregation Beth Israel. Two visiting rabbis, Dr. George Fox of Fort Worth and Dr. Harvey Cohen of Galveston, conducted the induction ceremonies and at the same time extended eloquent congratulations to the rabbi and his congregation. Visiting Jews from Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio, Galveston and many of the smaller towns of this section of the state were present.

During the daylight hours yesterday and lasting into the night there were informal conferences at the Oriental between on Jacob F. Wolters of Houston, who was chairman of the anti organization, and various friends. Mr. Wolters came up from Houston to "discuss the situation," the "situation" being whether or not he would be a candidate for the United States Senate. Mr. Wolters himself wasn't talking for publication last night, but Senator Quintus U. Watson, one of his closest friends, who has been here several days "sizing up the situation," and who was with Mr. Wolters most of the day yesterday, made the observation:

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Among the out of town people here to see Mr. Wolters were Hon. Sheb Williams of Paris, State Democratic chairman; Railroad Commissioner J. L. Wortham, Hon. Gus Shaw, Anzil Carruthers of Ellis county, Deputy Sheriff E. J. Weber of La Grange, City Marshal Will Loessin of La Grange and others. Mr. Wolters returned to Houston on a late train last night.

Asked about the developments of the day, Mr. Williams said he and John L. Wortham had "gone in the cotton picking business" and had developed the greatest cotton picking machine in the country.

"Haven't you developed a United States Senator, too?" he was asked.

Mr. Williams turned to Theodore H. Price, who stood near by. "Don't you think a man who invents such a machine ought to be a United States Senator?" he asked in reply.

Congressman Dies at Breakfast Table. By Associated Press. Dodge City, Kan., Sept. 18.—Edmond H. Madison, representative in Congress from the seventh Kansas district, died at the breakfast table today.

15-CENT COTTON FIGHT ENDORSED BY KONE

STOLYPIN FEELS DEATH STEALING UPON HIM

By Associated Press. Kiev, Russia, Sept. 18.—Death today hovers over Premier Stolypin. His pulse this forenoon was 104, while his temperature was strangely and alarmingly below normal. Several times the premier has exclaimed "I feel death stealing upon me."

JAKE WOLTERS MAY RUN FOR SENATE

Would Be Candidate As a Democrat and Not As An Anti—His Friends Hold Conference.

(Dallas News)

In the wee small hours of Sunday morning, commencing about 1 o'clock and lasting until 3 a. m., there was a conference of some of the leaders among the prohibition politicians here for the Saturday convention. Among those in attendance were Hon. Thos. H. Ball, former Governor Thos. M. Campbell, Hon. Cone Johnson, Attorney General Lightfoot, Senator Earl B. Mayfield, Hon. D. E. Garrett of Houston and perhaps others. They conferred at a downtown hotel, presumably seeking to adjust differences with regard to possible candidacies.

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TEXAS AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER OFFICIALLY URGES FARMERS TO HOLD COTTON.

HAS ISSUED STATEMENT

Bankers and Business Men Urged to Aid Farmers in Their Great Fight.

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Sept. 18.—Ed R. Kone, commissioner of agriculture today issued a statement urging Texas farmers to hold their cotton as long as possible in an effort to get 15 cents. Bankers and business men are urged to aid the farmers in the cotton campaign. Commissioner Kone and President Radford, of the Farmers' Union agreed to hold meetings as recommended at the cotton growers' congress in Montgomery, Ala.

Grandfather Clause Hearing.

Enid, Okla., Sept. 18.—The so-called "grandfather clause" cases were called for hearing today before Judge Cotter in the Federal court. The defendants are Jack Beall and Jack Gwinn of Kingfisher county, who are under Federal indictment for refusing negroes the right to vote for congressman at the last election by enforcing the grandfather clause provision of the State Constitution against them.

Independence Day in Chill.

Santiago, Chile, Sept. 18.—The ninety-ninth anniversary of the declaration of Chilean Independence was celebrated with elaborate festivities throughout the republic today.

COTTON MARKET FORECAST.

Chief Concern This Week With October Reports, Unless Morocco Situation Grows Important.

New Orleans, Sept. 18.—The cotton market this week is going to be concerned chiefly with the October Government reports on condition and ginning, that is, unless the foreign political situation should suddenly grow in importance. As the new crop now stands or is generally reported, the report on ginning will be bearish, while the report on condition is generally expected to be bullish. The report on ginning will take the crop down to next Sunday, while the report on condition will carry it to Monday. Both reports will be issued on October 20. This week there will be several forecasts of British reports from private sources and they will help mold opinion.

The Moroccan situation will, unless it is settled early in the week, continue to be the chief hope of the bear side. As a rule the final settlement of such matters is generally preceded by a large crop of rumors which often have more than their legitimate effect on the market. The market is apt to be more or less nervous until something definite is announced. The spot situation will attract a good deal of attention, for it will be late enough in the month for the trade to form an opinion of the extent of the commitments for the last half of the month. If they prove to be as large as it is claimed they are in some quarters, the advantage will be the long side. Any strength derived from the covering of September shorts will be only temporary until it can be shown that the demand has extended into October and the later months.

Couhulla Election Peaceable.

Eagle Pass, Texas, Sept. 18.—The election in the State of Couhulla passed quietly Saturday with no disorder. Senator Carranza is believed to have been elected governor. A Maderista legislature seems certain.

Wealthy Oklahoma Farmer Dead.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 18.—John Hynek, a wealthy farmer walked to the home of James Jirons near Peery yesterday, and an hour later was found dead with his throat cut. Mrs. Jirons says she heard a snuffing noise and found her brother dead.

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Justification By Faith

Sermon Delivered at First M. E. Church South By Rev. O. T. Cooper

Rev. O. T. Cooper, pastor of the First M. E. Church, South has been preaching once each month a sermon on the fundamental doctrines of personal religion as viewed by those of the Methodist faith. He has sought as far as possible, to steer clear of technical and theological terms, and to present these time honored experiences of the Christian in language clear, and yet remain sound and true to the scriptural context, both in letter and spirit. Yesterday morning he preached on "Justification by Faith."

During October it is his purpose to discuss the doctrine denominated in theological nomenclature as "The Witness of the Spirit."

Rev. Mr. Cooper in his sermon yesterday morning followed the general outline given below. In part he spoke as follows:

"My subject this morning is an old standard, truth, viz. 'Justification by Faith.'"

The Text.

"Therefore, being justified by faith, let us have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ; through whom also we have had access by faith into this grace wherein we stand; and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God."—Romans 5:12.

"Twice born men," is a term now often in use. It is a most significant expression. In it we may read two states of the soul. The one state wherein the heart is divided; consciously wrong, inferior and unhappy. Sometimes we sing "Now rest my long divided heart." This is but the description of the unforgiven sinner in the life. Misery, unhappiness and constant unrest are the experience. The other state of the soul is exactly the converse. The heart is united, consciously right, superior and happy. Grace abounds wherein it had formerly full sway. The life has been transformed—there has been created a new creature in Christ Jesus. Old things are left behind. A new love, a new hope and a new joy flood the soul.

"But how has this marvelous transformation been brought about? The man is apparently the same man, and yet we know he is an entirely different man. There has been a period of transition. But how was it accomplished? What are the consequences which inevitably follow? The text seems to me to answer the questions. In the text I see two great thoughts, viz. The act by which justification is secured: 'The State of the soul when justification has been accomplished. It is to the investigation of these two distinct ideas that attention shall be given in this discourse on Justification by Faith.'

The Act.

"God is the Creator. With Him is all power. With Him all things have had their existence. Without Him no good thing can be. In a transformation like that above described, He must be the Supreme Acting Agent. It is work requiring superhuman power. Nothing less than Divinity Himself could bring about so marvelous a work. But there is also a human agent. God is the Justifier, but man is the one justified. By what means is the state wrought?"

Faith—The Means.

"The text is explicit. Therefore being 'Justified by Faith' is the reading. Then not by works. Works have its place in the Christian career. But that place is not here. Now to him that worketh, the reward is not reckoned as of grace, but as of debt. But to him that worketh not, but believeth on him that justifieth the ungodly, his faith is reckoned for righteousness."

"It is a belief in God. 'He that cometh to me must believe that I am and that I am the rewarder of them that diligently seek me.'"

"There must be faith. Without faith it is impossible to please God. He that believeth not is condemned already. 'Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved.' No promise to those who have not strong faith."

"It is absolute trust and confidence in God, that through the atoning merits of Jesus, deliverance and grace will come to the one, who believes. To as many as received him to them gave he power to become a son of God."

Forgiveness—The Meaning.

"We can give many definitions to Justification. Theological literature abounds in definitions. Justification is that act by which God for Christ's sake pardons our sins and accounts us righteous. Justification is a legal term and has reference to the pardon the Judge gives to the condemned. But after all the definition have been given, and other various interpretations have been presented, there is one word that gets nearer to the meaning and comes closer to our

hearts than all the others. That one word is 'Forgiveness.' It is a domestic term. The home language knows its value. Men are familiar with it. It is dear and precious. It breathes means estrangement and alienation with warmth and tenderness. It expresses a state foreign to all that it means the binding together of souls rent asunder. It speaks of a glad union of erstwhile separated souls.

"The parable of the Prodigal Son illustrates the point. A wayward son, in deep sin, far away from the father, a sense of his great sin comes to him. He thinks of the father's love, the father's bounty. Desire is born for restoration with the father. He comes to the father. Penitence is in his heart, he repents. The father with outstretched arms receives him. The 'ring of the robe'—what are they, if not evidences of the father's pardon. They spell 'Forgiveness.' Thy sins be forgiven thee."

"The Roman Judge would write, 'I absolve thee.' Our Father says, 'I forgive thee.' Go and sin no more."

The State.

"Faith has been exercised. It is true evangelical faith. It has brought grace from God to the heart. The spoken. Now, the resulting state as a consequence of these working agents. The text gives us the real picture."

Peace—Present Tranquil State of Soul
"Let us have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of God which passeth understanding is now the heritage of the believer. A little while ago there was only misery, unhappiness and unrest. Fears were within. Foes were without. But the great transaction is done. The man cries out, 'I am my Lord's and He is mine.' The divided soul has found its counter part—a happy union has been consummated. The old inferior, unhappy, shamefacedness are in the past. It is peace now. Peace with God—no war rings longer, no bitterness, no strife. The soul loves now, where once hate was in the heart. The hymnologist had the experience.

"I rode on the sky, freely justified I Nor did envy Elijah his seat."

Hope—The Future Glorious Ideal.

"But more than the present happiness and peace. And we rejoice in the glory of God. The Modern Speech New Testament gives this translation. 'We exult in hope of some day sharing in the glory of God.' The sign board has the index finger pointing forward to a goal seemingly far in the distance, but yet in reality is near at hand."

"The justified state is but an earnest of future glory. When a little boy I mastered the Alphabet. That was a glad day I knew the ABC's thoroughly. I began the Primer. I talked of the first reader, and the second and the third. A mighty inspiration stirred my young heart. I shall soon master these books. Before long I shall know the learning of the books."

"I shall be a scholar. To me the day was near at hand. That is a high day when the soul experiences the satisfaction of learning the ABC's of Christian experience. Then it is that he exults in hope. He triumphs in hope of attaining greater glory. The greater glory—yes, that of sharing in God's glory. That of receiving character. For we shall be like him when that perfect day is come."

"Justification is at the beginning of the Christian career. It is the new start. The night of repentance has passed. Its agony was dense and deep. For a time it seemed 'the light of the world had died with the setting sun.' But now the new day has dawned. The sun has come forth in his awful beauty. The morning air is cool, bracing and balmy. Nature is robed in the gladness of a May Day. With glad heart and free the soul begins anew—his Journey. The pilgrim looks in hope of the glory of God. He sings as he proceeds on the way."

"When he shall come with trumpet sound, O, may I then in him be found; Pressed in his righteousness alone, Faultless to stand before his throne."

Noted Author is 84.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 18.—John T. Rowbridge, whose famous old poem on "Darius Green and His Flying Machine" has just been republished, quietly observed his 84th birthday anniversary today at his home in Arlington. He was born in New York State, taught school in Illinois when a young man, but came to Boston in 1848 to do journalistic work, and has been writing ever since. Mr. Rowbridge is the only survivor of New England's famous group of authors and poets, which included Whittier, Holmes, Emerson, Lowell and Longfellow.

Another Week of The Big Shoe Sale!

Come Monday, come Tuesday, come any day during the week and buy high grade shoes for less than you will possibly buy them for again in a long time.

ALL LADIES' AND MISSES' LOW CUT SHOES ON SALE AT HALF PRICE
ALL MEN'S LOW CUT SHOES ON SALE AT A BIG REDUCTION.
ALL MEN'S HIGH TOP SHOES ON SALE AT A BIG REDUCTION.
ALL LADIES' HIGH TOP SHOES ON SALE AT A BIG REDUCTION.
ALL BOYS' HIGH TOP AND OXFORDS ON SALE AT A BIG REDUCTION.
ALL MISSES' HIGH TOP SHOES ON SALE AT A BIG REDUCTION.

and in fact every pair of shoes in the entire store on sale at a big generous reduction. Buy the Boys and Girls their school shoes now. More than \$12,000.00 worth of shoes all under one-roof to select from. Come today. Don't delay. Read these prices and then come and see the shoes for yourself.

All Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals Half Price

Several thousand pair, patent leather, tan, gun metal and vici kid, complete line of sizes, positively the greatest cut in Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals we have ever offered our trade in the history of our business. It will pay you to buy half dozen pairs at these prices. Don't let anything keep you away from this sale.

SEE BIG DISPLAY IN SHOW WINDOW.

All \$1.00 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 50c
All \$1.25 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 63c
All \$1.50 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 75c
All \$1.75 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 88c
All \$2.00 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.00
All \$2.25 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.12
All \$2.50 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.25
All \$2.75 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.38
All \$3.00 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.50
All \$3.50 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.75
All \$4.00 Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$2.00

All Men's Oxfords and High Cut Shoes Reduced

Every Man's Oxfords as well as every pair of Men's High Cut Shoes in the house will be reduced for this sale. Think of it! Every pair of Men's High Cut, Crossett and Abbott Shoes in the house will be reduced for this sale.

All Misses' Oxfords and Sandals Half Price

More than 1000 pairs Misses' Oxfords and Sandals; vici, patent, tan and gun metal, every conceivable size white, all flying in this sale at half price. If you don't need them buy any way and save them until next season. Just two pairs for the price of one, that's all.

All 65c Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 33c
All 75c Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 38c
All \$1.00 Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 50c
All \$1.25 Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 63c
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All \$1.75 Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . 88c
All \$2.00 Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.00
All \$2.50 Misses' Oxfords and Sandals now . . . \$1.25

All Ladies' High Top Shoes Reduced

Every pair of Ladies' High Top Shoes in the house will be reduced for this sale. It is impossible for us to tell you on this small sheet what this sale really means to people who need shoes, right here in the heart of the fall season you have our entire stock of Ladies', Men's and Children's High Top as well as low cut shoes at your command. You positively cannot afford to miss this sale.

ONE TABLE LADIES' OXFORDS AND SANDALS WORTH UP TO \$1.50 for 43c
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Texas Industrial Notes

Following the organization in Houston recently of a new colonization firm under the title of the Rio Grande Development Company, a deal was closed in which that concern purchased 15,000 acres of land in the Lower Rio Grande Valley for marketing in small tracts to Northern and Eastern farmers.

A movement has been inaugurated by the citizens of Arlington for calling an election covering \$1,000,000 in bonds for road improvement throughout the county and \$600,000 for bridges within the city.

Freight and passenger service over the new Brady extension of the Santa Fe became effective on Sept. 11, and trains will now be operated over sixty-eight miles of this extension and it is expected that the road will be completed to Eden by Nov. 1st.

Corpus Christi is one of the few places in the Union that will own its own wharves. Work will soon begin on the \$50,000 municipal wharf for which the city voted bonds. The Government is now working on the 1 1/2 foot channel and turning basin. Plans are already being formed for deepening the channel to 15 feet.

The first hog show ever held in Tarrant county took place at Arlington last week. Fifty boys from the rural districts brought pigs to town

for exhibition. More than \$70 was awarded in premiums.

R. S. Dilworth, a banker of Gonzales, sold 522 acres of land in Rio Grande Valley last week to J. P. Scarborough of Roswell, New Mexico for \$200 per acre. The land is watered by canal and is all under irrigation.

Archer City has voted \$12,000 bond issue for the purpose of putting in a water works system.

The total apple crop of the Pecos Valley will reach 1025 cars. The valley also shipped about thirty-five car loads of peaches this season.

A wax factory has been opened at Sanderson for the purpose of converting the candleilla weed into phonograph records, leather and wood polish. Ten more of these factories are to be established in the State in the near future.

McNamara Unavoidably Absent. Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 18.—For the first time in eight years J. J. McNamara, the international secretary, was not on hand when the International Bridge and Structural Ironworkers' Union met in annual convention in this city today. The convention will adopt strong resolutions in the case of McNamara, who is in jail in Los Angeles on dynamiting charges, and will take steps also to aid in the defense of the accused man and his associates who are to be placed on trial next month.

Oil Leases For Sale

We have Standard Oil and Gas Lease Blanks for sale at The Times Office at

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MART ROBERSON, Prop.

Mike Schreck and Hugh McCann have signed for a fuss to take place in Richmond, Ind., on September 25.

THE SILVER BOWL.

It Was Full of Water, and It Puzzled the Weak End Guest.

A rising young politician in New York tells this story on himself. He was invited recently to spend a week at a country house where things were done a little more elaborately than he was accustomed to, and he stood in not a little awe of the solemn person who was assigned to act as temporary valet to him. The climax came when this functionary tapped at his door on Sunday morning and told him it was 8 o'clock.

"All right, I'll get up," said the visitor, and the solemn man disappeared into the bathroom, from which presently the noise of water running into the bathtub was audible. In half a minute more the solemn person emerged, holding a large silver bowl full of water, with which he approached the bed.

"He must have seen the astonishment in my face," said the New Yorker. "I couldn't conceal it. It was a wholly new game to me, and I didn't know whether I was expected to dip my head in it or to drink it. It was an awful moment, but that man was a diplomat. He realized my embarrassment, and he just let drop in a cold and aloof tone, as if he had outsiders to deal with every day, the simple explanation:

"The temperature of your bathwater, sir."—New York Sun.

THEATER SEATS.

Very Annoying Indeed It Was Before They Were Numbered.

People who nowadays book their seats beforehand for the plays and the comedies of the day, are not cognizant of the discomfort of other days; an instance of which is given by John F. Eric in "Comedy Queens of the Georgian Era."

"One of Charles Matthews' newspaper cuttings," he says, "contains a letter from a disgraced playgoer dated January, 1776, protesting against the custom of 'permitting a footman to sit for an act or two of a play next to a woman of the first quality by way of securing a place for his absent master.'"

"The indecency of the practice is said to be aggravated by the usual choice of the dirtiest servant of the family for this duty. For the men of parade and figure are to precede before the lady's chair with lighted flambeaux or hang like a rope of onions behind her coach."

"As a remedy for this nuisance the writer of this letter made the revolutionary suggestion that the sittings in the boxes should be numbered, a plan which does not seem to have occurred to any one previously and which was not adopted till long afterward."—London Gentlewoman.

Women in Tibet.

Concerning the manners of Tibetans a traveler writes: "The male part of the Amdo population is fond of meeting together for frivolous conversation on all suitable and unsuitable occasions. The most the men do is to go hunting and robbing. The domestic work, such as tending the cattle, collecting fuel, drawing water and, in short, everything, falls on the women. While the wife is working incessantly all day long the husband grows weary with idleness and does not go to her assistance unless she is physically incapable of doing any work at all. On horseback the women are as dextrous as the men. To catch any horse she likes out of the troop, lay her hand on its mane and quickly spring on to the back of the barebacked steed and ride off in any direction she wishes in an ordinary feat for any young Amdo woman."—Chicago News.

The Oil Bird.

One of the animal curiosities of South America is the "oil bird," or guacharo. It breeds in rocky caves, and one of its favorite haunts is the island of Trinidad. It lays its eggs in a nest made of mud, and the young birds are prodigiously fat. The natives melt the fat down in clay pots and produce from it a kind of butter. The caves inhabited by the birds are usually accessible only from the sea, and the hunting of them is sometimes an exciting sport.

A Word of Wrath.

The word "rabbits" on board a Cornish fishing smack arouses the ire of the crew. Should the hated word be uttered as the boat is leaving the harbor on a pikehead expedition, the speaker would stand a fair chance of being hurried overboard. The mere mention of "rabbits" destroys all chances of a "catch."—London Chronicle.

Pa's Hard Job.

"Johnny," said the visitor at the door, "is your father at home?" "He's trying to be, sir," said Johnny, "but you know, Mr. Squiggs, ma's mother's here."—Harper's Weekly.

The Real Sorrow.

"Did your operation cost you much pain?" "Yes, but I didn't mind that so much as the dollars it cost."—Baltimore American.

Able and Willing.

The Rector—Freddy, do you know where little boys go who go fishing on the Sabbath day? Freddy—Yes, sir, follow me and I'll show you the place.

Her Sacrifice.

Madge—What is Dolly's ambition in life? Marjorie—She hopes to marry a millionaire and save him from the disgrace of dying rich.—Life.

There is genius as well in virtue as in intellect. "It is the doctrine of faith over works."—Emerson.

Aviator Saved From Fire.

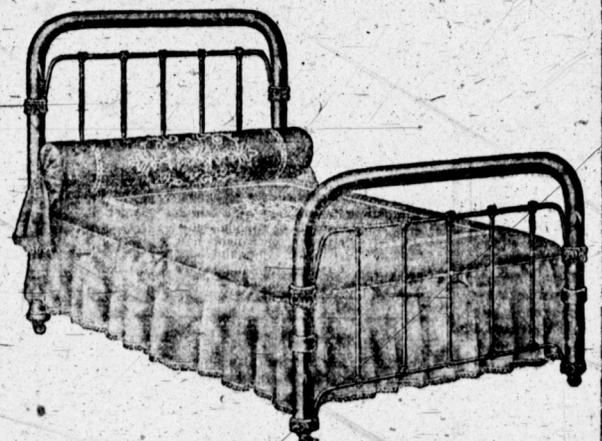
Colfax, Cal., Sept. 18.—Fire early today caused one death and destroyed a section of this town.

FREEAR-BRIN'S THREE DAY SALE

We Sell It for Less--Seeing is Believing

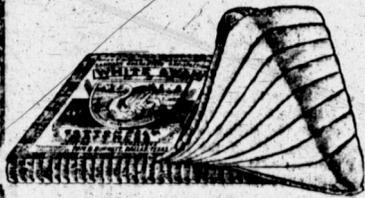
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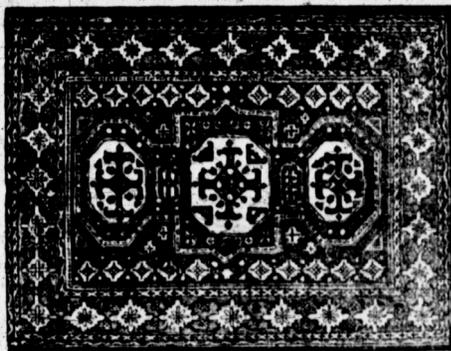


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DIVORCE SUITS ATTRACT ATTENTION

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 18.—The suit for divorce brought by John Bancroft, Jr., against his wife, Madeline Du Pont Bancroft, and the counter suit brought by the wife are set for trial at the term of the superior court which opened here today, and the case promises to be the most sensational in the history of the Commonwealth. As matters now stand, only the unexpected can stop the suits begun by husband and wife. The latter is the eldest daughter of Alfred I. Du Pont, the millionaire vice president of the Du Pont Powder Company. Mr. Bancroft brought his suit on statutory grounds, denying the paternity of his wife's infant son. In the papers filed in the case Mr. Bancroft called the child Max Heider, Jr., and made it a co-defendant. Mrs. Bancroft, in her counter suit, charges her husband with unfaithfulness and extreme cruelty. She also pleads not guilty to his charges against her.

SANTA FE RAILROAD SHOWS ITS PROGRESS

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 18.—To show the progress of American railroad building and operation for the past thirty years, the Santa Fe today started out a demonstration of fourteen cars which will be operated over all the lines of the company between Topeka and Albuquerque. Heading the train is one of the monster Mallet locomotives recently constructed in the shops of the company in this city. Following close behind is an old style wood burning locomotive operated by the Santa Fe some twenty years ago. The train also includes the old style and the latest improved types of flat cars, box cars, coal cars, passenger coaches and cabooses.

Oil and gas leases are being taken in Archer county by men interested in the Electra field, also the Tulsa field. The significance of these leases seem to be in the point that the land in demand is located on direct lines from Petrolia and Electra to the coal fields in Young county.—Archer County News.

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Phone No. 50

Elmer Threat was in town Tuesday after seed oats. He will plant 120 acres of oats, and about 60 acres of wheat. He informed us that he now has about 20 acres of volunteer oats that are up to a fine stand, and would be good grazing.—Archer County News.

J. W. Seals, who is selling seed oats and wheat, and therefore in a position to guess pretty well, stated to the News man on Thursday that he believes at least 50 per cent of the farm acreage in this territory is to be planted in wheat and oats this fall, and believes that this per cent will hold good all over the country.—Archer County News.

A. Smith, from Tulsa, is here this week looking over our country. Mr. Smith is an oil man and seems to think that perhaps we may have an oil field here.—New Castle Register.

Machinists Meet in Davenport. Davenport, Ia., Sept. 18.—The annual convention of the International Association of Machinists opened in this city today with about 200 dele-

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Table with columns for route, direction, and time. Includes sections for Wichita Falls Route, Newcaste Branch, Fort Worth and Denver City, and Wichita Valley.

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City National Bank

Table with columns for Resources and Liabilities. Resources include Loans and Discounts, U. S. Bonds, etc. Liabilities include Capital Stock, Surplus and Profits, etc.

C. W. SNIDER, Cashier

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"THIS DATE IN HISTORY,"

- September 18.
- 1709—Samuel Johnson, famous English writer, born. Died Dec. 13, 1784.
- 1710—Expedition against the French sailed from Boston for Fort Royal.
- 1766—Jonathan Carver, who was the first to explore much of Upper Mississippi country, arrived at Green Bay, Wis.
- 1851—The "New York Times" made its first appearance.
- 1862—Confederates recrossed the Potomac into Virginia, having been in Maryland two weeks.
- 1910—Field Marshal Count Von Waldseeer, commander-in-chief of the international forces in China, arrived at Hong Kong.

The hope of another "white man's hope" has gone glimmering.

The President has decided to retain Dr. Wiley, and in that decision there is evidence in abundance that the President knows a thing or two.

Anybody has the right to be a candidate for the U. S. Senate, but if Cone Johnson decides to enter the contest it will require a good one to defeat him.

Gov. Cruce of Oklahoma, is the right sort. Only a few months ago a New York society of charities criticised him severely because of a lynching which took place in Oklahoma, and the governor has evened up the score by writing a letter to the society in which he makes reference to the Flynn-Morris fight which took place in Madison Square Garden, and says among other things: "After I ran those bruisers, and all the gang of thieves and burglars, trawling them, out of Oklahoma, New York welcomes them with open arms." Revenge is sweet, and that shot ought to take effect.

The official count of the recent Maine election will not be made until December, it is announced. By that time the question of "how Maine went" will not be of so much interest. At last accounts the official returns gave it to the ants by 168 majority, while the returns from every voting precinct, as compiled by the leading newspapers gave the pros a majority of 365. It is admitted, however, that

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A. S. TRITCH
Proprietor

errors have been made in figuring up the official returns, and the pros seem confident that when these are corrected, they will have a small majority.

The meeting of the statewide prohibition executive committee in Dallas on last Saturday brought together two or three hundred prominent prohibitionists and after deliberating on the matter it was decided to abandon the matter of investigating into frauds alleged to have been committed in the recent statewide election by virtue of which alleged frauds a pro victory was turned into a defeat. This was probably the best that could have been done under the circumstances. It is more than likely the question will be resubmitted next year, or as soon as possible, but the leading prohibition Democrats of the state are of the opinion, apparently that the first thing to be accomplished is to unite their strength and put out a candidate to make the race for governor against Colquitt. The man most prominently mentioned for that honor is Judge Ramsey, and it is more than likely that he will let it be known within a short time as to whether he will accept.

RECALL OF LAFFERTY.

St. Louis Globe Democrat.
In Oregon, when the recall works both night and day, they are threatening the recall of Lafferty from congress. Lafferty is a man, 41 years of age, old enough to know better, but being single, uptied to any woman's apron strings. Not long ago, during the special session which has been a plague on all our homes, he saw a young woman in Washington, admired her, and by return mail wrote a letter asking the privilege of a meeting. The young woman handed the letter to her father. The father, who appears to be a believer in publicity, gave it to the press. This called out another letter written by Lafferty to another young Capitolienne. There has now been time for the echoes to begin returning from Oregon where the Columbia river, once said by Bryant to hear nothing "save its own dashings," is nowadays listening to many other things. The political enemies of Lafferty in his district have started a high moral campaign against him. It has been brought out that, at home he once forced his attentions upon a stenographer. This moves Lafferty to the making of a confession. Admitting that he did pay court to the stenographer, he declares that his intentions were honorable and that the lady could be calling herself Mrs. Lafferty today if she had only said "yes." We rather like this in Lafferty, and we have not consulted the Congressional Directory to find whether he be a Democrat or Republican, either. "A man's a man for a' that," and if a man must forego the blessed privilege of popping the question in order to run for congress in this country, either honorable ambition will do or the problem of race suicide will loom larger than it does.

"Now bring on your recall," says Lafferty, after making that open confession which is good for the soul in answer to the threat that a recall petition will be circulated against him in time for the November election. The whole nation, from sea to sea, will applaud him. For this is not a local issue only. It is not confined to Lafferty's district nor to Lafferty's state. What if it shall be spoken and established that a man shall be made ineligible to congress because he persists in seeking a wife after many re-buffs? In this the incentive we would offer to ambition? Is this the premium we would place upon public service? Mr. Roosevelt should go to Lafferty's district and appeal for him in the name of the stork and the eagle. And we, as one people, should sit up the night after the recall election, straining our ears to hear the welcome news that Lafferty wins.

McKinney, Sept. 18.—The dry weather and heat are playing havoc with gardens planted after the rains. Worms are doing great damage to feed crops of all kinds.

PRESIDENT DEFENDS ANTI-TRUST LAWS

(Continued from page 1.)

has read something into the statute that was not there before; that it has inserted the word "reasonable" before the word "restraint of trade," when the same court had said that this could not be properly done, because Congress had evidently not intended to include such a limiting word in the statute. This is not fair to the court. It is true that the court, in the early days of the construction of the statute had said that it could not limit the statute in effect by excluding from its operation what was deemed reasonable at common law. But as other cases arose it found it necessary to make exceptions to the literal operation of the words "restraint of trade," and it did so by excepting what was minor, or incidental, or indirect, and including only those cases where the chief object of the contract or combination was the restraint. In doing so the court said that it must give the statute a reasonable construction and not one leading to absurd or ridiculous results. In the last two cases the court did not change the substance of the reasoning and scope of the previous decisions, but only treated the exceptions previously termed "incidental and indirect," as excluded from the operation of the statute in the light of reason, i. e., in conformity to the evil sought to be reached. Now, in what way has this injured the public weal? What combinations or arrangements can escape under this interpretation that any sensible man would wish to have condemned? Did the court not condemn the Standard Oil Company, the father of all trusts, in the history of which every form of criminal illegality was practiced? Did it not, on the other hand, condemn the Tobacco Trust, of much later origin, and framed under the advice of cunning counsel for the very purpose of evading the condemnation of the statute and at the same time securing and enjoying the monopoly, the framers of the statute intended to prevent and punish?

Let me renew again the invitation to any of the vociferous critics of the decision of the Supreme Court to use their legal imaginations and state the facts of a case not condemned within the rule of construction put upon the statute by the Supreme Court, but included within their construction of it, which reasonable men would think it wise or proper to make criminal.

"Now, I desire to call attention to a very broad distinction that many persons have failed to draw or perceive between a reasonable construction of the statute which the Supreme Court has insisted upon and the introduction of the word "reasonable" in the statute so as to lead to a result by which combinations for the purpose of restraining trade with a view to controlling prices and maintaining a monopoly could be held to be reasonable and thus lawful. Until the decision of the Supreme Court in these last two cases there was a clearly defined hope in the minds of many business men who had reached the conclusion that it was impossible to conduct business on a free competitive basis, and that it was necessary to secure monopolistic control of prices, and competition in order to make business reasonably profitable, that in some way or other the statute could be construed so as to make it apply only to unreasonable monopolies and unreasonable exclusion of competition and control of prices. They had in their minds the thought that in some way or other a standard could be set by which if those who enjoyed the monopoly and the restraint of competition and the control of prices did not abuse their power to the point of seeking from the public exorbitant profits their arrangements could be held to be only reasonable and not within the statute or punishable by law. In my message of January 7, 1910, on the interstate-commerce and anti-trust laws and federal incorporation I used this language:

"Many people conducting great businesses have cherished a hope and a belief that in some way or other a line may be drawn between 'good trusts' and 'bad trusts,' and that it is possible by amendment to the anti-trust law to make a distinction under which good combinations may be permitted to organize, suppress competition, control prices, and do it all legally if only they do not abuse the power by taking too great profit out of the business. They point with force to certain notorious trusts as having grown into power through criminal methods by the use of illegal rebates and plain cheating, and by various acts utterly violative of business honesty or morality, and urge the establishment of some legal line of separation by which 'criminal trusts' of this kind can be punished, and they on the other hand, be permitted un-

der the law to carry on their business. Now the public, and especially the business public, ought to rid themselves of the idea that such a distinction is practicable or can be introduced into the statute. Certainly under the present anti-trust law no such distinction exists. It has been proposed, however; that the word "reasonable" should be made a part of the statute and then that it should be left to the court to say what is a reasonable restraint of trade, what is a reasonable suppression of competition, what is a reasonable monopoly. I venture to think that this is to put into the hands of the court a power impossible to exercise on any consistent principle which will insure the uniformity of decision essential to just judgment. It is to thrust upon the courts a burden that they have no precedents to enable them to carry, and to give them a power approaching the arbitrary abuse of which might involve our whole judicial system in disaster.

"This paragraph has been quoted and spread on the record of the Senate on the motion of a Senator who considered this to be at variance with the decisions of the Supreme Court. Instead of being at variance, it is in exact accord with those decisions. "Again from those who have given up free competition as an economic force that ought to be encouraged or enforced, and who are utterly opposed to the spirit of the anti-trust law we have frequently heard the question, 'Well, suppose you convict those large combinations under the statute what are you going to do about it? You can, perhaps, send some men to the penitentiary for creating these combinations which have cheapened the cost of production and given you most of your foreign trade and much of your prosperity, but what are you going to do with the capital invested, the plant, and the organization? You can confiscate it and ruin your country, try by a panic, but you can't divide such combinations into their component parts again, for the lines of division have disappeared into a common ownership."

"The court has met the issue and the queries presented by the doubters and the scoffers. It has vindicated the majesty of the law, has illustrated the wonderful elasticity and adaptability of remedy by injunction in equity, and has at the same time manifested a due regard for the welfare of the innocent business men and the community at large, who, in a cataclysm caused by the confiscation of such enormous capital as are involved in these combinations and a suspension of the legitimate part of their business, would be buried with them in a common ruin.

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News From the Oil Fields

The '99 Oil Company has had a fishing job in their well 2 miles west of town every since last Saturday and have been unable to drill any. They are still in the oil sand. It is reported the company have not decided whether they would finish the well in sand that they are in, or go down deeper for the next strata.

HOW TO MAKE COTTON BOLLS OPEN

Rev. J. A. Newcome, who has had considerable experience in raising cotton was in to see us one day last week and he said that cotton can be forced to open by plowing deep and close to the roots of the stalks. This, he says, should be done about fifteen days before frost is expected in order that the sap will leave the stalk and there will be no water in the boll to freeze.

TEMPERATURE DROPS WHEN SHOWER FALLS

A heavy shower was falling as the Times went to press this afternoon. The shower was accompanied by a welcome drop in temperature.

THOMAS WILL ADDRESS MERCHANTS' SECRETARIES

The Retail Merchants' Secretaries Association of the State of Texas, will meet in Dallas on October 17, 18 and 19. Secretary Thomas of the local Association and probably two or three other delegates will attend. The program of the meeting will embrace topics pertaining especially to credit feature of the association's work and should prove of material benefit not only to the secretaries, but to all members as well.

DOWNING STREET, LONDON.

It bears the name of a Clever Man From Massachusetts. Downing street, London, where are the British colonial and foreign offices and the official residence of the first lord of the treasury and where cabinet councils are held, perpetuates the name of a clever man from Massachusetts. These were the days before the Fourth of July had any significance in American annals, and George Downing, the first scholar in the first public school in Massachusetts and the first graduate sent out by Harvard college, came to England and became a chaplain in Cromwell's army.

GREEN TURTLES.

The Youngsters Have a Perilous Time After Being Hatched. Concerning the great turtles of the southwest, a recent issue of a travel magazine says: 'The phenomenon of green turtles, Chelonia mydas, is an animal of considerable economic importance to the states, for it still occurs in the vast borders which are so often described by early voyagers in the tropics. There appear to be two distinct groups - one resident and small in numbers, the other migratory and visiting the Gulf to breed in numbers impossible to estimate.'

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"THIS DATE IN HISTORY."

- September 15. 1709—Samuel Johnson, famous English writer, born. Died Dec. 13, 1784. 1710—Expedition against the French sailed from Boston for Port Royal. 1766—Jonathan Carver, who was the first to explore much of Upper Mississippi country, arrived at Green Bay, Wis. 1851—The "New York Times" made its first appearance. 1862—Confederates recrossed the Potomac into Virginia, having been in Maryland two weeks. 1910—Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee, commander-in-chief of the international forces in China, arrived at Hong Kong.

The hope of another "white man's hope" has gone glimmering.

The President has decided to retain Dr. Wiley; and in that decision there is evidence in abundance that the President knows a thing or two.

Anybody has the right to be a candidate for the U. S. Senate, but if Cone Johnson decides to enter the contest it will require a good one to defeat him.

Gov. Cruce of Oklahoma, is the right sort. Only a few months ago a New York society of charities criticized him severely because of a lynching which took place in Oklahoma, and the governor has evened up the score by writing a letter to the society in which he makes reference to the Flynn-Morris fight which took place in Madison Square Garden, and says among other things: "After I ran those bruisers, and all the gang of thieves and burglars, trailing them, out of Oklahoma, New York welcomes them with open arms." Revenge is sweet, and that shot ought to take effect.

The official count of the recent Maine election will not be made until December, it is announced. By that time the question of "how Maine went?" will not be of so much interest. At last accounts the official returns gave it to the antis by 168 majority, while the returns from every voting precinct, as compiled by the leading newspapers gave the pros a majority of 365. It is admitted, however, that

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errors have been made in figuring up the official returns, and the pros seem confident that when these are corrected, they will have a small majority.

The meeting of the statewide prohibition executive committee in Dallas on last Saturday brought together two or three hundred prominent prohibitionists and after deliberating on the matter it was decided to abandon the matter of investigating into frauds alleged to have been committed in the recent statewide election by virtue of which alleged frauds a pro victory was turned into a defeat. This was probably the best that could have been done under the circumstances. It is more than likely the question will be resubmitted next year, or as soon as possible, but the leading prohibition Democrats of the state are of the opinion, apparently that the first thing to be accomplished is to unite their strength and put out a candidate to make the race for governor against Colquitt. The man most prominently mentioned for that honor is Judge Ramsey, and it is more than likely that he will let it be known within a short time as to whether he will accept.

RECALL OF LAFFERTY.

St. Louis Globe Democrat. In Oregon, when the recall works both night and day, they are threatening the recall of Lafferty from congress. Lafferty is a man, 41 years of age, old enough to know better, but being single, untied to any woman's apron strings. Not long ago, during the special session which has been a plague on all our homes, he saw a young woman in Washington, admired her, and by return mail wrote a letter asking the privilege of a meeting. The young woman handed the letter to her father. The father, who appears to be a believer in publicity, gave it to the press. This called out another letter written by Lafferty to another young Capitiolienne. There has now been time for the echoes to begin returning from Oregon where the Columbia river, once said by Bryant to hear nothing "save its own dashing," is nowadays listening to many other things.

The political enemies of Lafferty in his district have started a high moral campaign against him. It has been brought out that, at home he once forced his attentions upon a stenographer. This moves Lafferty to the making of a confession. Admitting that he did pay court to the stenographer, he declares that his intentions were honorable and that the lady could be calling herself Mrs. Lafferty today if she had only said "yes." We rather like this in Lafferty, and we have not consulted the Congressional Directory to find whether he be a Democrat or Republican, either. "A man's a man for a' that," and if a man must forego the blessed privilege of popping the question in order to run for congress in this country, either honorable ambition will do or the problem of race suicide will loom larger than it does.

"Now bring on your recall," says Lafferty, after making that open confession which is good for the soul in answer to the threat that a recall petition will be circulated against him in time for the November election. The whole nation, from sea to sea, will applaud him. For this is not a local issue only. It is not confined to Lafferty's district nor to Lafferty's state. What if it shall be spoken and established that a man shall be made ineligible to congress because he persists in seeking a wife after many rebuffs? In this the incentive we would offer to ambition? Is this the premium we would place upon public service? Mr. Roosevelt should go to Lafferty's district and appeal for him in the name of the stork and the eagle. And we, as one people, should sit up the night after the recall election, straining our ears to hear the welcome news that Lafferty wins.

McKinley, Sept. 18.—The dry weather and heat are playing havoc with gardens planted after the rains. Worms are doing great damage to feed crops of all kinds.

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Let me renew again the invitation to my of the vociferous critics of the decision of the Supreme Court to use their legal imaginations and state the facts of a case not condemned within the rule of construction put upon the statute by the Supreme Court, but included within their construction of it, which reasonable men would think it wise or proper to make criminal.

"Now, I desire to call attention to a very broad distinction that many persons have failed to draw or perceive between a reasonable construction of the statute which the Supreme Court has insisted upon and the introduction of the word "reasonable" in the statute so as to lead to a result by which combinations for the purpose of restraining trade with a view to controlling prices and maintaining a monopoly could be held to be reasonable and thus lawful. Until the decision of the Supreme Court in these last two cases there was a clearly defined hope in the minds of many business men who had reached the conclusion that it was impossible to conduct business on a free competitive basis, and that it was necessary to secure monopolistic control of prices and competition in order to make business reasonably profitable, that in some way or other the statute could be construed so as to make it apply only to unreasonable monopolies and unreasonable exclusion of competition and control of prices. They had in their minds the thought that in some way or other a standard could be set by which if those who enjoyed the monopoly and the restraint of competition and the control of prices did not abuse their power to the point of seeking from the public exorbitant profits their arrangements could be held to be only reasonable and not within the statute or punishable by law. In my message of January 7, 1910, on the interstate-commerce and anti-trust laws and federal incorporation I used this language:

"Many people conducting great businesses have cherished a hope and a belief that in some way or other a line may be drawn between 'good trusts' and 'bad trusts,' and that it is possible by amendment to the anti-trust law to make a distinction under which good combinations may be permitted to organize, suppress competition, control prices, and do it all legally if only they do not abuse the power by taking too great profit out of the business. They point with force to certain notorious trusts, as having grown into power through criminal methods by the use of illegal rebates and plain cheating, and by various acts utterly violative of business honesty or morality, and urge the establishment of some legal line of separation by which 'criminal trusts' of this kind can be punished, and they on the other hand, be permitted un-

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anti-trust law. The work is a heavy one, but it is not beyond the power of the Department of Justice if sufficient funds are furnished to carry on the investigations and to pay the counsel engaged in the work. "I wish to repeat this now, and to say further that the Attorney General has instituted investigations into all the industrial companies above described, and that these are in various stages of completion. I am glad to be able to add that if Congress shall continue needed appropriations, every trust of any size that violates the statute will, before the end of this administration in 1913, be brought into court to meet and acquiesce in a decree of distinegration by which combination between its parts shall be restored and preserved under the persuasive and restrictive influence of a permanent and continuing injunction. "Under these conditions, I am entirely opposed to an amendment of the anti-trust law. It is now a valuable Government asset and instrument. Tested and brought into practical and beneficial use by 20 years of litigation and construction by the highest court, why should we imperial its usefulness by experiments? The outcry sought to be raised in some quarters, followed by proposals of amendments pre-

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Mutt Wins Again and Tries to Quit the Races for Good

By 'Bud' Fisher



WANT ADS.

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 WANTED—To rent, five or six room house with all conveniences, immediate possession. On hill, preferred. Phone F. M. Gates, 18L. 107-3tc

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WANTED—We have party who wants to rent 5 to 8 room house with modern conveniences. Must have barn also. Phone 529 or 530. Frieze & Perry, Insurance and Real Estate. 106-1tc

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 WANTED—Woman for general house work. Apply 1010 Indiana Ave. 107-3tc

WANTED—Boy about 15 years old with small amount cash security, as news agent on railway trains. Apply at Union Depot News Stand. 109-1tc

WANTED—News agent on the North-western R. R. Good long run, must have security. Call 1404 Austin. W. T. Watkins. 108-3tc

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WANTED—Four non-union carpenters on job between 11th and 12th streets on Burnett. Layne & Stephens. 104-1f

FOR RENT—ROOMS
 FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms with all modern conveniences. Apply 1501 Travis. 87-1fc

FOR RENT—Furnished room with all conveniences, 807 Lamar Ave. 107-1fc

FOR RENT—Rooms to two young ladies employed through the day. Mrs. T. M. Brown, 804 Burnett. 1031-3tc

FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms, furnished, with all modern conveniences. Phone 231. 102-1fc

FOR RENT—Very desirable furnished room. All modern conveniences. Apply 409, 7th street. 98-1fc

FOR RENT—CITY PROPERTY.
 FOR SALE—Being impossible for me getting my house insured on Austin avenue; have placed in on the market at a great sacrifice. See me at Art Loan Co. S. M. Kennedy. 108-1fc

FOR SALE—New home in Floral Heights; \$1600—five rooms, hall, bath, lights, water and gas. Also good barn and lot. Terms: will take Floral Heights lot at \$400, \$600 in cash and balance time. Phone 305. P. O. Box 1094. 108-1fc

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FOR SALE—South front, modern five rooms, bath, gas lights and walks, three doors west of high school, 1414 12th street. Make me an offer, will make terms to suit, sell or trade. Phone 116. P. O. Box 218, city. 87-1fc

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LOST—Between Wichita Falls and Holiday Sunday, inner tube of automobile tire with S. P. Sproles name thereon. Reward for return to Overland garage.

News From the Oil Fields

The 99 Oil Company has had a fishing job in their well 2 miles west of town every since last Saturday and have been unable to drill any. They are still in the oil sand. It is reported the company have not decided whether they would finish the well in the sand that they are in, or go down deeper for the next strata. In any case they will drill another well beside the one they are now on as they think the oil is there in paying quantities. Mr. Hammond the manager, at this place with another representative of the company from the head office have been busy securing leases on different tracts of land in this vicinity for the past ten days and it is the general opinion of the people that a good well will be brought in soon.—Petrolia Round-Up.

E. B. Lawson, of Nowato, Okla., is one of the latest arrivals in the oil field.

J. W. Sturm, an oil man of Tulsa, is here.

L. M. Gorham and J. W. Scott, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are here looking after interests in the oil field.

PRESIDENT DEFENDS ANTI-TRUST LAWS

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pared without a real understanding of the law or the court's decisions may serve the purpose of promoting unreasonable and unreasoning discontent, but certainly ought not to be considered seriously.

"When an amendment is proposed let the proponent state the defect in the statute the amendment is to remedy, and how it will effect it.

"If the avowed purpose is to make it impossible to use reason in the construction of the statute as the supreme court did, let the mover of the amendment formulate a case of restraint of interstate trade not condemned under the Supreme Court's construction of the statute, which ought to be condemned. Let us avoid general expressions. Let us avoid charges of improper motives. Let us come down to concrete cases and facts and make a showing for an amendment that a lawyer and a legislator can understand and weigh, and not be content with mere rhetoric and language useful only for declamation.

"In my message of January 7, 1910 I advocated the passage of a statute which shall permit the incorporation of companies engaged in interstate commerce by the Federal Government. I believe that a statute might be drawn to furnish the protection which would induce companies engaged chiefly in interstate trade to take on Federal incorporation, and that by the supervision which might be maintained by an executive bureau of the Government over their transactions it would be possible to prevent future violations of the anti-trust law by those companies on the one hand and to secure to them a freedom from constant fear of prosecution on the other. But this statute would in no way be an amendment of the anti-trust law, which has now reached a period in its history when it is really accomplishing the purpose of its framers and is enforcing a reform in the business methods of this country which will be as useful as it is widespread."

TEMPERATURE DROPS WHEN SHOWER FALLS

A heavy shower was falling as The Times went to press this afternoon. The shower was accompanied by a welcome drop in temperature.

THOMAS WILL ADDRESS MERCHANTS' SECRETARIES

The Retail Merchants' Secretaries Association of the State of Texas, will meet in Dallas on October 17, 18 and 19. Secretary Thomas of the local Association and probably two or three other delegates will attend. The program of the meeting will embrace topics pertaining especially to credit feature of the association's work and should prove of material benefit not only to the secretaries, but to all members as well.

The last day of the session will be designated as member's day and merchants from all parts of the State are expected to attend.

DOWNING STREET, LONDON.

It Bears the Name of a Clever Man From Massachusetts.

Downing street, London, where are the British colonial and foreign offices and the official residence of the first lord of the treasury and where cabinet councils are held, perpetuates the name of a clever man from Massachusetts. Those were the days before the Fourth of July had any significance in American annals, and George Downing, the first scholar in the first public school in Massachusetts and the first graduate sent out by Harvard college, came to England and became a chaplain in Cromwell's army.

By a remarkable stroke of fortune he was sent to represent England at The Hague when Europe was trembling before Oliver, and during three distinct eras in England's history he held the office of British ambassador at the Dutch court. He was as popular as any clever under the Merry Monarch as under the protector and the commonwealth, and it came to pass in the reign of Charles II, that the man from Massachusetts was granted a great tract of land at Westminster, where he built huge mansions and laid out Downing street.

To this day Downing's street is Downing street still, and though George Downing is forgotten, there is no name in the British empire which is more familiar to us than his.—St. James' Gazette.

GREEN TURTLES.

The Youngsters Have a Perilous Time After Being Hatched.

Concerning the great turtles of the southwest Indian ocean a traveler says: "The enormous green turtle (Chelone mydas), is an animal of considerable economic importance to the island, for it still occurs in the vast borders which are so often described by early voyagers in the tropics. There appear to be two distinct groups—one resident and another in numbers, the other migrating and visiting the coast to breed in numbers impossible to estimate.

"The latter arrives in December, and from then to April the sea seems alive with turtles. The females seek the small sand beaches and then ascend them with the rising tide, pushing themselves laboriously above high tide mark. Holes are then dug in the sand by means of the fore flippers until a satisfactory one is obtained, and the eggs, 200 in number, are buried, the turtle returning to sea immediately.

"After forty days the eggs hatch almost simultaneously, and the young turtles dig their way up out of the sand and go down to the sea in a long procession, in the course of which they offer an easy prey to their enemies, the frigate birds and herons. Once in the sea, sharks and other large fish eat them, and only 10 per cent reach maturity."—Chicago News.

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HOW TO MAKE COTTON BOLLS OPEN

Rev. J. A. Newcome, who has had considerable experience in raising cotton was in to see us one day last week and he said that cotton can be forced to open by plowing deep and close to the roots of the stalks. This, he says, should be done about fifteen days before frost is expected in order that the sap will leave the stalk and there will be no water in the boll to freeze. He says the fruit will continue to mature and that the frost or a freeze will not injure it in the least, but will cause it to open so that it will be easily picked. Mr. Newcome has used this system for years and pronounced it a success.—Graham Leader.

Sherman, Sept. 18.—A worm which has appeared in the cotton fields of Grayson county is reported to be doing considerable damage to cotton. The same worm is also working on alfalfa.

Mexia Cotton Receipts.
 Mexia, Sept. 18.—The two cotton yards of Mexia weighed 410 bales of cotton yesterday and the total receipts for the season up to last night was 4,457 bales.

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The Great State Fair of Texas continues to grow and expand, due to the untiring energy of President E. J. Kieft and the veteran Secretary, Captain Sydney Smith.
Among the permanent improvements for 1911 is the Livestock Pavilion, which is being constructed of steel, concrete and brick at an aggregate cost of \$50,000. This building is 165x100, with an area of 16,500 sq. ft. It is thoroughly modern in every respect and will contain 52 box stalls 8x12, with individual feed rooms and thoroughly sanitary.

President Kieft is justly proud of his ability to fulfill his promise and supply the long felt want of the agricultural interest of Texas in the livestock exhibit department of the great State Fair.
This building is second to none as to appointments and is in thorough keeping with all other departments and buildings heretofore erected on the grounds. It will be thrown open to visitors and exhibitors on the opening day, October 18th, and all awards and judging of livestock will be done in the spacious arena.

For several years different large exhibitors, realizing and appreciating the great importance of thoroughly exhibiting their different lines, and looking to the comfort of their visitors, have constructed their own individual buildings of concrete and steel. It is the B. F. Avery & Sons' Pipe Co. and the Mitchell-Lewis Motor Co. who are doing this. Each of these concerns are constructing handsome concrete and fireproof buildings, each 75x80 feet in dimensions, with rest rooms and every convenience for their friends and visitors and at a cost of \$10,000 each. Upon the completion of these buildings there will have been expended by exhibitors alone for individual buildings on the grounds, over \$10,000.

All exhibitors at the State Fair of Texas have the same spirit of President E. J. Kieft, Secretary Sydney Smith and the Board of Directors, viz: That there is nothing too good for their patrons and friends.

Another feature building being constructed by the Fair management this year is that for the United States Naval exhibit. The large steel pipe arch which is 60x50, and was formerly located on the corner of Main and Akard streets, Dallas, has been removed to Fair Park and located on the large triangle just east of the exhibition building. This arch will be enclosed and devoted entirely to the use of Uncle Sam's Naval exhibit. This exhibit last year was miniature compared to the one that will be made this year. There will be six models of the various types of battleships ranging from the monster dreadnaught to the swift torpedo boat, a complete exhibit of all styles of guns, and electrical appliances, including complete wireless outfit, by which communication will be made with different stations over the country.
It will be a revelation to all the lubbers of Texas and should be seen by all visitors.

PREMIUMS AND PURSES.
That the State Fair of Texas will be larger and greater than ever before, is foregone conclusion judging by the announcements made by President E. J. Kieft, and the veteran secretary, Captain Sydney Smith, and as shown by the handsome 210 page catalog and the many detail booklets which are being mailed to every one and in which are many new and interesting features.

From the 1911 Fair and Exposition the sum of \$205,305 will be expended in premiums, permanent improvements and operation, as follows: Premiums, \$27,205; race purses, \$28,000; permanent improvements, \$50,000; general repairs, \$5,000; operation, \$75,000; attractions, \$20,000; making a total of \$205,305. In addition to the above are the additional valuable premiums offered by various companies over Texas for the Boys' and Girls' Hog Club of Texas, and for whom the Fair management has prepared special pens for the accommodation of their exhibits. While the Boys' and Girls' Hog Club movement was only started this year, it has aroused a great deal of enthusiasm over the entire state and keen competition is expected in all of the various classes provided for in the catalog.

The Boys' Corn Clubs continue to add increased membership and at the last report there were 20,000 members in Texas. Tuesday, October 24th, has been designated by the Fair management, as Boys' Corn Clubs and Boys' and Girls' Hog Club day at the Fair and preparations are being made for a full attendance of both Clubs. A special program is being prepared for their entertainment and nothing will be left undone for their pleasure.

The management has furnished the Secretaries of both clubs with handsome buttons and pennants for all of the members and of which every boy and girl in Texas is proud.
There will be many other interesting features, in agriculture, to all farm boys and girls, and which will long be remembered and appreciated. A special interest will be the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical exhibit and demonstration, which will be located in the east end of the manufacturers' building.

KENNEL SHOW.

The annual bench show of the Texas Kennel Club will be held, October 19, 20, 21 and 22, under the rules of the American Kennel Club and under the supervision of Dr. George W. Clayton of Chicago, and Dr. E. T. Cox of Dallas. A greater number and more valuable prizes will be offered. Many of the most notable kennels in the United States will be represented as well as those of Texas and visitors from Dr. Clayton are bubbling over with enthusiasm regarding the great show. Many entries that are being made for the State Fair of Texas at Dallas. Who is it that does not love a good dog anyway?

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Grover Hayes vs. Danny Goodman, 8 rounds, at Chattanooga.
"Kid" Henry vs. Young Loughrey, 10 rounds, at Waterville, N. Y.

Tuesday.
Junior championship tourney of Metropolitan Golf Association at Plainfield, N. J.
Battling Nelson vs. Billy Dixon, 12 rounds, at Boston.
Opening of bench show of Appalachian Kennel Club at Knoxville, Tenn.
Opening of annual open air horse show at White Plains, N. Y.

Wednesday.
Presentation of a memento from the Royal Caledonian Curling Club to Earl Grey.
Bench show of Genesee Valley Kennel Club opens at Batavia, N. Y.

Thursday.
Leon Houck vs. Frank Mantell, 10 rounds, at New York City.
Opening of annual bench show of Seattle Kennel Club, Seattle, Washington.

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Oddities in a Day's News

Mr. Blakley submitted state papers showing the company's assets without over \$600,000 with no liabilities. He said the company wanted to furnish a part of the expense of building the plant. The proposition was referred to the manufacturing committee which met at two o'clock this afternoon to formulate a proposition.

FONTAINE MARRIED

IN LOS ANGELES. Ohio. After several months to others for 18 years, she has made out one for herself and today becomes Mrs. John L. Hays.

Flying a Kite New Cure for Headache Discovered by Pastor. Flying a kite to cure a headache is the discovery of Rev. W. M. Patridge of Marblehead, Mass.

Cucumbers Are Fruit According to Official Decision in Court. Cucumbers are not vegetables, in the meaning of the law, but fruit, according to a ruling of Chief Magistrate Otto Kemper of Brooklyn.

Cures Wife of Extravagance by Giving Her \$200 in Silver. A resourceful man in Greeley, Colo., has found out how to keep his wife from spending money.

2000 Women Holding Public Offices in State of Kansas. There are 2000 women holding office in Kansas. These include 49 county superintendents, five county clerks, five county treasurers, two probate judges and a mayor.

Army of Roaches Escaping From Fire Upset the Firemen. An army of roaches, dislodged by fire in the home of Frank Keener of Elizabeth, N. J., made the front steps so slippery, that several firemen fell.

Fears Explosion of Popcorn Ears Two Feet Long. Patrolman Walter Ayers of Springfield, Mass., sleeps every night in fear of a popcorn explosion that will wreck his barn.

Dog Digs Up Two Silver Dollars to Pay for His New Collar. A bird dog in Tarrytown received a collar the other day from W. A. Towne, his master. The dog was so delighted with the collar that he dug two dollars up from under a tree and brought them to his master.

Crows and Blackbirds Husking All the Corn for Farmers. Crows and blackbirds are corn huskers this fall around Wang Mass., and are doing their work so well that farmers say they have almost ruined the crop, tearing the husks from the ears and the corn

from the cobs. The red wing blackbird, one of the thieving species, is protected by law.

Hen Lays an Egg Nine Inches Long and Seven Inches Thick. Mrs. C. E. Felton's prize hen that occupies a coop on the Felton place in Orange, Mass., has brought forth a champion double egg. It was 9 by 7 inches, and inside it was another perfectly formed egg 7 1/2 by 5 1/2 inches.

Robins Acquire a Jag by Eating Too Many Catawba Grapes. A flock of robins got tipsy yesterday in the yard of Frederick M. Nugent of Bloomfield, N. J. The debauch was caused by feeding too freely on Mr. Nugent's catawba grapes. Some of the birds were so overcome that they lay unconscious on their backs.

FOR AGED PEOPLE. Old Folks Should Be Careful in Their Selection of Regulative Medicine.

We have a safe, dependable and all together ideal remedy that is particularly adapted to the requirements of aged people and persons of weak constitutions who suffer from constipation or other bowel disorders. We are so certain that it will relieve these complaints and give absolute satisfaction in every particular that we offer it with our personal guarantee that it shall cost the user nothing if it fails to substantiate our claims. This remedy is called Rexall Orderlies.

Rexall Orderlies have a soothing, healing, strengthening, tonic and regulative action upon the bowels. They remove all irritation, dryness, soreness and weakness. They restore the bowels, and associate organs to more vigorous and healthy activity. They are eaten like candy, may be taken at any time without inconvenience, do not cause any griping, nausea, diarrhoea, excessive looseness, flatulence, or other disagreeable effects. Price 50, and 25-cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store, O. F. Marchman Drug Store.

President Taft in Michigan. Detroit, Mich., Sept. 18.—Michigan welcomed President Taft today with genuine cordiality. The presidential train reached Detroit shortly before 7 o'clock this morning and despite the early hour a large crowd was on hand to catch a glimpse of the nation's chief executive. The car was immediately switched around the city and taken to Pontiac where the President delivered a short address and then returned to Detroit to attend the opening of the Michigan State Fair. At luncheon the President was the guest of the Detroit commercial bodies. A ride about the city occupied the remainder of the afternoon.

FOR INDIGESTION. Bad Dreams, Nervousness, Biliousness, and All Stomach Misery. Go to O. F. Marchman's today don't procrastinate—get a fifty cent box of MIO-NA stomach tablets and get rid of all that annoying gas, sourness, heartburn, bloating and heaviness O. F. Marchman guarantees it.

There wouldn't be so many deaths from acute indigestion if sufferers would constantly carry a few MIO-NA tablets with them.

Read this from a man 64 years old and then decide whether you prefer to suffer longer or not. "I am on my second box of MIO-NA. I received relief after taking two doses. I feel like a different man. I am 64 years old and MIO-NA is the best thing I ever used for stomach trouble."—J. M. Burger, R. F. D. No. 3, Box 38, Wooster, Ohio. Fifty cents for a large box of stomach tablets at O. F. Marchman and druggists everywhere.

TALK ABOUT A LINE TO OKLAHOMA CITY

The following clipped from an Oklahoma City Paper seems plausible enough, but official confirmation is lacking:

While President A. A. Allen of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company, on a visit here neither affirmed nor denied the report that the Katy system will, on January 1, become a part of the Union Pacific holdings and immediately thereafter, will announce plans for the construction of a branch line from Wichita Falls to Oklahoma City. Intimations given were such as to lead to a confirmation of the belief that this is the definitely arranged plan of the Katy.

The proposed new road, which is expected to be announced by January 1, will be an extension of its present line from Parsons, Kansas to Oklahoma City and will connect with the line of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern at Devol, running by way of Linsey, Duncan and Lawton. It is understood that the proposed route has been considered for several weeks.

At the same time the announcement will be made that the Missouri, Kansas & Texas will construct a railway from Newcastle, Texas to Cisco, Texas, they making connection at the latter point with the Texas Central Railway, a line, which was acquired by the company last year.

The Wichita Falls & Southern, a new part of the Wichita Falls & Northwestern system, now extends from Wichita Falls to Newcastle, a distance of sixty-five miles. The connection of the line from Newcastle to Cisco will give to the Missouri, Kansas & Texas a line traversing Southwestern Oklahoma as well as a northern outlet and connection for the Texas Central line which extends northwest from Waco to Rotan, Cisco is the intersection of the Texas Central and the line of the Texas & Pacific extending from Fort Worth to El Paso.

Letter to J. E. HUTT Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir:—Two cans of paint look alike; two jobs look alike, when opened; two jobs look alike, so long as they're new—unless one is scant. They are far from alike; one is paint and the other is trash.

The gallon price is not far from alike. They don't cost alike. One takes 10 gallons to paint a house; the other takes 20. The cost of one job is \$50; the other \$100—it may be \$90—the job that cost least is the good one; wears twice as long as the other.

There are two ways of telling good paint; by the name; by the number of gallons it takes for a job—least gallons, best paint. By the name Devoe; by least gallons.

Yours truly F. W. DEVOE & CO. E. R. McClendon sells our paint.

Meet to Discuss Bills of Lading. New Orleans, La., Sept. 18.—Representatives of the Southern cotton exchanges, bankers and business men assembled in this city today to discuss the phases of the Liverpool bill of lading plan and to devise measures for the protection of the mutual interests of those engaged in handling and financing the Southern cotton crop.

Big Stakes at Detroit Meeting. Detroit, Mich., Sept. 18.—Detroit's second Grand Circuit race meeting, held in connection with the Michigan State Fair, opened today and will continue until next Friday. The program provides for twenty events, among the winners of which \$45,000 will be distributed.

Program at Bay City. Bay City, Mich., Sept. 18.—Bay City is decorated in the national colors in

Watch the Big Cash Store Grow!

It has been growing everyday since we opened, more than eight months ago. THESE PRICES ARE WHAT DO IT:

- DRY GOODS. Don't pass up our Staple Department. It will be the best in Wichita Falls. 5000 yards best Calico, per yd. 5c. 4000 yards good Calico, per yd. 4 1/2c. 5000 yards good Percales per yd. 6 1/4 to 10c. 5000 yds. Bookfold Tal de Nord and Red Seal Gingham, worth 15 cents. Challenge Price 12c. 4000 yds. New Hope Bleached Muslin per yard 8 1-3c. 4000 yds. good 36-inch Bleached Muslin, per yard 5c to 10c. 4000 yds. Brown Muslin per yd. 8 to 10c. 4000 yds. Staple Check Gingham, Challenge Price per yard 5c to 8 1-3c. 5000 yds. good Cotton Check, per yd. 5c Pepperell Sheeting, Challenge Price per yard 23c and 25c. Don't fail to see our new fall Dress Goods, Silks, Linings and Buttons. Big line fall Wash Goods. Special prices on Table Linen, Napkins and Towels. 500 pairs Blankets and Bed Comforts in transit, that we can sell for 25 to 40 per cent less than anyone else in Wichita Falls. 200 Ladies' Skirts, all brand new and worth \$7.00. Challenge Price each \$3.95. We handle the W. B. and American Lady Corsets, the two best brands ever made, all the new styles, at lowest prices.

- GROCERIES. Everybody eats. Some people eat more than others. But the more you eat the more money we can save you. Read these prices. Pure Cane Sugar, 15 lbs for \$1.00 (Only \$1.00 worth to a customer) Five gallons best Oil 50c. Best Peaberry Coffee, per lb. 22 1/2 to 25c. Sable and Diamond C Coffee per lb. 25c. We carry a full line of First Pick and Steel Cut Coffee. 200 Buckets best Coffee, per bucket 90c. Dry Salt Bacon, per lb. 10 to 12c. Best Smoked Strip Bacon, per lb. 13c. 50 lb. bucket best Compound Lard \$4 35. 10 lb. bucket best Compound Lard \$1 00. 10 lb. bucket Cottolene \$1 25. Pure Lard, per lb. 12c. 10 lb bucket Pure Lard \$1 30. Three cars best hard and soft wheat flour money can buy including Hunter Cream, White Cress, Belle of Vernon, same as Belle of Wichita. Our Challenge Price hundred \$2 50 to \$2 75. 35 lb. sack Meal 65c. Best Fancy Table Syrup per bucket 35c. Star and Horseshoe Tobacco, per lb. 45c. White Syrup, gal. bucket 40c. Ribbon Cane Syrup 50c to 65c. 24 qt. Table Syrup, case \$1 95. 20 lbs. best Navy Beans \$1 00. 20 lbs. best Rice \$1 00. 4 lbs. Arm and Hammer Soda 25c. 24 cans good Corn, case \$1 95. 24 cans hand picked Tomatoes \$1 90. Van Camps Best Hominy, case \$1 95. Best Kraut case \$1 95. 4 cans Eagle Lye 25c. 4 boxes Axle Grease 25c. 3 boxes best Matches 10c. Best Bulk Crackers, per box 6 1/2c. 28 bars best White Soap \$1 00. Spuds, per bushel \$1 50. We have a car of new canned goods in transit which we can save you 25 to 40 per cent on, and a car of First Pick goods we can sell very cheap.

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A most notable gathering of stylish shoes is under way at our store! Among the first to arrive were the Fall Styles of A. E. Nettleton's Shoes for Men.

Some of the neatest styles for Ladies in all the leathers and Fabrics that we have ever shown are here. Other makes and styles arriving daily. Drop in and see them.

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Dependable styles at prices that our customers say are the most reasonable in the city. Come in this week and try them on.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Meata Lowry was in the city today from her home at Holliday. Sam Tritch is in Electra today looking over the oil field. J. D. Wood of Lawton, Okla., is in the city visiting relatives. Judge Edgar Scurry left this afternoon for Fort Worth on legal business. J. D. Avis returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit at Mineral Wells. Patrick Henry was down from Chikita, dress to spend Sunday with his family. Ben F. Christian formerly of this city, now located at Greenville, is here today greeting friends. Will G. Brown, one of Wichita county's thrifty farmers who resides near Iowa Park was here today on business. Allie Dodson, from Burkburnett was here today looking after business matters. Eugene Elsiey left this afternoon for Fort Worth at which place he will enter the Texas Christian University. E. Rexford was in the city today transacting business from his home on Gilbert Creek. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sibert and little son returned this afternoon from Colorado. Dell Mills, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. H. L. Montgomery left today for his home at Texarkana. Miss Bertha Taylor, after a pleasant visit with friends in this city left today for her home at Holliday. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cook returned this afternoon from their visit with relatives in Fort Worth. Miss Beulah Moore from Altus, Ok., was among the local visitors in the city today. R. B. Havenor, left this afternoon to look after business interests at Archer City. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Isley have returned from their summer vacation spent in Colorado. Frank Grosjean, chief clerk in the postoffice at Shreveport, La., is in the city spending his vacation with his friend, C. E. Reid. Judge J. H. Glasgow, one of the leading legal lights from Seymour, was here today greeting friends while en route to Fort Worth on legal business. O. M. Love, a prominent citizen from Seymour, was in the city today en route to Fort Worth at which place he has business interests. John W. Cook, who has been visiting his brother, S. C. Cook, and nephew, Dr. J. S. Nelson, left today for his home at Perry, Ark. R. G. Bennett, one of Seymour's esteemed citizens was here today-hand shaking with his friends while on his return home from Mineral Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murray left today for Grogan, Texas, at which place they will visit relatives. Mr. Murray also has property interests in that section.

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

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having returned from Chicago, where I took another special course in diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, I desire to announce to the public that I am better prepared than ever before to practice this specialty, having the latest and most progressive ideas in this particular line. My office equipment for this work is second to none in Texas, everything being absolutely sanitary and up to now. A lady attendant always in charge. DR. J. W. DU VAL, First National Bank Building.

Martial Law at Valencia. By Associated Press. Madrid, Sept. 18.—A general strike has broken out at Valencia, 190 miles from Madrid. Martial law has been proclaimed. Troops occupy the streets and telegraph wires have been cut.

YOUNG MAN

When you don the tall silk head-gear, the snow-colored trousers and the coat that ain't all there and sally forth to worry the fair one with a line of conversation that would give a parrot the headache don't forget that the credentials for recognition is a box of ALLEGRETTO'S Chocolates fifty cents the pony and a dollar, the pound. Don't faint, Adam paid more for apples. Take a box with you, it's the only thing to do else it might be rumored in keen society that you did not belong.

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JURY DISAGREED IN MEEKER'S CASE

Dalhart, Texas, Sept. 18.—The jury which tried Charles M. Meeker, of New York City on a charge of passing bogus paper at banks in this section, disagreed Saturday night after being out seventy-two hours. The district attorney will attempt to secure a new indictment before the March grand jury. I am always in the market for good land loans or land notes, no delay or red tape, money always ready when titles are approved. R. E. GILLENTINE, 800 Ohio Ave. Opp. P. O. Entrance. 95 25tc

Local News Brevities

Judge Felder called the civil docket in the county court this morning and set a number of cases for trial. All cases not specially set will be carried over until next week. Dr. M. R. Garrison, Dentist; office First National Bank Bldg. Phone 49. W. Lee Moore made a business trip to Fort Worth this afternoon. FREEAR-BRIN FURNITURE CO. Undertakers and Embalmers. JESSE DOLMAN (Graduate Licensed embalmer in charge.) Day 'phone 136. Night 'phone 665-815. Civic League will hold a called meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Richolt at four o'clock tomorrow afternoon. All members are requested to attend. The First National Bank of Electra will receive bids until Friday, July 22, at 4 o'clock, for the erection of a second story to the bank at Electra. E. G. Min, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. C. F. Collins, a St. Louis capitalist, who was the first agent in Wichita Falls for the Fort Worth and Denver and the express company, is in the city today looking after his interests here. Price-blotters for school children at Dr. Nelson's office. 108-3tc. An official circular has been issued from the office of Division Superintendent O. E. Maer, announcing the appointment of F. H. Shaffer as chief dispatcher for the Fort Worth and Denver at this point succeeding T. J. Leichman who has been assigned to other duties. The change is effective Wednesday. Mr. Shaffer comes from Las Vegas, New Mexico, where he has been chief dispatcher for the Santa Fe. Dr. Prothro, Dentist, Suite No. 1, Ward Building. 62-1tc. We write all kinds of insurance. Phone 944. Kell, Perkins & Cravens, Ground floor, Kemp & Kell Building. 52-1tc. Our cleaning department is equipped for first class work, and that is the only kind we do. Collier the Tailor, 722 Ohio. 108-3tc. FREEAR-BRIN FURNITURE CO. Undertakers and Embalmers. JESSE DOLMAN (Graduate Licensed embalmer in charge.) Day 'phone 136. Night 'phone 665-815. The Freear-Brin Furniture Co. is showing a most beautiful china closet and buffet, in solid-Cuban mahogany. The pieces are the work of the Superior Furniture Co. of Rockford, Ill., and were given the first prize at the furniture exposition at Grand Rapids, Mich. in July, as the most beautiful design turned out by any factory this year. The design is in straight line.

Dr. Du Val, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. The Bessy Furniture Co. is receiving another full car of furniture for the fall business today. Dr. M. R. Garrison, Dentist; office First National Bank Bldg. Phone 49. W. Lee Moore made a business trip to Fort Worth this afternoon. FREEAR-BRIN FURNITURE CO. Undertakers and Embalmers. JESSE DOLMAN (Graduate Licensed embalmer in charge.) Day 'phone 136. Night 'phone 665-815. Civic League will hold a called meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Richolt at four o'clock tomorrow afternoon. All members are requested to attend. The First National Bank of Electra will receive bids until Friday, July 22, at 4 o'clock, for the erection of a second story to the bank at Electra. E. G. Min, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. C. F. Collins, a St. Louis capitalist, who was the first agent in Wichita Falls for the Fort Worth and Denver and the express company, is in the city today looking after his interests here. Price-blotters for school children at Dr. Nelson's office. 108-3tc. An official circular has been issued from the office of Division Superintendent O. E. Maer, announcing the appointment of F. H. Shaffer as chief dispatcher for the Fort Worth and Denver at this point succeeding T. J. Leichman who has been assigned to other duties. The change is effective Wednesday. Mr. Shaffer comes from Las Vegas, New Mexico, where he has been chief dispatcher for the Santa Fe. Dr. Prothro, Dentist, Suite No. 1, Ward Building. 62-1tc. We write all kinds of insurance. Phone 944. Kell, Perkins & Cravens, Ground floor, Kemp & Kell Building. 52-1tc. Our cleaning department is equipped for first class work, and that is the only kind we do. Collier the Tailor, 722 Ohio. 108-3tc. FREEAR-BRIN FURNITURE CO. Undertakers and Embalmers. JESSE DOLMAN (Graduate Licensed embalmer in charge.) Day 'phone 136. Night 'phone 665-815. The Freear-Brin Furniture Co. is showing a most beautiful china closet and buffet, in solid-Cuban mahogany. The pieces are the work of the Superior Furniture Co. of Rockford, Ill., and were given the first prize at the furniture exposition at Grand Rapids, Mich. in July, as the most beautiful design turned out by any factory this year. The design is in straight line.

Old Colonial, with plate glass fronts, and cost originally more than \$300. They are sold to the highest bidder at the close of the exposition and were bid in by Mr. Brin as an advertisement for Wichita Falls. They will be sold in the same manner by the company. PRICES OF CANDY ARE GOING HIGHER New Quotations Will Be From One to Three Cents Higher—Fewer Sticks for Johnny's Nickle. The next time little Johnny Jones goes to buy a nickle's worth of stick candy, the grocerman or confectioner will probably count several sticks short of the usual number, for all kinds of candies are going up from one to three cents a pound on account of the big rise in the price of sugar. Local confectioners are receiving letters from all the big candy manufacturers withdrawing previous quotations on candies and the new price-lists that are being prepared quote higher prices on all candies. Some manufacturers of course will adulterate their product with cheaper materials and may not raise the price. The honest manufacturers however, will have no alternative other than raise the price of his goods. When you need anything in the FEED LINE! either for horses or cattle, hogs or chickens—come to see us. We always keep a good supply on hand and we can always supply you with the best grades and at the lowest prices. Wichita Grain Company PHONE 33 809 INDIANA AVENUE

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NOTABLE SPEAKERS AT CONSERVATION MEETING Bryin, Fisher, Wiley, Barrett, Lindsay and Others to Speak at Third National Congress. Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 13.—A notable array of speakers will deliver addresses at the third National Conservation Congress, which will meet here Sept. 25, 26 and 27. President Taft will deliver the only address on the opening night. He is expected to discuss Alaska. Some of the most prominent speakers and topics which were announced today follows: The Government and the Public Domain—Secretary of the Interior Fisher. The Country Life Movement—W. J. Bryan. Cutting out the Middle-Man—Charles S. Barrett. The Farmer and the Railroads—Herbert Quick. The Country Child and the City Child—Judge Ben B. Lindsay. The Health of the People—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley. The Country School—Dr. Walter R. Page. Conservation in Congress—U. S. Senator—Hitchcock. Practically Forestry in Europe and America—J. B. White. PENNANT CONTROVERSY Cleburne Forwards Data in the Matter to Farrell. Cleburne, Texas, Sept. 18.—All of the baseball data, concerning the winning of the pennant of the Texas-Oklahoma League by the Cleburne team, has been forwarded to J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National Baseball Association at Auburn, N. Y. The data contained an affidavit of Umpire Bates Simpson. The matter will be passed on officially in November. The members of the local association are not worrying about the outcome. PROF. J. P. BOYER TEACHER OF VIOLIN AND PIANO PIANO A SPECIALTY Terms— One lesson a week \$4.00 per Month Two lessons a week \$6.00 per Month Studio 1109 Lamar

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